



Machakos University
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END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE BACHELORS OF EDUCATION
ARTS

AHT 338: WORLD ECONOMIC SYSTEMS UPTO 1914

DATE:

TIME:

INSTRUCTIONS.

QUESTION ONE IS COMPULSORY AND ANSWER ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS

- 1a. Discuss the main distinguishing features of the pre-capitalist communal (primitive) and classical slave economic system **(10 marks)**

- b. Assess the differences between pre-capitalist economic system and capitalist mode of production **(10 marks)**

- c. Examine the features of the feudal economic system **(10 marks)**

2. To what extent would you argue that the Kingdom of Buganda and the interlacustrine centralized states had a feudal and not a tributary economic system? **(20 marks)**

3. Analyze the rise and development of merchant and industrial capital in Europe as being central to the rise and spread of capitalist economic system **(20 marks)**

4. Explain the aspect of socialism and communism as the perfect modes of production according to Karl Marx **(20 marks)**

5. Citing examples from Africa, assess the view that colonialism introduced capitalism into the continent **(20 marks)**

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