FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, MINNA SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

FIRST SEMESTER 2015/2016 SESSION UNDERGRADUATE EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: GRY 211P

TIME: 2 hours

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTORY CARTOGRAPHY (3 UNITS)

INSTRUCTION: Answer Question ONE (1) and any other two (2) Questions Credits will be given for proper usage of relevant illustrations and diagrams

- (a) State the procedures to construct an automated contour map in chronological order using a named software.
 - (b) Write short notes on any three of the following:
 - i. Plans
 - ii. Charts
 - iii. Maps
 - iv. Scale
- 2. (a) What is cartography?
 - (b) Give an historical overview of cartography
- List six cartographic instruments and discuss four qualities of good drawing surfaces needed in cartography
- 4. Write short notes on any three of the following:
 - a. Plane coordinates
 - b. Spherical coordinates
 - c. Prime meridian
 - d. Map production
 - e. Datum
- 5. Explain the various types of map symbols and state their importance