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## Three hours

## INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Ansyt er FIVE questions, choosing AT LEAST TWO from each section. All questions carry equal marks.

You are reminded of the necessity for good English and orderly presentation in your answers.

**Turn Over** 

## SECTION A

(1	· .	Iow can the production possibility curve be used to explain the concepts of scarcity	
		and opportunity cost?	(10 marks)
2. (a	a) E	Explain the following:	
	(i	) Income elasticity of demand.	(5 marks)
	(i	ii) Cross elasticity of demand.	(5 marks)
(1	(b) V	Vhat factors determine the price elasticity of demand?	(10 marks)
3. (	(a) V	With the aid of a diagram, distinguish between the economic optimum and the technical	1
	0	optimum of a firm.	(10 marks)
	(b) I	dentify and explain the main features of monopolistic competition.	(10 marks)
4.	Ι	Discuss the:	
(	( <b>a</b> ) a	dvantages and	
(	(b) d	lisadvantages of the government instituting a minimum wage legislation . (1	0 +10 marks)
	ii.	. SECTION B	
5. (		With the use of examples from the different types of economy, define  Download More Free GCE Questions and Answers at www.dreampointech.com eakages and injections.	(8 marks)
	(b) V	What factors are likely to bring about an increase in the level of private sector savings?	(12 marks)
6. (	(a) V	What are the conditions necessary for commercial banks to create credit?	(8 marks)
(	(b) V	What problems are commercial banks likely to face in creating credit?	(12marks)
7. (	(a) E	Explain the various ways by which the government of Cameroon can contract a national	debt.
			(10 marks)
(	(b) [	Does a large national debt necessarily constitute a burden to the citizens?	(10 marks)
8. (		What problems will a country face if it experiences a persistent deficit in its	(12
,		balance of payments?	(12 marks) (8 marks)
(	(b) I	How can devaluation remedy a persistent deficit in a country's balance of payments?	(o marks)