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**SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES**  
**SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2015 EXAMINATION**

**COURSE TITLE:** INTRODUCTION TO DEMOGRAPHY  
**COURSE CODE:** EHS319  
**INSTRUCTIONS:** ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS  
**TIME ALLOWED:** 2 HOURS  
**TOTAL MARKS:** 70%  
**COURSE UNITS:** 3CU

Q1

- a. Define the following terms (1 Mark each)
  - i. Population
  - ii. Community
  - iii. Mid-year Population
  - iv. Fertility
  - v. Rate
- b. List 5 reasons for the rapid increase of population in modern times (5 Marks)
- c. Define a population register (3 Marks)
- d. Define the following terms (1 Mark each)
  - i. Population Structure
  - ii. Population Pyramid
  - iii. Under 5 Mortality rate
  - iv. Ratio
  - v. Rate of natural increase
- e. Explain internal migration (3 Marks)

Q2.

- a. Explain the term "International Migration" (3 Marks)
- b. List the 4 types of migration within a country (4 Marks)
- c. List any 6 consequences of migration at the recipient or destination area or country? (6 Marks)

Q3.

- a. Define the term census (1 Mark)
- b. List the 4 types of census (2 Marks)(1/2 Mark each)
- c. Describe the traditional approach of census (3 Marks)
- d. Explain the rolling census approach (4 Marks)
- e. List any 5 data capture methods in census taking (5 Marks)
- f. List any 5 organizations in Nigeria where population data can be obtained (5Marks)

Q4.

- a. Explain the term Gross National Product (5 Marks)
- b. List any 3 indicators of development (3 Marks)
- c. List 5 characteristics of underdevelopment? (5 Marks)
- d. List any 5 consequences of migration at the source nation (5 Marks)