



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2011/2012

INSTITUTIONAL BASED PROGRAMME (IBP) – DECEMBER SESSION

EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

SBT 595: SPECIAL TOPICS IN PLANT PATHOLOGY

DATE: FRIDAY, 4TH MAY 2012

TIME: 9.00 A.M – 12.00 NOON

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer any **FOUR** questions

1. Discuss the factors that predispose harvest perishable crops to infection.
2. Give an account of the postharvest diseases of a named fruit crop.
3. Discuss the methods used to control the disease of harvest food crops
4. Discuss the techniques used to isolate and enumerate soil – borne plant pathogens
5. Write an essay on biological control of fruit diseases.

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