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FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER

**PROGRAMME : BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN
TEXTILE AND APPAREL DESIGN
MANAGEMENT YEAR IV**

COURSE CODE : TADM 407

TITLE OF PAPER : GARMENT TECHNOLOGY

TIME ALLOWED : TWO (2) HOURS

**INSTRUCTIONS : ANSWER QUESTION ONE (1)
AND ANY OTHER (2) QUESTIONS**

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QUESTION 1 [COMPULSORY]

- a) Explain five (5) factors that contributed towards the advancements in garment technology. **2X5 = (10)**
- b) Based on the British Standard 3870, name the five classifications of seam headings and give one example under each. **2X5 = (10)**
- c) Define the following terms:
- i) International trade
 - ii) GATT
 - iii) Tariffs
 - iv) Quota
 - v) Dumping
 - vi) Transshipment
 - vii) Merger
 - viii) Vertical integration
 - ix) Conglomerate
 - x) Embargo
- 2X10 = (20)**
[Total Marks = 40]

QUESTION 2

- a) Name and describe the classes of seams that can be used in apparel manufacture. **8X3 = (24)**
- b) For protective wear (an overall), what stitches can you use in garment assembly? State a reason for using each stitch type. **2X3 = (6)**
[Total Marks [30]

QUESTION 3

- a) Calculate the total SMV for a simple apron that has the following processes in construction: Patch pocket with binding around
Bias binding used to neaten edges around the apron.
Straps for neckline and around the waist made from the apron fabric.

[Total Marks [30]**QUESTION 4**

- a) Define job design and state five (5) advantages and disadvantages of sectionalisation. **2X6 = (12)**

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b) Differentiate between time studies and methods study. **2X2 = (4)**

c) How do time studies help in the apparel production environment?

2X7 = (14)

[Total Marks [30]