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# KIBABII UNIVERSITY

## UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS **2019/2020 ACADEMIC YEAR**

### THIRD YEAR 2ND SEMESTER SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE AGRICULTURE ECONOMICS AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT & BACHELOR OF AGRICULTURE AND BIOTECHNOLOGY

COURSE CODE:

IAE 380/387

COURSE TITLE:

AGRICULTURAL MARKETING II

(APPLICATIONS)

TIME: 8-10AM.

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions.

TIME: 2 Hours

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### **QUESTION ONE**

- (i) Define the following terms as used in Agricultural Marketing:
  - (a) Market
  - (b) Income elasticity
  - (c) Firm
  - (d) Demand
  - (e) Opportunity cost

(10marks)

- (ii) Giving examples, distinguish between Income elasticity and cross elasticity (6marks)
- (iii) Explain the role of price in influencing elasticity of supply in a free market economy (6marks)
- (iv) Differentiate between changes in quantity demanded from changes in demand (4marks)
- (v) Distinguish between Oligopoly and Duopoly market (4marks)

### **QUESTION TWO**

- (i) (a) Highlight Five major objectives in the theory of the Firm (5marks)
  - (b) Clearly explain the distinction between a free market system and planned Economies (6marks)
- (ii) Explain by use of a curve the law of Demand (5marks)
- (iii) Briefly explain any Five determinants of supply of a good in the Market (4marks)

#### **QUESTION THREE**

- (a) Discuss determinants of price elasticity (10marks)
- (b) Mr. Wekesa demanded tomatoes of 250 crates at a price of Kes.750. As a result of transporting the produce, there was a fall in price to Kes.600. This situation resulted in a rise in demand to 430 crates.
- (i) What is the change in quantity demanded?
- (ii) Calculate the price elasticity of demand of the commodity. (10marks)

### QUESTION FOUR

Discuss, giving examples, any Five major types of price discrimination (20marks)

## QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Briefly explain Five sources of monopoly (10marks)
- (b) Illustrate a perfect competitive market in the short run and long run(10marks)