

BOWEN UNIVERSITY, IWO

College of Management and Social Sciences Business Administration Programme Second Semester 2021/2022 Examination

Level

: 300

Course Title

: NIGERIAN-ECONOMY

Course Code

: BUS 306

Course Credit

: 2

Instruction

: ANSWER QUESTION 1 & ANY OTHER TWO

Time Allowed

: 2 HOURS

Date

: Thursday, 21st July, 2022

QUESTION 1 (30 Marks)

a. Anyawu et al., (1997) prescribed certain classifications for the Nigerian economy. Discuss them in detail. (7 Marks)

b. Economies perform better when they are structured, and one of the key determinants of economic structure is the economic system. Succinctly discuss this statement. (15 Marks).

c. Is the study of economic structure justifiable? Discuss (8 Marks)

QUESTION 2 (20 Marks)

Development plans are necessary documents that direct the economic and political affairs of any country.

- a. Analyse this statement with respect to the meaning of development plans (5 marks)
- b. Succinctly explain the pre-independence and post-independence (any two) development plans (15 Marks).

QUESTION 3 (20 Marks)

Citizens in an economy are often given rights to own public companies in their country through policy enactment by the government aimed at supporting and encouraging indigenization.

- a. In light of this statement, succinctly explain the indigenization policy of 1972 in terms of its reasons, legal provisions, and objectives (10 Marks).
- b. Explain, the advantages and disadvantages of the policy. (10 Marks)

QUESTION 4 (20 Marks)

The importance of the Nigerian agricultural sector cannot be overemphasized.

- a. Briefly discuss this sector's contributions to the Nigerian economy (10 Marks)
- b. Highlight the challenges facing it and possible solutions (10 Marks).

QUESTION 5 (20 Marks)

- a. Industrialization has empowered countries with the development of machines, plants, and resources (human and material) for processing and conversion. Justify this statement with your knowledge of industrialization (8 Marks)
- b. How will you describe the Nigerian economy compared with its counterparts in developed economies of the world? (12 Marks).