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AQS 2203

Supplementary Examination Paper

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This examination paper consists of 2 pages

Time Allowed: 3 hours

Total Marks: 100

Examiner's Name: Mr. T Moyo

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Answer **ALL** questions
2. Each question carries 25 marks

MARK ALLOCATION

QUESTION	MARKS
1.	25
2.	25
3.	25
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QUESTION ONE

- a) Explain the difference between a technical report and a popular report (10 marks)
- b) Explain the following terms
 - i) Random sampling
 - ii) Selected sampling
 - iii) Structured interviews (15 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Differentiate stratified random sampling and systematic random sampling (10 marks)
- b) Describe three fundamental stages that should be taken when constructing a questionnaire (15 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Explain the fundamentals of a good research report (25 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Differentiate Research Methods from Research Methodology (10 marks)
- b) Identify and discuss any three non-probability sampling techniques (15 marks)

END OF EXAMINATION