



# **GWANDA STATE UNIVERSITY**

**FACULTY OF ENGINEERING AND ENVIRONMENT**

**DEPARTMENT OF GEOMATICS AND SURVEYING**

**Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing**

**EGS 2210**

**Examination Paper**

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This examination paper consists of 2 pages

**Time Allowed: 3 hours**

**Total Marks: 100**

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## **INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. Choose and Answer any 4 questions**

1. With reference to examples, explain the practical applicability of remote sensing in mineral exploration and mining industries [25]
2. Using a diagram and a calculated example, explain the scientific basis of using NDVI for estimating vegetation vigour and amount. [25]
3. Using a calculated example, demonstrate and justify the need for haze correction on a satellite image [25]
4. Explain the types of classification used in photogrammetry and remote sensing [25]
5. (A) briefly explain characteristics of an image [10]  
(B) With the aid of a diagram, explain the elements of an optical remote sensing system [15]