



# MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF FASHION DESIGN AND MARKETING

FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR  
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN FASHION DESIGN AND MARKETING

HFD 104: CARE OF TEXTILE PRODUCTS

DATE: 7/5/2019

TIME: 2:00 – 4:00 PM

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## INSTRUCTIONS:

Question ONE is compulsory and any other TWO questions

### QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) (20 MARKS)

- a) Explain **THREE** activities that take place in pre-washing stage of the laundry process (3 marks)
- b) Describe **FIVE** precautions taken when soaking cotton textile products (5 marks)
- c) Discuss **FIVE** desirable characteristics of a detergent. (5 marks)
- d) Highlight any **TWO** classifications of stains and cite an example in each case (4 marks)
- e) Discuss any **THREE** aesthetic finishes given to textile fabrics (3 marks)

### QUESTION TWO (15 MARKS)

Identify and explain the functions of any **THREE** cleaning agents that can be used to clean textile products.

### QUESTION THREE (15 MARKS)

Explain how to remove the following stains

- i) Fruit Juice stain (5 marks)
- ii) Chewing gum stain (5 marks)
- iii) Medicine stain (5 marks)

### QUESTION FOUR (15 MARKS)

Illustrate and discuss **FIVE** care labels used on textile products.

### QUESTION FIVE (15 MARKS)

As you care for textile products through laundering, discuss any **FIVE** factors that can affect your laundering process.