FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, MINNA SCHOOL OF NATURAL AND APPLIED SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

FIRST SEMESTER 2012/2013 SESSION UNDERGRADUATE EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: REM 513 (3 units)

COURSE TITLE: BIODIVERSITY STUDY

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer any 4 questions. Credit will be given for the use of specific examples and appropriate diagrams.

TIME ALLOWED: 3 Hours

- 1. Discuss any three of the following;
 - I. Sustaining Biodiversity
 - II. Climate change, Biodiversity and Ecosystem
 - III. Inventory and assessment of Biodiversity
 - IV. Biodiversity convention and treaties.
 - V. How diversity of flora affect diversity of fauna
- 2. Discuss any **four** factors that may cause the extinction of Biological diversity and the consequences of such extinction.
- 3. List and explain the three componenst under which Biodiversity may be considered.
- 4. With specific examples discuss social benefit as a natural service obtained from Biological Diversity.
- 5. Discuss the role of Biodiversity in creating and maintaining the Ecosphere.
- Explain in detail the statement that 'Each specie depends on the services provided by other species for survival'.