

# **NAMIBIA UNIVERSITY**

### OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

## FACULTY OF HEALTH, NATURAL RESOURCES AND APPLIED SCIENCES

### **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES SCIENCES**

QUALIFICATION: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HORTICULTURE			
QUALIFICATION CODE: 07BHOR	LEVEL: 7		
COURSE CODE: TGL620S	COURSE NAME: TURF GRASS & LANDSCAPE MANAGEMENT		
DATE: NOVEMBER 2022			
DURATION: 3 HOURS	MARKS: 100		

FIRST OPPORTUNITY EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER				
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	INSTRUCTIONS	
1.	Answer ALL the questions.	
2.	Write clearly and neatly.	
3.	Number the answers clearly.	

#### **PERMISSIBLE MATERIALS**

- 1. Examination question paper
- 2. Answering book

THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF 2 PAGES (Excluding this front page)

Question 1				
	1.1 Define the following terminologies:	(5)		
•	a) Agrostology			
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(0	c) Turfgrass culture			
(0	d) Asymmetrical balance			
(6	e) Sod production:			
Ques	stion 2			
2.1	Which important rules will you advice someone who intends to mow their lawn fo	r the firs		
ti	ime?	(5)		
Ques	stion 3			
3.1	Why does turfgrass perform better when photosynthesis is greater than respiration	n? (5)		
Ques	stion 4			
4.1	What will be the negative influences of improper mowing?	(6)		
Ques	stion 5			
5.1	How can one identify Nitrogen, Phosphorus and Potassium (NPK) deficiency in t	urf grass		
		(6)		
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Ques	stion 6			
6.1	What role does Nitrogen, Phosphorus, and Potassium play in turfgrass?	(6)		
	stion 7			
7.1	What are the benefits of a lawn at home, park, public area, or school ground?	(6)		

Discuss the key factors for keeping weeds away from a home lawn?

(10)

Question 8

Question 9				
9.1	Describe the three turfgrasses used in Namibia	(15)		
Ques	tion 10			
10.1	Discuss the fertiliser requirements of turfgrass.	(16)		
Ques	tion 11			
	The Rundu Town Council's new management is redesigning all its parks and g as hired you as a consultant to help them doing so whilst considering the princip	les of landscape		
d	esign. Discuss how you will apply such principles.	(20)		