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FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER

PROGRAMMES: **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HORTICULTURE
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COURSE CODE: **HORT 303**

TITLE OF PAPER: **ORNAMENTAL HORTICULTURE**

TIME ALLOWED: **TWO (2) HOURS**

INSTRUCTION: **ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS**

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QUESTION 1

- (a) Describe five (5) aesthetic uses of ornamental plants in the landscape [5]
- (b) Describe the functional use of indoor plants as:
- (i) Wall mats [5]
 - (ii) Specimen plants [10]
- (c) Describe principles used in indoor plant arrangement [5]
- [25]**

QUESTION 2

- (a) Describe the design process for the installation of ornamental plants in the interior landscape [10]
- (b) Describe texture of indoor plants and how it influences the use of plants in interior landscape [9]
- (c) Describe pots used for indoor plants [6]
- [25]**

QUESTION 3

- Discuss the fertiliser application of indoor plants [25]

QUESTION 4

- (a) Explain how foliage colour influences placement of plants in the interior landscape [9]
 - (b) Describe two (2) methods used in watering indoor plants [8]
 - (c) Describe dusting and its significance in indoor plants [8]
- [25]**

QUESTION 5

- (a) Describe propagation of lawn grasses by plugging method [8]
 - (b) Describe the use of balled and burlapped plant materials [10]
 - (c) Describe mass flowers as used in flower arrangement [7]
- [25]**