

Harvesting Hunted Animals for Petfood Examination



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Everyone intending to supply hunted animals for petfood must understand the key requirements for harvesting and supplying poison-free hunted animals.

Intending suppliers are required to demonstrate knowledge of the “Operational Code: Petfood Processing” and the training booklet “Harvesting Hunted Animals for Petfood”.

Instructions:

1. Study the “Operational Code: Petfood Processing: Chapter 4 Harvesting and Processing of Hunted Animals” and the training booklet “Harvesting Hunted Animals for Petfood”.
2. Fill in this examination form and return to the petfood processor along with the form “*Application to become a Processor-Approved Hunter - Petfood*”.
3. Be clear about your answers and mark the form clearly.
4. There is no time limit.
5. This is an “open-book” exam. You may refer to either publication while you are filling out the exam.
6. The petfood processor will mark the exam and may ask further questions to ensure you understand the key requirements for harvesting poison-free hunted animals for petfood.
7. If satisfied that you understand these requirements, the processor will enter your name onto their list of approved hunters.

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Surname: Given Name:

Date: Phone Number:

Email Address:

Postal Address:

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There are 25 questions. All must be answered
Fill in the answer or tick the appropriate box.

1 What is the buffer zone for possums km

2 What is the withholding period for Pindone months

3 If the ambient temperature is warmer than 10°C harvested raw material must be placed in refrigeration within hours

4 Under some circumstances the petfood processor may legally accepted harvested hunted animals without the accompanying “Processor-approved Hunter Supplier Declaration for the Supply of Wild Mammal Material for Petfood” and “Poison Use Statement - Petfood” (or DOC “Pesticide Summary”).

True	False
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5 If you are caught supplying animals containing residues of poisons, you will be investigated and could face heavy fines

True	False
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6 Animals must not be taken from an area where “STORM” has been laid until years

7 Before supplying any hunted animal for petfood a harvester must be approved by a petfood processor

True	False
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8 All animals must be alive and generally healthy at the time of harvest

True	False
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9 A database of registered vertebrate toxic agents can be found at the _____ website -----

10 All harvested hunted animals that are to be delivered chilled must be cooled to an internal temperature of below 7°C within ____ hours of killing

11 Name a trade name of a poison containing the active ingredient “Brodifacoum”

12 The Poison Use Statement - Petfood is valid for ____ months from the date the responsible person signs it. months

13 Hunted animals must not be taken from an area where 1080 has been laid until months

14 Hunted animals may be taken immediately from areas where cyanide has been used if they are confirmed as alive and generally healthy at the time of harvest

True	False
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15 All raw material must be identified so that it is traceable back to the correct documentation and the property of origin

True	False
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16 Harvesters of hunted animals are required to keep up to date with the database of registered poisons

True	False
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17 The buffer zone for hunted wallabies is _ km

18 A supplier’s approval with a petfood processor automatically lapses after 24 months, unless renewed prior.

True	False
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19 Possums may only be harvested from outside areas declared a “TB vector risk area” by OSPRI.

True	False
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20 Tick the true statements and cross the false statements:

1	Gutting in the field is permitted	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Gutting is limited to the stomach and intestines only	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	Skinning in the field is permitted	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	Lungs, hearts, kidney, liver must remain in the carcass	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	Skinning in the field is illegal	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	Animals must be gutted before delivery	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

- 21 All deliveries of hunted animals to the petfood processor must be accompanied by :
- 1 Poison Use Statement - Petfood
 - 2 Processor-approved Hunter Supplier Declaration for the Supply of Wild Mammal Material for Petfood (or DOC Pesticide Summary)
 - 3 Both 1 and 2
- 22 Describe why hunted animals should not be harvested from buffer zones
- 23 Describe how you protect hunted animals from deterioration and contamination directly after harvest, during storage and during delivery to the petfood processor
- 24 Describe the system you will use to identify the harvested hunted animals to the accompanying documentation.
- 25 Describe what you would do if you were unable to get a Poison Use Statement – Petfood signed