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Faculty of Agricultural Sciences FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION: June/July

Programme: Agricultural Extension and Management

Course Code: AEM 711 Credit Unit:

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Course Title: Agricultural Extension Management and Supervision

Time Allowed: 2 Hours
Total Score: 100 Marks

Instruction: Answer Question one (compulsory) and any other three (3)
Questions, All Questions carry equal marks

- 1. a) In planning an effective agricultural extension programme, "collecting facts" form the first step of the assignment;
 - b) explain the sources of the "facts";
 - c) List out the steps involved in collecting the facts. (25 Marks)
- 2. a) Describe what you understand by technology transfer in agricultural extension.
 - b) List out the major constraints encountered in technology transfer from the agricultural extension point of view. (25 Marks)
- 3. a) Mention the two factors that are considered in formulating agricultural extension policy.
 - b) Discuss in detail any one of them. (25 Marks)
- 4. a) Explain the basic concepts of monitoring and evaluation of agricultural extension programme.
 - b) Mention and explain the three stages of project evaluation as given by Macdonald and Hearle (1984) (25 Marks)

- 5. a) Define the strategic tasks/responsibilities of Agricultural Administration
 - b) List out 5 most important activities carried out by administrator in conducting the tasks of planning, organizing and supervision. **(25 Marks)**
- 6. a) Explain the 2 main methods of training in agricultural extension
 - b) Enumerate the benefits and problems of training Agricultural Extension Organization staff in Nigeria. (25 Marks)