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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN DEVELOPMENT STUDIES (BSDS MAY 13 Y3 S2)

BDS 4315: PROJECT MONITORING AND EVALUATION

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

SERIES: DECEMBER, 2013 INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

SECTION A – COMPULSORY

SECTION B – Answer any other **TWO** questions

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SECTION A: COMPULSORY (30 MARKS)

QUESTION ONE

Distinguish between the following terms:

a) Input indicators and output indicators.

(5 marks) (5 marks)

b) Monitoring and Evaluation

c) Self Evaluation and External Evaluation

(5 marks)

d) Identify and explain the various types of project termination.

(10 marks)

TIME: 2 HOURS

e) Explain the criteria for a successful change in project.

(5 marks)

SECTION B: Answer **ANY TWO** questions (40 marks)

OUESTION TWO

- a) Evaluation is regarded as one of the operational tools used to guide the appraisal of any intervention of policy. Using relevant illustrations identify and explain the importance of undertaking evaluation in project management: (10 marks)
- b) Discuss the various strategies a project manager can apply to ensure effective monitoring and evaluation. (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

a) Discuss the importance of Logical Frame Work Approach (LFWA) in project management.

(10marks)

b) Explain the various changes that a project manager can expect to encounter while implementing a project. (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

a) Explain the following concepts in relation to project management.

	(i) Project sustainability	(5 marks)
	(ii) Project control	(5 marks)
b)	Identify the reasons why project termination becomes necessary	(5 marks)
c)	Discuss the challenges in Project Evaluation.	(5 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) When undertaking a Project Evaluation, the manager can opt to use internal or external evaluators. What are the advantages and disadvantages of using an eternal evaluator. (10 marks)
- b) While terminating a project, the project termination manager can face various challenges and problems. Highlight these challenges giving examples. (10 marks)