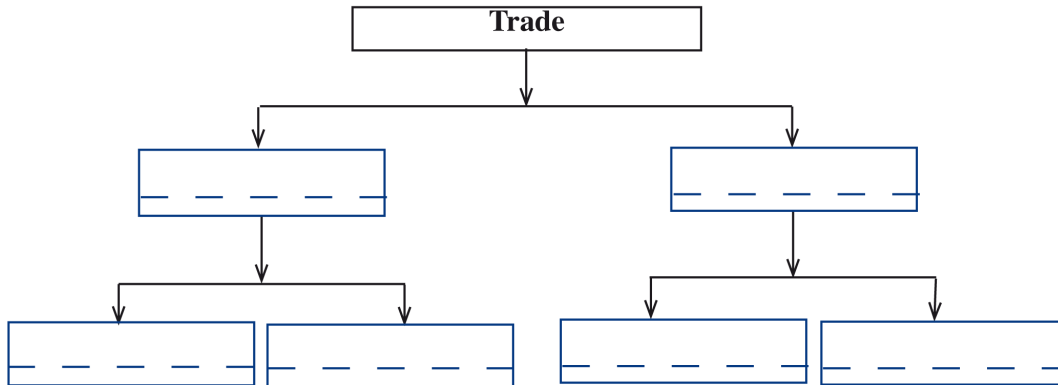


**3.28 BUSINESS STUDIES (565)** [More past papers at www.elimucentre.com](http://www.elimucentre.com)

**3.28.1 Business Studies Paper 1 (565/1)**

- 1 Outline **four** ways in which business studies may be of benefit to an individual. (4 marks)
- 2 Highlight **four** external factors that may negatively influence the operations of a business. (4 marks)
- 3 State **four** characteristics of a successful entrepreneur. (4 marks)
- 4 State **four** functions of an office. (4 marks)
- 5 Fill the relevant branches of trade in the diagram given below: (3 marks)



- 6 The participants in a two sector economy are households and firms. Identify the relevant participant in each of the statements given below: (4 marks)

Statement	Participant
a. payment for goods and services	a.
b. sale of factors of production	b.
c. payment for factors of production	c.
d. sale of goods and services	d.

- 7 The following balances were extracted from the books of Wekesa Traders on 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2009.

Items	Shs
Capital	500,000
Cash in hand	20,000
Buildings	200,000
Furniture	25,000
Motor vehicle	400,000
Creditors	18,000
Debtors	36,000
Bank	100,000
Bank loan	263,000

Using the above information, prepare Wekesa Trader's Trial Balance on 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2009. (5 marks)

8 The following information relates to Karibu traders for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2008.

Details	Shs
Fixed assets	1,840,000
Current assets	400,000
6 year bank loan	600,000
Current liabilities	150,000

Determine owner's capital using the information given above. (4 marks)

9 State the type of unemployment relating to each of the following descriptions: (4 marks)

- (a) Caused by alternating trading patterns occurring at similar times.
- (b) Arises where workers have more skills and higher qualifications than the job requirements.
- (c) Arises out of a mismatch between the skills possessed by potential employees and the location of the jobs available.
- (d) Arises when people are unwilling to take up jobs due to low pay.

10 Highlight **four** circumstances under which the capital of a business may change. (4 marks)

11 Below are some entries in the cash book of Romano Traders for the month of July 2010.

Dr				CASH BOOK				Cr			
Date (2010)	Details	Cash (Shs)	Bank (Shs)	Date	Details	Cash (Shs)	Bank (Shs)				
July 1	Bal b/d	15,000		July 1	Bal b/d		100,000				
July 6	Cash		20,000	July 6	Bank	20,000					
July 20	Sales		15,000	July 15	Wages	5,000					
July 28	Debtors	20,000		July 29	Stock		10,000				
				July 31	Bal c/d	10,000					

State the meaning of the following entries: (4 marks)

- (a) July 1, 2010 Balance b/d, bank column, shs 100,000
- (b) July 6, 2010 cash shs 20,000 and bank shs 20,000
- (c) July 28, 2010 debtors shs 20,000
- (d) July 31, 2010 Balance c/d shs 10,000

- 12** Outline **one** circumstance under which each of the following source documents may be issued by a trader: (4 marks)
- (a) Debit note .....
- (b) Invoice .....
- (c) Credit note .....
- (d) Quotation .....
- 13** Name **four** documents that may be required by the registrar of companies in order to register a public limited company. (4 marks)
- 14** Outline **four** measures that a country can take to reduce the level of inflation. (4 marks)
- 15** Outline **four** factors that may make a producer to by-pass the wholesaler when distributing goods. (4 marks)
- 16** Highlight **four** benefits that a country would get by developing her infrastructure. (4 marks)
- 17** State **four** benefits of a bonded warehouse to the government. (4 marks)
- 18** Outline **four** qualities of a successful salesperson. (4 marks)
- 19** Highlight **four** factors that may cause the supply curve to shift to the right. (4 marks)
- 20** Outline **four** positive effects that production activities may have on community health. (4 marks)
- 21** State **four** basic features of a market. (4 marks)
- 22** Outline **four** features of a parastatal. (4 marks)
- 23** Outline **four** circumstances in which the government may be involved in business. (4 marks)
- 24** Highlight **four** factors that a trader may consider when choosing a means of transport. (4 marks)
- 25** State **four** reasons for privatizing public corporations. (4 marks)