

Question 27 (7 marks)

Evaluate an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) program for a named pest or disease of an animal host you have studied. In your answer, include examples of management strategies used in this program.

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One pest known as Queensland Itch, is a tiny ~~parasite~~<sup>mite</sup> that creates animals such as horses to itch a lot, and in most cases, until they bleed. This mite is constantly running and ~~be~~ biting the horses skin creating little lumps everywhere.

To manage this pest you need to isolate the animal, ~~and~~ wash all of its gear in an insecticide, and then wash the horse using an insecticide known as permethrin.

This will need to be done around ~~every~~  
~~summer~~ summer.