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SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
MARCH/APRIL 2015 EXAMINATION**

SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

COURSE CODE: ESM 308

COURSE TITLE: RURAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES (2 units)

TIME: 2HRS 30MINS

INSTRUCTION: Attempt any four questions

1. Discuss the social and economic needs of rural settlements in Nigeria. (17.5 marks)
2. With specific examples, enunciate the problems confronting rural settlements in Nigeria. (17.5marks)
3. Explain the relevance of rural infrastructure to the development of rural dwellers. (17.5marks)
4. What is community development? (b) Discuss the relevance of community development in the rural areas (17.5 marks)
5. Discuss the major constraints confronting Community Based Organization (CBO) in Nigeria. (17.5 marks)