



GEOGRAPHY
HIGHER AND STANDARD LEVEL
PAPER 1

Wednesday 2 May 2001 (afternoon)

1 hour

Name

Number

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

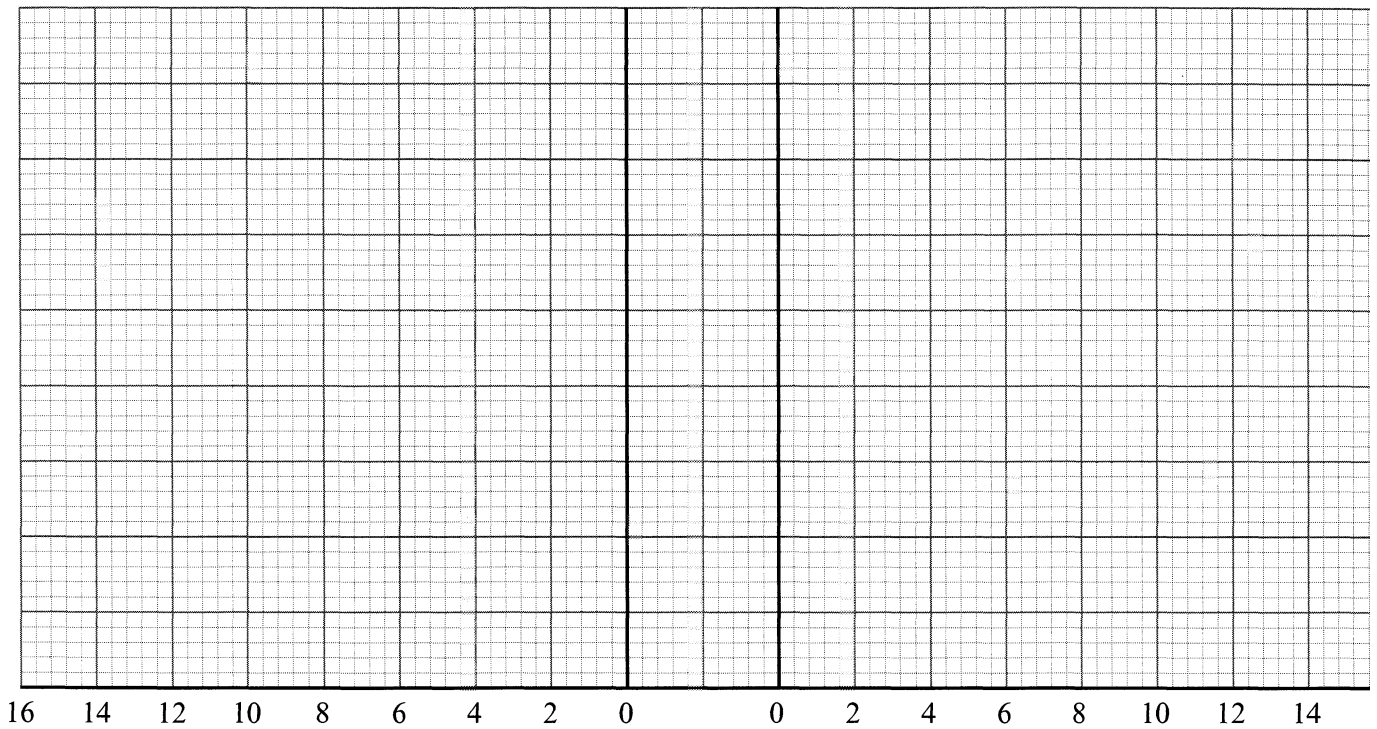
- Write your candidate name and number in the boxes above.
- Do not open this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Answer all the questions.

EXAMINER	TEAM LEADER	IBCA
TOTAL /40	TOTAL /40	TOTAL /40

1. The table below shows percentages of population grouped by age and gender.

(a) Using data in the table below, draw a population pyramid on the graph paper and label it.

Age group in years	0-9	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80+
% Males	7.6	7.2	8.2	8.3	6.2	4.2	3.8	2.3	1.0
% Females	7.2	6.8	8.0	8.5	6.4	4.5	4.5	3.3	2.0



[4 marks]

(b) What variables would be used to calculate a **dependency ratio** for a population group?

[1 mark]

.....

.....

.....

(This question continues on the following page)

(Question 1 continued)

- (c) Describe the birth rate and death rate of the population shown on the pyramid.

[2 marks]

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

- (d) Identify and describe **two** age groupings where there are imbalances between males and females.

[1 mark]

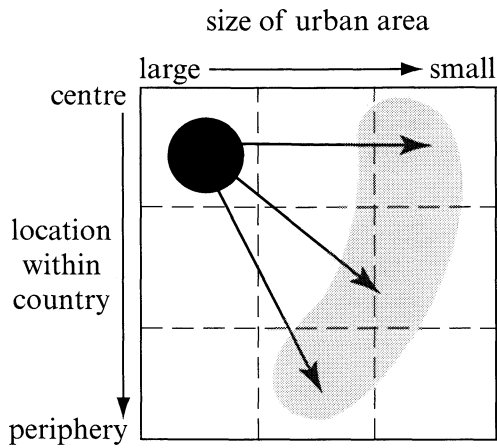
.....

.....

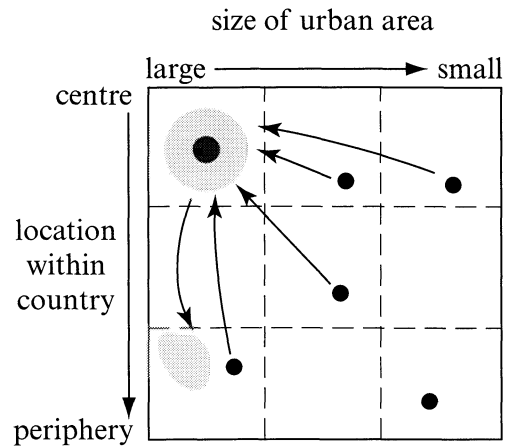
.....



2. The diagrams below show changing factors of industrial location in economically more developed countries (EMDCs) and economically less developed countries (ELDCs).

EMDC



ELDC



1900 – 1960	since 1960
 choice of location	 choice of location

Adapted from: *The Geography Collection Worldwide*, ed. Ian Selmes (Hodder & Stoughton, 1995), p.149

- (a) Describe what the diagrams show about the change in the choice of location of industries in both EMDCs and ELDCs.

[3 marks]

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

(This question continues on the following page)

(Question 2 continued)

- (b) What are the **reasons** for the changes in industrial location which you have described in 2(a)?

[3 marks]

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

- (c) Outline the social effects of rapid industrialisation in **either** rural areas **or** urban areas of an ELDC.

[2 marks]

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

- 3. Hazard management involves attempts to modify or control a hazardous event and to make people less vulnerable to it.

Below are photographs of flooding in an urban area of an economically more developed country (EMDC) and a rural region of an economically less developed country (ELDC).



Economically More Developed Country



Economically Less Developed Country

- (a) Why are most hazards not entirely 'natural'?

[1 mark]

.....

.....

.....

- (b) Select **one** of the following impacts of flooding:

physical impact economic impact social impact

Describe steps that can be taken to control that impact in **either** an urban area of an EMDC **or** a rural area of an ELDC.

[2 marks]

Type of impact EMDC or ELDC

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

(This question continues on the following page)

(Question 3 continued)

(c) Explain how **one** attempt to control a river may actually make flooding worse. *[1 mark]*

.....
.....
.....
.....

(d) Describe **four** ways in which flooding can be a benefit in rural areas. *[2 marks]*

.....
.....
.....
.....
.....
.....

(e) Outline **two** major effects of urbanisation on the character and behaviour of a river. *[2 marks]*

.....
.....
.....
.....
.....
.....
.....
.....

4. The table below shows types of farming, GDP and agricultural production in selected countries.

Types of farming, GDP and agricultural production

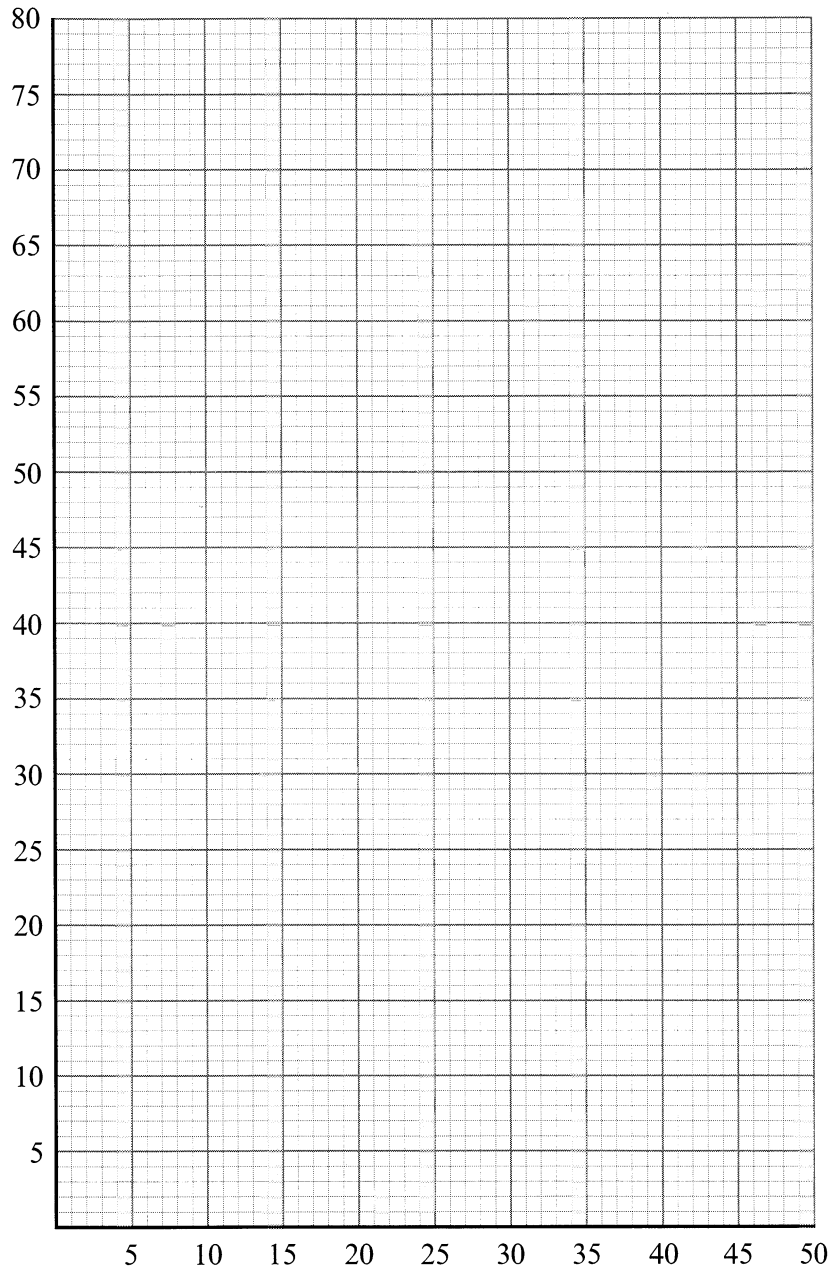
Country	Major farming type	% population in agriculture	% GDP derived from agriculture	Kg of fertiliser per hectare of farmland
Ethiopia	Normadic herding	77	45	1
China	Centrally planned	56	45	47
India	Intensive subsistence	60	29	37
Kenya	Normadic herding/subsistence	76	27	14
Egypt	Irrigation	49	19	361
Uruguay	Extensive commercial ranching	11	12	3
Malaysia	Commercial plantation	45	20	111
Greece	Mediterranean	34	16	69
United Kingdom	Intensive commercial	2	2	140
Canada	Extensive commercial gain	4	3	32

Adapted from: David Waugh, *Geography: An Integrated Approach*, 2nd ed. (Nelson, 1995), p.453

(This question continues on the following page)

(Question 4 continued)

- (a) Using the data in the table for % population in agriculture and % GDP derived from agriculture, draw a scattergraph below. Insert a best-fit line. *[3 marks]*



(This question continues on the following page)

(Question 4 continued)

(b) Describe the relationship between the two variables.

[1 mark]

.....

(c) Examine the table on page 8. What are the main factors determining the amount of fertiliser used and is there a relationship with the level of a country's economic development?

[4 marks]

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

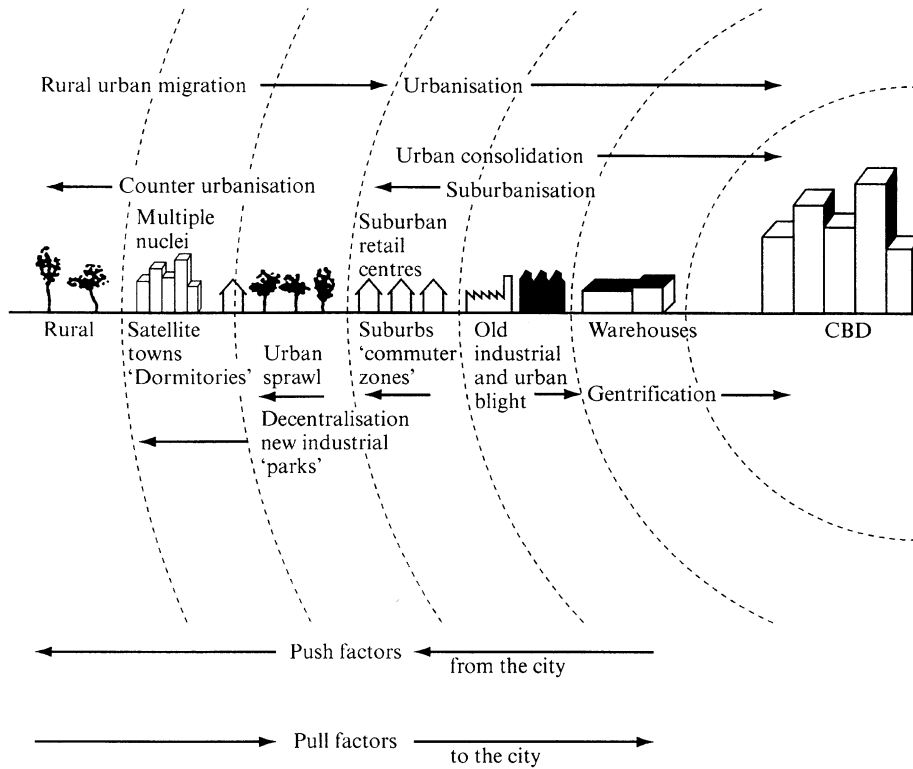
.....

.....

.....

.....

5. The diagram below illustrates three trends which are affecting cities in economically more developed countries (EMDCs) today: Suburbanisation, counter-urbanisation, and urban renewal (re-urbanisation).



Adapted from: Rosemary Pashley, *Excel HSC Geography* (Pascal Press, 1996), p.138.

- (a) Describe **two** 'push' factors that would cause people to move to the outer fringe of a city. [2 marks]

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

(This question continues on the following page)

(Question 5 continued)

- (b) Describe **two** 'pull' factors that would draw people back to the inner city area.

[2 marks]

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

- (c) Explain why gentrification occurs.

[2 marks]

.....

.....

.....

.....

- (d) What causes industries in EMDCs to move from inner city locations to the rural-urban fringe?

[2 marks]

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....