

TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA SCHOOL OF BUSINESS DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING & FINANCE

DIPLOMA IN ACCOUNTANCY Y2S2

EIT 2203: COMPUTERIZED INFORMATION SYSTEMS

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

SERIES: APRIL 2016 SERIES

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

-This paper consists of **FIVE** questions

-Answer question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions

QUESTION 1 (COMPULSORY)

- a) Describe the FOUR major types of information systems that are most valuable to an organization. (10marks)
- b) Briefly explain six comparisons between manual and computerized accounting (12marks)
- c) Define Accounting Information System (AIS) and explain its functions (8marks)

QUESTION 2

- a) Explain the components of the cycle of business activities. (8marks)
- b) Describe the stages of system Development life cycle (SDLC). (12marks)

QUESTION 3

- a) Describe FIVE reasons why information systems are important for business today.
 (10marks)
- b) Describe any FIVE key management challenges involved in building, opening and maintaining a computerized financial system. (10marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Explain FIVE benefits of using computerized financial system over manual financial systems. (10marks)
- b) Discuss briefly the impact information systems may have an organization culture and organizational conflicts. (10marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Identify and describe the **THREE** levels of organizational hierarchy which information systems serves each level. (10marks)
- b) Write short notes on the following approaches of that could be used to develop accounting information systems.
 - i. Rapid Application Development (**5marks**)
 - ii. Object oriented Approach (**5marks**)