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2ND YEAR 1ST SEMESTER 2013/2014 ACADEMIC YEAR KOSELE LEARNING CENTRE

COURSE CODE: IIT 3217

COURSE TITLE: NETWORK DESIGN & IMPLEMENTATION

EXAM VENUE: STREAM: (BSc. Computer Security)

DATE: 17/04/14 EXAM SESSION: 9.00 – 11.00 AM

TIME: 2.00 HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Answer question 1 (Compulsory) and ANY other 2 questions
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on the question paper.
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KENDU LEARNING CENTRE

COURSE CODE: SCS 114

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO DATABASES AND SPREADSHEET

EXAM VENUE: STREAM: (BSc. Computer Security)

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SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS {30 MARKS}

QUESTION 1:

- a) What name is given to the intersection of a row and a column in spreadsheet? (1 Mark)
- b) What is the difference between primary key and foreign key? (4 Marks)
- c) State any *eight* applications of database management systems (8 Marks)
- d) Name the *three* types of data found in spreadsheet. (3 Marks)
- e) List down *at least six* SQL commands (3 Marks)
- f) State what would be returned if the following formula is inserted in the cell; =YEAR (TODAY ()). Assume today's date is 24/4/2014. (2 Marks)
- g) Citing specific areas of application state and explain the strengths of spreadsheets over other application software. (10 Marks)

QUESTION 2:{20 MARKS},

a) Explain the significance of charts in modern electronic spreadsheets and briefly describe any three types of charts supported by Ms Office Excel.

(8 Marks)

- b) You are required to design a table that contains information found in a library. In this task, identify the following:
 - (i). At least 3 possible fields and appropriate names.

(3 Marks)

(ii). Give a field data type for each of the identified fields.

(3 Marks)

- (iii). If you are to calculate the tax on Gross Pay where male pays 10% of the gross pay while a female pays 8% of her Gross Pay, further assume that the column for "Gender" is A and, also take column for "Gross Pay" to be B. Let this operation be done on row 1. Formulate an IF statement for this operation. (4 Marks)
- c) Give the syntax for SELECT statement and give an example of its usage.

(2 Marks)

QUESTION 3:{20 MARKS},

- a) Differentiate between DDL and DML. (4marks)
- b) Mention the different keywords or statements in DDL and DML(4Marks)
- c) Explain why it is desirable to maintain database in MS Access over Ms Excel. (6 Marks)
- d) Explain and give the syntax of usage for *at least six* functions in Excel. (6 Marks)

QUESTION 4:

- a) State and explain different areas where spreadsheets can be used in an institution of higher learning. (10 Marks)
- b) State and explain *any five major* steps in the design of databases.(10 Marks)

QUESTION 5:

- a) State and explain the three types of relationships in relational databases using at least two pairs of database tables for each to depict the relationship.

 (10 Marks)
- (i). Name *any five* individuals interacting with database management systems and briefly explain their roles. (10 Marks)