



GEOGRAPHY HIGHER LEVEL AND STANDARD LEVEL PAPER 1

Candidate session number							

Friday 16 May 2014 (afternoon)

1 hour 30 minutes

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Do not open this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Section A: answer all questions.
- Section B: answer one question.
- Write your answers on the lines in the boxes provided. If you need to continue your answer, use the blank space immediately below the lines provided in the box.
- Use examples, maps and/or diagrams where relevant.
- The maximum mark for this examination paper is [60 marks].

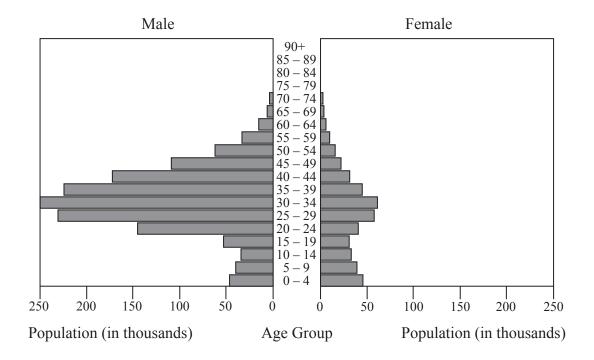
Core Theme – Patterns and Change

SECTION A

Answer **all** questions. Write your answers on the lines in the boxes provided. If you need to continue your answer, use the blank space immediately below the lines provided in the box.

1. Populations in transition

The graph shows the population pyramid of an oil-rich Middle Eastern nation in 2012.



[Source: US Census Bureau]



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(a)	Describe the population structure of this country.	[3
b)	Suggest one reason for the structure of the economically active population.	[2

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(Question 1 continued)

(c) Explain three socio-economic impacts of an anti-natal policy in one named country. [2+2+2]

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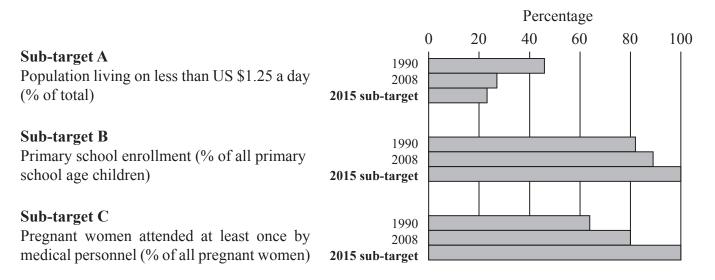
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2. Disparities in wealth and development

The graph shows the progress towards meeting three sub-targets of the 2015 Millennium Development Goals in developing countries.



[Source: © The Economist Newspaper Limited, London (22 September 2010). Data sourced from the UN.]

(i)	With reference to the graph, identify which sub-target was furthest from being met in 2008.	[1
(ii)	State the Millennium Development Goal to which the sub-target you identified in part (i) relates.	[1



(Question 2 continued)

(b)	State any two other Millennium Development Goals that are not represente these graphs.					
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(c)	Sug	gest two reasons why primary school enrollment as a percentage has increased. [2+2]				
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(d)	Exp	lain two reasons why aid may not help reduce disparities. [2-	<i>-2]</i>
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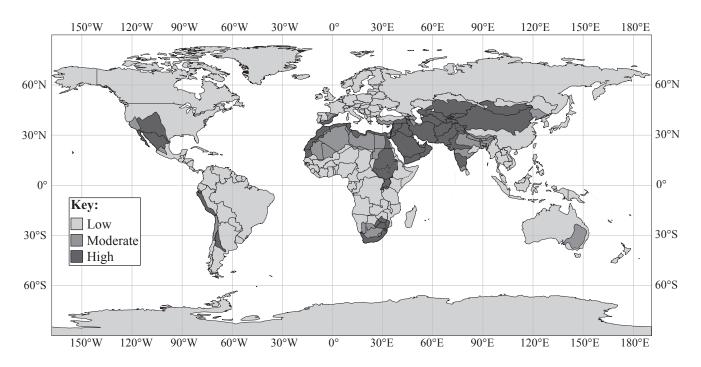
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3. Patterns in environmental quality and sustainability

The map shows the global distribution of physical water scarcity.



[Source: adapted from www.fao.org]

(a)	Describe the pa	ittern of high ph	ysical water scarcit	y shown on the ma	p. /	3/	,



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(c)	Explain the energy flows involved in the greenhouse effect.	[5]



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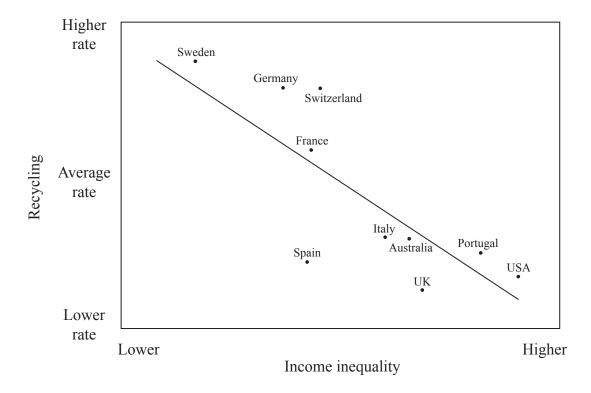
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4. Patterns in resource consumption

The graph shows income inequality and recycling rates for selected high-income countries in 2010.



[Source: ©The Equality Trust. Used with permission.]

((a)	Describe	the relationshir	p shown on the graph.	
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(Question 4 continued)

1	ain two environmental benefits of recycling.
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	ain two disadvantages of one named source of renewable energy. Source of renewable energy.
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SECTION B

Answer **one** question. Write your answer on the lines in the box provided.

5.	"Investing in gender equality is the most effective strategy to promote economic and social development." Discuss this statement.	[15]
6.	"Rapid population growth is the main cause of soil degradation and reduced biodiversity." Discuss this statement.	[15]
7.	"The world is far too dependent on oil." To what extent do you agree with this statement?	[15]





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