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

COURSE CODE:

AEC 427

COURSE TITLE:

AGRICULTURAL TRADE AND

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS

DATE:

5TH SEPTEMBER 2022

TIME: 2-4PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions.

TIME: 2 Hours

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QUESTION ONE

a. Define the following terms

(10 Marks)

- (i) globalization
- (ii) international marketing
- (iii) non-tariff barriers
- (iv) capital mobility
- (v) balance of payments
- b. Outline the factors that give countries comparative advantage (10 Marks)
- c. Economic integration can be classified into five additive levels, briefly discuss these levels (10 Marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a. Tariffs are the most common type of trade restrictions, with the aid of a diagram, explain the effects of an import tariff on government, producers and consumers (10Marks)
- b. Outline the inward-looking development strategy that developing countries employ in their effort at industrialization (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- a. The successful manager constructs a marketing programme designed for optimal adjustment to uncertainty of the business climate. Briefly discuss the significant elements in the uncontrollable international market environment. (14 Marks)
- b. What are the three orientations to international marketing management that guide the international business activities of companies (6 Marks)

OUESTION FOUR

- a. Despite the benefits of free trade, several governments impose restrictions to free trade. outline the justification given for this (10 Marks)
- b. Describe the following trade restrictions

(10 Marks)

- (i) Trade embargo
- (ii) Tariffs
- (iii) Quotas
- (iv) Sanitary and phytosanitary measures
- (v) Technical standards and regulations

QUESTION FIVE

20 MARKS

Based on your understanding of the theories of international trade, what is the basis for and the pattern of trade according to;

- (i) The Mercantalists
- (ii) Adam Smith
- (iii) David Ricardo
- (iv) Michael Porter