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**Course Title: Gender Issues in Agriculture**

**Course Code: ARD 513**

**Credit Unit: 3**

**Total Score: 70 Marks**

**Time Allowed: 3 Hours**

**INSTRUCTION:**

**Answer question 1 (30 marks) and any other 4 questions (10 marks each).**

1. a) Define the following:
  - a. Gender issues
  - b. Gender concepts
  - c. Sex
  - d. Gender role
  - e. Sex roles
- b. Discuss briefly the following terms associated with gender:
  - a. Gender awareness
  - b. Gender blindness
  - c. Gender mainstream
  - d. Gender sensitivity
  - e. Gender equality.
- C) Mention 5 characteristics of a leader. (10mks)
2. a) Explain Gender analysis matrix.  
b) Highlight the principles of the gender analysis matrix.
3. a) Highlight the objections to the psychological theory of gender.  
b. Explain the functional theory.
4. a. What is poverty in absolute term?  
b. Highlight five (5) ways of reducing poverty among women.
5. a) Enumerate steps that can be taken to involve women in programs.  
b) Explain the significance of women in crop production in Nigeria.
6. Enumerate five (5) benefits from gender responsive actions in livestock production.
7. Explain the constraints to gender roles in fish and aquaculture.