

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS 2024 2 EXAMINATION

COURSE TITLE: ADVANCED MACROECONOMIC THEORY

COURSE CODE: ECO 712 UNITS: 3 UNITS TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARK. YOU ARE ADVISED TO EXPLAIN EXPLICITLY AND USE DIAGRAM, GRAPHS, ILLUSTRATIONS OR EXAMPLES WHERE NEEDED

OUESTION 1

a. Given a model with the following structural equations Y = C + I + G, where C = 30 + 0.8Y, I

= N60m and G = N120m, derive the equilibrium national income and the income multiplier.

(8.5marks)

b. Dr. Adekunle's monthly net salary is \$\frac{\text{N}}{400,000}\$ and his marginal propensity to save is 25%. His employer provides lunch for him at \$\frac{\text{N}}{7000}\$ monthly. Derive Dr. Adekunle's consumption function and estimate his total consumption for the month.

(9marks)

QUESTION 2

a. Trace the Evolution of Modern Money.

(5marks)

b. Explain the functions of the CBN in the economy

(7.5marks)

c. The statutory mandate of the CBN is to maintain "monetary stability". How do they achieve this? (5marks)

QUESTION 3

Explain the differences between the following:

a. Microeconomics and Macroeconomics

(3.5marks)

b. Induced and Autonomous Investment

(3.5marks)

c. Marginal Efficiency of Capital (MEC) and Marginal Efficiency of Investment (MEI) (3.5marks)

d. Gross Domestic Product (GDP) and Gross National Product (GNP)

(3.5marks)

e. Personal Income and Disposable Income

(3.5marks)

QUESTION 4

a. Discuss major determinant of investment in accordance to accelerator theory	(6marks)
b. Explain clearly the profit concept of financial theory	(8marks)
c. Examine the relationship between Classical and Keynesian Models	(3.5marks)

QUESTION 5

a. Explain the major features of less developed countries.	(7.5marks)
b. What do you understand by basic developmental objectives?	(10marks)