



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2014/2015

DIGITAL SCHOOL OF VIRTUAL AND OPEN LEARNING

SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

AHT 420: HISTORY OF PASTORALISM IN AFRICA

DATE: Wednesday 29th April, 2015

TIME: 11.00 a.m – 1.00 p.m

INSTRUCTIONS:

*Answer any **THREE** questions*

1. (a) Attempt definitions of animal husbandry and pastoralism. (4 marks)
(b) Examine any **three** salient features of traditional African pastoralism. (19 marks)
2. Explain any **four** principles arguments of theories of origins, growth and development of traditional African pastoralism. (23 marks)
3. Explain any **four** differences between traditional nomadic pastoralism and commercial ranching pastoralism. (23 marks)
4. Examine any **five** main ways adopted by the traditional African pastoralists to their physical environment. (23 marks)
5. (a) Define the term land tenure system. (2 marks)
(b) Explain any **five** salient elements of land tenure system of traditional African pastoralists. (21 marks)
6. Examine any **five** ways the colonial and post colonial governments' interfered with traditional African communities. (23 marks)