

FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, MINNA
SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND SCIENCE EDUCATION
(Department of Geography)

FIRST SEMESTER 2011/2012 SESSION UNDERGRADUATE EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: GRY 413

COURSE TITLE: GEOGRAPHY OF RURAL ECONOMY.

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS OF YOUR CHOICE.
CREDIT WILL BE GIVEN FOR THE USE OF SPECIFIC EXAMPLES AND
APPROPRIATE DIAGRAMS.

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

1. Discuss the adequacy of using either occupation or population as a criterion for Distinguishing between rural and urban settlements.
2. Discuss how agriculture may influence the rapid growth of industries in a region.
3. With reference to specific examples, discuss the effects of migration movement on Destination regions.
4. Describe the main factors that control cultural diffusion in Nigeria.
5. How does the Von Thunen theory help your understanding of rural land use system.
6. Discuss five factors that may influence the sitting of a rural settlement.