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SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELORS OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

GEOG 224: ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY

STREAMS: TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 13/04/2018 2.30 P.M - 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer Question ONE (COMPULSORY) and any other TWO Questions.
- 1. Discuss the following

(a) Location theory	[6 Marks]
(b) Spatial interaction	[6 Marks]
(c) Dimensional primitives	[6 Marks]
(d) Spatial organization	[6 Marks]
(e) Dialectical paradigm	[6 Marks]

- 2. Discuss the factors that affect the spatial distribution of economic activities. [20 Marks]
- 3. (a) Explain the fundamental assumptions made in the classical economic theory. [6 Marks] (b) Examine the relevance of Von Thunen's Model in today's world. [14 Marks]
- 4. (a) Discuss the various types of diffusional processes. [8 Marks]
 - (b) Explain the factors that inhibit the diffusion of an innovation pulse in geographic space. [12 Marks]
- 5. Examine the factors that influence the location and distribution of quaternary and quinary types of production. [20 Marks]

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