

# TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA

# FACULTY OF APPLIED AND HEALTH SCIENCES

# DEPARTMENT OF PURE & APPLIED SCIENCES UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR: BACHOLAR OF TECHNOLOGY (ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY)

Type unit code: ACH 4308. FORENSIC ANALYSIS Type unit name.

## END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION PAPER I

**SERIES:**APRIL2016

TIME:2HOURS

**DATE:** Pick DateSelect MonthPick Year

### **Instructions to Candidates**

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

This paper consists of **FIVE** questions. Attemptquestion ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.

Do not write on the question paper.

### **QUESTION ONE**

a)	Explain, under what circumstances a Doctor would be summoned in to make a medica		
	report.	3marks	
ii).	Outline the functions of forensic laboratories.	3marks	
bi).	Briefly describe brain-stem- death.	3marks	
ii).	Mention different glass tests in the laboratories.	3marks	
ci).	Explain the formation of natural glasses.	3marks	
ii).	Differentiate between cleavage and fracture.	2marks	
di).	Mention six types of wounds.	3marks	
ii).	Explain mineral metallic luster	3marks	

ei).	Explain the importance of crystallography.	4marks.		
ii).	Write in full D-3S and briefly explain.	2marks		
QUES	TION TWO.			
<b>a</b> ).	Discuss the functions of medico-legal autopsy.	8marks		
b).	Glass fragments analysis at the scene of crime can provide useful clues about a crim Explain.  12marks			
QUES	TION THREE.			
<b>a</b> ).	Explain the following.			
i)	Wound	2marks		
ii).	Injury	2mark		
iii)	Assault.	1mark		
iv).	Homicide.	1mark		
b).	Describe features of stab wounds.	14marks.		
QUES	STION FOUR.			
a).	Explain the following.			
i).	Motif	2marks		
ii).	Unit cell	2marks		
iii).	Structure	2marks		
iv).	Lattices	2marks.		
b).	Discuss how blood staining can assist in legal issues.	12msrks		
QUESTION FIVE.				
a).	Describe cleavage formation in minerals.	10marks		
b).	Discuss circumstances leading to Rigo Mortis.	10marks		