



UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER

PROGRAMME:

BSC LWM 4 AND BSC AG ED 4

COURSE CODE:

LUM 404 S

TITLE OF PAPER: NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS

SPECIAL MATERIAL REQUIRED: NONE

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY TWO OTHER QUESTIONS.

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SECTION A. COMPULSORY QUESTION

Question one

- a. Describe what is the meaning of Integrated Environmental Management and its importance in natural resources management?

 10 marks
- b. Describe the following processes of an EIA and their relevance in environmental management:

i. Project screening

15 marks

ii. Scoping

10 marks

iii. Comprehensive mitigation plan

5 marks

SECTION B. ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS

Question two

a. Describe using examples the difference between renewable and non-renewable resources.

10 marks

b. Explain what you understand by human development and describe how it can support or hinder economic development in a country.

20 marks

Ouestion three

a. Explain the meaning of "green house effect" as used in the global warming context.

5 marks

- b. Briefly describe the activities that contribute to the increase of green house gases in the atmosphere.
 10 marks
- c. What is the Kyoto Protocol and explain how it purports to reduce gaseous emissions in the world?

 15 marks

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Question four

a. Explain what sustainable development is? 5 marks

b. Explain how the following principles relate to sustainable development:

i.	Systems theory	5 marks
ii.	Dematerialization	5 marks
iii.	Social justice	5 marks
iv.	Accounting for natural capital stock	5 marks
3 7	Precautionary principle	5 marks