

## NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA

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POP Examination Questions, October/November, 2019

Course Title: EXTENSION STRATEGIES IN PILOT RURAL DEVELOPMENT

**Course Code: AEM 458** 

**Credit Unit: 3** 

Total Score: 70 Marks Time Allowed: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTION: Answer Compulsory question 1 (25 marks) and any other three (3)

questions (15 marks each).

1 a. i. What is a Model? (3 marks)

- ii. Highlight the four (4) major rural development models peculiar to developing countries (4marks)
- b. Define market with respect to space, location, and product. (6marks)
- c. Explain the three (3) types of utility that can be created through marketing. (6marks)
- d. Highlight six (6) problems of rural development (6marks)
- e. State the five (5) ways to follow up training of participation agents (5marks)
- 2 a.. What is Rural Development? (2.5marks)
  - b. State clearly the five objectives of rural development (7.5 marks)
- 3. Discuss the two classes of approach to community development in Nigeria. (10marks)
- 4. Highlight the ten (10) steps involved in Community Development. (10marks)
- 5 a. What do you understand by the term training? (2.5marks)
  - b. Highlight five (5) possible ways in which training should be Carried Out. (7.5marks)
- 6 a. Define farm inputs and give three examples of such inputs. (5marks)
- b. i. What do you understand by Community development strategy? (2.5marks)
  - ii. State the five (5) phases to be conducted within a Research Cycle. (2.5marks)
- 7 a. i. The activities of Badeku rural development pilot project were funded by the Rockefeller Foundation for how many years? (1mark)
  - ii. Highlight the four plan of action for achieving the objectives of the Badeku rural development pilot project. (4marks)
- b. i. What are farm resources? 2marks
  - ii. Mention six (6) farm resources known to you(3 mks)