



**LANDMARK UNIVERSITY, OMU-ARAN**  
**COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING**  
**MECHANICAL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT**  
**2021/2022 ALPHA SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS**

COURSE CODE: GEC 216

COURSE TITLE: GENERAL ENGINEERING  
LABORATORY I

COURSE UNIT: 3

TIME: 2 HOURS 30 MINS

INSTRUCTION(S): ANSWER ONE QUESTION FROM EACH SECTION

**SECTION A- AGRIC AND BIOSYSTEM ENGINEERING**

1. (a) What is hazard and what are the categories of hazard? (3 Marks)
- (b) State reasons why a fire extinguisher is kept close to a doorway and explain how to get rid of fire using extinguisher. (2 Marks)
- (c) Distinguish between the following: i. waste basket and waste carton ii. testing and measuring equipment iii. wet and dry laboratory (3 Marks)
- (d) As a laboratory user, why should you never work alone in the laboratory? (1 Mark)
- (e) The activities in the laboratory revolve around three things. What are they? (1 Mark)
  
2. (a) What are the relevancies of sand bucket in the laboratory? (1.5 Marks)
- (b) Every laboratory deserves some ventilating chamber. Why is it important to install such? (1.5 Marks)
- (c) Fire does not exist without some ingredients. Describe them. (2 Marks)
- (d) Before commencing any operation in any laboratory, what must you do first? (1 Mark)
- (e) Fire exists and occurs in different forms. How would you classify it with explanatory examples? (4 Marks)

**SECTION B-CHEMICAL ENGINEERING**

1. (a). Write short notes on the following
  - (i) Laboratory (2 Marks)
  - (ii) Quality Control (2 Marks)
  - (iii) Quality Assurance (2 Marks)  
(b). (i) State any five essential feature of a well-designed laboratory (2 Marks)  
    (ii) List five unit operation techniques applied in Chemical Engineering practice (2 Marks)
  
2. (a). With the aid of a diagram explain the types of benching arrangement in a well-designed laboratory (2.5 Marks)  
    (b). State the factors that determine the choice of laboratory floor covering (2.5 Marks)  
    (c). List five types of floor covering suitable for a well-designed laboratory (2.5 Marks)  
    (d). Recommend a suitable flooring type for the following laboratory (2.5 Marks)
  - (i). Chemistry laboratory
  - (ii). Physics laboratory
  - (iii). Biology laboratory
  - (iv). Engineering workshop
  - (v). Chemical/tools store

## SECTION C- CIVIL ENGINEERING

- (a) List two (2) types of Cement. (2 Marks)  
 (b) List two (2) grades of Cement. (2 Marks)  
 (c) Draw a Hand trowel and label its parts. (2 Marks)  
 (d) Explain ratio 1:2:4 and ratio 1:3:6 according to concrete mix ratio. (2 Marks)  
 (e) Define "Mortar" in Civil Engineering. (2 Marks)
- (a) Define Concrete. (2 Marks)  
 (b) State the meaning of "bonding" in Civil Engineering. (2 Marks)  
 (c) List two (2) types of bonds. (2 Marks)  
 (d) Briefly explain fine aggregate and coarse aggregate. (2 Marks)  
 (e) Draw any type of bond. (2 Marks)

## SECTION D- ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

- a. What is the code of resistor having the following colors?  
 i. orange, yellow, blue and gold  
 ii. Brown, red, silver, and Red  
 iii. Yellow, blue, gold, and silver  
 iv. Brown, white, red, blue (4 Marks)
- b. A resistor is connected across a 50 V source. What is the current in the resistor if the color code is red, orange, orange, silver? (3 Marks)
- c. Determine the value of the following resistor

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R1

100

(3 Marks)

- a. Approximately how many milliamperes of current flow through a circuit with a 40 V source and resistance of colour code BLUE, GRAY, RED, GOLD? (3 Marks)

b. what is the value of resistor having the following colour codes

- White black green blue
- Red purple red red
- Orange black black purple
- Brown black blue no colour (4 Marks)

c. Determine the value of the following resistors.

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1R0

22R0

(3 Marks)

BLACK	0	$10^0$	-
Brown	1	$10^1$	1%
2	2	$10^2$	2%
0	3	$10^3$	-
7	4	$10^4$	-
G	5	$10^5$	0.5%
B	6	$10^6$	0.25%
Purple	7	$10^7$	0.1%
Gray	8	$10^8$	2
White	9	$10^9$	-
Gold	-	$10^{-1}$	5%
Silver	-	$10^{-2}$	10%

## SECTION E-MECHANICAL ENGINEERING