

## NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA 14/16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND, LAGOS SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY JUNE/JULY EXAMINATION

**COURSE CODE: CHM 314** 

**COURSE TITLE: Environmental Chemistry** 

**TIME ALLOWED: 2 hours** 

**INSTRUCTION:** Answer 4 questions only

- 1. The standard method of sewage treatment comprises four stages of treatment describe the processes involved in each of these stages. (17½ marks)
- 2 Discuss the physical parameters that are relevant to the chemistry and analysis of water andhow they are measured.(17½ marks)
- 3 (a) Explain the term chromatography
  - (b) Discuss the various classes of chromatography giving examples.  $(17\frac{1}{2}\text{marks})$

 $4 Write\ briefly\ on\ the\ following\ processes of the Nitrogen Cycle$ 

- a. Ammonification
- b. Nitrification
- c. Assimilation
- d. Denitrification (17½marks)
- 5. The water cycletrans fers sun's heatener gy to various places, moves contamination or pollution round the planet and is connected to every living thing." Expatiate.

(17½marks)

- 6. Discuss the following aquatic pollutants
  - a. Eutrophication
  - b. Thermal Pollution
  - c. Crude Oil
  - d. Sewage (17½marks)