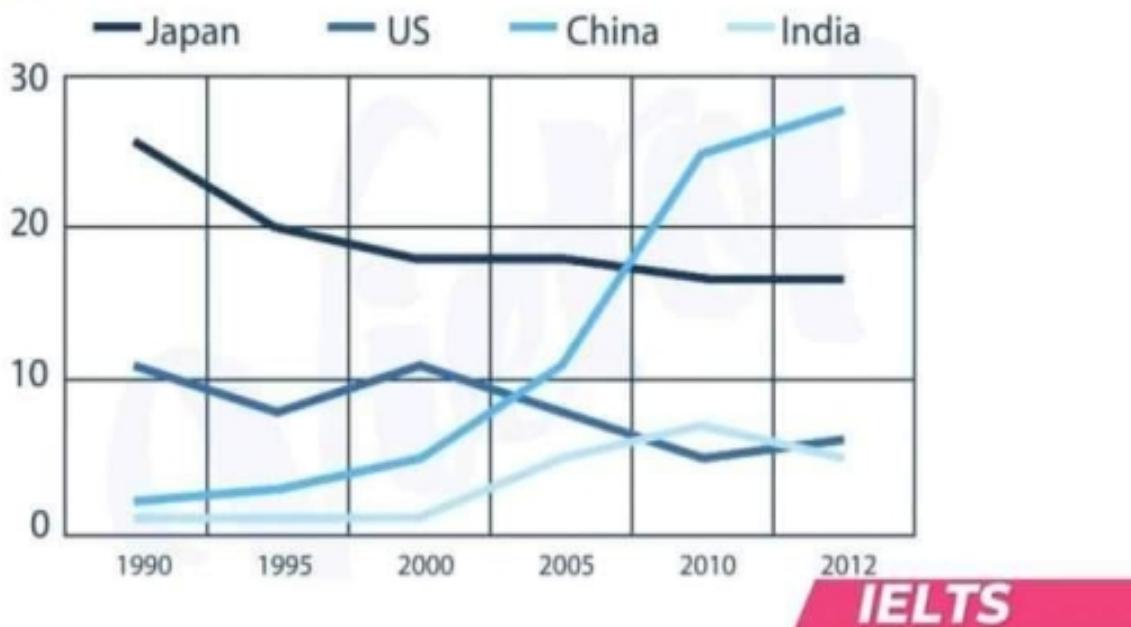


## Task 1: Line Graph

**Subject:** The graph shows that the percentage of Australian export to four countries from 1990 to 2012. Summarize the information.

The graph below shows that the percentage of Australian export to 4 countries from 1990 to 2012



## **Answer #1**

### **Response:**

The line graph illustrates the percentage of Australian exports to Japan, the US, China, and India from 1990 to 2012.

Overall, Japan and the US witnessed a declining trend in Australian exports, whereas China and India experienced an upward trajectory. Particularly, China demonstrated a consistent increase in the proportion of Australian exports throughout the period.

Commencing at approximately 28% in 1990, the percentage of Australian exports to Japan gradually declined to 20% by 2005 and eventually reached around 19% in 2012. In contrast, the US started at nearly 10% in 1990, fluctuated between 10-11% until 2004, and then decreased to about 5% by 2012.

Conversely, China's share of Australian exports began at about 5% in 1990, remained relatively steady until 2003, and then surged significantly to approximately 30% by 2012. Similarly, India's export percentage started at around 1% in 1990, saw a gradual rise to almost 2% by 1998, fluctuated between 2-5% until 2009, and managed to reach to nearly 6% by 2012.

### **Scores:**

Overall Band Score: 9

Task Response: 9 - The report fully addresses the task by providing a clear overview and detailed comparisons of the percentage of Australian exports to Japan, the US, China, and India from 1990 to 2012.

Coherence & Cohesion: 9 - The report is logically organized with a clear introduction, overview, and detailed comparisons for each country. The use of cohesive devices and paragraphing is skillful, making the information easy to follow.

Lexical Resource: 9 - The report demonstrates a wide range of vocabulary accurately used to describe the trends in the graph. The language is precise, varied, and sophisticated, enhancing the overall quality of the report.

Grammatical Range & Accuracy: 9 - A wide range of grammatical structures is used accurately throughout the report. There are no errors in punctuation or grammar, showcasing full control and flexibility in language use.