



UNIVERSITY OF ESWATINI

FIRST SEMESTER RESIT EXAMINATION PAPER, JUNE 2021

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS AND DEMOGRAPHY

COURSE CODE: DEM415

TITLE OF PAPER: POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT I

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

Instructions

1. Answer any three questions

*Candidates may complete the front cover of their answer book when instructed by the Chief Invigilator and sign their examination attendance cards but must **NOT** write anything else until the start of the examination period is announced.*

No electronic devices capable of storing and retrieving text, including electronic dictionaries and any form of foreign material may be used while in the examination room.

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Question 1 [25 marks]

- 1.1 How and why has the experience of population change in Sub Saharan Africa been different from that of other regions in the developing world? [10]
- 1.2 Will it continue to be different? [5]
- 1.3 Describe and explain how the world's population will change in the future. [10]

Question 2 [25 marks]

Discuss, in brief, the three main divergent views by several authors on how population affects development. Make sure to include your own opinion and justify your conclusion.

Question 3 [25 marks]

- 3.1 What do you understand by development? [10]
- 3.2 How would you determine which countries are more developed and which are less developed? [15]

Question 4 [25 marks]

Discuss the impact of HIV/AIDS on equality and poverty in Africa.

Question 5 [25 marks]

- 5.1 Distinguish between urban growth and urbanization. [5]
- 5.2 Discuss the view that the process of urbanization should be seen as an integral component of the demographic transition. [20]