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EXAMINATION PAPER

COURSE CODE : CBM 211
COURSE TITLE : BUSINESS INFORMATION SYSTEMS
SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS : None
DURATION : 3 Hours
LEVEL : 2.1
DATE : 13 APR 2023

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. No cell phones are allowed in the examination venue.
2. Answer any **FOUR (4)** questions
3. Begin each question on a new page.
4. The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets []

Question 1

Discuss any five softwares that could be used in an organisation. [25 marks]

Question 2

- a) With the aid of examples, illustrate the process of transforming data into information. [15 marks]
- b) Examine any five characteristics of valuable information. [10 marks]

Question 3

Assess the value of business information systems to an organisation. [25]

Question 4

- a) Compare and contrast any two methods that can be used to acquire software. [10 marks]
- b) Examine factors affecting software acquisition. [15 marks]

Question 5

Discuss any five components of a database management systems. [25 marks]

Question 6

Outline any five security threats associated with the internet and suggest measures that can be used to protect information systems. [25 marks]

*** Wish you all the best ***

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