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Edexcel GCE

Geography

Advanced Subsidiary

Unit 2: Geographical Investigations

Wednesday 30 May 2012 – Morning

Time: 1 hour 15 minutes

Paper Reference

6GE02/01

You must have:

Resource Booklet (enclosed)

Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer ONE question in Section A and ONE question in Section B.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 70.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- The quality of your written communication will be assessed in ALL your responses
– *you should take particular care with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression.*

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Spend approximately 35 – 40 minutes on Section A and 35 – 40 minutes on Section B.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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SECTION A

Answer ONE question in this section.

Indicate which question you are answering by marking a cross . If you change your mind, put a line through the box and then indicate your new question with a cross .

Candidates should use the resources provided, their own ideas, and relevant fieldwork and research which they have carried out.

EXTREME WEATHER

If you choose to answer Question 1, put a cross .

1 Study Figure 1.

(a) Using examples, comment on how Figure 1 can be used to help understand different types of extreme weather.

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(b) Describe the fieldwork and research you used to plan and complete a weather diary.

(15)

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(Total for Question 1 = 35 marks)



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CROWDED COASTS

If you choose to answer Question 2, put a cross in the box .

2 Study Figure 2.

(a) Using examples, comment on how Figure 2 could be used to help understand the choice of coastal management strategy.

(10)

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(b) Describe the fieldwork and research you used to investigate a range of coastal management schemes.

(15)

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(c) Using examples, explain how coastal development can have economic costs and benefits.

(10)

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(Total for Question 2 = 35 marks)

TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 35 MARKS



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(b) Using examples, outline the ways in which **urban** areas have re-imaged themselves to attract more visitors.

(10)

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(Total for Question 4 = 35 marks)

**TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 35 MARKS
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Figure 1 A classification of different precipitation and temperature weather extremes

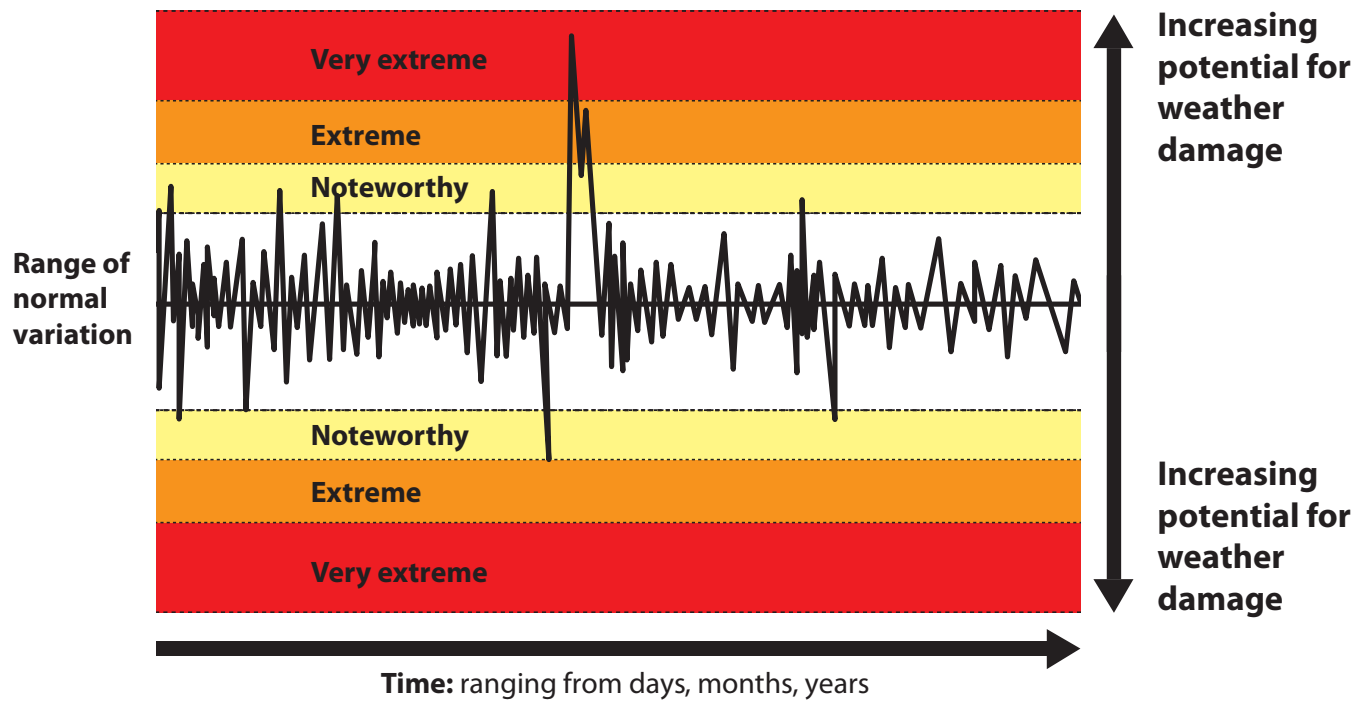
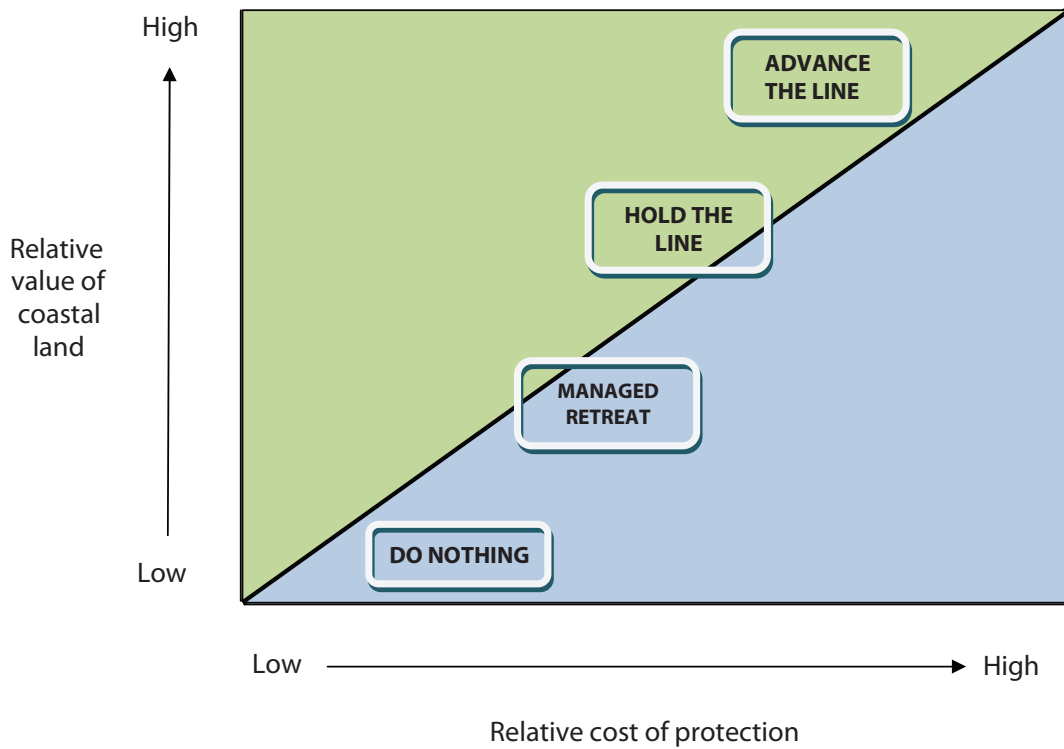


Figure 2 A simplified diagram showing the relationship between the value of coastal land and the cost of coastal defences



Key

Value of land often **greater** than cost of protection

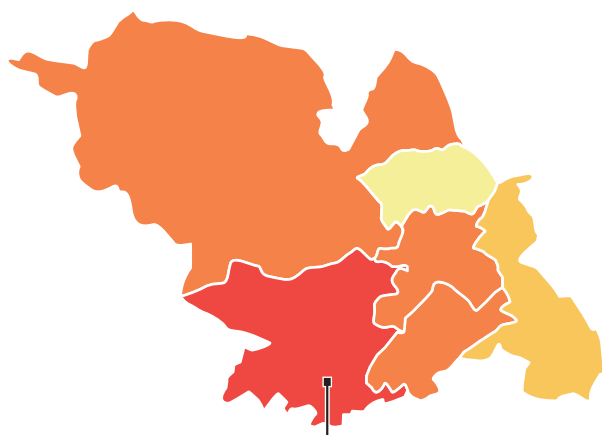
Value of land often **less** than cost of protection

Figure 3 The distribution of educational inequality in the city of Sheffield, UK

Most qualified in Sheffield

Percentage of people who have at least a university degree or equivalent

- Over 40%
- 20–39%
- 16–19%
- 15% and under

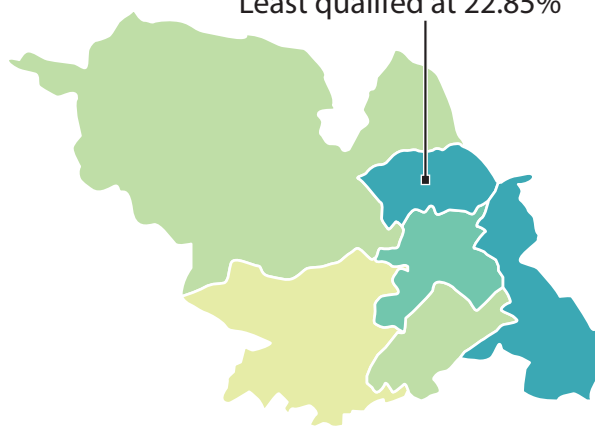


Sheffield Hallam
Most qualified at 59.53%

Least qualified in Sheffield

Percentage of people who have no qualifications

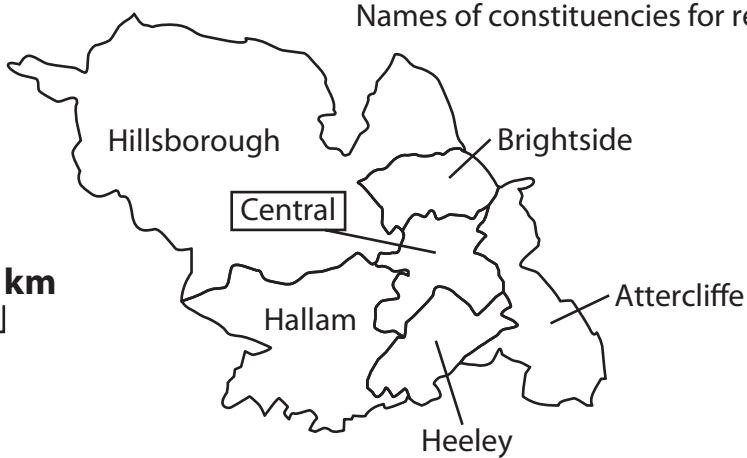
- Over 20%
- 15–19%
- 10–14%
- 9% and under



Sheffield Brightside
Least qualified at 22.85%



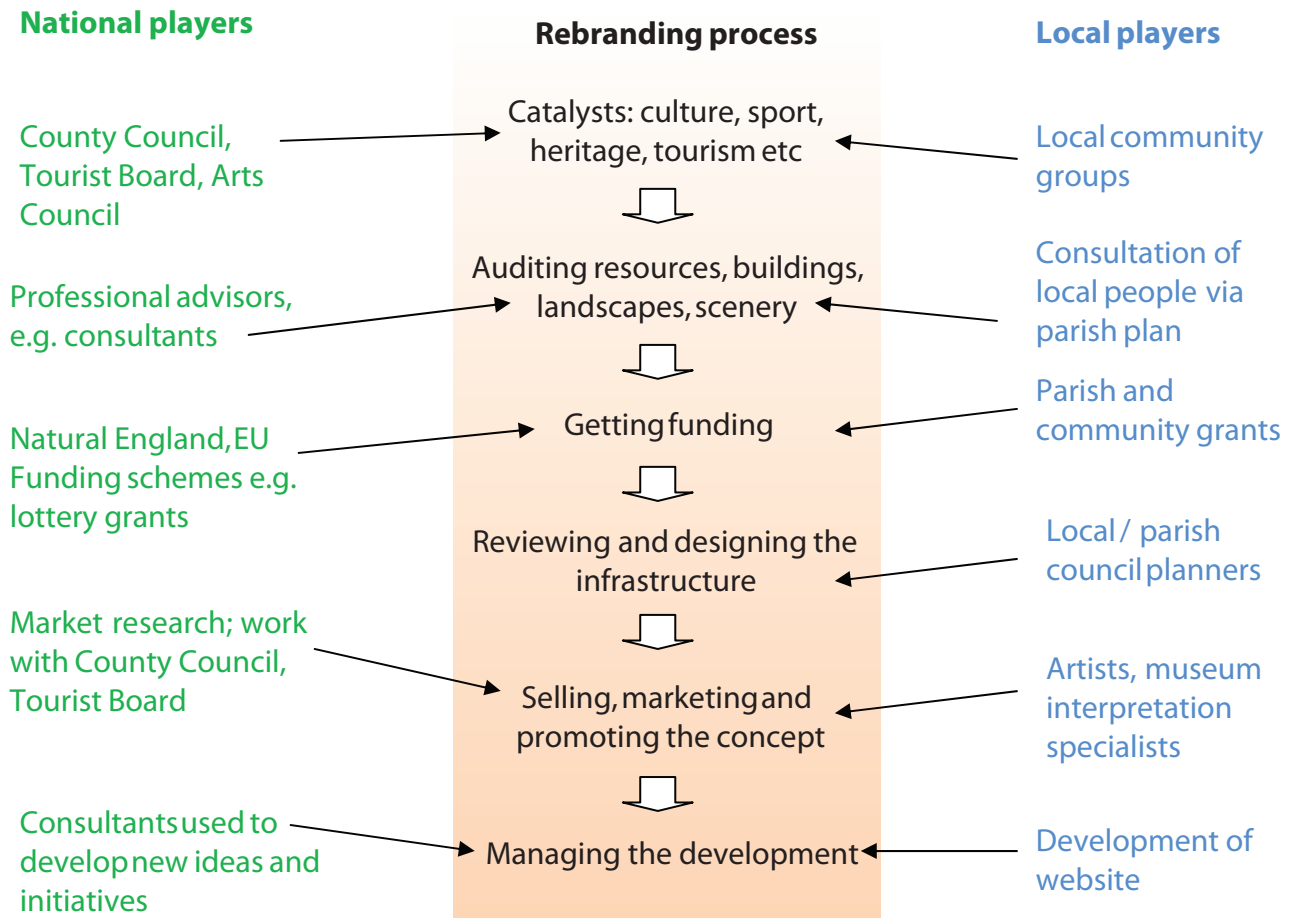
Names of constituencies for reference



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(Source: UCU/ONS)

Figure 4 The groups, players and processes involved in rural rebranding



(Source: adapted from Warn, S (2010) *Rural Development and the countryside*, Philip Allan Updates.)

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