

# **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

### REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2019/2020 ACADEMIC YEAR FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

## SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES CERTIFICATE IN SOCIAL WORK

# **COURSE CODE: CAS 01 COURSE TITLE: QUANTITATIVE TECHNIQUES**

**DATE: 11<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2019** 

TIME: 11.00AM-1.00PM

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer question one and any other three questions

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#### **Question One**

- a) Define the following:
  - i) Commission
  - ii) Profit
  - iii) Discount

(3 marks)

(6 marks)

- b) Mary deposited Sh. 500,000/= in a bank offering a simple interest of 10% per annum. Determine the:
  - i) Accrued amount after 5 years (3 marks)
  - ii) Accrued amount after 12 years (3 marks)

c) Given 
$$a = 3, b = 5$$
 and  $c = \frac{1}{2}$ , evaluate (3 marks)

$$\frac{4a^2+2b-4c}{\frac{1}{4}\left(b^2-3a\right)}$$

- d) Musa invested Sh. 98,000 in a bank offering a compound interest of 15% per annum. Determine the:
  - i) Amount accrued after 20 years. (3 marks)
  - ii) Time it will take for an accrued amount of Sh. 140,000. (4 marks)
- e) Solve for x;
  - i) 2x 4 = 20 6x

ii) 
$$\frac{2x-5}{3} = \frac{3x-4}{2}$$

iii) 
$$\frac{8-2x}{3} - \frac{7-x}{4} = 10$$

#### **Question Two**

A company produces three products X, Y and Z. The table below shows the different departments A, B and C the products pass through.

| Department | Product X | Product Y | Product Z | Total |  |
|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------|--|
|            |           |           |           | Hours |  |
| А          | 4         | 2         | 8         | 170   |  |
| В          | 5         | 3         | 7         | 185   |  |
| С          | 6         | 4         | 2         | 160   |  |

Formulate equations and get the values of X, Y and Z that will consume all the hours during manufacturing. (15 marks)

#### **Question Three**

Given that set  $\Omega = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 12\}$ ,  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6\}$ ,  $B = \{6, 8, 9, 12\}$  and  $C = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ .

| a) Givi | ng reasons state the set which is a subset of A | (2 marks) |
|---------|---|-----------|
| b) Dete | ermine the following                            |           |
| i.      | $A^{C}$   | (1 marks) |
| ii.     | $A \cap B$                                      | (2 marks) |
| iii.    | B-A   | (2 marks) |
| iv.     | $A \cup B$                                      | (2 marks) |
| v.      | $A \cap C$                                      | (2 marks) |
| c) Sho  | w that $\Omega$ is partitioned by B and C       | (4 marks) |

#### **Question Four**

The data below illustrate the number of students in 7 courses within the university;

| Course          | Α  | В  | С  | D  | E  | F  | G  |
|-----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| No. of Students | 16 | 14 | 15 | 12 | 13 | 12 | 18 |

Use it to calculate;

| i)   | The mean           | (4 marks) |
|------|--------------------|-----------|
| ii)  | Median             | (3 marks) |
| iii) | Mode               | (2 marks) |
| iv)  | Standard deviation | (6 marks) |

#### **Question Five**

A student rolled two dices simultaneously and recorded sum of the two numbers obtained from two dices. Calculate the probability that;

| i)   | The sum is five                            | (2 marks) |
|------|--|-----------|
| ii)  | The sum is less than 5                     | (3 marks) |
| iii) | The sum is more than 6                     | (2 marks) |
| iv)  | The sum is more than 4 but less than 10    | (3 marks) |
| v)   | One of the dices gives a 4 or the sum is 5 | (3 marks) |
| vi)  | That one of the dices gives a 5            | (2 marks) |
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