Chapter 15 - Lesson 4
Preparing Livestock for Shipment

Questions

1. What is preconditioning?

2. What is backgrounding?

3. Why are calves dehorned?

4. What are the recommended body sites for branding calves? Why?

5. When should calves be vaccinated?

6. Why are calves preconditioned and backgrounded?

7. At what age should lamb marking be done?

8. What is done at lamb marking?

9. At what age should pigs be processed?

10. Why are pigs’ needle teeth clipped and tails docked?
11. Identify the following pigs by litter number and pig number.