UNIVERSITI SAINS MALAYSIA

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AMP 348 - Retailing

Time: 3 hours

INSTRUCTIONS

Please make sure that this examination paper contains of **TWO** printed pages before you begin.

Answer only FOUR questions. Question No. 1 is COMPULSORY and choose any other THREE (3) questions.

Question 1 (COMPULSORY)

a) What are the problems a retailer might encounter if they have to rely on a non-optimum retail location?

[25 marks]

b) What are the problems faced in employing checklist and regression methods in determining a location for a retail store? Discuss.

[15 marks]

Question 2

Define GIS? How do retailers go about employing GIS in their organisations?

[20 marks]

Question 3

List 5 customer service activities that could be employed by a bank officer in attracting more customers? Provide an example of the organization and product in your answer.

[20 marks]

Question 4

Define planogram. How does it support retailers in increasing the sales volume? Provide an example of the organization and product in your answer.

[20 marks]

Question 5

When and why mark-down is needed to be practised by a retailer?

[20 marks]

Question 6

Discuss the advantages for a retailer to have a virtual store.

[20 marks]