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MAIN EXAMINATION

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FACULTY OF COMMERCE

DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

REGULAR PROGRAMME

CFI 311: CORPORATE FINANCE

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Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions

- Q1.
- a) Explain the following terms with appropriate examples
- (i) Capital markets (3 marks)
 - (ii) Agency problems (3 marks)
- b) With examples distinguish between a horizontal merger and conglomerate (6 marks)
- c) Kakuzi wants to replace an existing machine that was bought 6 years ago at a cost of Kshs 8 m including installation cost of Kshs1m. At the time of purchase the machine has a useful life of 10 years. No salvage value was expected at the end of its life. This machine can be sold at Kshs.2m today if a new machine is bought.
- The purchase price of a new Machine is Kshs. 3m and a further Kshs. 700,000 as installation costs. The firm uses a straight line depreciation method.
- Initial increase in inventories amount to Kshs. 300,000 while accounts payable amounts to Kshs. 80,000
- The overall cost of capital is 15%. Corporate income tax rate is 30% while capital gain/losses are charged at 25%
- Required**
- Calculate the initial Investment Outlay (8 marks)
- d) Ujuzi Ltd is evaluating a new project that will generate cash inflows of Kshs.3m , Kshs.5m, Kshs.4m, Kshs.6m and Kshs. 7 m in year one to five respectively. These cash inflows are considered risky. The risk free

ate is 15% while adjusted discount rate is 17%. The initial outlay for this project

Kshs. 12 m.

- (i) Using appropriate discount rate should the project be accepted? **(8 marks)**
- (ii) What is the risk premium associated with this project?

(2 marks)

- Q2. a) Explain the term Leverage Buyout **(3marks)**
 b) KCB ltd wants to acquire national bank Ltd. Further information relating to the two companies is as follows.

	National bank	KCB
After tax cash flows per year forever	Kshs. 15 m	Kshs. 25 m
No. of Ordinary Shares outstanding	8 m	20m
Market capitalization (Total Value of equity)	Kshs. 160m	Kshs.800m

Estimated synergies from the acquisition are currently valued at Kshs. 200m

- (i) Calculate the stand alone value per share of National bank Ltd **(3 marks)**
 - (ii) Calculate the stand alone value per share of KCB Ltd **(3 marks)**
 - (iii) Calculate the Exchange ratio based on stand Alone Value **(4 marks)**
 - (iv) How many new shares will KCB Ltd need to issue to acquire National Bank Ltd **(3 Marks)**
- c) If instead KCB Ltd pays a cash price of Kshs. 178 m to acquire national bank Ltd, calculate the total acquisition premium. **(4 marks)**

Q3.

Naivas ltd has a debt –equity ratio of 0.2:0.8. At this level the capital structure it can raise Kshs 60M from Equity and Kshs. 12.5 M from debt. The firm is listed in the stock exchange with %m shares currently selling at Kshs. 70 each. Net income expected next year is Kshs. 60m. Naivas ltd adopts a residual delivered policy.

Required:

- a) Calculate the maximum capital that the firm can raise maintaining the current financing mix **(3 marks)**
- b) If the next year the firm expects to spend kshs.30m on capital

projects, calculate

- (i) Total amount of dividends next year (5 marks)
 - (ii) Expected dividend per share (3 marks)
 - (iii) Expected intention Ratio (2 marks)
 - c) How much will the firm need to borrow to meet its capital expenditure next year (2 marks)
 - d) Calculate the current market capitalization of Naivas Ltd (3 marks)
 - e) If George owns 3000 shares of Naivas Ltd, how much will he get in Dividends (2 marks)
- Q4. a). What are the various methods that a company may use to finance its operations, discuss their advantages and disadvantages (10 marks)
- b). A company negotiates a Sh 30 million loan for eight years from a financial institution. The interest rate is 14% per annum on the outstanding balance of the loan. The principal and interest will be repaid in eight equal year-end instalments.

Required

Prepare a loan repayment schedule

(10 marks)

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