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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES
2021_1 EXAMINATION

Course Code: BUS 712

Course Title: MANAGEMENT THEORY

Credit Unit: 2

Instructions:

- 1. Indicate your Matriculation Number clearly**
- 2. Attempt Question 1 and any other two (2) questions**
- 3. Question 1 is compulsory and carries 30 marks while the other 2 questions carry 20marks each**
- 4. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner**

Time Allowed: 2 Hours

- 1a. The origin of administration theories is the military and economic. Discuss **10marks**
- b. What do you understand by the term administration? **10marks**
- c. Outlined and discuss 5 characteristics of administration **10marks**
- 2a. Explain the concept of theory **10marks**
- b. What are the characteristics of good theories? **10marks**
- 3a. Enumerate the concept scientific research on a base for theory **10marks**
- b. Explain research on a process of systemic inquiry **10marks**
- 4a. Explain time and motion study. **10marks**
- b. What are the rationales behind conducting time and motion study also explain how it is carried out. **10marks**