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## **MOCK EXAMINATIONS SET 1 2019**

**Uganda Certificate of Education**

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### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

- ★ *Attempt any four questions.*
- ★ *All questions carry equal marks.*
- ★ *Any additional question(s) answered will not be marked.*

1. a) Why were the Portuguese interested in the coast of East Africa by 1500AD? (13 marks)  
b) Why were they able to easily conquer the coastal people? (12 marks)
2. Describe the political, economic and social organisation of the following societies during the 19<sup>th</sup> century?  
a) Buganda. (13 marks)  
b) Nandi. (12 marks)
3. a) Why did the Ngoni speaking people migrate into East Africa by 1840? (13 marks)  
b) How did their migration affect the societies where they settled? (12 marks)
4. a) Explain the changes introduced by Seyyid Said in Zanzibar between 1840 and 1856. (13 marks)  
b) How did he settle the Busaidi – Mazrui conflicts? (12 marks)
5. a) Why did slave trade in East African expand during the mid-19<sup>th</sup> century? (13 marks)  
b) How did the abolition of slave trade affect the peoples of East Africa? (12 marks)
6. a) Describe the role played by the chartered companies in the colonization of East Africa between 1885 and 1895. (13 marks)  
b) Why were the companies later withdrawn? (12 marks)
7. a) Why was the Uganda Railway constructed? (12 marks)  
b) Describe the development of this railway system in Uganda up to 1965. (13 marks)
8. a) Explain the causes of the Kikuyu uprising in Kenya between 1952 – 1960. (12 marks)  
b) How was the uprising organized? (13 marks)
9. Describe the contribution of the following to the struggle for independence of their countries.  
a) Apollo Milton Obote. (13 marks)  
b) Mwalimu Julius Nyerere (12 marks)
10. a) Why was East Africa involved in World War I? (12 marks)  
b) How did the war affect the people of East Africa? (13 marks)

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