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**THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF ARTS TEXTILES & APPAREL DESIGN WITH
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

MAIN CAMPUS

ADT 340: APPAREL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION V

Date: 6th January, 2016

Time: 8.30 - 10.30am

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer ALL Questions from Section A and any other TWO questions from Section B.



SECTION A- 30 MARKS

Answer ALL questions from section A in the answer booklet provided

Q1. a) Explain the following terms:

- i. Style.
- ii. Tailored garments.
- iii. Support fabrics
- iv. Flat pattern method of pattern production (4mks)

b) Describe three (3) steps of garment construction which fashion designers have to undertake. (3mks)

Q2. a) Explain four (4) precautions to take when taking body measurements so as to ensure production of well fitting clothes. (4mks)

b) Using illustrations, explain any six (6) pattern markings and symbols which must be included on drafted paper patterns. (3mks)

Q3. a) Describe four (4) preparation processes a pattern would require before laying and cutting out. (4mks)

b) Explain any four (4) problems experienced when spreading and cutting out sheer fabrics. (4mks)

Q4. a) Explain reasons for use of the following in tailored garments:

- i. Interlining.
- ii. Interfacing.
- iii. Lining
- iv. Underlining (4mks)

b) Give four (4) qualities of a well made tailored garment. (4mks)

SECTION B- 20 MARKS

Answer any TWO questions from this section. Each question carries 10 marks.

Q5. a) Your friend is putting on what is perceived as a poor fitting garment. Explain to her evidences of poor fit. (5mks)

b) Describe the procedure of developing a flared skirt using a skirt basic block pattern. (5mks)

Q6. a) Describe briefly the procedure of underlining a garment. (5mks)

b) Give five (5) qualities of a well attached interfacing. (5mks)

Q7. Your friend has sought advice on construction of a tailored garment. Discuss how she/he should go about producing a well tailored garment. (10mks)