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HARMATTAN SEMESTER EXAMINATION 2012/2013 SESSION

B.Sc. Degree Examinations

Course Code: GRP 305

Course Title: Geography and Planning Information System

Instruction: Answer any three Questions.

Time Allowed: 2 Hours

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1. Identify and explain the features and functions of the elements of the central processing unit of a micro digital computer that can be used to implement a GIS.
2. Outline and discuss the essential component of a Spatial Decision Support System (SDSS) that can be integrated with a GIS.
3. Discuss the basic functional modules or components that are essential in a full fledged GIS software.
4. Propose a methodology using GIS data analytic techniques for the selection of a suitable site for an oil palm plantation in Ogun state.
5. Discuss the characteristics of the following as sources of spatial data:
 - (i) Global Positioning System (GPS)
 - (ii) Remote sensing
6. Compare and contrast the vector and the raster methods of data representation in GIS.