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Edexcel GCE

Geography

Advanced Subsidiary

Unit 2: Geographical Investigations

Monday 21 January 2013 – Afternoon

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 in the box .

1 Study Figure 1.

(a) Comment on the possible **social** and **economic** impacts of the variations in spring rainfall shown on Figure 1.

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(b) Using examples, examine the evidence that suggests extreme weather events are becoming more frequent.

(10)

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(c) Describe the fieldwork and research you undertook to investigate how people attempt to manage the impacts of extreme weather, such as flooding.

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(Total for Question 1 = 35 marks)



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(b) Using examples, examine the factors that have led to economic and population growth in some coastal locations.

(10)

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(c) Describe the fieldwork and research you undertook to investigate **one** of the following:

- Rates of coastal erosion
- Degree of coastal flood risk

Put a cross in the box against the topic you have chosen.

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(Total for Question 2 = 35 marks)

TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 35 MARKS



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SECTION B

Answer ONE question in this section.

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

UNEQUAL SPACES

If you choose to answer Question 3, put a cross in the box .

3 Study Figure 3.

(a) Comment on the **reasons** for, and possible **impacts** of, the different broadband speeds.

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(b) Using examples, explain how inequality can have impacts on people living in **urban** areas.

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(Total for Question 3 = 35 marks)



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REBRANDING PLACES

If you choose to answer Question 4, put a cross in the box .

4 Study Figure 4.

(a) Comment on the **usefulness** of the three fieldwork approaches to investigate **rural** rebranding.

(10)

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(b) Using examples, explain how **environmental** and **economic** decline have led to the need to rebrand urban areas.

(10)

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(Total for Question 4 = 35 marks)

**TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 35 MARKS
TOTAL FOR PAPER = 70 MARKS**



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