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# **MOCK EXAMINATIONS 2019**

# Uganda Certificate of Education

#### **GEOGRAPHY**

Paper 2

2 hours 30 minutes

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

Answer four questions in all.

Choose two questions from part 1 and two from Part II.

*In part* **II, one** *question should be chosen from any* **one** *region.* 

Any additional question(s) answered will **not** be marked.

## PART I: THE REST OF AFRICA

Answer two questions from this part.

- 1. (a) Draw a sketch map of Africa and on it mark and name;
  - (i) lake Chad
  - (ii) gulf: Guinea and Aden
  - (iii) basins: Okavango and Congo
  - (iv) highlands: Adamawa and Atlas Mountain
  - (v) the Rift valley

(10 marks)

- (b) Describe the processes that led to the formation of any **one** highland named in (iv) above. (05 marks)
- (c) Explain the influence of the highland named in 1(b) above on rainfall distribution in the surrounding areas. (06 marks)
- (d) Outline the problems faced by people living in highland areas of Africa. (04 marks)



2. Study **Figure 1** below, sketchmap showing the Kariba/Cabora Bbasa multi-purpose project and answer the questions that follow.

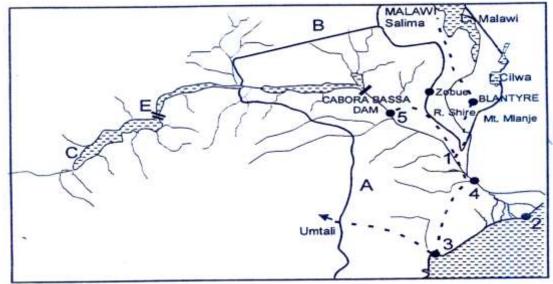


Figure 1.

- (a) Name the:-
  - (i) River marked **1**,
  - (ii) Ocean marked 2,
  - (iii) Port marked 3,
  - (iv) Towns marked 4 and 5,
  - (v) Countries marked **A** and **B**,
  - (vi) Lake C and dam E.

(09 marks)

(b) Describe the factors which led to the establishment of the Kariba river project.

(06 marks)

- (c) Explain the effects of the establishment of the project in (b) above on the environment. (06 marks)
- (d) Outline the steps being taken to address the negative environment effects of this project. (04 marks)
- 3. Study **Table I** below, showing the volume of rubber output in Liberia (1970 2020) and answer the questions that follow.

Table I

Years	Volume of rubber in Metric tones
1970	910,000
1980	945,000
1990	996,000
2000	999,000
2010	1,003,000
2020	1,600,300



- (a) Calculate the percentage change of rubber production in Liberia between 1970 and 2020. (02 marks)
  (b) (i) Draw a line graph to represent the information shown in the table above. (08 marks)
  - (ii) Describe the pattern of rubber production in Liberia between 1970 and 2020. (04 marks)
- (c) Describe the conditions which have favoured the growth of rubber in Liberia. (06 marks)
- (d) Outline the problems faced by rubber growers in Liberia. (03 marks)
- 4. (a) Draw a sketch map of the Republic of South Africa and on it mark and name;
  - (i) Indian Ocean
  - (ii) River Vaal
  - (iii) Ports/towns: Cape town and Durban
  - (iv) Railway lines: Pretoria Cape Town and Johannesburg Durban. (08 marks)
  - (b) Describe the conditions that have favoured the development of industries in the town named in (a)(ii) above. (05 marks)
  - (c) Explain the importance of the industrial sector to the Republic of South Africa. (06 marks)
  - (e) Outline:
    - (i) the steps being taken to improve the industrial sector in the Republic of South Africa. (04 marks)
    - (ii) any two products exported trough Durban or cape port (02 marks)

#### PART II: STUDIES IN DEVELOPMENT

Answer **two** questions from this part.

### **REGION I: NORTH AMERICA**

- 5. (a) Draw a sketch map of the area covered by the Tennessee valley Authority and on it mark and name;
  - (i) States: Alabama and Tennessee
  - (ii) Rivers: Tennessee, Ohio and Mississippi
  - (iii) Towns: Knoxville and Nashville
  - (iv) Appalachian Mountains

(10 marks)

- (b) Describe the conditions which led to the establishment of the Tennessee valley Authority. (06 marks)
- (c) Explain the benefits of the Tennessee valley Authority to the people of U.S.A. (05 marks)



- (d) Outline the problems that have resulted from the establishment of the Tennessee valley Authority. (04 marks)
- 6. Study **figure 2** below, a sketchmap showing the Southern California and answer the questions that follow.

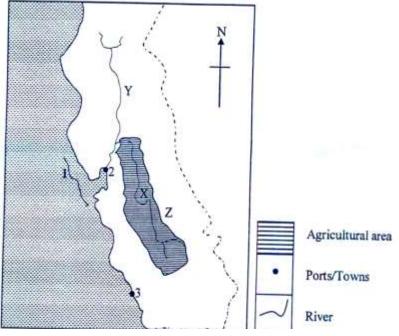


Fig.2

- (a) Name the:-
  - (i) Region marked **Z**
  - (ii) Rivers marked Y and X
  - (iii) Ports/Towns marked 2 and 3
  - (iv) Ocean current marked 1

(06 marks)

- (b) Describe the factors responsible for the occurrence of semi-arid conditions in the Southern California. (04 marks)
- (c) (i) Explain the conditions which have favoured the practice of irrigation farming in the region marked **Z**. (05 marks)
  - (ii) Outline the effects of irrigation farming to the environment of southern California. (08 marks)
- (d) Name two crops grown in the region marked **Z.** (02 marks)
- 7. (a) Name any;
  - (i) two ports,
  - (ii) two rivers,
  - (iii) two states found in the New England.

(06 marks)



- (b) (i) Identify any two types of fish caught in the New England. (02 marks)
  - (ii) Describe any one method of fishing used in the New England. (04 marks)
- (c) Describe the conditions which have favoured the development of the fishing industry in the New England. (08 marks)
- (d) Giving specific examples, explain the problems faced by the fishing industry in the New England. (05 marks)

## **REGION II: RHINELANDS**

- 8. (a) Draw a sketch map of Switzerland and on it mark and name;
  - (i) physical region: Swiss Alps.
  - (ii) rivers: Rhone and Rhine
  - (i) inland port Basel
  - (ii) neighbouring countries: Germany, Italy and France. (09 marks)
  - (b) How has Switzerland benefited from her location in the centre of Europe? (06 marks)
  - (c) Explain the problems faced by Switzerland as a landlocked country. (05 marks)
  - (d) What measures have been taken to solve the problems stated in (c) above? (05 marks)
- 9. (a) Study Table 2 below showing Belgium's Forest Export products in 2013 and answer the questions that follow.

Product	'000 Euros
Pulp	12,964
Paper	9,682
Veneer	8,135
Timber	214,766
Wooden Tiles	6,952
Plywood	8,247
Total	260,746

- (a) Draw a pie chart to represent the information given in the table above. (9 marks)
- (b) Calculate the relative importance contributed by
  - (i) Least dominant (1 mark)(ii) Most dominant (1 mark)
- (c) Describe the process of lumbering in Belgium. (4 marks)
- (d) Explain the
  - (i) Values of Lumbering. (6 marks)
  - (ii) Problems faced by lumber men in Belgium. (4 marks)



10. Study **Figure 3** a sketch map showing the Rhine Basin and answer the questions that follow.

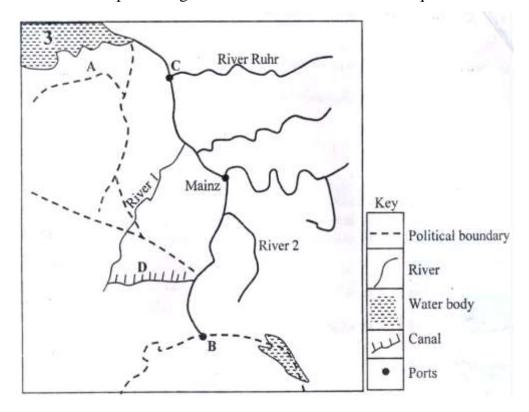


Fig.4

- (a) Name the;
  - (i) Rivers marked 1 and 2
  - (ii) Water body 3
  - (iii) Country A
  - (iv) Ports: **B** and **C**
  - (v) Canal **D**
- (b) Describe the factors that contributed to the development of the Rhine waterway.

(07 marks)

(07 marks)

(c) Explain the problems faced by the Rhine water way.

(06 marks)

(d) Outline the measures that have been undertaken to solve the problems in (c) above.

(05 marks)

# **REGION III: CHINA**

11. Study **table 2** below showing the climate of station **X** in China and answer the questions that follow.

Table 2

Months	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	0	N	D
Temperature(°C)	12	13	14	16	19	22	25	26	24	21	17	13
Rainfall(mm)	110	90	90	60	35	15	03	10	30	80	115	135



- (a) Draw a suitable graph to show the information in the table above. (10 marks)
- (b) Calculate the:-
  - (i) Mean annual temperature (01 mark)
  - (ii) Annual range of Temperature (01 mark)
  - (iii) Mean annual rainfall for station  $\mathbf{X}$  (01 mark)
- (c) Describe the characteristics of station **X**.
- (d) Outline the:-
  - (i) Economic activities that are carried out in the area. (03 marks)
  - (ii) problems faced by the people living in the area where station X is found.

(03 marks)

(06 marks)

- 12. (a) Draw a sketch map of China and on it mark and name;
  - (i) Towns Shanghai, Urumqui and Kunming.
  - (ii) Rivers Hwang-ho and Sikiang.
  - (iii) Yellow sea
  - (iv) Hong Kong entrepôt. (8 marks)
  - (b) Describe the factors which have led to the growth of Hong Kong as an entrepôt. (6 marks)
  - (c) Explain the importance of Hong Kong entrepôt to China. (6 marks)
  - (d) Outline the problems facing Hong Kong entrepôt.

(5 marks)

13. Study **Figure 4**; a sketch map showing Sikiang (Xijiang) River Basin and answer the questions that follow.

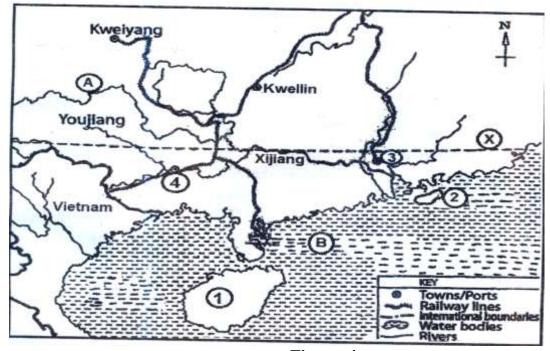


Figure. 4

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- (a) Name the:-
  - (i) water bodies marked A and B,
  - (ii) islands marked 1 and 2
  - (iii) towns marked 3 and 4
  - (iv) latitude marked X

(07 marks)

(b) Describe the factors which have favored the development of the Sikiang River basin of China.

(06 marks)

(c) Explain the contributions of the Sikiang River basin to the development of China.

(06 marks)

- (d) Outline the:-
  - (i) problems faced by the people living along the Sikiang River basin. (03 marks)
  - (ii) measures being taken to solve the problems in d(i) above. (03marks)

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