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GEOGRAPHY (SPECIFICATION C)
Paper 1
Foundation Tier

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Wednesday 4 June 2008 9.00 am to 10.30 am

<p>For this paper you must have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the insert (enclosed) the Ordnance Survey map extract (enclosed). <p>You may use a calculator.</p>

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen. You may use pencil for maps, diagrams and graphs.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Answers written in the margins or on blank pages will not be marked.
- Use your case studies to support your answers where appropriate.
- Do **all** rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

Information

- The maximum mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- You are reminded of the need for good English and clear presentation in your answers. All questions should be answered in continuous prose where appropriate. Quality of written communication will be assessed in all answers.
- LEDC is a Less Economically Developed Country.
- MEDC is a More Economically Developed Country.

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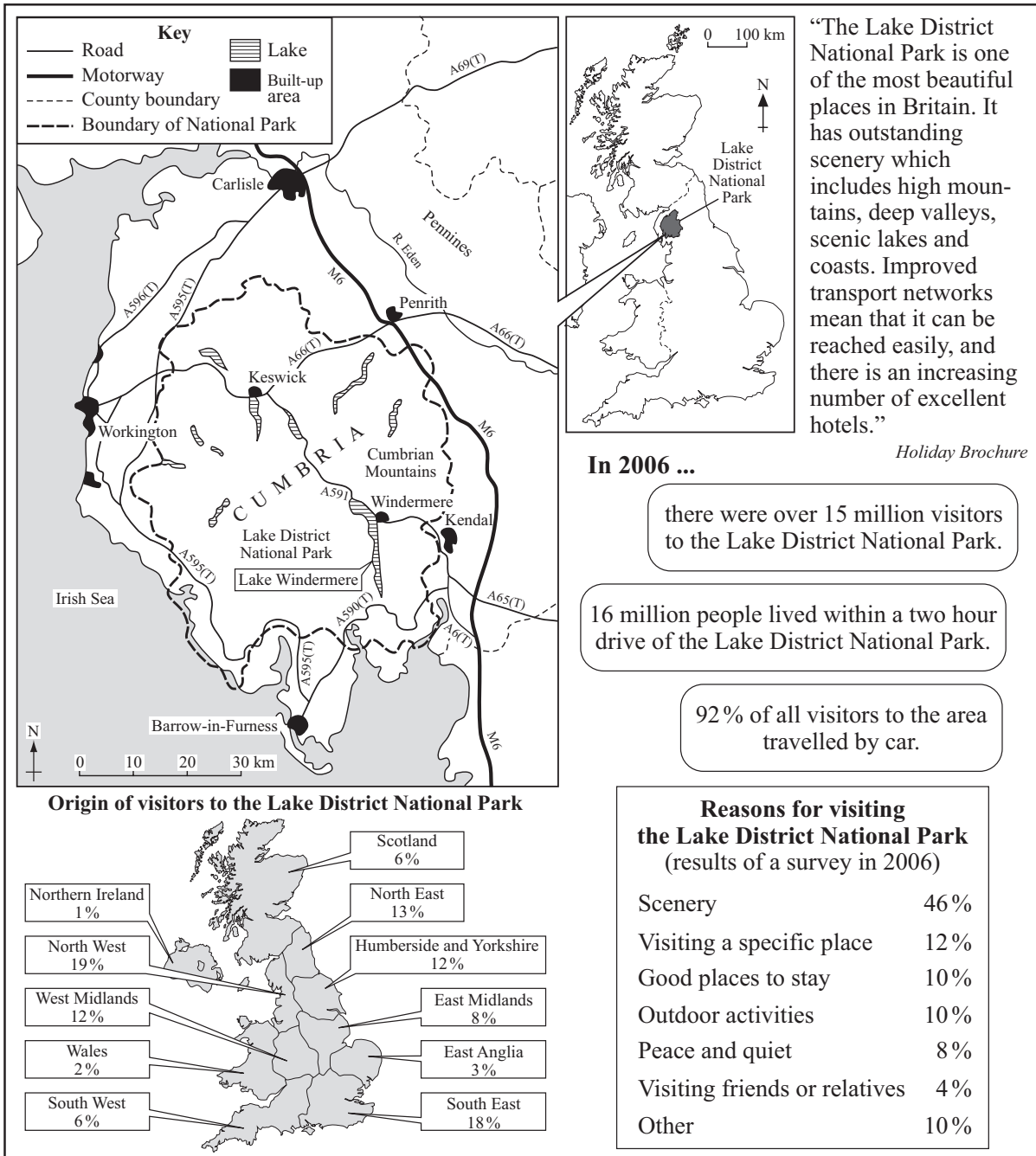
Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

Use your case studies to support your answers where appropriate.

Total for this question: 14 marks

1 Study Figure 1 which shows information about the Lake District National Park.

Figure 1



1 (a) (i) In which part of England is the Lake District?

Circle the correct answer.

North East

South West

North West

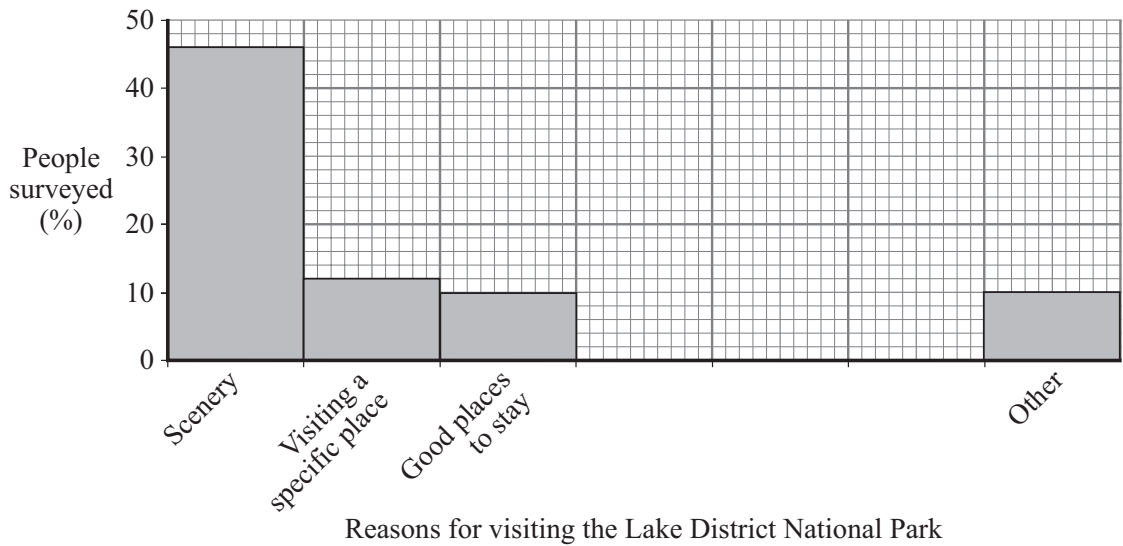
(1 mark)

1 (a) (ii) Which motorway runs past the Lake District National Park?

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(1 mark)

1 (b) Use the information in **Figure 1** to complete the graph below to show reasons for visiting the Lake District National Park.



(3 marks)

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1 (c) (i) Complete the following table to show the origin of visitors to the Lake District National Park.

From	% of visitors	Average distance travelled
North West	19	25 km
West Midlands		110 km
South West		215 km

(1 mark)

1 (c) (ii) Describe the relationship shown by the data in the table.

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1 (c) (iii) Suggest why so few people from Northern Ireland visit the Lake District National Park.

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1 (d) Using **Figure 1** and your own knowledge, suggest why the number of people visiting National Parks has increased.

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2 Study **Figure 2**, on the insert, a photograph showing part of a National Park in England.

2 (a) Suggest how the landscape shown in **Figure 2** encourages different types of recreational activity.

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2 (b) Describe the problems caused by the increased number of people using footpaths within National Parks.

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Total for this question: 15 marks

3 Study **Figure 3**, the Ordnance Survey map extract, which shows part of Lake Windermere in the Lake District National Park.

3 (a) (i) Give the four-figure grid reference for the main part of the town of Ambleside.

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(1 mark)

3 (a) (ii) Give the six-figure grid reference for Windermere railway station.

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(1 mark)

3 (b) Give the meaning of the symbol found at each of the following grid references.

418958
414994
(2 marks)

3 (c) Give **two** ways by which height is shown on the Ordnance Survey map extract.

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3 (d) Which of the following is the straight line distance, to the nearest km, from the centre of Ambleside to Windermere railway station?

Circle the correct answer.

3 km

5 km

7 km

(1 mark)



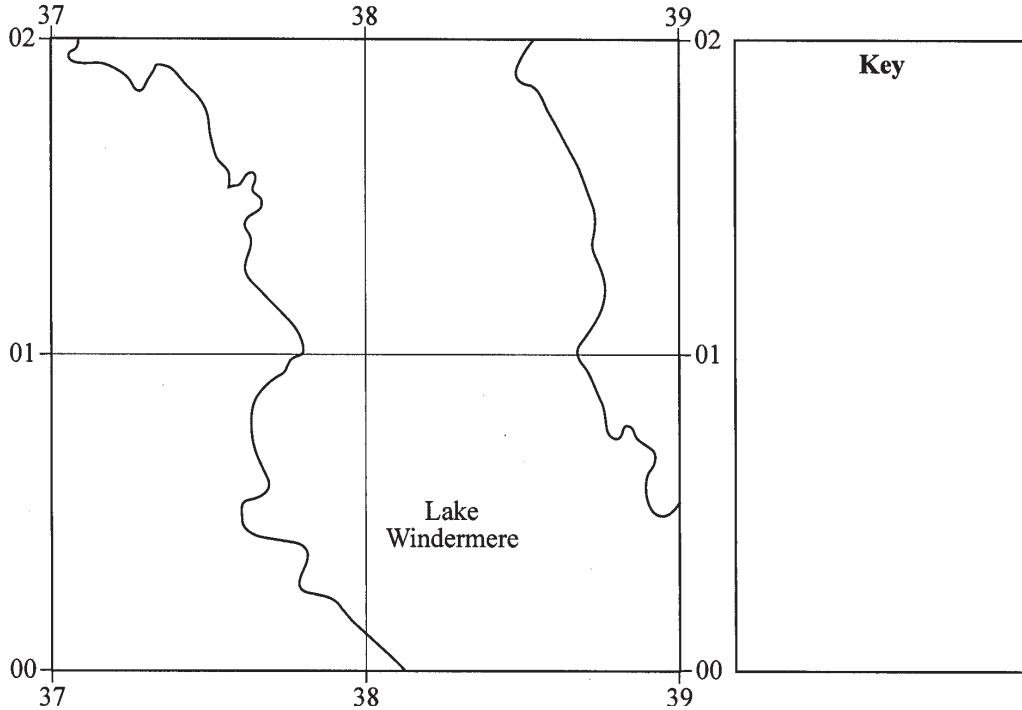
3 (e) Using **Figure 3**, the Ordnance Survey map extract, add the following features to the grid below.

Ferry route

Place of Worship with tower

Primary route

Complete the key.



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3 (f) Use evidence from the Ordnance Survey map extract to show that the area has many tourist facilities.

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4 Study **Figure 4**, 'The impact of tourism around Lake Windermere'.

Figure 4

The impact of tourism around Lake Windermere

Lake Windermere is a honeypot site in the Lake District National Park. It attracts millions of visitors each year, mainly in the summer.

The following comments are from people who live in the area.



Estate agent

Nearly 20% of houses in the area are holiday homes. This is good for local business and keeps the property prices high.

Most of the shops in our local towns are now tourist shops or cafés. Lots of new buildings and car parks are linked to tourism. These things have changed the character of the area. In the summer months it gets very crowded in my local town.



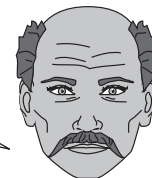
Local resident



Local shopkeeper

Visitors spend lots of money in local shops and use local services. I employ three extra seasonal shop assistants during the summer months.

Money brought in by tourists can be used for conservation projects. However, the large number of visitors in the summer can make it difficult for local people to go about their daily business.



Park ranger

Facts

In 2006:

- half of all local residents were dependent on tourism for employment
- the money spent in the Lake District National Park by tourists was estimated at £600 million.



4 (a) Complete the following table by writing the correct letter next to each definition.

A Honeypot site

B Holiday home

C Conservation

Letter	Definition
	The protection of buildings and environments
	An area that attracts a lot of people

(2 marks)

4 (b) Using **Figure 4** and your own knowledge, explain how tourism can benefit the local economy.

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4 (c) How might the growing popularity of National Parks cause **either** traffic problems **or** housing problems for local people?

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5 In 2005, because of the increase in the number of speedboats and other fast craft, the National Park Authority decided to put a speed limit on Lake Windermere.

Study **Figure 5**, on the insert, which shows information and views about the speed restrictions on Lake Windermere.

5 (a) (i) What speed limit has been set for most of Lake Windermere?

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5 (a) (ii) Suggest why the speed limit is lower around Bowness-on-Windermere.

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- 5 (b) (i) Name a recreational activity that might conflict with speedboat use.

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- 5 (b) (ii) Suggest **one** reason for the conflict.

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(1 mark)

- 5 (c) Do you think that the National Park Authority's decision to put speed limits on Lake Windermere will benefit the local area?

Tick the box of your choice:

Yes No

Give reasons for your decision (you may use any of the resources to help you to answer this question).

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Figure 2

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Figure 2: The Ramblers' Association, *The Observer*, 26 March 2007.

Figure 5: Your guide to Windermere, Lake District National Park Authority. www.lake.district.gov.uk

Figure 5

Views about the speed restrictions on Lake Windermere

Less speed – and fewer visitors?

Six months after the introduction of a speed ban on Lake Windermere the water-skiers, powerboat owners and the jet skis may have gone – but so has all the money that they used to bring to the area.

A local restaurant manager said, “We have had a massive drop in trade – speed boat owners used to spend a lot of money in local shops and restaurants and now most of them go elsewhere.”

The director of the local tourist agency said, “The local area will lose about £6 million this year – much more than expected. There will be far fewer tourist related jobs in the future. However, there has been an increase in other types of visitors, such as sailors, hikers and people who enjoy the wonderful scenery and peace and quiet.”

Has the speed limit affected local business?

Local hotel owners reported mixed fortunes with some doing well while others have far fewer visitors. One hotel owner said, “We have two hotels; in one the number of visitors is about the same as last year, while in the other one we have very few guests. Generally food trade has been about the same as in previous years.” However, another local hotel manager said, “Yes, trade is certainly down this year, but it could be due to other factors like the weather. We will need to see what happens over the next couple of years.”

Results of a business survey in 2005

- 53% of all tourism businesses said that a fall in income was due to the new speed limit.
- 17% of businesses said that they were reducing orders from other local businesses.
- 5% of businesses said that the new speed limit had increased trade.

600 surveys issued – 113 returned

What do people think about the issue?

The noise of speed boats is similar to that of a motor racing circuit



An angler

My family have been visiting the area for years. We spend about £4000 a year in the local area on boat moorings, hotel bills and in local shops.



A speed boat owner

I don't see what all the fuss is about. Speed boat owners are only a small proportion of visitors. If they stop coming, larger numbers of people looking for a peaceful holiday will come.



A restaurant owner



A local shopkeeper

Trade is down at the moment, but the speed boats did cause problems on busy weekends. There must be other ways to manage the area so everyone is happy.



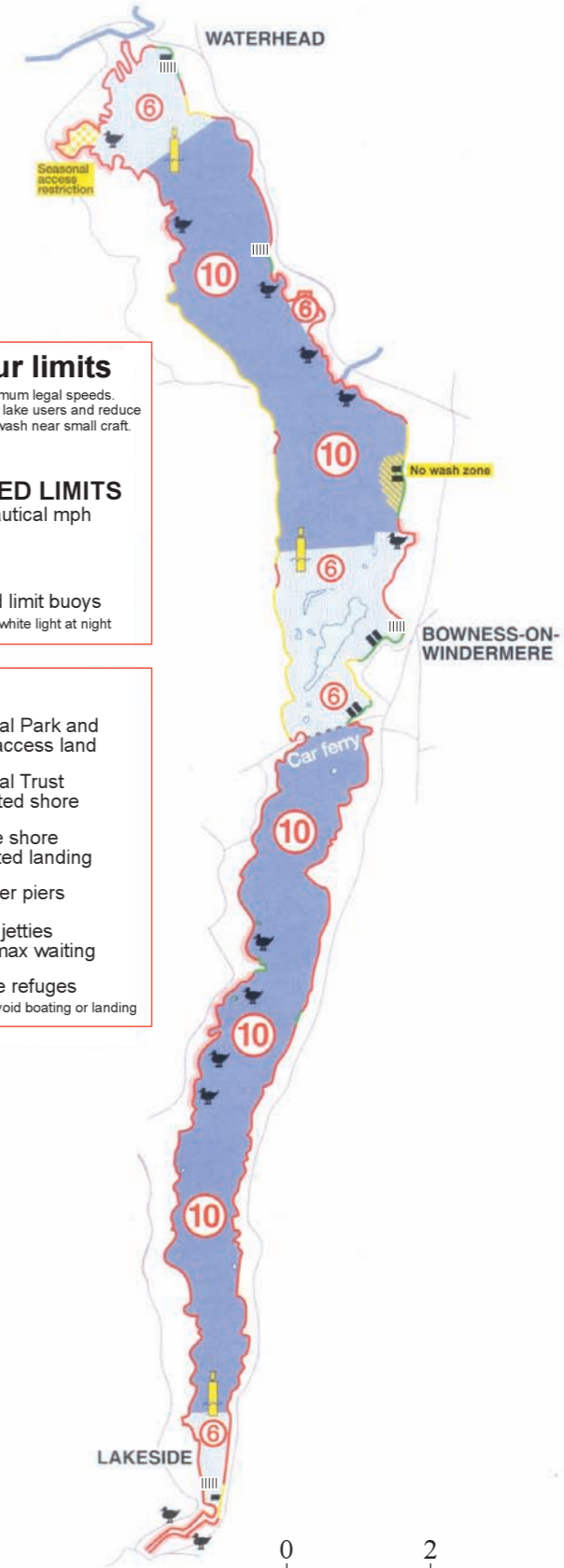
A Hiker

The place is so much more peaceful now and more wildlife is evident. The lake looks cleaner and there is less erosion of the banks.

Survey of use of Lake Windermere since the speed limit

Type of boat	Change
Speed boat	-57%
Water skier/boat	-87%
Sailing boat	+47%
Canoe	+170%
Rowing boat	+138%

The Speed Restrictions on Lake Windermere



Know your limits
Speed limits are maximum legal speeds. Please consider other lake users and reduce your speed and your wash near small craft.

6 **SPEED LIMITS**
Nautical mph

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Speed limit buoys flashing white light at night

KEY

- National Park and other access land
- National Trust protected shore
- Private shore restricted landing
- Steamer piers
- Public jetties 2 hrs max waiting
- Wildlife refuges please avoid boating or landing

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