



**MURANG'A UNIVERSITY COLLEGE**  
**(A Constituent college of Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology)**  
**SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS**

**DEPARTMENT: COMMERCE**

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SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION: DECEMBER 2015

UNIT NAME: SUPPLIES AND TRANSPORT MANAGEMENT

UNIT CODE: BS 1114

CAMPUS: MAIN

DATE:

TIME: 2 HOURS

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INSTRUCTION: ANSWER *ALL* FIVE QUESTIONS.

### QUESTION ONE

- (a) Most store usually maintain a system of coding. Explain five advantages of maintaining such a system. [10 marks]
- (b) Describe five advantages of centralized stores. [10 marks]

**(Total 20 marks)**

### QUESTION TWO

- (a) Explain *FIVE* disadvantages which are likely in case of use of pipeline as a method of transport. [10 marks]
- (b) What factors would you as a transport or considered to transport your goods give *FIVE* (10 marks)

**[Total 20 marks]**

### QUESTION THREE

- (a) Describe *FIVE* National association and purchasing executive codes. [10 marks]
- (b) Describe *FIVE* essentials if transport. [10 marks]

**[Total 20 marks]**

### QUESTIONS FOUR

- (a) Explain *FIVE* reasons why organization imports. [10 marks]
- (b) Highlight *FIVE* unsafe acts which are likely to cause accidents [10 marks]

**[Total 20 marks]**

### QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Explain *FIVE* objectives of purchasing. [10 marks]
- (b) Describe *FIVE* classifications of materials [10 marks]

**[Total 20 marks]**