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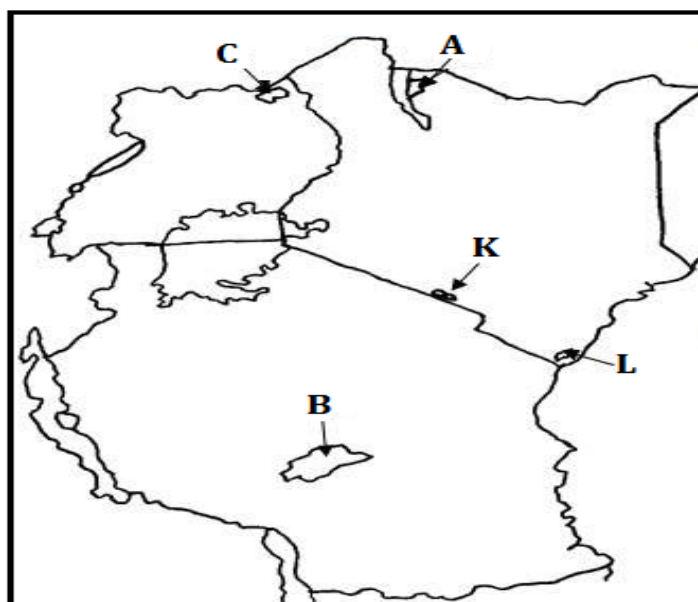
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SECTION A

1. (a) What is management of forests? (2 marks)
(b) State **two** main reasons why forest reserves were created in Kenya. (2 marks)
2. (a) Name **two** categories of agricultural processing industries in Kenya. (2 marks)
(b) State **three** similarities between the cottage industry of India and the Jua Kali industry in Kenya. (3 marks)
3. (a) State **three** characteristics of intensive subsistence agriculture. (3 marks)
(b) Give **three** ways in which government policy influences agriculture. (3 marks)
4. (a) Name the **two** main projects through which land was reclaimed from the sea in the Netherlands. (2 marks)
(b) State **three** ways in which the National irrigation Board assists rice farmers in Mwea. (3 marks)
5. The map below shows national parks and game reserves in East Africa. Use it to answer question (a) and (b).



- (a) Name the game reserves marked K and L. (2 marks)
- (b) Identify the national parks marked A, B and C. (3 marks)

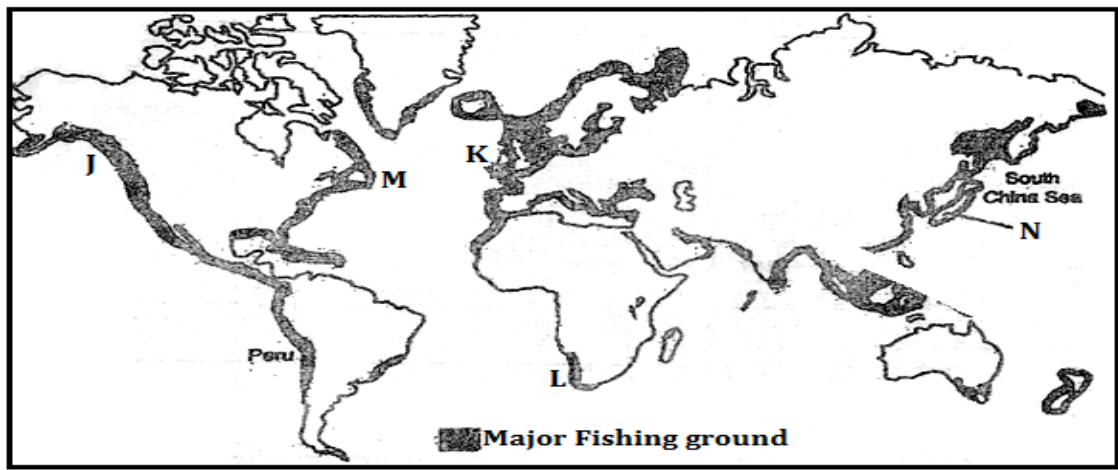
SECTION B

6. The table below shows oil production in '000' barrels per day in the Middle East region in year 2023 and 2024. Use it to answer questions (a) and (b)

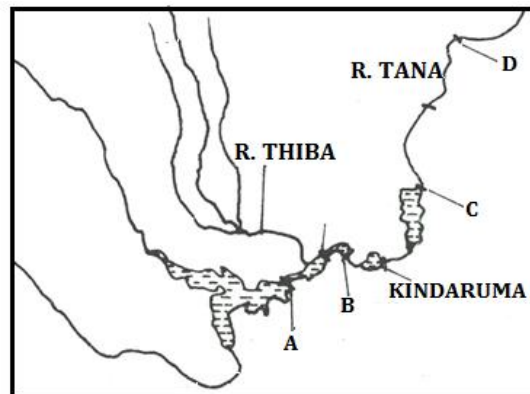
COUNTRY	2023	2024
Iraq	4,662	4,162
Iran	4,355	4,084
Qatar	1,772	1,815
Saudi Arabia	11,389	10,816
United Arabs Emirates	3,922	3,770

Kuwait	2,908	2,720
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- (a) (i) What is the difference in oil production between Iraq and Qatar in year 2023? (2 marks)
- (ii) Calculate the percentage decrease in oil production in Saudi Arabia between year 2023 and the year 2024. (2 marks)
- (b) (i) Using a vertical scale of 1cm to represent 1,000,000 barrels, draw a simple bar graph to present oil production in year 2024. (9 marks)
- (ii) State **three** conclusions that can be derived from the graph that you have drawn. (3 marks)
- (c) (i) Describe how oil was formed. (5 marks)
- (ii) State **four** advantages of petroleum as a source of energy. (4 marks)
7. (a) (i) Define the term mining? (2 marks)
- (ii) Give four methods of underground mining. (4 marks)
- (b) Explain how the following factors influence mining:
- (i) Level of technology (4 marks)
- (ii) Quality of the ore (2 marks)
- (c) Explain **four** benefits of trona mining at Lake Magadi to Kenya. (8 marks)
- (d) State **five** negative effects of mining on the environment. (5 marks)
8. (a) (i) State **three** physical factors that favour tea growing in Kericho County. (3 marks)
- (ii) Describe the stages involved in tea processing at the factory. (7 marks)
- (b) Outline **three** ways in which tea is marketed in Kenya. (3 marks)
- (c) Explain **three** physical problems facing small scale tea farmers in Kenya. (6 marks)
- (d) Your Geography class carried out a field study on a tea plantation.
- (i) Give **three** reasons why it is important to prepare a route map of the area. (3 marks)
- (ii) State **three** methods that the class would have used to present data. (3 marks)
9. The map below shows the major fishing grounds of the world. Use it to answer question (a)(i), (ii) and (iii).



- (a) (i) Name the fishing ground marked J, K, L and M (4 marks)
- (ii) Name **the two** ocean currents that converge at region J (2 marks)
- (iii) Explain **three** physical factors that have favoured fishing in country N. (6 marks)
- (b) (i) Describe how long line as a method of fishing is carried out. (5 marks)
- (ii) Explain **four** measures being undertaken in Kenya to reduce overfishing of the natural water fisheries (8 marks)
10. (a) (i) Name **three** non-renewable sources of energy. (3 marks)
- (ii) State **four** advantages of solar energy. (4 marks)
- (b) The diagram below shows the Kenya's hydroelectric power stations along River Tana.



- (i) Name the H.E.P stations marked A, B and C. (3 marks)
- (ii) The proposed H.E.P dam site marked D. (1 mark)
- (iii) Explain **four** challenges hindering hydroelectric power generation in Kenya (8 marks)
- (d) (i) What is an energy crisis. (2 marks)
- (ii) Explain the effects of an energy crisis in the following sectors.
- Agriculture (2 marks)
 - Industries (2 marks)

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SECTION A

Answer all questions in this section

- 1 a. Define forestry 2mks
b. Give 3 factors that determine the type and distribution of forests 3mks
- 2 a. Name two rivers that supply water to Mwea Tebere irrigation scheme 2mks
b. State the significance of an irrigation scheme 3mks
- 3 a. Define the term fishing 2mks
b. State any 3 factors influencing fishing 3mks
- 4 a. What is a game sanctuary 2mks
b. Name three marine national parks at the coast of Kenya 3mks
- 5 a. What is land dereliction 2mks
b. State 3 measures that the Kenya government has undertaken to rehabilitate derelict land in the country 3mks

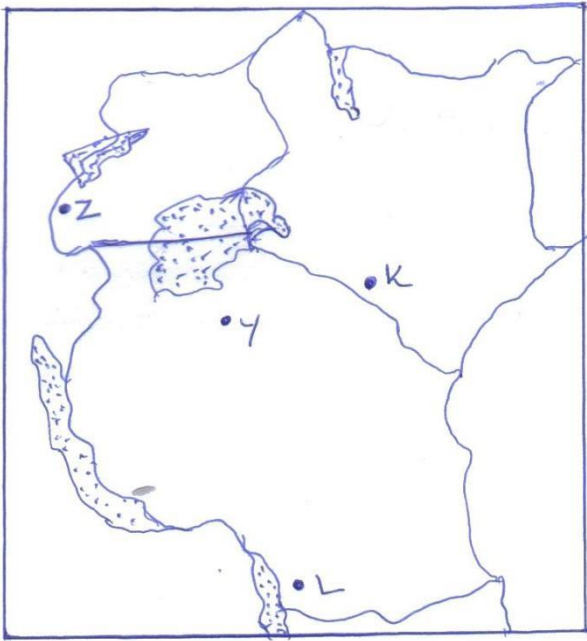
SECTION B

ANSWER QUESTION 6 AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS FROM THIS SECTION

6. The table below shows the production of maize in tonnes between 2010 and 2014 in four divisions of Baringo County.

Division	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Bartabwa	200	240	250	280	285
Barwesa	116	135	138	170	275
Kabartonjo	100	80	60	50	45
Kipsaraman	40	30	45	30	25

- (a)(i) Calculate the percentage increase of the total maize production in the four divisions between 2012-2013. 2mks
 - (ii) What is the difference in kilograms between the highest production and the lowest in five years. 2mks
 - (b)(i) Using a vertical scale of 1cm represents 50 tonnes, draw a group line graph to represent the data above. 7mks
 - ii) state three advantages of using group line graph. 3mks
 - (c) State three climatic conditions favoring the growing of maize. 3mks
 - (d) Explain four problems facing small scale maize farmers in Kenya. 8mks
7. a i. what are derived forests 2mks
ii state the characteristics of planted forests 4mks
b. Explain 4 the similarities between soft wood forests in Kenya and Canada 8mks
c. Explain 4 problems facing forestry in both Kenya and Canada 8mks
d. state measures taken by the government of Kenya to conserve forests 3mks
8. The map below shows the location of some minerals in East Africa.



a. Name the minerals mined in the areas marked K, L, Y, and Z. 4mks

b.(i) State two conditions that are necessary for the formation of petroleum. 2mks

(ii) List three ways in which open cast mining affects the environment. 3mks

c.(i) Give two uses of diamond. 2mks

(ii) Explain three ways in which mining promotes industrialization in Kenya. 6mks

d. Apart from industrialization, explain four ways in which mining contributes to the economy of Kenya. 8mk

9. a. Define industrial inertia 2mks

b. Explain 5 importance of industrialization to the economy of the country 10mks

c. Explain any 4 negative effects of industrialization 8mks

d. Your class intends to have a field study in one of the industries, outline ways in which you will prepare for the study 5mks

10. a i. Define Agriculture 2mks

ii. Give the characteristics of dairy farming 5mks.

iii. state the advantages of mixed farming 3mks

b. Explain how the following factors influence Agriculture 8mks

i. Variation in Temperature

ii. Sunshine

iii. Winds

iv. Variation in rainfall

c. Describe the cultivation of cocoa 7mks

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Section B	6	
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SECTION A
Answer all questions in section A

- 1.a). Give the relationship between Geography and Agriculture (2Marks)
b.). State **three** significance of learning Geography. (3Marks)
- 2(a). Distinguish between arable and livestock farming. (2Marks)
b). Give **three** economic factors that influence agriculture. (3Marks)
- 3.a) Identify **two** methods of underground mining (2Marks)
b). State **three** causes of land dereliction (3Marks)
4. a). Name **two** exotic species of trees planted in Kenya (3Marks)
b). State **three** reasons why it is necessary to carry out afforestation programmes in Kenya (3Marks)
- 5(a). Name **two** provinces in Canada where wheat is grown in large scale (2Marks)
(b). State **three** physical conditions that favours wheat cultivation in Kenya (3Marks)

SECTION B

Answer question 6 and any other TWO questions from this section

6. Use the photograph below to answer question that follows



Name each of the following

- a(i). Crop under cultivation (1Mark)
(ii). Type of farming (1Mark)

(iii). Other **three** crops grown together in this type of farming (3Marks)

b). i) What type of photograph is shown. (1Mark)

ii). Draw a rectangle measuring **15cm by 10 cm** to represent the area of the photograph. On it sketch and label four main features shown on the photograph (5Marks)

c. Explain **four** physical factors that influenced establishment of Perkerra irrigation scheme (8Marks)

d). Describe the stages in the reclamation of land from the sea in the Netherland (6Marks)

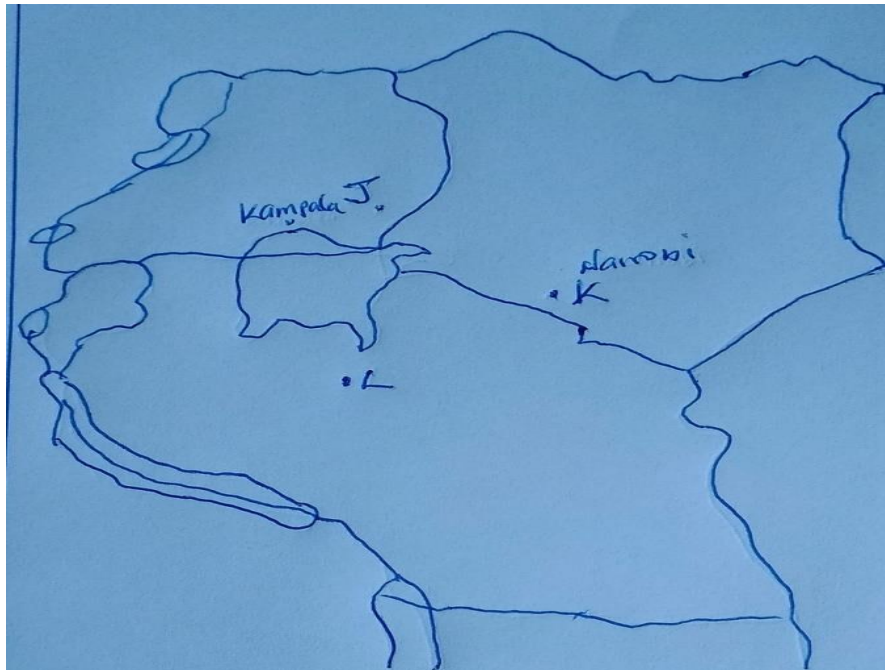
7a(i). Define the term mining (2Marks)

(ii). State **four** factors that influences the occurrence of minerals (4Marks)

(b). Describe the open cast method of mining (5Marks)

c). The map below shows location of minerals in East Africa, use it to answer questions (c)

MAP OF EAST AFRICA



(i). Name the minerals found in the areas marked J, K, L, and M (3Marks)

ii). Describe the processing of Trona in lake Magadi (5Marks)

(d). Explain **three** ways in which mining promote industrialization in Kenya (6Marks)

8 (a). Name **three** types of dairy cattle kept in Kenya. (3Marks)

(b)(i).State **four** conditions that favour dairy farming in Kenya highlands. (4Marks)

(ii) Explain **three** problems facing dairy farmers in Kenya. (6Marks)

(c)(i).State **three** measures the government of Kenya is taking to improve dairy farming. (3Marks)

(ii)) Compare dairy farming in Kenya and Denmark. (4Marks)

(d) (i) You intend to carry out a field study in a dairy farm.

(i) Give **three** methods you would use to collect information. (3Marks)

(ii) State **two** follow up activities you would carry out after the field study.(2Marks)

9. (a) A part from the palm oil, name **three** other products of oil palm tree (2Marks)

b). State **three** characteristics of shifting cultivation (3Marks)

c). Identify **five** environmental conditions that affect coffee growing in Kenya(5Marks)

(d)i).Describe the stages involved in coffee production from harvesting to marketing. (7 marks)

ii.)Explain **four** measures taken by the government of Kenya to assist maize farmers (8Marks)

10. a).i). Differentiate between indigenous and exotic forests. (2Marks)

ii). State **four** factors that lead to depletion of forests in Kenya. (4Marks)

b). Explain **three** factors that favour the growth of natural forests on the slopes of Mt. Kenya.
(6Marks)

c). Compare forestry in Kenya and Canada under the following headings;

i). Mode of exploitation (2Marks)

ii). Transport (2Marks)

d). i). State **three** factors favouring the development of softwood forests in Canada.(3marks)

ii). Explain **three** measures used to conserve forests in Kenya. (6Marks)

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SECTION A

(Answer all questions in this section)

1. (a) What is horticulture? (2mks)
(b) State three advantages of using green house in horticulture farming (3mks)
2. (a) Name two minerals mined in South Africa (2mks)
(b) Give three problems facing mining industry in South Africa (3mks)
- 3.a) State **any two** problems facing wildlife conservation (2mks)

b) Give any **three** historical sites at the Kenyan coast that are tourist attractions (3mks)
4. (a) State three factors necessary for a land to be reclaimed (3mks)
(b) Give three uses of polder land in Netherlands (3mks)
5. Give four ways in which Kenya will benefit as a result of oil discovery and exploration in Turkana County (4mks)

SECTION B

(Answer Question 6 and ANY OTHER TWO)

6. World Wheat production by region.

Region	% of Wheat Production
Asia	35
Europe	22
North America	19
USSR	16
Others	8

- a) Draw a Pie Chart to illustrate the information given above. (5mks)
- b) Name
 - i) **Two** districts in Kenya where wheat is grown on Commercial Scale. (2mks)
 - ii) **Two** Wheat producing provinces of Canada. (2mks)
- c) Explain **three** conditions that favour Wheat farming in Kenya. (6mks)

- d). Explain **five** factors which enable Canada to produce more Wheat than Kenya. (10mks)
- 7.(a) i) Define the term deforestation. (2mks)
- (ii) State the causes of deforestation? (4mks)
- (b) Outline the stages involved in the extraction of timber from natural forests. (4mks)
- (c) Explain **four** characteristics of the tropical rain forest. (8mks)
- (d) Describe the ecological uses of forests. (7mks)
- 8.(a) Name **four** ways in which minerals occur. (4mks)
- (b) State the factors affecting exploitation of minerals. (5mks)
- (c) i) Name **one** area where gold is mined in South Africa. (1mk)
- (ii) Describe methods of mining gold in South Africa. (5mks)
- (d) i) What are the problems of mining in South Africa? (5mks)
- (ii) In what ways has gold contributed to the economic growth of South Africa. (5mks)
9. (a) i) Define the term Nomadic Pastoralism. (2mks)
- (ii) Name **two** Nomadic Pastoralists Communities in Africa. (2mks)
- (b) Give **five** factors that have favoured the development of beef farming in Argentina. (5mks)
- (c) State **six** problems that face Nomadic Pastoralists in Africa. (6mks)
- (d) Explain **five** changes that are taking place to improve Nomadic Pastoral area in Kenya. (10mks)
10. (a) Define the term fisheries. (1mk)
- (b) (i) State **three** human conditions necessary for fishing. (3mks)
- (ii) Name **two** examples of anadromous fish. (2mks)
- (c) Explain how the line-fish method of fishing is used. (4mks)
- (d) (i) Explain the reasons why the North East Atlantic is extensive and highly developed. (10mks)
- (ii) State the problems facing fishing in Marine fishing in Kenya. (5mks)

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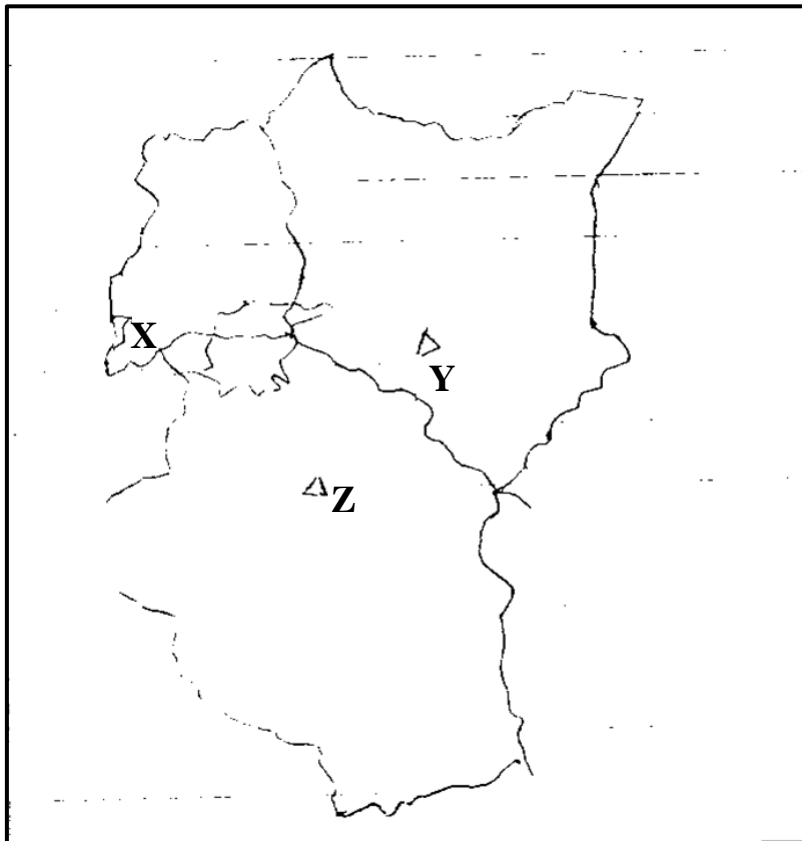
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SECTION A

*Answer **ALL** questions in this section*

1. a) Name **two** products from beef farms in Argentina. (2 marks)
b) Identify **three** functional zones of an urban centre. (3 marks)
2. a) Name **two** types of wheat grown in Canada. (2 marks)
b) Give **three** reasons why Canadian prairies are important wheat producing areas. (3 marks)
3. a) What is a multi-purpose project? (2 marks)
b) Name **three** benefits of the seven folk's scheme. (3 marks)
4. a) Give **two** tourists attraction found in the Kenya's inland. (2 marks)
b) Suggest **three** reasons why Kenyans should be encouraged to use biomass energy. (3 marks)
5. Study the map of East Africa below and answer the questions that follow.



- a) Name the minerals mined at places marked Y, X and Z. (3 marks)
- b) State **two** problems facing mining industry in East Africa. (2 marks)

SECTION B

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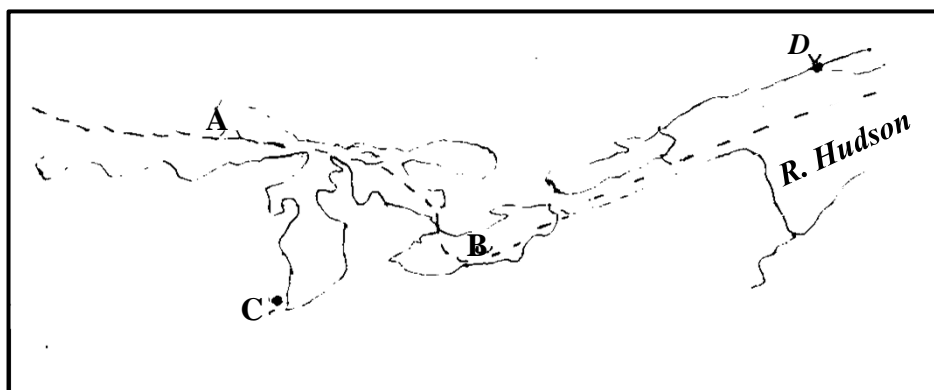
6. a) The table below shows the production of various horticultural crops in Kenya between 2008 and 2010 in 000's tonnes

Crop	2008	2009	2010
Cabbages	380	340	320
Tomatoes	340	360	360
Onions	360	320	340
Oranges	400	380	380

- i) Using a scale of 1cm to represent 50,000 tonnes, draw a comparative bar graph to present the data above. (6 marks)
- ii) Name the crop that has the highest production within the period. (1 mark)
- b) State **four** factors that favour the growth of cocoa in Ghana. (4 marks)
- c) Outline the stages involved in processing of cocoa from harvesting to the time it is ready for export. (8 marks)
- d) Explain **three** importance of cocoa to the economy of Ghana. (6 marks)
- 7 a) What is water transport? (2 marks)
- b) Give **three** reasons why Kenyan rivers are not suitable transport routes. (3 marks)
- c) State **three** merits of using containerization as a means of transport. (3 marks)

Below is a sketch map of the Great Lake and the St. Lawrence Seaway.

Use it to answer question (d) and (e).



- d) i) Name the lakes marked A and B. (2 marks)
- ii) The parts marked C and D. (2 marks)
- e) Explain **three** benefits of St. Lawrence Seaway and the economy of the USA. (6 marks)
- f) Name **two** towns in Kenya which are served by the Kenya pipeline. (2 marks)
- g) State the role of transport and communication in Africa. (5 marks)

8. a) Name **three** species of hardwood grown in Kenya. (3 marks)
- b) State **five** factors that favour the development of softwood in Kenya. (5 marks)
- c) State **five** factors that determine the location of pulp and paper industry. (5 marks)
- d) Explain **three** reasons why there has been decline in the areas under forest on the slopes of Mt. Kenya. (6 marks)
- e) Explain **three** measures which the Kenyan government has taken to manage the existing forests and their resources. (6 marks)
9. a) Define the following terms as used in trade.
- i) Quota (2 marks)
- ii) Balance of payment (2 marks)
- b) Explain **four** factors that inhibit trade between Kenya and her neighbours. (8 marks)
- c) State **five** problems developing countries face in international trade. (5 marks)
- d) Explain **four** measures Kenya has taken to reduce her unfavourable balance of trade. (8 marks)
- 10 a) Name **two** agricultural non-food processing industries in Kenya. (2 marks)
- b) Explain how the following factors influence the location and development of industries.
- i) Availability of raw materials (2 marks)
- ii) Labour (2 marks)
- iii) Government policy (2 marks)
- c) State **four** measures that a government may take to attract industries to an area. (4 marks)
- d) Outline any four significances of cottage industries in India. (4 marks)
- e) Form IV students of Mwitika Secondary School intends to carry out a field study on an industry in the local environment.
- i) How will they prepare for the study? (2 marks)
- ii) Give three reasons why it would be necessary to carry out a pre-visit. (3 marks)
- iii) State four methods they would use to present their data. (4 marks)

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SECTION A

1. a) What is mining? (2 mks)
b) State three ways in which minerals occur. (3 mks)
2. a) Name indigenous soft wood tree species found in the Kenyan forest. (2 mks)
b) Give three importance of agro forestry. (3 mks)
3. a) Distinguish between horticulture and market gardening. (2 mks)
b) Give three characteristics of horticultural farming in Kenya. (3 mks)
4. a) Name two major swamp areas that have been reclaimed in Kenya. (2 mks)
b) State three physical factors that influenced the location of Perkera irrigation scheme. (3 mks)
5. a) Identify two types of tourism. (2 mks)
b) State three problems facing tourism in Kenya. (3 mks)

SECTION B

Answer question 6 and any two questions in this section

6. The table below shows the number of Zebu cattle in different countries in Kenya in 2014.

County	Number of Zebu cattle
Isiolo	42500
Wajir	22600
Marsabit	20300
Mandera	15400

- a) Draw a divided rectangle 15 cm long to represent the data above. (7 mks)
- b) Calculate the range of the above data. (2 mks)
- c) Give three advantages of using divided rectangle to represent data. (3 mks)
- d) i) Give three reasons why nomadic pastoralists keep large herds of animals. (3 mks)
ii) Name two nomadic communities involved in beef cattle rearing in Kenya. (2 mks)
iii) Explain four ways in which the government of Kenya assist nomadic pastoralists to improve the quality of their livestock. (8 mks)
7. a(i) Name two major categories of minerals. (2 mks)
ii) Identify four factors that influence the occurrence of minerals. (4 mks)
b(i) Apart from shaft mining name three other methods of mining. (3 mks)
ii) Describe how shaft mining method is carried out. (6 mks)
c i) name two areas in South Africa where diamond is mined. (2 mks)
ii) Explain four ways in which diamond mining contributed to the economy of South Africa. (8 mks)
8. a)i) Define re-afforestation. (2 mks)
ii) State four reasons why afforestation is encouraged in Kenya. (4 mks)
b (i) Name three provinces in Canada where forestry is practiced on a large scale. (3 mks)
ii) State four factors favouring exploitation of forest in Canada. (4 mks)
- c i) Explain three factors that favour the growth of natural forest on the slopes of Mount Kenya. (6 mks)
ii) Explain three problems which hinder the Kenyan government efforts to manage and conserve forest in Kenya. (6 mks)
9. a(i) Differentiate between land reclamation and land rehabilitation. (2 mks)
ii) Give four problems facing Mwea Tebere irrigation scheme. (4 mks)
- b) i) Explain three ways in which land is being rehabilitated in Kenya. (6 mks)

- ii) Name two projects in Netherlands which were aimed at reclaiming land from the sea (2 mks)
- c) Describe the steps followed in reclaiming land for agricultural use in Netherlands. (6 mks)
- d) State five benefits which Kenya derives from irrigation farming. (5 mks)
10. The diagram below shows a fishing in the Pacific ocean.



- i. Identify the fishing ground shown above. (1 mk)
- ii. Name three types of fish species found in the fishing ground above. (3 mks)
- b) i) Differentiate between fishing and fisheries. (2 mks)
- ii) Name two inland types of fisheries in Kenya. (2 mks)
- c) i) Describe the long lining fishing method. (5 mks)
- ii) Explain four physical factors that influenced development of fishing in Japan. (8 mks)
- d) State four problems facing marine fishing in Kenya. (4 mks)

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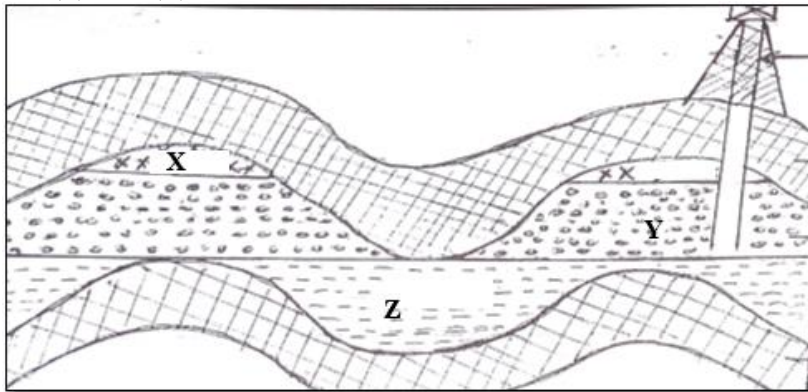
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SECTION A: 25 MARKS

Answer **ALL** questions in this section

1. (a) (i) Define Geography. (2 mark)
(ii) Name **two** branches of Geography (2 marks)
(b) State **three** reasons why it is important to study Geography. (3 marks)
2. (a) Name **two** breeds of dairy cattle reared in Kenya. (2 marks)
(b) State **two** factors which favour dairy farming in Denmark. (2 marks)
3. (a) Give **two** types of ground photographs. (2 marks)
(b) State **two** limitations of using photographs. (2 marks)
4. The diagram below shows the occurrence of petroleum on the earth crust. Use it to answer questions (a) and (b)



- (a) Name the substance in the areas labeled X, Y and Z. (3 marks)
(b) Give **two** by products obtained when crude oil is refined. (2 marks)
5. (a) State **two** factors that influence the distribution forests in Kenya. (2 marks)
(b) State **three** effects of deforestation to the environment. (3 marks)

SECTION B

Answer question six (6) and any other two Questions from this section.

6. The table below shows three main crops produced in Kenya in the years 2008-2010 (Amounts in metric tonnes). Use it to answer questions below.

Crop	2008	2009	2010
Maize	200,000	380,000	400,000
Wheat	100,000	130,000	150,000
Tea	250,000	300,000	350,000

- (a) (i) Using a scale of 1cm represent 50,000 metric tonnes, draw a comparative bar graph to represent the data above. (8 marks)
(ii). State **two** advantages of using comparative bar graph. (2 marks)
- (b) i). Name **two** counties in Kenya where wheat is grown in large scale. (2 marks)
ii). State **three** conditions that favour wheat farming in Kenya. (3 marks)
- (c). State **four** benefits of wheat growing in Kenya. (4 marks)
- (d). Explain **three** factors that make Canada produce more wheat than Kenya. (6 marks)
7. (a) (i) Define the term mining? (2 marks)

- (ii) Give four methods of underground mining. (4 marks)
- (b) Explain how the following factors influence mining:
- (i) Level of technology (4 marks)
 - (ii) Quality of the ore (2 marks)
- (c) Explain **four** benefits of trona mining at Lake Magadi to Kenya. (8 marks)
- (d) State **five** negative effects of mining on the environment. (5 marks)

8. Use the world map below to answer question (a).



- (a) (i). Name the ocean currents marked x and Y. (2 marks)
- (ii). Name the fishing ground marked Z. (1 mark)
- (b). Explain **three** physical factors that favour fishing in the fishing ground marked Z. (6 marks)
- (c) (i). What is fish farming? (2 marks)
- (ii). Name **two** fish species reared in fish farms in Kenya. (2 marks)
- (iii). Explain **four** problems which are experienced by fish farmers in Kenya. (8 marks)
- (d). Give **four** uses of fish. (4 marks)
9. a) State the difference between forest and forestry. (2marks)
- b) Explain **four** measures that the Government of Kenya is taking to conserve forest in the country. (8marks)
- c) i) List any **three** examples of softwood tree species found in Canada. (3marks)
- ii) State and explain any **three** factors that have favoured forestry in Canada. (6marks)
- d) You intend to carry out a field study on forestry within your local environment.
- i) State **three** objectives you would formulate for the study. (3marks)
 - ii) Give **three** reasons why it is important to have a working schedule. (3marks)
10. a) i). Differentiate between Land Reclamation and Land Rehabilitation. (2marks)
- ii). Give **three** methods used in reclaiming land in Kenya. (3marks)
- b i). State **three** benefits of reclaiming Yala swamp. (3marks)

ii). State four physical conditions that favour the establishment of Perkerra Irrigation Scheme.

(4marks)

c. Explain three problems faced by rice farmers in Mwea Irrigation Scheme. (6marks)

d. i). What is a polder? (1mark)

ii). Outline the stages involved in reclaiming land from the sea in the Netherlands. (6marks)

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SECTION A
(Answer all questions in this section)

1. (a) What is horticulture? (2mks)
- (b) State three advantages of using green house in horticulture farming (3mks)
2. (a) Name two minerals mined in South Africa (2mks)
- (b) Give three problems facing mining industry in South Africa (3mks)
- 3.a) State **any two** problems facing wildlife conservation (2mks)
- b) Give any **three** historical sites at the Kenyan coast that are tourist attractions (3mks)
4. (a) State three factors necessary for a land to be reclaimed (3mks)
- (b) Give three uses of polder land in Netherlands (3mks)
5. Give four ways in which Kenya will benefit as a result of oil discovery and exploration in Turkana County (4mks)

SECTION B
(Answer Question 6 and ANY OTHER TWO)

6. World Wheat production by region.

Region	% of Wheat Production
Asia	35
Europe	22
North America	19
USSR	16
Others	8

- a) Draw a Pie Chart to illustrate the information given above. (5mks)
- b) Name
- i) **Two** districts in Kenya where wheat is grown on Commercial Scale. (2mks)
- ii) **Two** Wheat producing provinces of Canada. (2mks)
- c) Explain **three** conditions that favour Wheat farming in Kenya. (6mks)
- d). Explain **five** factors which enable Canada to produce more Wheat than Kenya. (10mks)
- 7.(a) i) Define the term deforestation. (2mks)
- (ii) State the causes of deforestation? (4mks)

- (b) Outline the stages involved in the extraction of timber from natural forests. (4mks)
- (c) Explain **four** characteristics of the tropical rain forest. (8mks)
- (d) Describe the ecological uses of forests. (7mks)
- 8.(a) Name **four** ways in which minerals occur. (4mks)
- (b) State the factors affecting exploitation of minerals. (5mks)
- (c) i) Name **one** area where gold is mined in South Africa. (1mk)
- (ii) Describe methods of mining gold in South Africa. (5mks)
- (d) i) What are the problems of mining in South Africa? (5mks)
- (ii) In what ways had gold contributed to the economic growth of South Africa. (5mks)
9. (a) i) Define the term Nomadic Pastoralism. (2mks)
- (ii) Name **two** Nomadic Pastoralists Communities in Africa. (2mks)
- (b) Give **five** factors that have favoured the development of beef farming in Argentina. (5mks)
- (c) State **six** problems that face Nomadic Pastoralists in Africa. (6mks)
- (d) Explain **five** changes that are taking place to improve Nomadic Pastoral area in Kenya. (10mks)
10. (a) Define the term fisheries. (1mk)
- (b) (i) State **three** human conditions necessary for fishing. (3mks)
- (ii) Name **two** examples of anadromous fish. (2mks)
- (c) Explain how the line-fish method of fishing is used. (4mks)
- (d) (i) Explain the reasons why the North East Atlantic is extensive and highly developed. (10mks)
- (ii) State the problems facing fishing in Marine fishing in Kenya. (5mks)

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SECTION A

Answer all the questions in this section.

1. (a) State any **three** physical factors that influenced the location of Owen Falls in Uganda. (3 mks)
(b) Identify any **two** non-renewable sources of energy. (2mks)
2. (a) Define the term balance of trade. (2 mk)
(b) Give **three** reasons why Kenya experiences unfavourable balance of trade. (3 mks)
3. (a) What is agroforestry. (2 mks)
(b) State **three** reasons why agroforestry is encouraged in Kenya. (3 mks)
4. (a) Briefly explain the meaning of tourism. (2 mks)
(b) State **three** reasons why domestic tourism is being encouraged in Kenya. (3 mks)
5. (a) Define arable farming. (2 mks)
(b) Apart from tea, name other **three** crops grown on a large scale in the highlands east of the Rift Valley in Kenya. (3 mk)

SECTION B:

Answer question six and any other two questions.

6. The table below shows four proportional crops produced in Kenya in the years 2000-2002. Use it to answer the questions that follow.

CROP	AMOUNT IN METRIC TONNES		
	2000	2001	2002
Wheat	70,000	130,000	120,000
Maize	200,000	370,000	400,000
Coffee	98,000	55,000	40,000
Tea	240,000	295,000	315,000

- (a) (i) Using a scale of 1 cm to represent 50,000 metric tonnes, draw a comparative bar graph based on the data above. (8 mks)
(ii) State **two** advantages of using comparative bar graphs. (2 mks)
(iii) Calculate the percentage increase in tea production between the years 2000 – 2002. (2 mks)
 - (b) State **four** reasons why cash crops are mainly grown in Kenyan highlands. (4 mks)
 - (c) (i) Describe how maize is grown in Kenya from cultivation to harvesting. (7 mks)
(ii) Name the common pests that attack maize. (2 mks)
7. (a) (i) Define the term industrial inertia. (2 mks)

- (ii) State **four** reasons for decentralization of industries. (4 mks)
- (b) (i) Explain **four** factors which influenced the location of iron and steel industry in the Ruhr region of Germany in the 19th century. (8 mks)
- (ii) Name **three** industries found in the Ruhr region. (3 mks)
- (c) You intend to carry out a field study of a factory which manufactures goods for a local market as well as for export.
- (i) State the background information you would need for the study. (3 mks)
- (ii) Give **two** reasons why content analysis may not be suitable method of data collection during the field study. (2 mks)
- (iii) What information would you collect to enable you achieve the objectives of your study. (3 mks)
- 8.** (a) (i) Define a canal. (2 mks)
- (ii) Name **two** canals found in Africa. (2 mks)
- (iii) State **four** advantages of human portage. (4 mks)
- (b) (i) Outline the causes of decline in the use of letter writing as a means of communication in Kenya. (4 mks)
- (c) Explain **four** major efforts being made to solve the problems facing transport in Africa. (8 mks)
- (d) What are the disadvantages of containerization. (5 mks)
- 9.** (a) Explain the factors that have contributed to the high population growth rate in Kenya. (6 mks)
- (b) Explain why a high rate of population growth in Kenya is likely to slow down economic development in the country. (6 mks)
- (c) (i) What is meant by overpopulation. (2 mks)
- (ii) Apart from rural-rural migration, state **three** other types of migration. (3 mks)
- (iii) Explain **four** causes of rural-rural migration in Kenya. (8 mks)
- 10.** (a) Name **three** major minerals mined in Kenya. (3 mks)
- (b) (i) Describe the open cast method of mining. (4 mks)
- (ii) Explain how the following factors influence mining.
- Value of the minerals. (2 mks)
 - Mode of occurrence (2 mks)
 - World market prices (2 mks)
- (c) Explain **four** ways in which Kenya has benefited from mining trona on L. Magadi. (8 mks)
- (d) Give **four** by products obtained when crude oil is refined. (4 mks)

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SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

1. a) Name two types of dairy cattle in Denmark. (2mks)
b) Give two characteristics of dairy farming in Denmark. (2mks)
2. (a) Differentiate between horticulture and market gardening. (2mks)
(b) Mention **three** factors that have supported the horticultural industry in Kenya. (3mks)
3. a) Name **two** minerals mined using alluvial method. (2mks)
b) Explain **two** negative effects of mining on the environment. (4mks)
4. (a) Apart from drought name other three environmental hazards experienced In Kenya. (3mks)
(b) State two causes of the flooding. (2mks)
5. (a) Distinguish between **population distribution** and **population density**. (2mks)
(b) State any **three** problems associated with high population growth rate in Kenya. (3mks)

SECTION TWO: ANSWER QUESTION 6 AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS FROM THIS SECTION

6. The table below shows the various modes of transport used by tourists visiting Kenya between the years 2006 and 2009. Use it to answer the following questions.

Mode of transport	No. of tourists.			
Road	2006	2007	2008	2009
	100,000	50,000	150,000	200,000
Air	600,000	650,000	700,000	800,000
Water	200,000	150,000	100,000	50,000

Source: Hypothetical data.

- a) i) Suggest one reason why water transport experienced a steady decline over the period. (2mks)
ii) Calculate the percentage increase in the number of tourists between the years 2008 and 2009. (3mks)
iii) Draw a compound bar graph to represent the data. (9mks)
 - b) i) Explain any three roles played by transport in the economy of Kenya. (6mks)
ii) Name one highway created in Africa to ease transport across the continent. (1mk)
 - c) Form four students from Buchenya secondary school visited Kisumu Airport for a field study.
 - i) Identify two methods they used to record their data. (2mks)
 - ii) Give two follow up activities they engaged in. (2mks)
7. (a) Differentiate between domestic and international tourism. (2mks)
(b) Name **three** tourist attractions in each of the following areas in Kenya.
 - (i) the coast (3mks)
 - (ii) inland (3mks)
(c) (i) State **four** reasons why Switzerland gets more tourists than Kenya.
(ii) Explain **three** problems associated with tourism in Kenya. (6mks)

- (d) A group of students carried out a field study in a game park.
- (i) State **two** advantages of using questionnaire as a method they used in collecting data. (2mks)
 - (ii) State **five** ways in which they prepared for the study. (5mks)
8. (a) (i) Define settlement. (2mks)
- (ii) Apart from the dispersed settlement, name two other types of settlements. (2mks)
- (b) Explain **three** factors that may lead to dispersed settlement in an area. (6mks)
- (c) Define the following terms;
- (i) Urbanization (1mk)
 - (ii) Entrepot (1mk)
 - (iii) Explain **three** problems Mombasa experiences as it grows. (6mks)
- (d) You have been asked by your geography teacher to undertake a field study in the port town of Mombasa.
- (i) State **two** objectives of your study. (2mks)
 - (ii) State **five** functions of Mombasa as a port city you are likely to find out. (5mks)
9. (a) (i) Define the term trade. (1mk)
- (ii) Name two levels of external trade. (2mks)
- (b) (i) Differentiate between invisible exports and visible exports. (2mks)
- (ii) Name two leading export commodities from Kenya. (2mks)
- (c) Explain four measures Kenya may take to reduce the unfavourable balance of trade. (8mks)
- (d) (i) Name two regional trade blocks in Africa. (2mks)
- (ii) Explain four benefits of international trade to Kenya. (8mks)
10. a) Give **four** methods used by the government of Kenya to decentralize industries (4mks)
- b) Explain **four** factors that make the development of “Jua Kali” industry most suitable to the government of Kenya (8mks)
- c) Explain **four** factors that have slowed down industrialization in Kenya (8mks)
- d) State **five** factors that have made Japan a major car producer in the world (5mks)

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SECTION A.

Answer All the Questions in the Section

1. (a) Name **two** provinces in Canada where wheat is grown in large scales. (2 marks)
(b) List **three** economic factors that influence agriculture. (3 marks)
2. (a) Name **two** horticultural crops grown in Kenya. (2 marks)
(b) State **three** reasons why horticulture is more developed in the Netherlands than in Kenya. (3 marks)
3. (a) State **three** reasons why marine fisheries in Kenya are underdeveloped. (3 marks)
(b) State **three** ways through which fish farming contributes to the economy of Kenya. (3 marks)
4. (a) Differentiate between transport and communication. (2 marks)
(b) State **three** modern means of communication used in Kenya besides cellphones. (3 marks)
5. The table below represents information on population change in Kenya by region between years 2000 and 2005.

Region	Population in Millions	
	Years	
	2000	2005
Nairobi	2.229	2.751
Central	3.882	4.038
Coast	2.662	2.927
Eastern	4.840	5.120
North-Eastern	1.054	1.438
Nyanza	4.598	4.916
Rift-Valley	7.386	8.366
Western	5.532	3.885
Total	30.183	33.441

- (a) Which region had the highest change in population between 2000 and 2005? (2 marks)
 - (b) Calculate the percentage increase in population in Kenya between 2000 and 2005. (2 marks)
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SECTION B

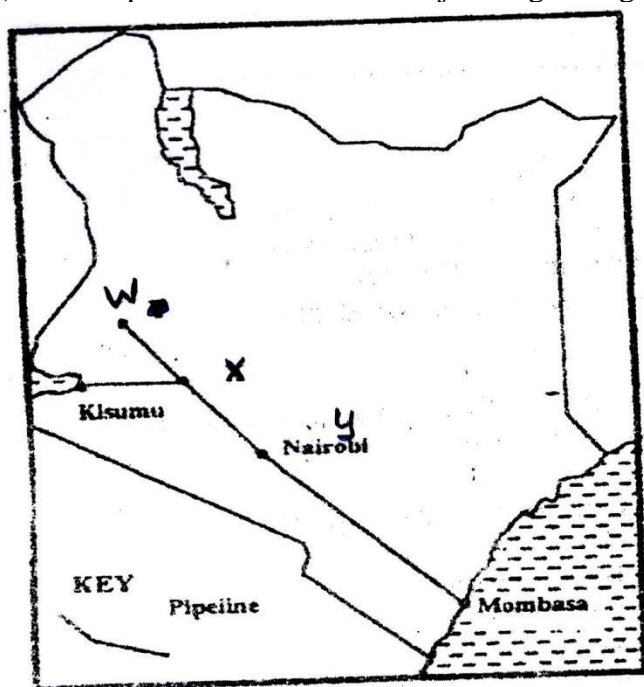
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6. Study the photograph below and use it to answer question (a).



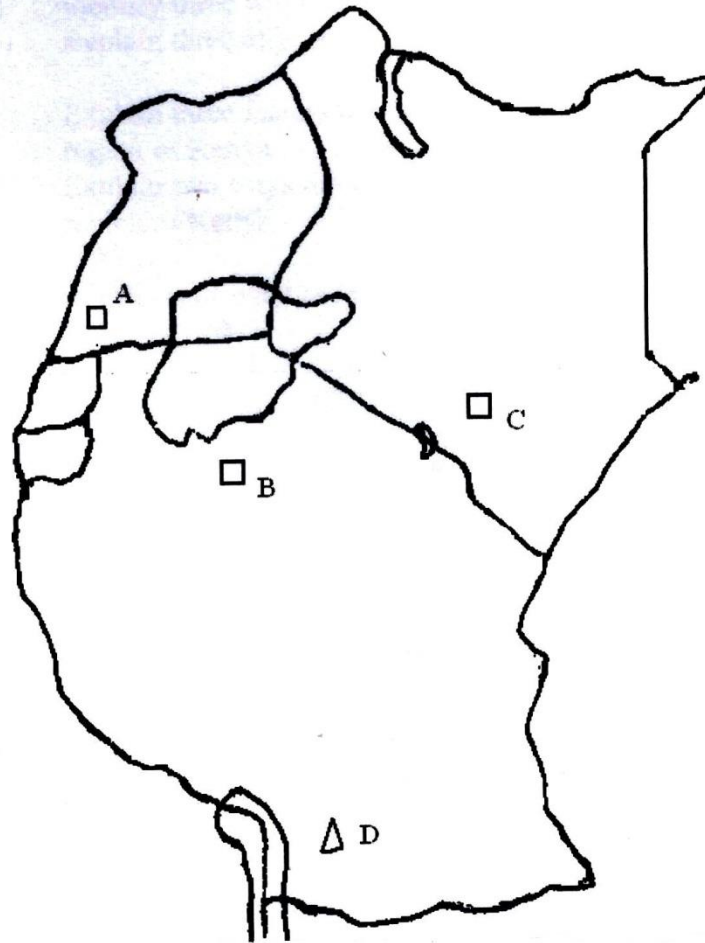
- (a) (i) Name the type of photograph shown. (1 mark)
(ii) Draw a rectangle measuring 15cm by 10cm to represent the area of the photograph. (1 mark)
(iii) On the rectangle, draw a sketch of the photograph and label three physical features. (3 marks)
(iv) Explain **two** physical conditions that would discourage setting up of a game park in the area shown on the photograph. (4 marks)
- (b) Apart from national parks, outline **four** other ways in which wildlife is conserved in Kenya. (4 marks)
- (c) Give **four** reasons why domestic tourism is being encouraged in Kenya. (4 marks)
- (d) Explain **four** factors which make Switzerland receive more tourists than Kenya. (8 marks)
7. (a) (i) What is forestry? (2 marks)
(ii) Explain **three** factors that favour the growth of natural forests on the slopes of Mt. Kenya. (6 marks)
(iii) State **five** factors that have led to the reduction of the area under forest on the slopes of Mt. Kenya. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain **four** measures that the government of Kenya is taking to conserve forests in the country. (8 marks)
- (c) Give the differences in the exploitation of softwood forests in Kenya and Canada under the following sub-headings:
(i) Period of harvesting (2 marks)
(ii) Transportation (2 marks)
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8. (a) The map below shows some major tea growing areas in Kenya.



- (i) Name the areas marked W, X and Y. (3 marks)
- (ii) State **four** physical conditions that favour tea growing in Kenya. (4 marks)
- (b) The table below shows tea production in Kenya for two years.
- | Years | Tea Produced (in tonnes) |
|-------|--------------------------|
| 1975 | 56,000 |
| 1985 | 137,000 |
- (i) Calculate the percentage increase in tea production over the ten years period between 1975 and 1985. (2 marks)
- (ii) Give **two** reasons why there was such an increase in tea production over the given period. (2 marks)
- (c) Describe the stages through which tea is processed from picking to the time its ready for marketing. (6 marks)
- (d) Explain **four** problems experienced in small scale farming in Kenya. (8 marks)

9. A map of East Africa showing minerals distribution.



Use the map of East Africa above to answer question (a).

- (a) (i) Name the mineral mined at points A, B, C, D. (4 marks)
- (ii) Give **three** by products obtained when crude oil is refined. (3 marks)
- (b) (i) Explain how trona is processed after reaching the factory. (7 marks)
- (ii) List **three** uses of soda ash. (3 marks)
- (c) Explain **four** effects of the rising prices of crude oil in the economy of Kenya. (8 marks)
10. (a) (i) Apart from water and air pollution, name **two** other types of pollution. (2 marks)
- (ii) Identify **three** ways through which water is polluted (3 marks)
- (iii) Explain **three** effects of air pollution on the environment. (6 marks)
- (b) (i) Explain **three** factors that lead to frequent flooding in the lake region of Kenya. (6 marks)
- (ii) Explain **two** ways through which floods are controlled in the lake region of Kenya. (4 marks)
- (c) State **four** effects of wind as an environmental hazard in Kenya. (4 marks)

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SECTION A (25MARKS)

Answer all the questions in this section

1. (a) Give the relationship between Geography and Agriculture. (2mks)
(b) State three significance of learning Geography. (3mks)
2. (a) What is horticulture? (2mks)
(b) State three advantages of using green house in horticulture farming (3mks)
3. (a) Name two minerals mined in South Africa (3mks)
(b) State three problems facing mining industry in South Africa (3mks)
4. (a) State two factors necessary for a land to be reclaimed (3mks)
(b) Give three uses of polder land in Netherlands (3mks)
5. Give four ways in which Kenya will benefit as a result of oil discovery in Turkana County (4mks)

SECTION B

Answer question 6 and any other two questions in this section.

6. The table below shows total number of livestock in Kenya in 1986 and 1996

Type of livestock	Number in millions	
	1986	1996
Cattle	19.0	20.7
Sheep	17.0	26.7
Goats	18.5	27.3
Chicken	20.0	40

- (a) (i) Using a scale 1cm representing 5 million livestock, draw a comparative bar graph to represent the above given data.(8mks)
(ii) State three advantages of comparative bar graph (3mks)
(b)(i) Explain three factors that favour beef farming in Argentina (6mks)
(ii) Name two exotic breeds of cattle reared in commercial ranches in Kenya (2mks)
(c) Explain three ways which the government of Kenya assists nomadic pastoralists to improve the quality of their livestock (6mks)
7. (a) (i) Name three tree species found in the softwood forest of Canada. (3mks)
(ii) State physical factors that favor the growth of softwood forest in Canada (3mks)
(b) State four characteristics of softwood forest in Canada (4mks)
(c) Give three reasons why it is necessary to carry out afforestation programmes in Kenya forest (3mks)
(d) State the differences between softwood forest of Canada and kenya under the following sub-headings:
i)Species (2mks)

- ii) Mode of transportation (2mks)
 - iii) Harvesting (2mks)
 - e) Explain three significance of forests in Kenya to human activities. (6mks)
8. (a) State three physical conditions that favour sugar cane growing in the lake Victoria basin in Kenya. (3mks)
- (b) Describe the cultivation of sugarcane in Kenya. (6mks)
 - (c) Explain five problems facing sugarcane farming in Kenya. (10mks)
 - (d) Your class visited a sugar factory for a field study on sugar processing.
 - i) Outline four stages of sugar processing that the class may have observed. (4mks)
 - ii) Name two by-products of sugar that the class may have identified during the study. (2marks)
9. (a) (i) What is wildlife? (2mks)
- (ii) Give three factors that favour the establishment of national park at Tsavo (3mks)
 - (iii) Mention four tourists attractions in Kenya. (4mks)
- (b) Explain four factors that hinder the development of domestic tourism in Kenya (4mks)
 - (c) State four problems associated with tourism industry in Kenya (4mks)
 - (d) Explain four benefits of tourism in the economy of Kenya (8mks)
10. (a) (i) Name TWO types of fishing. (2 mks)
- (ii) State THREE reasons why marine fisheries are under developed in Kenya. (3 mks)
 - (iii) State FOUR solutions to the problems facing the fishing industry in Kenya. (4 mks)
- (b) (i) Give TWO modern methods of fish preservation. (2 mks)
 - (ii) Describe the basket method of fishing. (5 mks)
- (c) (i) Name THREE countries in the North West Atlantic fishing ground. (3 mks)
 - (ii) Compare fishing in Kenya and Japan under the following subheadings:
 - Continental shelf (2 mks)
 - Coastline (2 mks)
 - Ocean currents (2 mks)

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PAPER 2

Instructions to candidates

- (a) Write your Name and Index Number in the spaces provided above,
- (b) This paper consists of two Sections; A and B.
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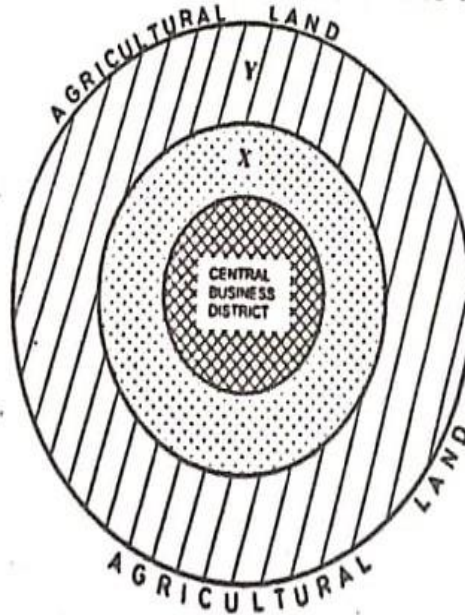
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SECTION A

1. (a) Define economic geography (2 marks)
(b) State **three** reasons why it is important to study human geography (3 marks)
2. (a) Name **two** towns where motor vehicle assembly plants are located in Kenya. (2 marks)
(b) State **three** ways in which proximity to Nairobi has favoured development of Thika Town. (3 marks)
3. The diagram below represents the functional zones of an urban center.



- (a) Name the zones marked **X** and **Y**. (2 marks)
(b) Give **three** functions of the Central Business District. (3 marks)
4. (a) Name **two** forest reserves found in the coastal region of Kenya. (2 marks)
(b) State **three** physical factors that favour the growth of natural forests in the coastal region of Kenya. (3 marks)
5. (a) Differentiate between emigration and immigration. (2 marks)
(b) State **three** causes of urban to rural migration (3 marks)

SECTION B

Answer question 6 and any other two questions from this section.

6. (a) The table below passenger traffic that used different modes of transport between Mombasa and Nairobi for the year 2017 to 2020.

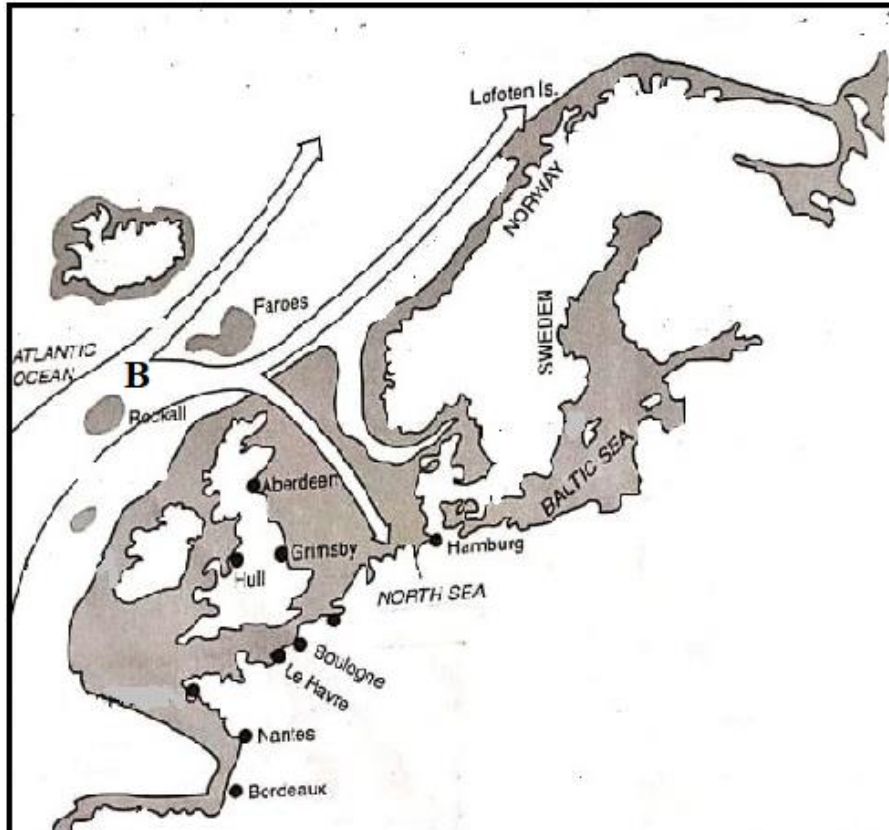
MODE OF TRANSPORT	2017	2018	2019	2020
SGR	700,000	1,500,000	1,600,000	1,700,000
BUSES	1,500,000	1,200,000	900,000	800,800
AIR	578,700	686,800	787,500	486,500

- (i) Using a scale of 1cm rep 200,000 people, draw a comparative bar graph to represent data in the table above. (8 marks)
- (ii) State **two** disadvantages of using a comparative bar graph to represent the above data. (2 marks)
- b) Give **four** reasons why there is limited use of river transport in Africa. (4 marks)
- c) Identify any **three** activities involved in the development of St. Lawrence Seaway project. (3 marks)
- d) State **four** benefits of the Standard Gauge Railway to the economy of Kenya. (4 marks)
- e) Explain how the following factors have negatively affected development of transport and communication in Africa

- Rugged Terrain (2 marks)
- Civil wars (2 marks)

7. (a) (i) Define the term Fisheries. (2 marks)
- (ii) Give **four** measures the Government has taken to conserve fresh water fisheries in Kenya. (4 marks)

- b) (i) Explain ways in which each of the following factors affect fishing in Kenya;
- Technology (2 marks)
 - Fish eating culture (2 marks)
- (ii) Describe how trawling method is used in catching Fish (4 marks)
- c) Study the Map below and use it to answer question 7 (c) (i) to (iii)



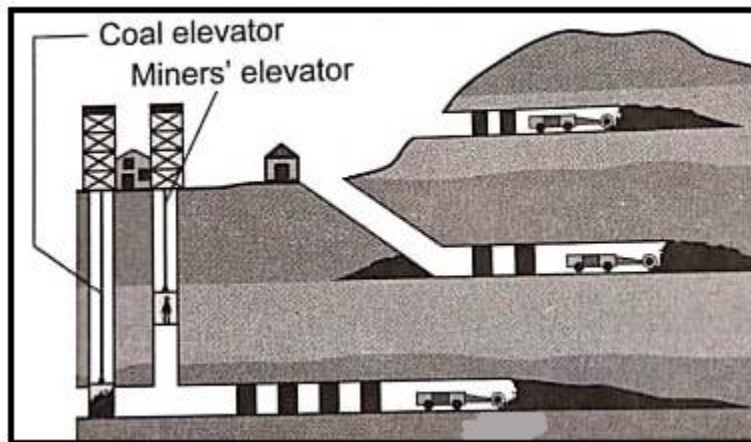
- (i) Give **two** fish species caught in the above fishing ground (2 marks)
- (ii) Name the ocean current marked **B** (1 mark)
- (iii) Explain how the above ocean current influences fishing in the above fishing ground (2 marks)
- d) Explain the significance of fishing in Japan. (6 marks)

8. (a) (i) Define the term balance of trade. (2 marks)
- (ii) Name **two** major imports to Kenya from European Union (2 marks)
- b) State **four** factors that inhibit trade between Kenya and her neighbours. (4 marks)

- c) Explain how the following factors influence trade in Kenya.
- Security (2 marks)
 - Transport (2 marks)

- d) (i) Name **two** member states of ECOWAS. (2 marks)
- (ii) Give **three** roles played by SADC in the economies of her member states (3 marks)
- (iii) Explain the measures the government of Kenya has taken to reduce her unfavourable balance of trade. (8 marks)

9. (a) (i) Differentiate between domestic dairy farming and commercial dairy farming. (2 marks)
 (ii) Name **two** breeds of dairy cattle reared in Kenya. (2 marks)
 b) (i) Give **four** characteristics of dairy cattle breeds reared in Kenya. (4 marks)
 (ii) Name **three** counties where dairy farming is practiced in large scale in Kenya. (3 marks)
 (iii) State **three** physical factors favouring dairy farming in Kenya (3 marks)
 c) Give reasons why Kenya's dairy sector fails to meet its domestic demand. (5 marks)
 d) State **three** differences between dairy farming in Kenya and Denmark. (6 marks)
10. a) Give **three** ways in which minerals occur. (3 marks)
 b) Explain **three** factors that influence the mining of trona in Lake Magadi (6 marks)
 c) Study the diagram below and use it to answer question c (i) and (ii)



- (i) Identify the mining method shown on the diagram above (1 mark)
 (ii) Describe how the method is used to extract minerals (5 marks)
 (d) Explain **three** effects of mining on the environment (6 marks)
 (e) Maranda high school students carried out a field study on the processing of trona on Lake Magadi.
 (i) Identify **two** methods they will use in recording data (2 marks)
 (ii) Give **two** follow up activities they may have carried out (2 marks)

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