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Re-Sit Examination

Title of paper: Computing for Health Science

Course code: EHS105

Time allowed: 2 hours

Marks allocation: 100 Marks

Instructions:

- 1) Read the questions and instructions carefully
- 2) Answer any 4 questions
- 3) Each question is weighted 25 marks
- 4) Write neatly and clearly

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## Question 1

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
1	Item	Quantity	Unit price	Total price	Unit sell price	Total sale	Profit/loss	
2	Rice	44	E4.50		E5.30			
3	Soup	43	E7.43		E6.50			
4	Cooking oil	65	E5.60		E6.90			
5	Maize meal	14	E7.20		E4.60			
6								
7	Highest value							
8								
9	Lowest value							
10								
11								

- i. Write the exact formula to calculate the Total price of the item Rice.  
[5 Marks]
- ii. Write the exact formula to calculate the Total sale of the item Cooking oil.  
[5 Marks]
- iii. Write the exact formula to calculate the Highest value in Quantity values.  
[5 Marks]
- iv. Write the exact formula to calculate the Lowest value in Unit Price values.  
[5 Marks]
- v. Write the exact formula to calculate the Profit/loss for the item Soup.  
[5 Marks]

**Question 2**

i) What is the difference between the following?

- a) Close and Exit
- b) Delete and Backspace
- c) Print and Print Preview
- d) Enter and spacebar
- e) Page up and page down

[20 Marks]

ii) What are the advantages of using Windows as an operating system?

[5 Marks]

**Question 3**

a) What is a computer?

[3 Marks]

b) What is the difference between an operating system software and application software?

[6 Marks]

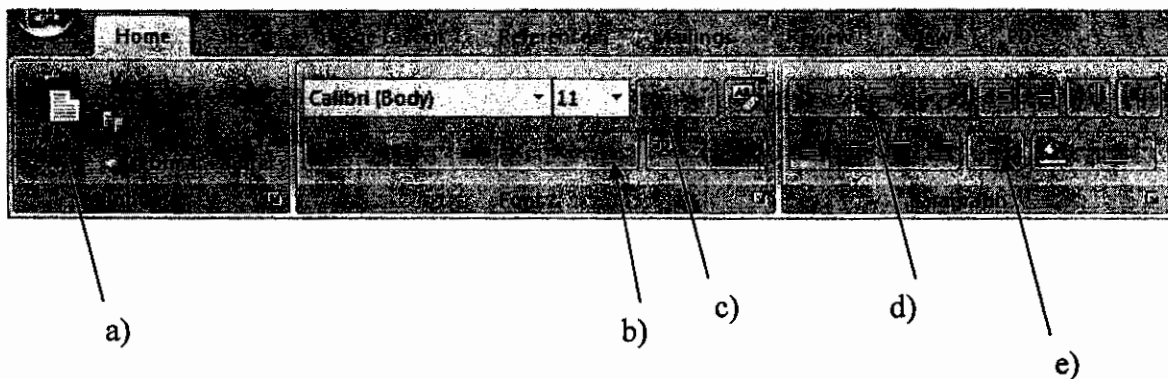
c) Software is another component of a computer; explain the two types of Application software. Give examples.

[10 Marks]

d) Write three (3) methods of highlighting a text in a document

[6 Marks]

**Question 4**



i) Give the functions of the icons indicated above

[10 Marks]

ii) What is the difference between a header and footer?

[5 Marks]

- iii) How will you apply your knowledge on Ms Word and Ms Excel in your studies and at the workplace?

[10 Marks]

**Question 5**

- a) What does RAM and ROM stand for? [2 Marks]
- b) What is the difference between RAM and ROM [4 Marks]
- c) Name the four types of computers and briefly define them. [8 Marks]
- d) What are input and output devices? Give examples [9 Marks]
- e) What is the Internet? [2 Marks]