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**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE AGRICULTURE**  
**ECONOMICS AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT**

**COURSE CODE:** AEC 212/ECO 201

**COURSE TITLE:** INTERMEDIATE MICRO ECONOMICS

**DATE:** 20<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2022

**TIME:** 2 – 4 PM

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions.

TIME: 2 Hours

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### QUESTION ONE

- a) What is an asset? (2 marks)
- b) State three basic factors that must be taken into account when calculating the depreciation charge on an asset. (2 marks)
- c) Distinguish between “allowance for bad and doubtful debts” and “bad debts” (2 marks)
- d) Gravel extractors Ltd. acquired the rights to remove deposits from land owned by a farmer.

The agreement provided for:

- i) The payment of royalty of **Kshs 100** per ton of gravel removed.
- ii) A minimum payment of **Kshs 500,000** per annum
- iii) Recoupment rights (for short workings) to be extinguished at the end of year 3.

During the first four years of the contract the following quantities of gravel were removed:

| Year | Tons  |
|------|-------|
| 1    | 3,000 |
| 2    | 5,000 |
| 3    | 6,000 |
| 4    | 7,000 |
| 5    | 6,000 |

The company's accounting period ends on 31<sup>st</sup> December and payment to the farmer is made on 1<sup>st</sup> February the following year.

#### Required:

A schedule showing royalty payable, short workings, amount payable, short working recouped and those written off. (10 marks)

- e) (i) What is the difference between joint venture and partnership? (2 marks)

(ii) Alice and Benter were partners in a joint venture sharing profits and losses in the ratio **3:2** respectively. Alice supplied goods to the value **Kshs 50,000** and incurred expenses amounting to **Kshs 4,000**. Benter supplied goods to the value of **Kshs 40,000** and her expenses amounted to **Kshs 3,000**. Benter sold goods on behalf of the joint venture and realized **Kshs 120,000**.

#### Required:

Joint venture accounts as they would appear in the books of Alice and Benter together with

the memorandum joint venture account.

(12 marks)

## QUESTION TWO

- a) State three reasons why a company provides for depreciation of its non-current assets. (3 marks)
- b) The non-current assets of Jambo Ltd as at 1 May 2013 were as follows:

| <b>Non-current asset</b> | <b>Cost<br/>Kshs "000"</b> | <b>Accumulated<br/>depreciation<br/>Kshs "000"</b> |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| Land                     | 440,000                    | -                                                  |
| Plant and equipment      | 700,320                    | 270,560                                            |
| Motor vehicles           | 517,600                    | 168,800                                            |
| Fixtures and fittings    | 100,000                    | 25,600                                             |

### **Additional information:**

- The company uses the straight line method of depreciation at the following rates:

|                       |                 |
|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Plant and equipment   | 10% per annum   |
| Motor vehicles        | 20% per annum   |
| Fixtures and fittings | 12.5% per annum |
- It's the policy of the company to provide for a full year's depreciation in the year of purchase of an asset and none in the year of disposal.
- Land was revalued at **Kshs 780,000,000** during the year.
- A motor vehicle bought on 1 January 2011 for **Kshs 686,400** was traded in on 1 July 2013 at a value of **Kshs 352,000** in part exchange for a new vehicle costing **Kshs 1,120,000**.
- On 1 October there was an accident in the factory plant and the plant equipment was written off. The insurance company agreed to pay **85%** of the cost of plant and equipment. As at 31<sup>st</sup> December they had not done so.
- Fixtures and fittings include an item which is fully depreciated and no longer in use. Its cost was **Kshs 200,000**.
- On 1 November 2013, the company purchased plant and equipment at a cost of **Kshs 12 million**.

### **Required:**

- Provision for depreciation on plant and equipment, motor vehicles and furniture and fixtures.  
(Separate accounts required). (10 marks)
- Non-current asset movement schedule for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> Dec.2013. (7marks)

### QUESTION THREE

- a) State two advantages of using FIFO as a method of inventory valuation. (4 marks)
- b) The following information relates to the purchases and sales of product C192 during the month of March 2013

| DATE |    | RECEIPT  |        | DATE |    | ISSUE    |        |
|------|----|----------|--------|------|----|----------|--------|
| 2013 |    | Quantity | Amount | 2013 |    | Quantity | Amount |
|      |    |          | Kshs   |      |    |          | Kshs   |
| Mar  | 1  | 400      | 30,000 | Mar  | 3  | 300      | 31,500 |
| Mar  | 5  | 600      | 48,000 | Mar  | 10 | 500      | 55,000 |
| Mar  | 15 | 500      | 45,000 | Mar  | 17 | 400      | 46,800 |
| Mar  | 25 | 400      | 34,000 | Mar  | 26 | 500      | 60,000 |
| Mar  | 30 | 300      | 28,500 | Mar  | 31 | 200      | 23,000 |

General expenses for the month amounted to Kshs 60,300.

#### Required:

- i) Prepare the stores ledger account using the First-In-First-Out (FIFO) method. (12 marks)
- ii) Determine the net profit for the month of March 2013. (4 marks)

### QUESTION FOUR

- a) Give three reasons why a company would invest in the stocks or share of another company. (3 marks)
- b) The following transactions took place in the books of Chui Ltd.

|     |    |                                                                                                                                                           |
|-----|----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Jan | 1  | Purchased <b>200 6%</b> debentures of <b>Kshs100</b> each of Punda Milia Company (interest payable 31 December and 30 June) at <b>Kshs 98</b> ex-interest |
|     |    | Purchased <b>500 Kshs20</b> ordinary shares of Swala Company for <b>Kshs 50 each</b>                                                                      |
| Feb | 1  | Purchased <b>300 Kshs20</b> ordinary shares of Swala Company for <b>Kshs 48 each</b>                                                                      |
| Mar | 31 | Swala Company paid a six month interim dividend of <b>10%</b>                                                                                             |
| Apr | 30 | Sold <b>50</b> of the debentures at <b>Kshs 101 ci</b>                                                                                                    |
| Jun | 30 | Received debenture interest                                                                                                                               |
| Jul | 1  | Sold <b>100</b> of the ordinary shares at <b>Kshs 50</b>                                                                                                  |
| Sep | 30 | Swala Company paid a <b>5%</b> final dividend                                                                                                             |
| Dec | 31 | Received debenture interest.                                                                                                                              |

**Required:**

The investment accounts in the books of Chui Ltd. It is not the company policy to apportion dividends.

(17 marks)

**QUESTION FIVE**

MAKUMBI Transport Co. Ltd acquired two new buses on 1 January 2011 for **Kshs 12,915,000** on hire purchase. The cash price being **Kshs 9,000,000** for the two buses. The deal was financed by Wananchi Commercial Bank (WCB) and the terms of hire purchase contract required a deposit of **Kshs 3,000,000** on delivery, followed by three installments on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2011, 2012 and 2013 of **Kshs 3,300,000**, **Kshs 3,300,000** and **Kshs 3,315,000** respectively. The true rate of interest was **30%** per annum.

**Required:**

Prepare the appropriate accounts in the books of MAKUMBI Transport Ltd Co. to record the above transactions. (20 marks)