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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN  
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**CDEV 212: COMMUNITY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT**

**STREAMS: BSC CDEV Y2S1**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE: MONDAY 22/03/2021**

**2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- **Answer question ONE and any other TWO.**

**QUESTION ONE**

- (a) Define the following terms and concepts. (10 marks)
- (i) Community resource
  - (ii) Resource management
  - (iii) Resource depletion
  - (iv) Resource exploitation
  - (v) Resource degradation
- (b) Using a relevant example from a resource of your choice, discuss how the 3R's can be used to save and extend the availability of resources. (12 marks)
- (c) Discuss four roles of the government in the management of communal resource in Kenya. Support your answer with relevant examples. (8 marks)

**QUESTION TWO**

- (a) Discuss any five problems related to the usage of resources. (10 marks)
- (b) Explain five benefits that can result from the wise usage of resources. (10 marks)

**QUESTION THREE**

- (a) Using relevant examples, discuss six characteristics of resources/capital. (12 marks)
- (b) Discuss key factors affecting resource use planning and management process. (8 marks)

**QUESTION FOUR**

- (a) Discuss the steps involved in resource management process. (12 marks)
- (b) Analyze any four merits of involving community based organizations in management of community resources. (8 marks)

**QUESTION FIVE**

Discuss seven factors affecting management of community resources. (20 marks)

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