

JUNIOR LYCEUM ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS 2003

Educational Assessment Unit - Education Division

FORM 1

GEOGRAPHY

TIME: 1hr 30mins

Name _____

Class _____

N.B. Answer all THIRTEEN questions as required. You may use a separate foolscap for Question 13. In that case write your name, surname and class on the foolscap too.

1. Fill in the blanks with the following terms: (5 marks)

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- a. The _____ is the main fishing area where plankton is abundant.
- b. During the month of October, many *lampuki* and _____ are caught.
- c. Malta is poor in natural resources, but rich in _____ resources.
- d. The _____ of Air Malta features the Maltese Cross.
- e. Tourism is a tertiary or _____ industry.

2. Fill in with the letter of the HEADS near the proper TAILS of the following broken sentences: (5 marks)

HEADS

TAILS

- A Underground water is _____ in reservoirs.
- B The water table is _____ of rocks forming springs.
- C Pumped water is stored _____ a permeable rock.
- D Limestone is _____ to the surface by wind-pumps.
- E Underground water comes out _____ the level of water in the rocks.

3. Match the Traffic Facility letter to its proper Purpose: (5 marks)

Traffic Facility

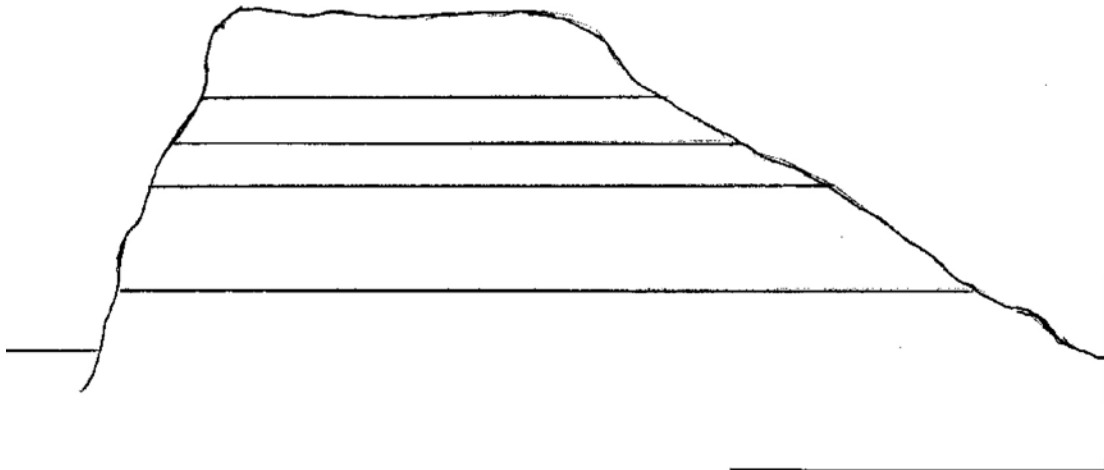
Purpose

- A Roundabout _____ is written in large letters on the road so that drivers come to a halt.
- B Zebra-Crossing _____ an underground passage-way meant to avoid traffic when crossing.
- C Guide-post _____ a circle at cross-roads to facilitate smooth traffic flow.
- D STOP _____ shows direction to a particular town or village.
- E Sub-way _____ white lines on the road crossed by pedestrians.

4. Figure 1 below is a cross section of the Rabat-Dingli uplands, which are also similar to the hills of Xaghra or Nadur in Gozo. Insert the name in Maltese or English of the 5 types of rock in the correct order.

(5 marks)

Figure 1 - Cross-Section Rabat-Dingli



5. Which TYPE OF SHIP.....?

(5 marks)

- a. ... bring their catch of fish after many days at sea? _____
- b. ... carry passengers as tourists? _____
- c. ... carry fuel oil from one place to another? _____
- d. ... bring imported goods and take our exports? _____
- e. ... carry large boxes in which goods are shipped? _____

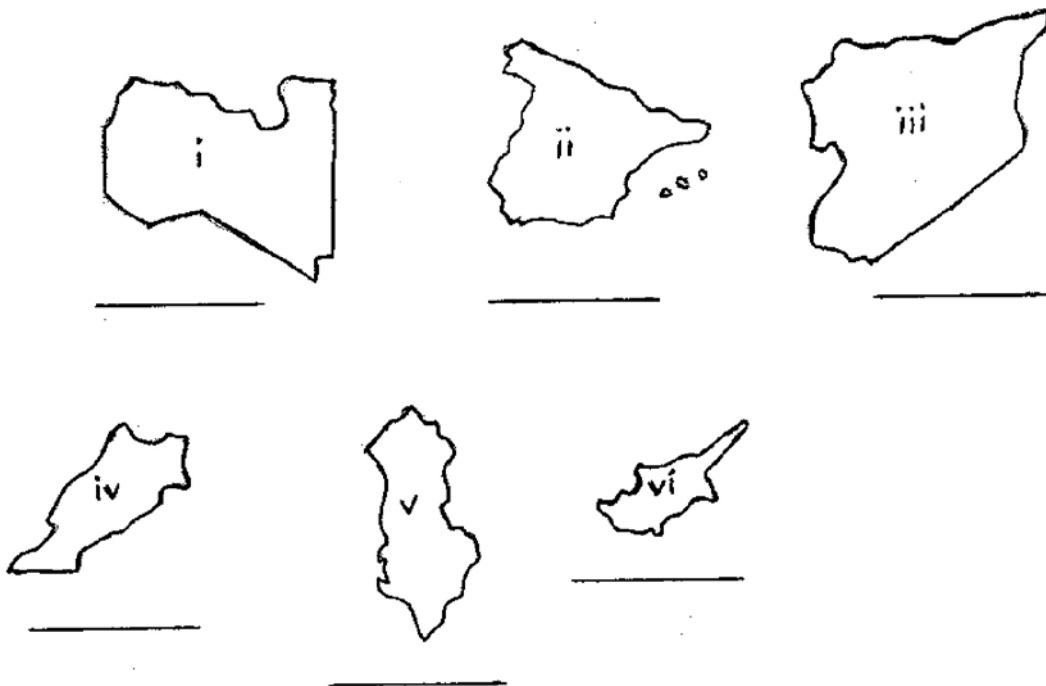
6. a. Give the name of each of the following FOUR map shapes in Figure 2 which are parts of the map of the Maltese Islands: (4 marks)

Figure 2



- b. Give a name to each of the following SIX map shapes of countries of the Mediterranean region in Figure 3. (6 marks)

Figure 3



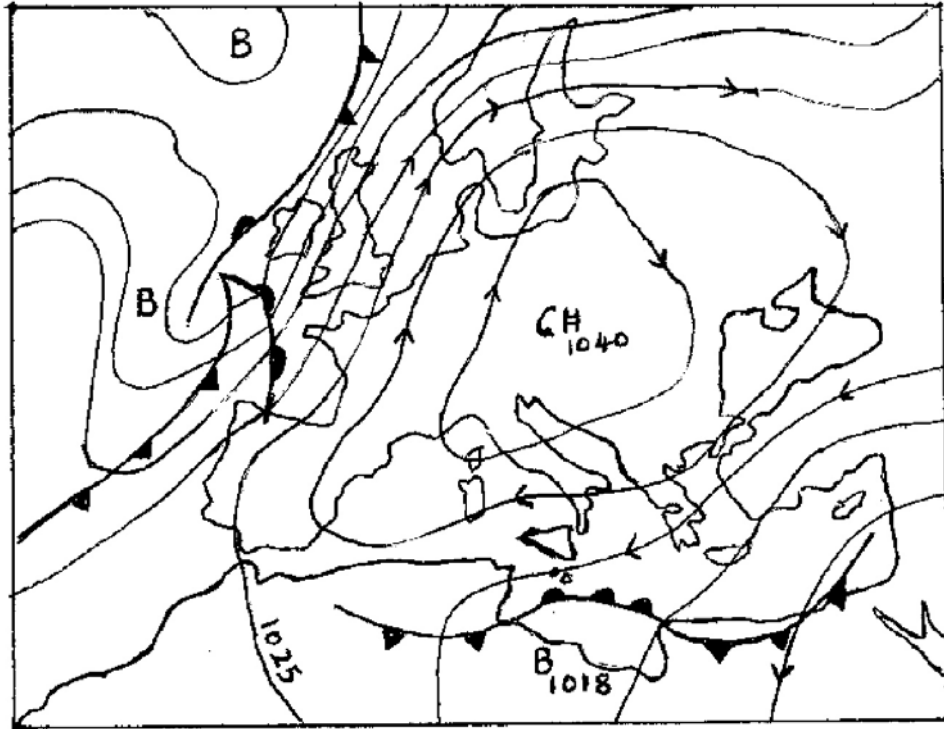
7. Complete by filling the blanks about AIR TRANSPORT in Malta: (5 marks)

- Air Malta is Malta's national _____.
- It operates to many destinations, mostly in Europe and _____.
- Air Malta was formed on _____.
- This company has helped a lot in the growth of the _____ industry.
- Malta International Airport Terminal is close to the village of _____.

8. Study the map in Figure 4. that is in the following page, then answer the following questions: (8 marks)

- What type of map is Figure 4? _____
- What direction is the wind coming from...:
 - ...at Malta? _____
 - ...in France? _____
 - ...over Egypt? _____
- What is the barometric pressure in millibars over Libya? _____
- How is the pressure in Central Europe? _____
- What type of front lies to the south of Malta? _____
- What kind of weather will reach Great Britain in a short time? _____

Figure 4 - Map for question 8



9. a. Make a list of FOUR villages in Malta or Gozo that are still surrounded by fields:

- i. _____ ii. _____ iii. _____ iv. _____

b. Name THREE PAIRS of towns or villages in the Maltese Islands that have merged into each other:

- i. _____ and _____ ii. _____ and _____
 iii. _____ and _____ (10 marks)

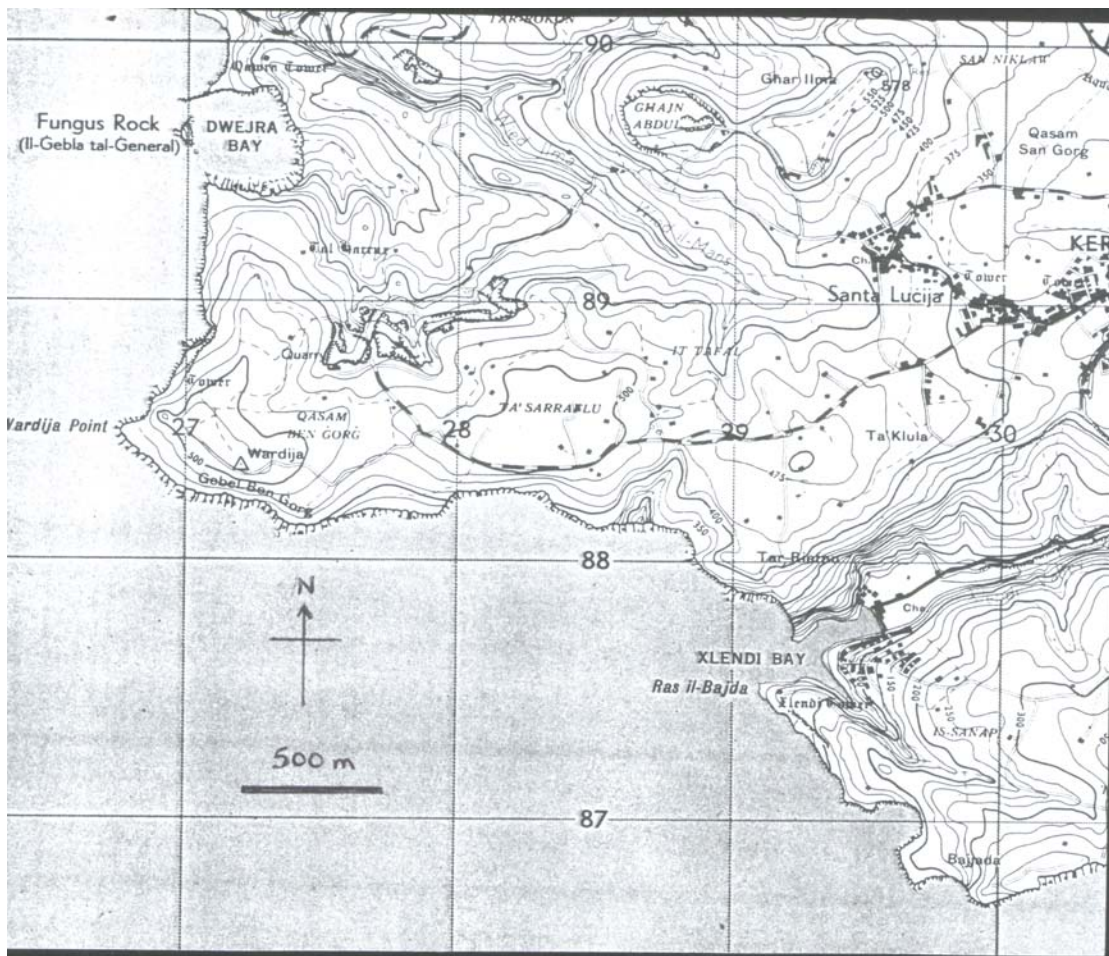
10. Study the 1: 25,000 map extract of Gozo in Figure 5 in the following page, and then complete the sentences or answer the questions below by filling the blanks.

N.B. The scale is 1 cm = 250 metres or 4 cm = 1 kilometre, and the contour heights are given in feet. (12 marks)

- a. In which grid square is Xlendi Bay? _____
- b. i. Which is the highest place shown on the map? _____;
 ii. How high is it? _____
- c. Why is it difficult to find a place to swim along most of the coast from Xlendi to Dwejra? _____
- d. Wardija Point in square 2688 lies to the _____ (direction) of ta' Klula that is in square 2988.
- e. What primary industry is practised in grid squares 2788, 2888, and 2889?

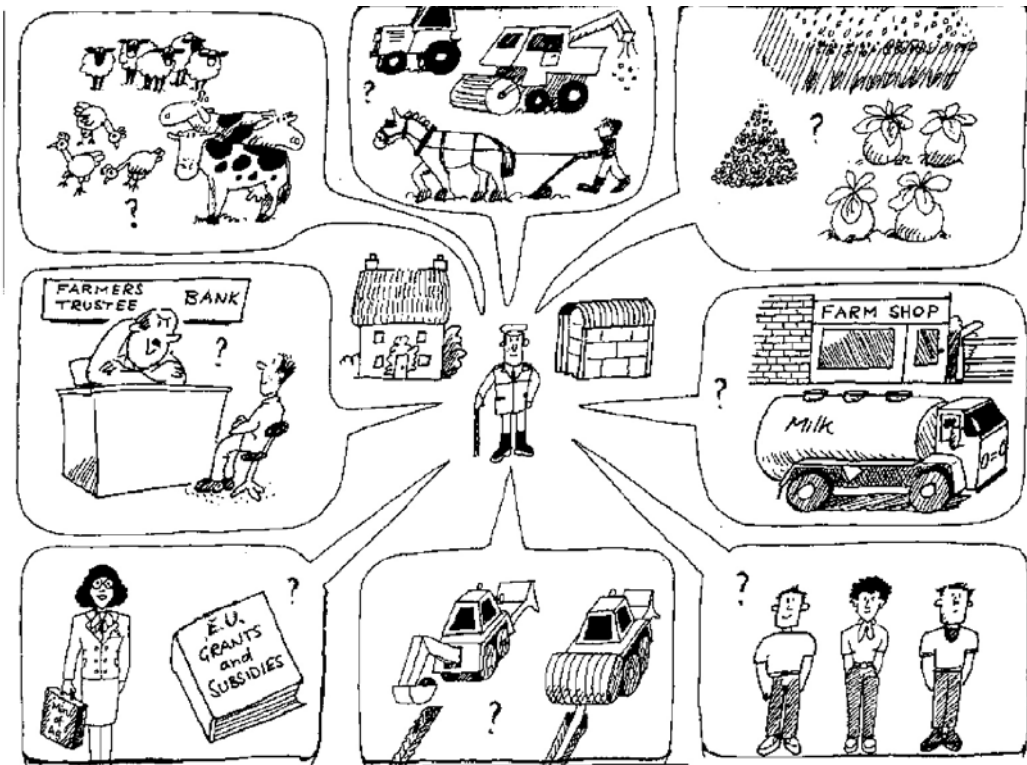
- f. There are 4 historical buildings of the same type. What are they? _____
- g. Mention a seaside settlement shown on the map. _____
- h. Mention rural settlement shown on the map. _____
- i. What is the approximate height of Wardija Trigonometrical Station in grid square 2788? _____
- j. What is the road distance in kilometres or metres from Santa Lucija Church to the quarry in grid square 2788? _____
- k. What is Dwejra in grid square 2789? _____

Figure 5: Map extract of Gozo for question 10



11. Study the diagram in Figure 6 below showing a farmer who has to make decisions about what type of farming he is going to practise. Write FIVE QUESTIONS he might ask himself before making a decision. (10 marks)

Figure 6 : Farmer making decisions



- i. _____
- ii. _____
- iii. _____
- iv. _____
- v. _____

12. Make a list of FIVE characteristics of a Central Business District (C.B.D.) of a town or city. (10 marks)

- i. _____
- ii. _____
- iii. _____
- iv. _____
- v. _____

13. Write a paragraph or two about: (10 marks)

