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FACULTY OF ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN AND MANAGEMENT  
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2011/2012 RAIN SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS  
COURSE TITLE: ESM 210 – AGRIC. PRODUCTION II

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INSTRUCTION: Answer QUESTION ONE and any other THREE

Time Allowed: 2 hours

1. (a) Discuss the relevance and limitations of growth models to rural development in Nigeria. 15 Marks.  
(b) Discuss the objective of rural development with respect to resource control in Nigeria. 10 Marks
2. Distinguish between Economic growth and economic development and discuss the implications of this distinction for rural development in Nigeria. 15 Marks
3. Discuss the various land holding systems, stating their advantages and disadvantages. 15 Marks
4. (a) What is rural poverty. 5 Marks  
(b) Discuss five strategies aimed at reducing rural poverty 10 Marks
5. (a) Discuss the concept of Rural Development in relation to our national settings. 8 Marks  
(b) The expenditure of our petroleum proceeds over the years has tended to produce FAKE URBAN CENTERS. Discuss. 7 Marks
6. (a) Write short note on any five out of various government programmes aimed at rural development. 10 Marks  
(b) Discuss achievement and shortcomings of Petroleum Trust Fund (PTF) in relation to Rural development. 5 Marks

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