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BUILDING CONSTRUCTION II AND  
COMPUTER AIDED DESIGN  
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THE KENYA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL  
CRAFT CERTIFICATE IN BUILDING TECHNOLOGY  
MODULE I

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

*You should have the following for this examination:*

- Answer booklet;*
- Scientific calculator;*
- Drawing instruments;*
- Mathematical table/Calculator.*

*This paper consists of SEVEN questions in TWO sections; A and B.*

*Answer FIVE questions choosing THREE questions from Section A, TWO questions from Section B including the compulsory question.*

*All questions carry equal marks.*

*Maximum marks for each part of a question are as shown.*

*Candidates should answer the questions in English.*

**This paper consists of 5 printed pages.**

**Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all the pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.**

## SECTION A: BUILDING CONSTRUCTION II

Answer any **THREE** questions from this section.

1. (a) Describe the following members of a window:
    - (i) mullion;
    - (ii) transom. (4 marks)
  - (b) With the aid of a labelled diagram, describe a framed, lodged braced and battened door with a frame. (10 marks)
  - (c) Outline the procedure of laying pre-cast concrete paving slabs. (6 marks)
2. (a) Define the following terms:
    - (i) fire place;
    - (ii) flue. (4 marks)
  - (b) With the aid of a sketch, show the details of Building Code requirements of a chimney termination at the points marked A, B and C in figure 1. (7 marks)

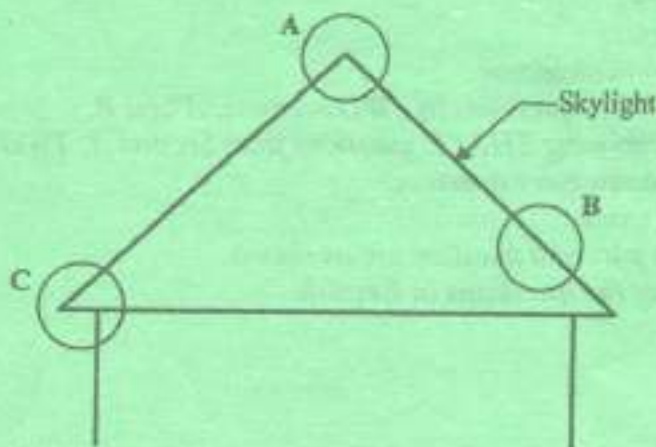


Figure 1

- (c) (i) Define 'painting'.
  - (ii) Outline the procedure of painting a plastered surface. (9 marks)
3. (a) List four materials used in the construction of stairs. (2 marks)
  - (b) With the aid of sketches describe the following:
    - (i) dog leg stairs;
    - (ii) three quarter turn stairs. (8 marks)





- (c) (i) Define 'scaffolding'. (3) (3 marks)  
 (ii) List two types of scaffolds. (3 marks)
- (d) State any seven safety factors to be observed when working on a scaffold. (5) (7 marks)
- 4: (a) (i) Define the term 'roof'. (3) (3 marks)  
 (ii) List any two roof covering materials. (3) (3 marks)
- (b) Illustrate the following types of roofs: (3) (6 marks)  
 (i) lean-to roof;  
 (ii) collar roof.
- (c) Differentiate between flat roofs and pitched roofs. (3) (4 marks)
- (d) (i) Sketch a section through a cornice. (5) (5 marks)  
 (ii) Differentiate between first fixing and second fixing.
- (e) List any four materials used for skirting. (3) (2 marks)



SECTION B: COMPUTER AIDED DESIGN

Answer QUESTION 5 which is compulsory and any other question.

5. Figure 2 shows the plan and elevation of a simple building.

(a) Draw using CAD the following:

(i) plan;

(ii) elevation.

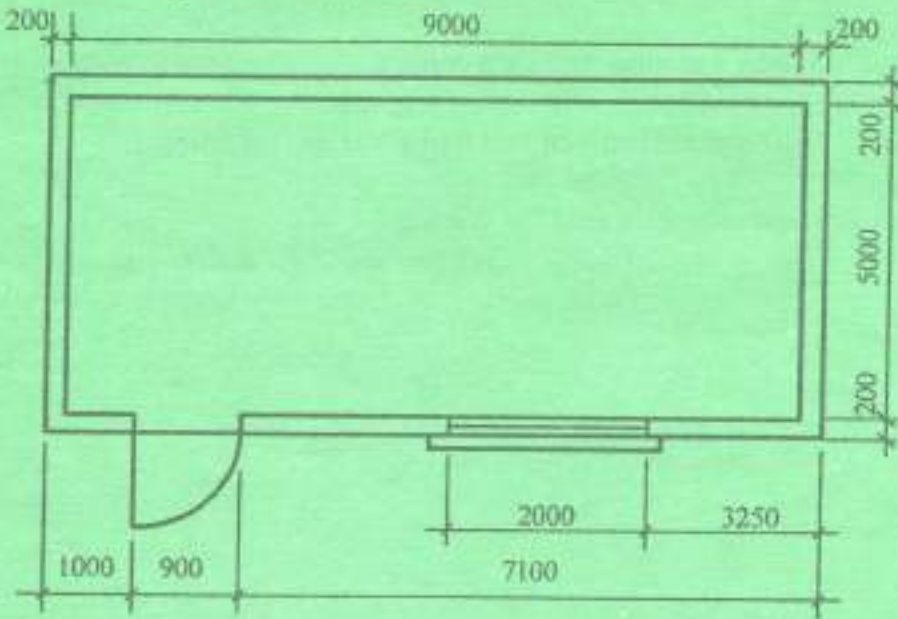
(16 marks)

(b) Indicate all dimensions.

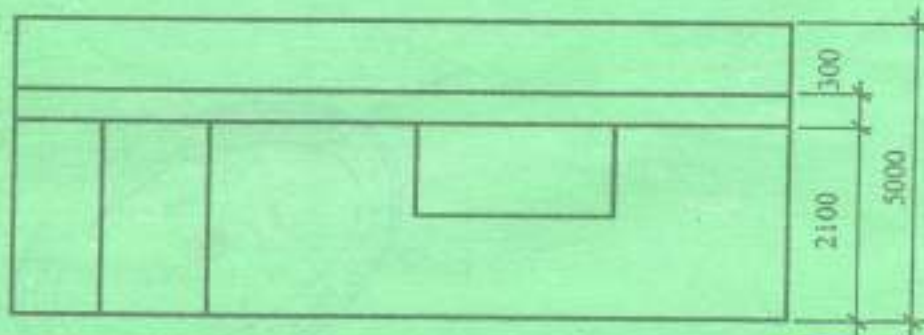
(2 marks)

(c) Save the drawing on the CD provided.

(2 marks)



PLAN



FRONT ELEVATION

Figure 2





6. (a) Propose the hardware necessary for typical full CAD workstation. (12 marks)
- (b) (i) List four pointing devices used to move the cursor. (2 marks)
- (ii) Write the following abbreviations in full:  
dwg.  
pdf. (2 marks)
- (c) Explain two advantages of using CAD over drawing by hand. (4 marks)
7. (a) Formulate the CAD sequence command for the diagram in figure 3. (14 marks)

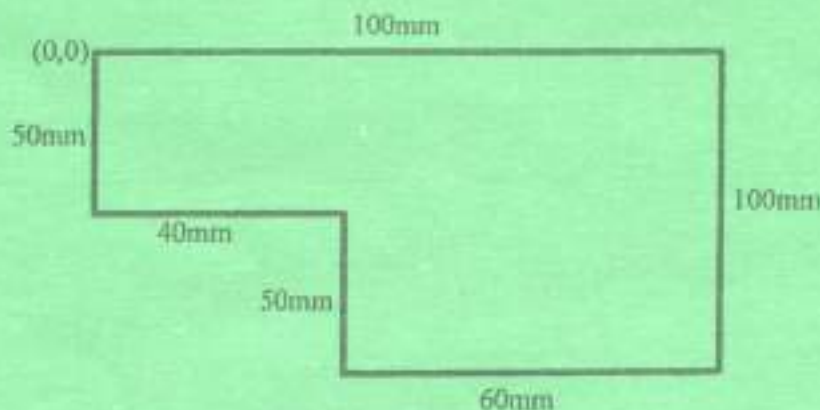


Figure 3

- (b) Explain the following features of CAD software:
- (i) Zoom;
- (ii) 2 - Dimensional CAD;
- (iii) 3 - Dimensional CAD; (6 marks)

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