

## National Open University of Nigeria Plot 91, Cadastral Zone, Nnamdi Azikiwe Expressway, Jabi - Abuja Faculty of Science 2022\_1 EXAMINATIONS

## COURSE CODE: EMT411 COURSE TITLE: WATER ANALYSIS CREDIT: 1Unit TIME ALLOWED: 2 Hours

**Instruction:** Attempt question number ONE (1) and any other TWO (2) questions. Question number one (1) carries 30marks, while the other questions carry (20) marks each.

1.

- a. What is Sampling of water? (10 marks)
- b. What are the techniques used to test these parameters of water? (10 marks)
- c. Explain Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD) (5 marks)
- d. Describe the measurement of Silicates & Phosphate in water sample. (5 marks)

2.

- a. What is Alkalinity? (6 marks)
- b. Explain Total dissolved solids (8 marks)
- c. What are the reasons for Surface water sampling? (6 marks)

3.

a. Explain groundwater sampling and analysis. (12 marks)

b. Name the elements that are usually referred to as the major constituents or primary constituents (8 marks)

4.

a. List the factors that are pertinent in selecting containers used to collect and store water samples (6 marks)

b. Explain Microbial analysis of water (10 marks)

c. What are the health effects of Sulphates in the human body? (4 marks)

5.

a. Write briefly on water. (15 marks)

b. When analysing groundwater, what are the five (5) common practices to measure? (5 marks)