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FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION AND EXTENSION

AGED 112: AGRICULTURAL COMMUNICATION

STREAMS: B.Sc. (AGED) Y1S2 TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 3/8/2012 2.30 P.M. - 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

(i) Answer ALL questions in the answer booklet provided.

(ii) The figure in the parenthesis () indicate the mark allocation.

Q1.	(a)	(i)	What is communication?	[2 marks]
		(ii)	How are communication channels categorized?	[3 marks]
	(b)	Briefly	y explain 5 basic principles of communication.	[10 marks]
	(c)	Outlin	e 7 characteristics of an effective communication.	[7 marks]
Q2.		Giving examples of different audiences, explain why it is important for the communicator to understand his/her audience. [10 marks]		
Q3.	(a)	Briefly	y explain 4 types of communication networks.	[10 marks]
	(b)	Outlin	e 8 barriers related to the receiver.	[8 marks]
Q4.	(a)	What factors should one consider when selecting audio visual aids? [5 mark		
	(b)	State the	he challenges of using audio visual aids.	[4 marks]
Q5.	Discuss demonstration as an extension communication method.			[10 marks]