UGANDA MARTYRS UNIVERSITY

FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE

Bachelor of Science in Organic Agriculture

Bachelor of Science Agriculture

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Module AG/2, OA/14: Agriculture Policy, Advocacy and Development

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INSTRUCTIONS

- Read and understand the questions before answering
- Answer four questions and questions carry equal marks
- Start each answer on a separate answer sheet
- Clarity of expression, appropriate use of illustrations and originality of ideas attracts more marks
- You are allowed three hours for the examination
 - 1. Using examples and illustrations discuss the various stages in a project cycle.
 - 2. Write short notes on any five of the following;
 - (a) The Time-Value of money concept
 - (b) Policy formulation and implementation
 - (c) Monitoring and Evaluation of a project
 - (d) The concept of poverty
 - (e) Women and Agricultural development
 - (f) Contents of a good policy document
 - 3. Uganda has been experiencing un-stable hydro electricity power supply lately.
 - a) What effect has this caused to the agriculture industry?
 - b) From your point of view as a student in the Faculty of Agriculture and an agricultural practitioner, how would you advise the government and farmers about the situation?
 - 4. Using relevant examples, discuss at least five policy and regulatory interventions that the government of Uganda has undertaken to promote agriculture in Uganda since the 1990s.
 - 5. Applying relevant examples/ illustration, discuss the major factors affecting agricultural development in Uganda.
 - 6. "Agriculture has not played a key role in the economic development of Uganda." According to Golola Moses a first year student in the Faculty of Agriculture at UMU while making a point in a face to face revision session. Discuss the validity of Golola's statement.
 - 7. (a) One of the main causes of poverty in Uganda is limited or no access to land. Discuss b) Discuss the various classes of the rural poor.