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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES
2021_1 EXAMINATION 1234

Course Code: BUS 712

Course Title: MANAGEMENT THEORY

Credit Unit: 2

Instructions: 1. Indicate your Matriculation Number clearly
2. Attempt Question 1 and any other two (2) questions
3. Question 1 is compulsory and carries 30 marks while the other 2 questions carry 20marks each
4. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner

Time Allowed: 2 Hours

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| 1a. The origin of administration theories is the military and economic. Discuss | 10marks |
| b. What do you understand by the term administration? | 10marks |
| c. Outlined and discuss 5 characteristics of administration | 10marks |
| 2a. Explain the concept of theory | 10marks |
| b. What are the characteristics of good theories? | 10marks |
| 3a. Enumerate the concept scientific research on a base for theory | 10marks |
| b. Explain research on a process of systemic inquiry | 10marks |
| 4a. Explain time and motion study. | 10marks |
| b. What are the rationales behind conducting time and motion study also explain how it is carried out. | 10marks |