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FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, MINNA
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DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

SECOND SEMESTER 2013/2014 SESSION UNDERGRADUATE EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: GRY526

COURSE TITLE: SYSTEMATIC GEOGRAPHY OF NIGERIA

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS. CREDIT WILL BE GIVEN FOR RELEVANT ILLUSTRATIONS AND EXAMPLES

TIME ALLOWED: 2½HOURS.

1. Justify the view that weather and climate are the major factors controlling everyday life in Nigeria both direct and indirect influences are manifested (15 marks).
2. With the aid of Nigeria map, identify the main groups of mineral resources (5marks). B) How does the petroleum resource presently transform Nigeria economy? (10 marks)
3. To what extent has the River Basin Development Authority achieved its goal in Nigeria? (15 marks).
4. The rate at which urban population in Nigeria is growing since independence, is attributed to series of migrations. Discuss (15 marks).
5. Explain the term Regional Planning (3marks) and what are the risks associated with poor planning systems in most Nigerian urban centres? Identify the strategies for disaster risk reduction (12 marks).
6. Explain the factors constituting the main constraints to the development of capital goods industries in Nigeria and suggest the possible ways out (15 marks).