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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

Answer four questions in all.

Section A is compulsory.

Answer three questions from Section B.

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

Credit will be given for use of relevant sketch-maps, diagrams and specific examples.

SECTION A

1. Study table 1 below, showing the land area under forest cover in hectares for selected countries in 2019.

Table 1

Country	Land under forest cover (in thousand hectares)
Canada	346,965
Sweden	27,980
Norway	12,172
DRC	127,257
Gabon	23,543
Total	537,917

Adapted: World Food and Agriculture Statistical Yearbook 2021 pages 298-302

- (a) Calculate the percentage area covered by forests in each of the countries indicated in the table. (02 marks)
- (b) (i) Draw a pie chart to represent the information in the table.

 (08 marks)
 - (ii) State the merits of using the method in (b) (i) above.

 (03 marks)
- (c) Explain the factors that have favoured the development of the forestry industry in either developed or developing countries given in the table.

 (08 marks)
- (d) Outline the contribution of the forestry industry to the development of any **one** country indicated in the table. (04 marks)

SECTION B

Answer three questions from this section.

- 2. (a) Distinguish between intensive commercial farming and extensive commercial farming. (08 marks) (b) Explain the factors contributing to the success of intensive commercial farming in either Kenya or the Netherlands.
- 3. (a) Assess the contribution of the fishing industry to the development of either Chile or Angola. (15 marks)
 - (b) Analyse the future prospects of the fishing industry in the country chosen in 3(a) above. (10 marks)
- 4. (a) Explain the concept of population growth. (10 marks)
 - (b) Examine the consequences of rapid population growth in either Nigeria or India. (15 marks)
- 5. Examine the fuel and power production trends in either the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) or the Middle-East. (25 marks)
- 6. Explain the challenges facing industrial development in either Egypt or Germany. (25 marks)
- 7. With reference to either Switzerland or Zambia, explain the transport (a) problems facing land locked countries. (15 marks)
 - Describe the measures being taken to overcome the transport (b) problems of land lockedness of the country chosen in (a) above. (10 marks)
- Distinguish between internal trade and international trade. 8. (a) (08 marks)
 - Explain the challenges facing international trade in African (b) developing countries. (17 marks)

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