FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, MINNA SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND SCIENCE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

SECOND SEMESTER 2009/2010 SESSION UNDERGRADUATE EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: GRY322 (2 Units) COURSE TITLE: BIOGEOGRAPHY INSTRUCTIONS: Answer any four (4) questions of your choice. Credit will be given for the use of specific examples and appropriate diagrams.

TIME ALLOWED: 21/2 Hours

- 1. Discuss any 3 of the following:
 - a. Mutation
 - b. Natural selection
 - c. Migration
 - d. Genetic drift
- 2. Discuss the main features of any 3 Biomes of the world
- 3. Explain the basic concept of biological diversity.
- 4. What environmental factors may influence the diversity of plants and animals in a region.
- 5. Discuss fire as an important factor in ecological succession.
- 6. With the aid of good diagrams, discuss any two of the following concept
 - a. Nitrogen cycleb. Water cyclec. Carbon cycle