



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINOLOGY & SECURITY STUDIES (CSS)
2023 2 EXAMINATIONS

COURSE CODE: CSS753.

COURSE TITLE: Research Methods in criminology

COURSE UNIT: 3

TIME ALLOWED: 3HOURS

INSTRUCTION: Answer any four questions

MARK OBTAINABLE: 70%

1. In five definite ways demonstrate your knowledge of sources of knowledge. (17.5 Marks)
2. Explain in five definite ways your understanding of research problem? (17.5 Marks)
- 3a. List five justifications for the use of content Analysis? (5 Marks)
- 3b. Define the concept of content analysis. (12.5 Marks)
4. Briefly explain the following
 - a. Response rate
 - b. Sample size
 - c. Referral Sampling (17.5 marks)
5. Quantitative approach emanates from survey research, itemize five justifications for its use (17.5 Marks)
 - 6a. Descriptive research method is numeral, discuss (7.5 Marks)
 - 6b. Using two instances, describe how questionnaire strength is measured by the use of response rate (10 Marks)