



**FARM & AGRIBUSINESS
MANAGEMENT CDE
3-4 Member Team
Judging Card Scan Sheet #105481**



Purpose

This event is to foster information assimilation, critical thinking and problem- solving skills necessary to successfully manage an agricultural production unit, agri-business or in any business that uses generally accepted accounting principles and business management knowledge and skills.

Information, concepts and skills applied in this event may also be foundational knowledge to be used in the study of agricultural economics, business or accounting at a college or university.

Equipment

1. Team members must provide their own No. 2 pencils, compliant transparent plastic clipboard and/or clean folder with the following items: genuine Judging Card scan sheet, optional copy of the scan sheet, or Texas FFA CDE drop sheet, and/or 2 sheets of lined or unlined blank paper.
2. Four-function, non-programmable calculators may be used and must be furnished by the contestant. If the calculator has either a PROB, PGM, or TVM button or if the calculator has a large screen and the ability to graph function, it is programmable and will not be permitted. Letters above the number keys also indicate that the calculator is programmable.
3. Contestants must use a genuine Judging Card scan sheet for this contest to be valid. The appropriate scan sheet for this contest is the AG SALES/FB MGT/AG MECH 105481 found on the Judging Card website.

Rules

1. Official dress is mandatory for all participants.
2. Sharing of calculators between team members will not be permitted.
3. Electrical outlets will not be available for charging batteries, etc.
4. No allowance will be made for malfunctioning or inoperable calculators.
5. Copies of the two exams used in the event (including a key of correct answers) will be made available after the event.

Event Format

1. Each contestant shall be allotted 2 1/2 hours to complete both the written and problem solving exams.
2. All materials will be handed out at the beginning of the contest to prevent any interruptions during contests.
3. Written Exam (100 points)
 - a. The exam shall be composed of 50 multiple choice or true/false questions.
 - b. Some questions may be problem type.
 - c. Team members will work as individuals to complete the written exam.
 - d. No answer choice may contain the 'NONE OF THE ABOVE' answer choice.
4. Problem Solving (150 points)
 - a. No partial credit will be given on any problems.
 - b. Team members work as individuals.

- c. No answer choice may contain the 'NONE OF THE ABOVE' answer choice.

Scoring

Written Exam	100 points
Problem Solving	150 points
TOTAL INDIVIDUAL POINTS	250 points
TOTAL TEAM POINTS	750 points

Tiebreakers

1. Team ties will be broken using the following criteria, alternate scores will not be used:
 - a. Collective Score on Problem Solving
 - b. Collective Score on the Written Exam
 - c. Collective Score on Problem Solving Questions 1-25
 - d. Collective Score on Problem Solving 26-50
2. Individual ties will be broken using the following criteria:
 - a. Highest Score on Problem Solving
 - b. Highest Score on the Written Exam
 - c. Highest Score on Problem Solving Questions 1-25
 - d. Highest Score on Problem Solving 26-50

Resources

1. Farm and Ranch Business Management 8th edition
2. Farm Management, 9th Edition By Ronald Kay and William Edwards and Patricia Duffy ISBN10: 1260002195/ISBN13: 9781260002195/Copyright: 202