

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS 2020_1 EXAMINATION

COURSE TITLE: MONEY AND BANKING

COURSE CODE: ECO 444

CREDIT UNITS: 2

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTION: Answer question ONE and any other Two questions

QUESTION ONE

(a) C = 102 + 0.7Y, I = 150 - 100r, $M_s = 300$, L = 0.25Y + 124 - 200r. Find (a) the equilibrium level of income and the equilibrium rate of interest, and (b) the level of C, I, and L when the economy is in equilibrium. (22.5 marks)

(b) State the factors that determine Money Supply in the economy. (7.5 marks)

OUESTION TWO

- (a) The Classical economist which has Irving Fisher and the Cambridge School has slightly different views on the demand for money theory discuss. (8 marks)
- (b) Lord Keynes in his theory of demand for money suggested three motives to demand for money (4.5 marks)
- (c) Explain the advantages in adopting flexible exchange rate system (7.5 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Describe the five different forms of wealth in Friedman Milton theory of demand for money (10 marks)
- (b) State five importance of credit to the economy. (5 marks)
- (c) State five Roles of Non-Financial Institutions (5 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Discuss any three functions of a Merchant Bank. (6 marks)
- (b) State five ways in which Discount Houses can raise funds. (7.5 marks)
- (c) State Five Consequences of the Factors Militating Against Capital Market in Nigeria (7.5 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Discuss the following Eras of the Evolution of Money
 - i. The Era of Spherical Adventure (Anomalism) (4.5 marks)
 - ii. The Era of Subsistence (Autarky or No Exchange) (4 marks)
 - iii. The Era of Barter System (Direct Exchange) (4 marks)
- (b) Discuss the Three (3) Secondary Function of Money (7.5 marks)