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DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

FIRST SEMESTER 2013/2014 SESSION UNDERGRADUATE EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: GRY413 (3 UNITS)

COURSE TITLE: GEOGRAPHY OF RURAL ECONOMY

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer any four question of your choice, credit will be given for the use of specific examples and appropriate diagrams.

TIME: 2½ HOURS

1. Discuss the influence of migration on destination regions.
2. Discuss the main factors that control cultural diffusion in Nigeria.
3. Describe five basic factors that influence the sighting of rural settlement.
4. Discuss how Agriculture may influence the rapid growth of industries in a region.
5. Discuss the adequacy of using either occupation or population as a criterion for distinguishing between rural and urban settlement.
6. Discuss how the Vonthumen theory can help your understanding of the rural land use system.