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DIPLOMA IN ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY (DAC 12S)

AES 2215: ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

SEMESTER: EXAMINATIONS

SERIES: DECEMBER 2013

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

You should have the following for this paper

- Answer booklet

This paper consists of *FIVE* questions.

Answer Question **ONE** (compulsory) and any other **TWO** questions

This paper consists of 3 PRINTED pages

Question ONE

- a) Give THREE reasons why heavy metals like Pb, Cd and Hg are considered as dangerous inorganic pollutants in the environment. (6marks)
- b) State FOUR
 - (i) Causes of suspended solids and sediments in waste water.
 - (ii) Sources of Radioactive water pollution

(8marks)

- c) SO₂ and CO are two of the most common Air pollutants known to mankind. Discuss their characteristics and Biomedical effects to Environment (10marks)
- d) Differentiate between
 - (i) Biotic and Abiotic environment

(3marks)

(ii) Terrestrial and Aquatic ecosystem

(3marks)

Question TWO

a) List any 7 methods that can be used for controlling soil pollution

(14marks)

b) Define the term environment.

(1mark)

Question THREE

a) Giving two examples in each case differentiate between Renewable and non-renewable energy.

(6marks)

b) State TWO limiting factors of solar energy

(4marks)

c) Define (i) EIA. (Environmental Impact Assessment)

(3marks)

(ii) EIS (Environmental Impact Statement)

(2marks)

Question FOUR

- a) List SEVEN important aspects that should be considered for design of an EIA process. (7marks)
- b) State FOUR steps that comprises environmental auditing.

(8marks)

Question FIVE

a) List SEVEN objectives of environmental management. (14marks)

b) Define Energy (1mark)