

# NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS 2022 2 EXAMINATION

COURSE TITLE: MONETARY THEORY AND POLICY

**COURSE CODE: ECO 343** 

**UNITS: 3** 

**TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS** 

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER QUESTION ONE (1) AND ANY OTHER THREE (3)

**QUESTIONS.** 

## **QUESTION ONE**

a) Define the concept of monetary policy and discuss the trade-off in monetary policy implementation. (9 marks)

- b) Explain the instruments of monetary policy that can be used by the Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN) to regulate the economy. (8 marks)
- c) Using a graphical illustration, discuss the cash transaction approach of Fisher's quantity theory of money. (8 marks)

## **QUESTION TWO**

Distingush between expansionary monetary policy and restrictive or (contractionary) monetary policy. (15 marks)

## **QUESTION THREE**

- a) What is the meaning of value of money?
- b) Differentiate between the internal and external value of money.

**(15 marks)** 

## **QUESTION FOUR**

Explain the concept of money supply and discuss the four measurements of money supply in Nigeria. (15 marks)

## **QUESTION FIVE**

Distinguish between the Classical approach of demand for money and the Keynesian approach of demand for money. (15 marks)