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GEOGRAPHY (SPECIFICATION B)
Unit 6 The Practical Paper

GGB6

Friday 31 January 2003 Afternoon Session

In addition to this paper you will require:

- a 8-page answer book.

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

Instructions

- Use blue or black ink or ball-point pen. Pencil should only be used for drawing.
- Write the information required on the front cover of your answer book above the name of the examining body. The *Paper Reference* is GGB6.
- Answer **both** questions.
- Sketch maps; diagrams and specific examples should be given, where appropriate.
- Show your working, when appropriate.

Information

- The maximum mark for this paper is 50.
- Mark allocations are shown in brackets.
- Additional answer sheets and arithmetic graphic paper are available on request.
- You are reminded of the need for good English and clear presentation in your answers. Questions 1 and 2 (c) should be answered in continuous prose. Quality of Language will be assessed in these answers.

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Answer **both** questions.

Total for this question: 25 marks

1 With reference to a fieldwork investigation that you have carried out:

(a) State **one** of your research questions or hypotheses.

Describe the primary data which you collected in order to answer your research question or to test your hypothesis. *(5 marks)*

(b) (i) Describe **one** technique which you used to analyse the data. *(5 marks)*

(ii) Explain why you chose this technique, and assess how successful it was in your analysis. *(7 marks)*

(c) State the conclusions of your investigation. Suggest how this work helped your understanding of the aspect of geography which you were investigating. *(8 marks)*

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Total for this question: 25 marks

- 2 (a) (i) Study **Figure 1** which shows the origins and destinations of refugees, by continental area, in 1995.

	Origin (%)	Destination (%)
Africa	55	48
Asia	38	32
Europe	5	14
Latin America	2	less than 1%
North America	less than 1%	6

Figure 1

Use these figures to draw two pie charts to show the origins and the destinations of refugees. *(5 marks)*

- (ii) Outline the advantages and disadvantages of pie charts as a way of showing such data. *(6 marks)*

- (b) Study **Figure 2** which shows the origins of the world's refugees in 1995 and **Figure 3** which shows the destinations of the world's refugees in 1995.

Approximately how many refugees came from:

- (i) Afghanistan?

- (ii) Sri Lanka?

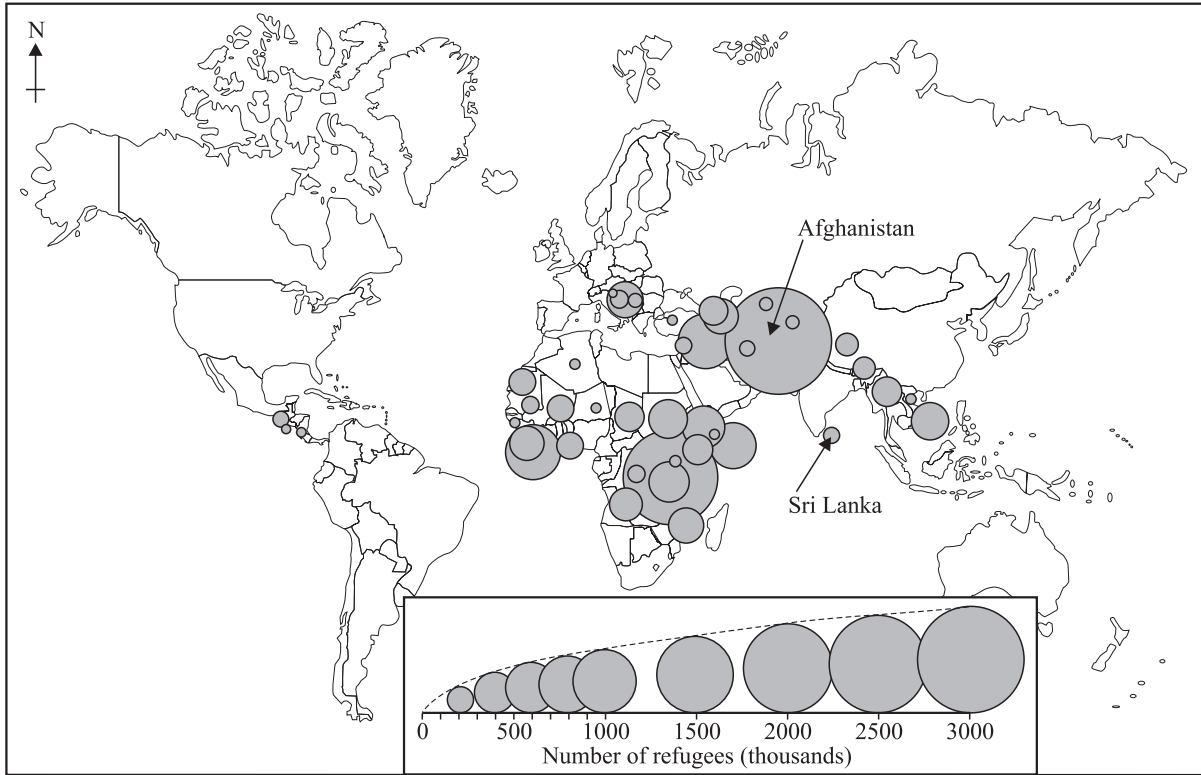
(2 marks)

- (c) Using **Figure 1**, **Figure 2** and **Figure 3**, write a report of approximately 300 words on the world refugee problem in 1995.

In your report you should consider:

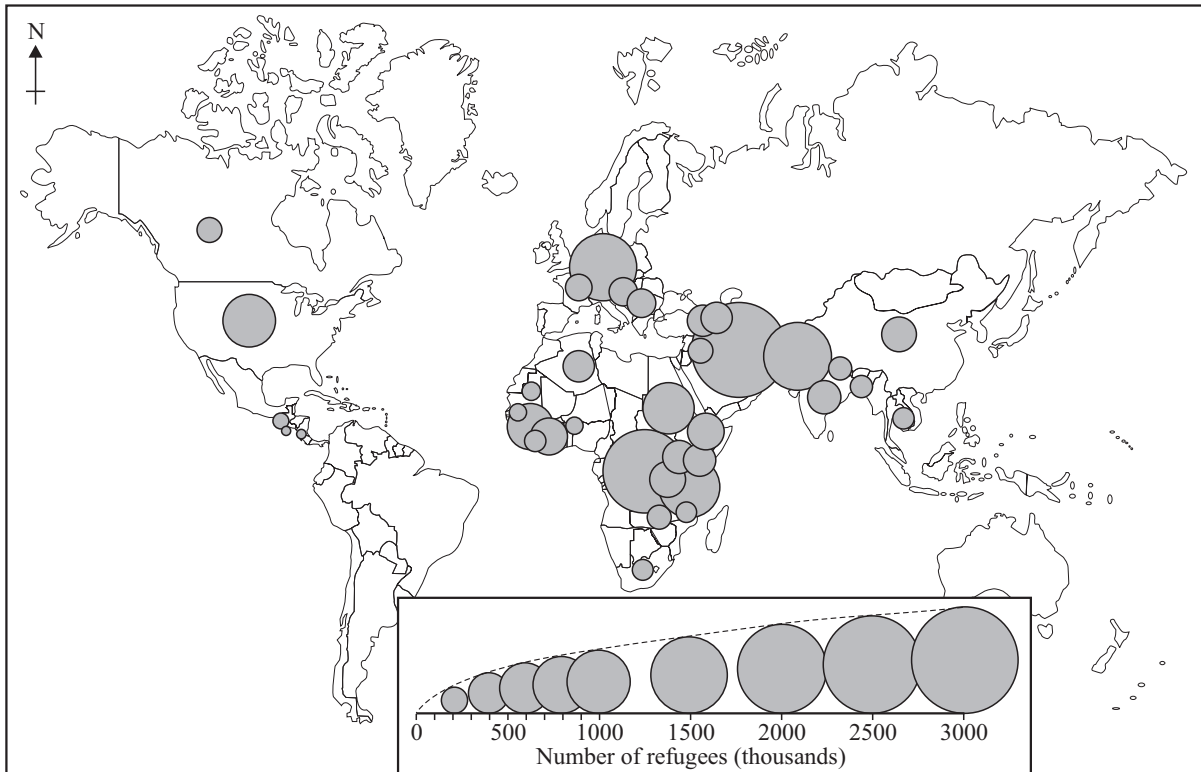
- the scale of the refugee problem;
- the main areas of origin and destination;
- the usefulness of the data with which you were provided to help you write your report.

(12 marks)



Origins of the world's refugees in 1995

Figure 2



Destinations of the world's refugees in 1995

Figure 3

END OF QUESTIONS

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Question 2 Figures 2 and 3: Ross & Morgan, *Essential AS Geography* (Nelson Thornes).