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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION TO GEOGRAPHY

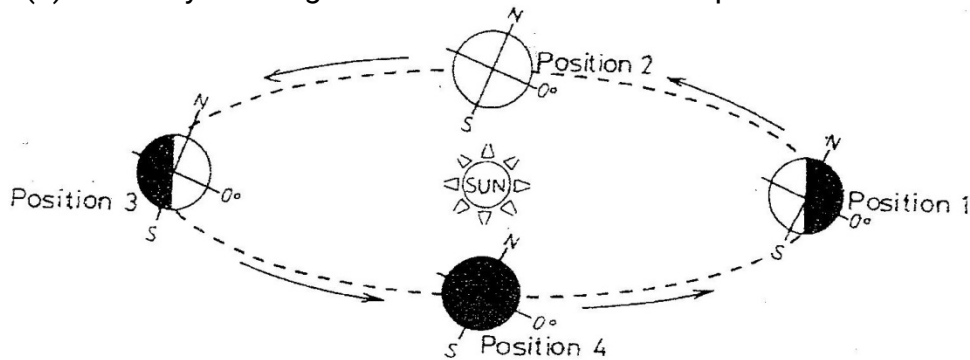
1. What is practical geography? (2mks)
2. Name two branches of geography (2mks)
3. Name any three study areas in human geography (3mks)
4. Define the term environment (2mks)
5. Explain three reasons for importance of studying geography (3mks)
6. Name five human features (3mks)
7. What is habitat (2mks)
8. List six disciplines related to geography (6mks)
9. Differentiate between each of the following:
 - Democracy and population geography
 - Economics and economic geography (4mks)
10. Name two Greek words from which term geography originate (2mks)

CHAPTER 2

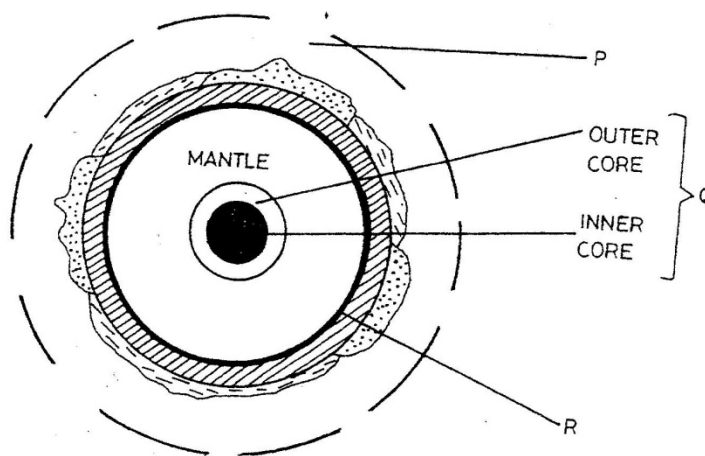
THE EARTH AND THE SOLAR SYSTEM.

PAST KCSE QUESTIONS ON THE TOPIC

1. (a) State two effects of the rotation of the earth (2mks)
- (b) Study the diagram below and answer the questions that follow



- (i) Which movement of the earth is represented by the diagram? (1mk)
- (ii) Give two effects of the movement represented by the diagram (2mks)
2. The diagram below represents the structure of the earth. Use it to answer question



(a) Name

(i) The parts marked P and Q

(2mks)

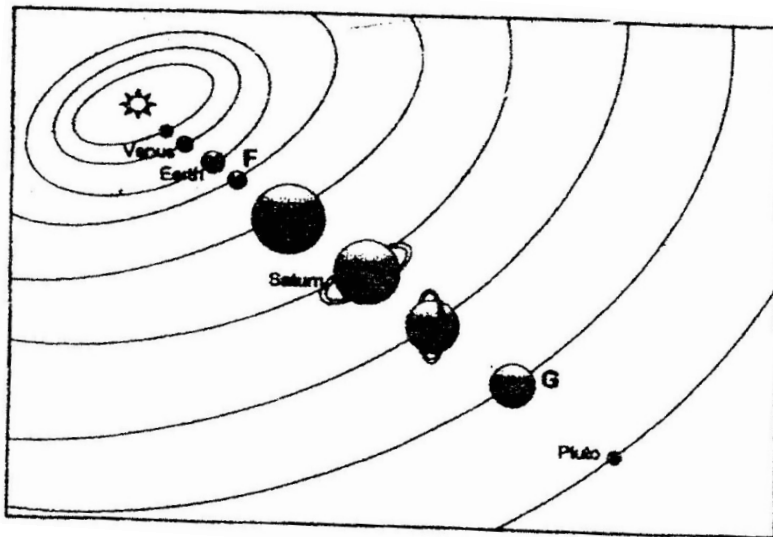
(ii) The discontinuity marked R

(1mk)

(b) State three characteristics of the mantle

(3mks)

3. The diagram below shows the composition of the solar system



(a) Name the planets marked F and G

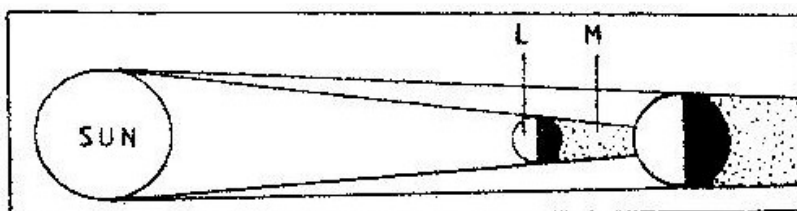
(2mks)

(b) State three effects of the rotation of the earth on its axis

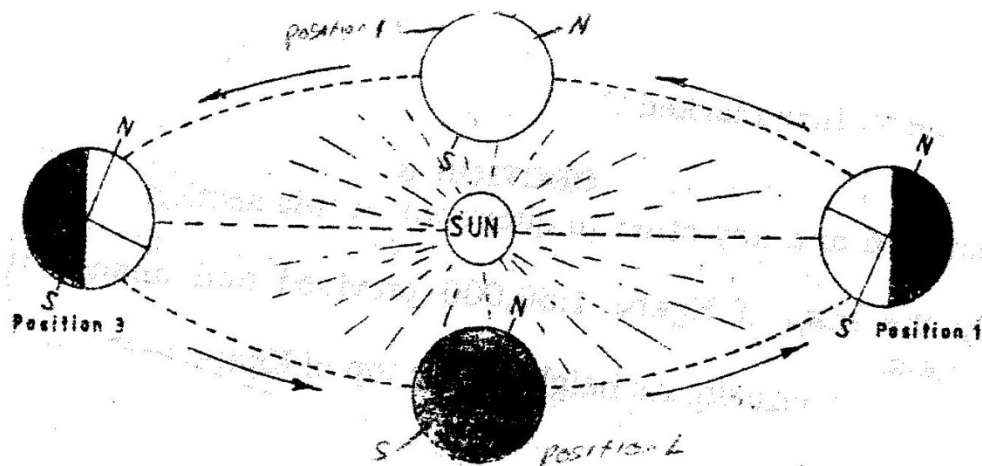
(3mks)

4. a) What is the solar system?

b) Use the diagram below to answer the questions that follow.



- i) What type of eclipse is represented by the diagram?
 - ii) Name the features marked L and M
5. (a) (i) Give the two dates in a year during which the number of hours of darkness is equal in both the north and south poles.
- (ii) Why do the lengths of days and nights vary from one part of the earth to another?
- (b) The diagram below shows the revolution of the earth around the sun. Use it to answer the questions that follow



- (i) If the earth takes 366 days to make a complete revolution during a leap year, how long will it take to move from position 1 to position 4?
 - (ii) What season is experienced in the southern hemisphere when the earth is in Position 1?
6. Define the following,
- i. Solar system
 - ii. Galaxy
 - iii. Star

- iv. Asteroids (6mks)
7. Differentiate between the following
- (a) Latitude and longitude
 - (b) Dateline and international dateline
 - (c) Meteors and Meteorite. (6mks)
8. State three differences between solar eclipse and lunar eclipse. (2mks)
9. State four factors that support life on planet earth. (4mks)
10. (a) List four effects of earth rotation. (4mks)
- (b) At Nairobi on longitude 37°E local time is 1 p.m. What time would it be at Sarissa on longitude 41 °E? (4mks)
11. (a) Define equinox. (2mks)
- (b) State characteristics of summer solstice. (4mks)
12. The earth is inclined to the ecliptic plane at an angle of..... and the axis is also inclined at an angle to perpendicular line. (4mks)
13. Fill in the table from (a) - (f) (10mks)

Property s/Layer	Major constituent	Thickness	Density	Temperature
Outer crust	(a)	iii. 16-24 kms	(b)	
Inner crust	ii. Magnesium	S (c)	2.8-30 gms/cc	
Asthensophere	i. Iron	2900 kms	(d)	5000 C
Centrosphere	ii. Nickle	(e)		(f)

14. State three weaknesses of the passing star theory. (6mks)
15. Differentiate between hydrosphere and atmosphere. (4mks)
16. Planet ... 1... is seventh planet from the sun and is greenish in colour. Planet ...2... takes shortest time to revolve round the sun about 88 earth day. Planet ...3... and ...4... are referred to as twin planets. Planet ...5... takes about 11.86 earth years to revolve round the sun. All the planets have satellite orbiting round them except planet ...6... and ...7... (7mks)
17. Explain reasons for flattening and bulging of earth. (4mks)
18. State characteristics of winter solstice (4mks)
19. Differentiate between summer solstice and winter solstice. (4mks)
20. (a) What is an eclipse? (2mks)
21. Apart from planets name other heavenly bodies.
22. What is a longitude? (2mks)
23. State the effects of the elliptical shape of the earth's orbit. (6mks)
24. If the local time in Nairobi on longitude 37°E time is 10 p.m. What will the time be at Buchanan Liberia on longitude 10°W.? (4mks)
- (a) What is the effect of International Date Line on crossing the line? (4mks)
- (b) What is the angle of inclination of the earth axis from its orbit? (2mks)
- (c) Give four proofs that the earth is spherical in shape. (8mks)

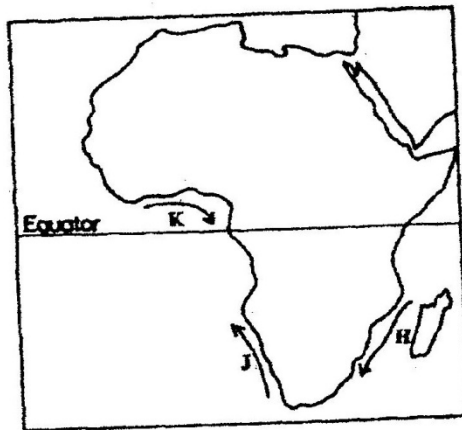
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CHAPTER 3

WEATHER

1. (a) How does a sea breeze occur? (2 mks)

(b) Use the map of Africa below to answer questions (b) (i)



(i) Name the ocean currents marked H, J, and K (3 mks)

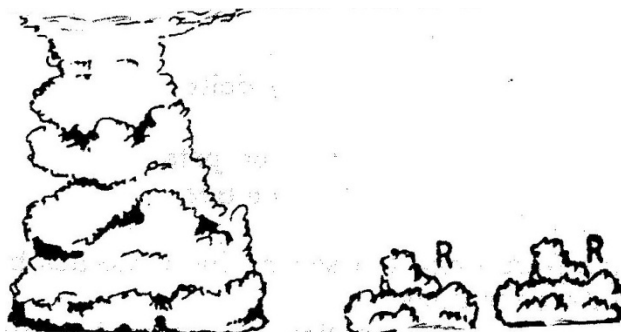
(ii) State two effects of a warm ocean current on the adjacent coastlands (2 mks)

2. (a) Name two theories of the origin of the earth (2 mks)

(b) Name four layers of the earth's atmosphere (4 mks)

3. (a) State two conditions that are necessary for the formation of fog.

(b) The diagram below shows some types of clouds. Use it to answer the questions that follow.



(i) Name the clouds marked R

(ii) Give two weather conditions associated with cumulonimbus clouds

4. a) the tables below represent rainfall and temperature of stations X and Y.

Use them to answer questions (a) and (b)

MONTHS	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
TEMPERATURE IN °C	30	31	31	31	30	29	29	28	28	29	29	30
RAINFALL IN MM	250	250	325	300	213	25	25	25	100	275	380	200

MONTHS	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	O
TEMPERATURE IN °C	21	20	20	17	15	13	12	13	15	16	18	20
RAINFALL IN MM	12	12	15	50	90	110	87	87	50	35	20	15

a) (i) For each of the two stations calculate the mean annual temperature.

X -

Y -

(ii) Calculate the annual rainfall for station Y

(iii) On the graph paper provided, draw a bar graph to represent rainfall for station x. Use vertical scale of 1cm to represent 50mm

b) Describe the climatic characteristics of station Y.

5. a) The table below shows climatic data of a station in Kenya.

Use it to answer question (a)

Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Temp in °C	28.9	29.7	30.3	29.9	29.7	29.2	28.4	28.7	29.6	30.1	29.2	28.7
Rainfall in mm	9.0	8.0	21.0	49.0	25.0	9.0	20.0	10.0	4.0	10.0	17.0	11.0

- i) What is the annual range of temperature at the station?
- ii) Calculate the total rainfall for the station.
- b) State three factors that influence climate.
6. (a) Name two elements of weather that can be recorded at a school weather station
- (b) Give three reasons why the recording of data at a school weather station may be inaccurate
7. (a) Describe a suitable site where you would locate a weather station in your School (2 mks)
- (b) Give reasons why a Stevenson's screen is:
- (i) Painted White (2 mks)
- (ii) Has louvers (2 mks)
8. Define relative humidity. (2 mks)

9. (a) Identify four characteristics of convectional rainfall. (4mks)
- (b) State the difference between radiation fog and advection fog. (4mks)
10. (a) Briefly describe how the six thermometers operate. (5mks)
- (b) Three ways in which clouds are classified. (3mks)
11. (a) Give three precautions to be taken when citing a weather station. (3mks)
- (b) State three factors determining the amount of solar radiation reaching the earth's surface. (3mks)
12. Define the following terms:
- (i) Climate
- (ii) Relative humidity
- (iii) Weather forecasting
- (iv) Absolute humidity
- (v) Weather lore (5mks)
13. State the advantages of studying weather through field work. (5mks)
14. (a) Describe how you would use the following apparatus during a field study.
Rainfall, maximum and minimum thermometers. (3mks)
- (b) Identify and explain the formation of the type of rainfall found in the Lake Region or Kenya. (8mks)
- (c) Briefly write down two problems associated with the type rainfall above. (4mks)
15. (a) What is weather forecasting? (2mks)
- (b) List four problems of weather forecasting. (4mks)
- (c) State four ways in which weather forecasting is important to the human

activities.

(4mks)

16. (a) Explain three ways in which clouds influence weather. (3mks)

(b) Use the data below to answer questions that follow.

Month of the year	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Temp in °C	25	26	26	24	23	22	21	21	22	22	22	22
Rainfall in mm	42	40	73	171	90	89	163	160	71	68	64	42

(i) Calculate mean annual temperature

(ii) Calculate annual rainfall

(iii) Calculate annual range of temperature.

(iv) Calculate the mean annual rainfall

(v) Which is the wettest month?

(10 mks)

17. (a) Define 3 air mass. (2mks)

(b) Name types of air masses. (3mks)

(c) A mass of air at 15°C can hold 20gm/cm³ of moisture. The same air at the same temperature has 6gm/cm³ of moisture. What is its relative humidity?

(4mks)

18. Name two instruments placed in the Stevenson Screen. (2mks)

19. Why does sea breeze flow at night time? (3mks)

CHAPTER 4

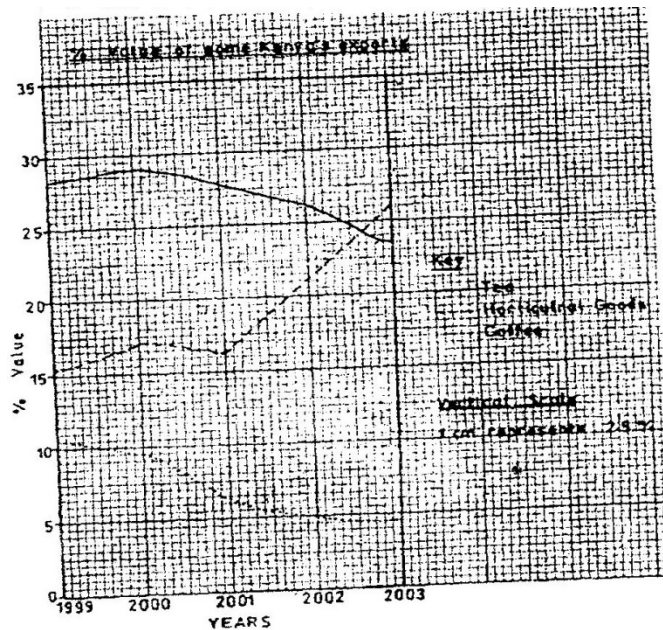
STATISTICAL METHODS

1. The table below shows petroleum production in thousand barrels per day for countries in the Middle East in April 2006. Use it to answer question (a)

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Iraq	

- a) (i) What is the difference in production between the highest and the lowest producer (1mk)
- (ii) What is the total amount of petroleum produced in April 2006 in the region? (1mk)
- b) State three conditions that are necessary for the formation of petroleum (3mks)

2. The graph below shows percentage value of some export commodities from Kenya between 1999 and 2003. Use it to answer questions (a) and (b)



- (a) (i) What was the percentage value of the tea exported in the year 2000? (2mks)
- (ii) What was the difference in the percentage values of the horticultural products and coffee exports in 1999? (2mks)
- (iii) Describe the trend of the value of coffee exports from 1999 to 2003 (3mks)
- (iv) Explain three factors which may have led to the increased export earnings from horticultural produce in Kenya between years 1999 and 2003 (6mks)
- (v) Give three advantages of using simple line graphs to represent data. (3mks)

- (b) State four reasons why Kenya's agricultural export earnings are generally low (4mks)
- (c) State five reasons why the common market for Eastern and southern Africa (5mks)
3. (a) Define the following terms
- Statistics
 - Statistical data
 - Statistical methods (6mks)
- (b) State two types of statistical data. (2mks)
- (c) Write down two types of questionnaires. (2mks)
4. (a) What factors must be considered in selecting methods of data collection. (3mks)
- (b) Differentiate between discrete data and continuous data giving relevant examples. (4mks)
5. (a) What is sampling (1mk)
- (b) State 3 types of sampling. (3mks)
6. (a) Name two main methods used in analyzing statistical data. (2mks)
- (b) What is the significance of statistics in geography? (5mks)
7. (i) Name two types of graphs that you have learnt about. (2mks)
- (ii) What are the advantages of using graphs named above in representing statistical data? Give advantages. (4mks)
8. (i) What is a questionnaire?
- (ii) State four advantages of using questionnaires in collection of statistical

data.

(4mks)

(iii) Explain oral interview method.

(2mks)

9. Explain the following methods of data recording.

- Tabulation
- Photographing
- Tape recording
- Tallying

10. What is data?

(2mks)

11. Marks 72, 60, 65, 70, 65, 80, 65, 70, 80, 84, 63, 75, 63, 71, 74

Use the data above to find out mean and mode.

(4mks)

12. With the help of data above explain how median is obtained.

(3mks)

CHAPTER 5

FIELD WORK

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1. State two ways in which information collected during the field study would be useful to the local community. 2mks
2. Your class is required to carry out a field study of a river. What would be the advantage of dividing the class into groups according to the stages of the long profile 3 of a river?
3. What would be the disadvantages of c using secondary data in this kind of a field study?
4. You intend to carry out field study on population in the local open air market,
 - (i) State three reasons why it would be necessary for you to visit the market before actual field study.
 - (ii) Give two methods you would use to collect information on pollution. ,
 - (iii) State three follow up activities necessary for the study. -51
5. You are supposed to carry out a field study on the uses of vegetation in the area around your school.
 - (a) State three reasons why it would be necessary to visit the area *before* the day of the study.
 - (b) Give four uses of vegetation you are likely to identify during the study.

(3mks)
 - (c) Why is it necessary to sample part of the forest for the study?
6. List three types of fieldwork.

(3mks)

7. Explain the importance of field work. (5mks)
8. Outline the procedure for carrying out field study. (5mks)
9. List some topics in physical geography on which you can carry out a field study.
(4mks)
10. State five ways in which you would prepare for field study to a weather. (5mks)
11. What is the importance of carrying samples from the field to the school? (4mks)
12. Formulate five suitable objectives for field study on a visit to a forest. (5mks)
13. Discuss types of hypothesis. (2mks)
14. List five methods of data presentation. (5mks)
15. Explain five problems one would encounter on field study in a forest? (5mks)
16. Why is reconnaissance important?

CHAPTER 6

MAP WORK

1. Study the map of Taita Hills (1:50,000) sheet 189/4 provided and answer the following questions

- (a) (i) What is the bearing of the peak of Mwatunga hill in grid square 3214 from the water tank in grid square 2619? (2mks)
- (ii) What is the length in kilometers of the section of the Mwatate – Voi railway line in the south – eastern part of the map? (2mks)

- (b) Draw a rectangle measuring 16cm by 12 cm to represent the area enclosed by the Eastings 24 and 40 and Northings 20 and 30 (1 mk)

On the rectangle, mark and name the following features:

- Mgange hills (1 mk)
 - A rock out crop (1 mk)
 - All weather road, bound surface (1 mk)
 - River Ruhia (1 mk)
 - Ronge forest (1 mk)
- (c) Using evidence from the map, explain three factors that have favoured the establishment of the Teita sisal Estates in the Southern part of the area covered by the map (6 mks)

2. Study the map of Nyahururu, 1: 50,000 (sheet 105/4) provided and answer the following questions

- (a) (i) Give the six figure grid of the junction where the road to Ndaragwa (D 388) meets with the road to Nyeri & Nanyuki (B5) (2mks)
- (ii) Calculate the bearing of point X from point Y (2mks)
- (iii) Name three physical features found along the line XY (3mks)
- (b) (i) Draw a square 12 cm by 12 cm to represent the area enclosed by the Easting 10 and northing 10 to the North-eastern part of the map (1mk)
- (ii) On the square, mark and label
- The main river (1mk)
 - All weather loose surface road (1mk)
 - A forest (1mk)
- (c) Citing evidence from the map, explain two
- (i) Physical factors that may have influenced the location of Nyahururu town (4mks)
- (ii) Factors that favour saw milling in the area covered by the map (4mks)

3. Study the map of Taita Hills (150: 50,000 sheet 189\4) to answer the following questions.

- a) What is the approximate height of the hill at the grid square 3926. (2mks)

- b) Measure the length of all weather 6 to roads (bound surface) from Wundanyi to southern edge of the area covered by the map. (2mks)
 - c) Citing evidence from the map describe the relief of the area shown. (5mks)
 - d) State differences between a map and a plan. (2mks)
 - e) Explain two importance of scale in maps. (2mks)
4. Study the map of Kisumu East (1:50,000) and answer the following questions.
- (a) (i) What is the bearing of the trigonometrical station at grid reference 081980 from the rock antelop at grid reference 071992. (2mks)
 - (ii) Measure the length of the all weather road (bound surface) 1321, from, the junction at grid reference 974911 to the edge of the map, grid reference 947967. (2mks)
 - (b) (i) Describe the relief of the area covered by the map.
 - (ii) Explain how relief has influenced the settlement in the area covered by the map. (8mks)
 - (c) Citing evidence give three economic activities carried out in the area covered by the map.
 - (d) Students from the school at Masago (grid square 0681) carried out field study of the course of river Ombeyi.
 - (i) State three findings they are likely to have come up with. (3mks)
 - (ii) Give three advantages of studying rivers through field work

CHAPTER 7

ROCKS AND MINERALS

1. (a) Describe the following characteristics of minerals
 - (i) Colour (2mks)
 - (ii) Cleavage (2mks)
 - (iii) Hardness (2mks)
- (b)
 - (i) Give two types of igneous rocks (2mks)
 - (ii) Explain three conditions necessary for the growth of coral polyps (6mks)
- (c) State four uses of rocks (4mks)
- (d) You are planning to carry out a field study on the rocks within your school environment
 - (i) Give two secondary sources of information you would use to prepare for the field study (2mks)
 - (ii) State why you would need the following items during the field study:
 - A fork jembe (1mk)
 - A polythene bag (1mk)
 - (iii) Suppose during the field study you collected marble, sandstone and granite, classify each of these samples according to its mode of formation (3mks)
2. (a) State two characteristics of sedimentary rocks (2mks)
- (b) Give two examples of chemically formed sedimentary rocks (2mks)
3. a) Name the type of rocks which results from the metamorphism of:

- (i) Granite
 - (ii) Clay (2mks)
- b) Give two reasons why sedimentary rocks are widespread in the coastal plain of Kenya. (2mks)
- 4. (a) (i) What is a rock? (2mks)
- (ii) Describe three ways through which sedimentary rocks are formed
 - Mechanically formed
 - Organically formed
 - Chemically formed (6mks)
- (b) Describe two process through which sedimentary rocks changer into metamorphic rocks
- (c) Give an example of each of the following types of igneous rocks
 - (i) Plutonic rocks (1mks)
 - (ii) Hypabyssal rocks (1mks)
 - (iii) Volcanic rocks (1mks)
- (d) Suppose you were to carry out a field study of rocks within the vicinity of your school
 - (i) Name three secondary sources of information you would use to prepare for the field study (3mks)
 - (ii) State four activities you would carry during the filed study (3mks)
 - (iii) State three problems you are likely to experience during the field study (3mks)
- 5. (a) Differentiate between plutonic rocks and volcanic rocks

- (b) Describe how lava plateau is formed
 - (c) (i) Name three volcanic features found in the rift valley of Kenya
(ii) Explain four negative effects of vulcanicity in Kenya
 - (d) You intend to carry out a field study of a volcanic landscape
(i) State four reasons why it is necessary to conduct a reconnaissance of the area of study.
(ii) During your field work, you intend to study volcanic rocks, state why you would need the following items
6. (a) State two main conditions that influence the characteristics of igneous rocks. (2mks)
- (b) Write down three characteristics of sedimentary rocks. (3mks)
- (c) Name two examples of organic sedimentary rocks and where found in Kenya. (2mks)
- (d) Name four examples of metamorphic rocks and state the original rock from which each was formed. (4mks)
- (e) Describe the importance of rocks to human activities. (5mks)
7. (a) State with examples three classes of mechanically formed sedimentary rocks. (6mks)
- (b) Differentiate between regional metamorphism and contact metamorphism. (4mks)
8. (a) List two examples of extrusive igneous rocks. (2mks)
- (b) Differentiate between extrusive and intrusive rocks giving an example in

each case.

(2mks)

9. What is a rock? (2mks)
10. What is a mineral? (2mks)
11. Describe changes that occur in sedimentary rocks when they are subjected to high heat and pressure. (4mks)
12. Describe calcareous rocks. (2mks)
13. Describe carbonaceous rocks. (2mks)
14. Give examples of chemically formed sedimentary rocks. (2mks)
15. How are coral rock formed? (3mks)
16. How do rocks become metamorphic? (3mks)

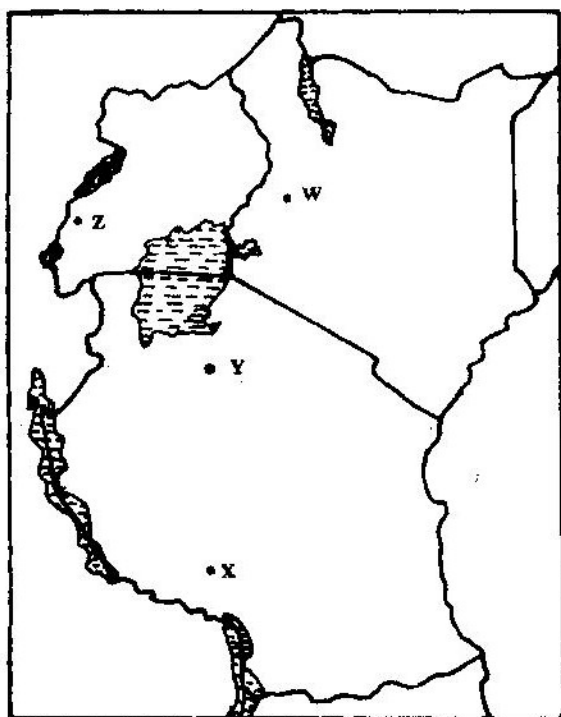
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1. The table below shows petroleum production in thousand barrels per day for countries in the Middle East in April 2006. Use it to answer question (a)

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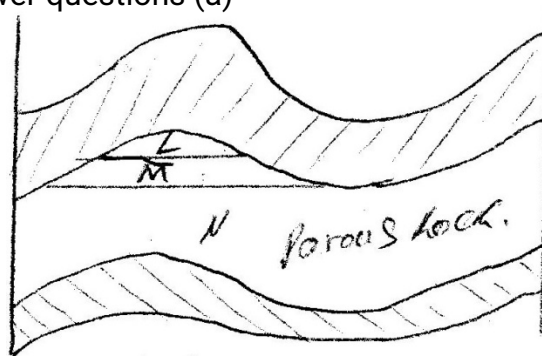
- a) (i) What is the difference in production between the highest and the lowest producer (1mk)
- (ii) What is the total amount of petroleum produced in April 2006 in the region? (1mk)
- b) State three conditions that are necessary for the formation of petroleum (3mks)
2. Use the map of East Africa below to answer questions (s).



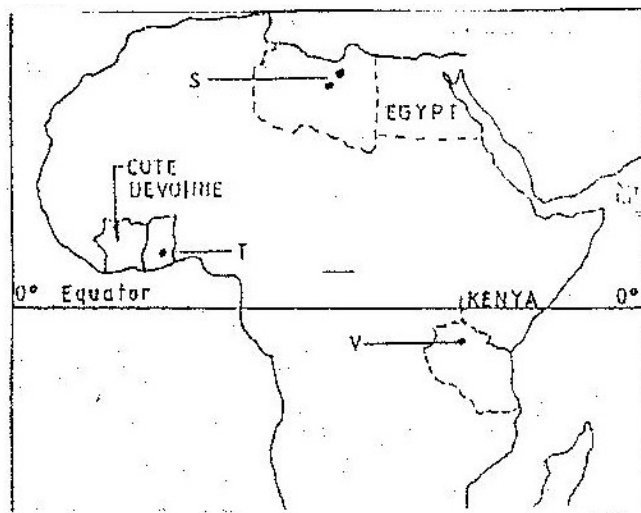
- a) (i) Name the railway terminuses marked P, Q R (3mks)
- (ii) In each case give the main commodity transported by the railway lines marked S and T. (2mks)
- b) (i) State four reasons why road network is more widespread than railways in East Africa. (4mks)
- (ii) One of the problems facing road transport is the high frequency of accidents. Explain four conditions of roads in Kenya that may lead to accidents. (8mks)
- c) i) Name three physical regions through which River Tana passes (3mks)
- ii) Explain three effects of land pollution can be controlled
- d) State four ways through which land pollution can be controlled (4mks)

3. The diagram below show the occurrence of petroleum in the earth's crust.

Use it to answer questions (a)



- a) Name the substances in the areas labeled L, M and N (3mks)
 - b) Give two by-products obtained when crude oil is refined (2mks)
4. Use the map of Africa to answer question (a) (i)



- i) Name the minerals mined in the areas marked S, T and V.
 - ii) State two formation in which mineral ores occur.
- b) Explain four problems, which Zambia experiences in the exportation of copper.
 - c) Explain three ways in which coal contributes to the economy of

Zimbabwe.

- d) Describe three negative effects of open cast mining on the environment.
5. a) Explain how deep shaft mining is done (2mks)
- b) Disadvantages of using the above method (2mks)
6. Explain four effects of land dereliction on the environment. (4mks)
7. Describe how panning mining is carried out. (3mks)
8. Identify four problems facing gold mining in South Africa. (4mks)
9. (a) In what ways has Kenya benefited from the mining of soda ash in Lake Magadi? (2mks)
- (b) What are the negative effects of mining on the environment? (4mks)
10. (a) Explain what is meant by placer mining. (2mks)
- (b) Name three mining methods.
11. Describe the occurrence and exploitation of Trona in Kenya till it is ready for marketing.
12. Name seven significances of minerals in Kenya. (7mks)
13. Explain diamond and gold in South Africa under following headings:
- Occurrence
 - Extraction
 - Benefits to the economy
 - Problems (10mks)
14. Name five uses of soda ash. (5mks)

FORM TWO WORK

CHAPTER 1

INTERNAL LAND FORMING PROCESSES – EARTH MOVEMENTS.

1. (a) Name the two types of earth movements that occur within the earth's crust (2mks)

 (b) Describe the origin of the continents according to the Theory of continental Drift (3mks)
2. Explain what you understand by each of the following:

 (i) Earth movements.

 (ii) Internal land forming processes.

 (iii) External land forming processes. (6mks)
3. Explain four evidences put forward to proof continental drift theory. (8mks)
4. Explain plate tectonic theory. (4mks)

CHAPTER 2

INTERNAL LAND FORMING PROCESS – FOLDING

1. (a) In your answer booklet, draw a diagram to show a simple fold and on it mark and name,
 - (i) An anticline. 1 mk
 - (ii) A limb. 1 mk
 - (iii) A syncline 1 mk
- (b) Name two fold mountains in Africa. 2 mks
2. (a) Name one fold mountain in;
 - (i) Asia
 - (ii) North America
 - (iii) South America
- (b) (i) Apart from Fold Mountains, name three other features resulting from folding.
- (ii) With the aid of a labelled diagram, describe the formation of an overthrust fold.
- (c) Explain four effects of Fold Mountains on human activities.
- (d) (i) How would students in your school prepare themselves for study of landforms in your district,
- (ii) State two advantages of studying landforms through field work.
3. Define orogenesis. 2 mks
4. What is folding? 2 mks
5. Explain the meaning of compressional boundaries. 2 mks

6. Differentiate between limb and axis in relation to folding. 4 mks

7. Differentiate between foreland and back land. 4 mks

8. Fill in the table provided details on age, period and features formed in each named orogenies.

Orogeny	Years (age)	Period	Mountains/features built
Charnian	1	Pre-cambrian period	2
Caledonian	Old 440 million years ago		-Akwapim Hills of Ghana - Scottish highlands
Hercynian	3	Upper Carbon ferrous period	- Cape ranges - Appalachian mountains - Ural mountains
Alpine	Youngest 70 million years ago		4

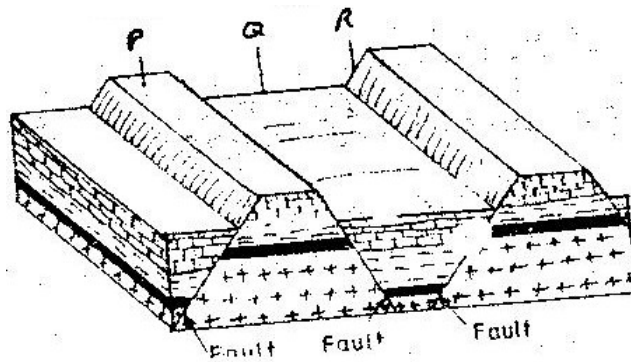
6 mks

9. Explain formation of Fold Mountains by contraction theory.

CHAPTER 3

INTERNAL LAND FORMING PROCESSES – FAULTING

1. a) A part from the Rift Valley name two other relief features that were formed as result of faulting. (2mks)
b) With the aid of a well labeled diagram, describe how a Rift Valley is formed by tensional forces. (8mks)
2. The diagram below represents features produced by faulting.
Use it to answer questions that follow.



- a) Name the features marked P, Q, and R
- b) Differentiate between a normal fault and a reverse fault.
3. State ways in which faulting influences drainage. (3mks)
4. Name two examples of Horst Mountains in East Africa. (2mks)
5. Explain two ways in which features resulting from faulting are of economic importance (4mks)
6. (a) (i) With aid of diagrams outline formation of rift valley by tension theory. (5mks)
(b) Students are planning to carry out field study of an area affected by faulting.

- (i) State four importance of having a pre-visit of the area.
- (ii) Give three disadvantages of using observation to study such an area.

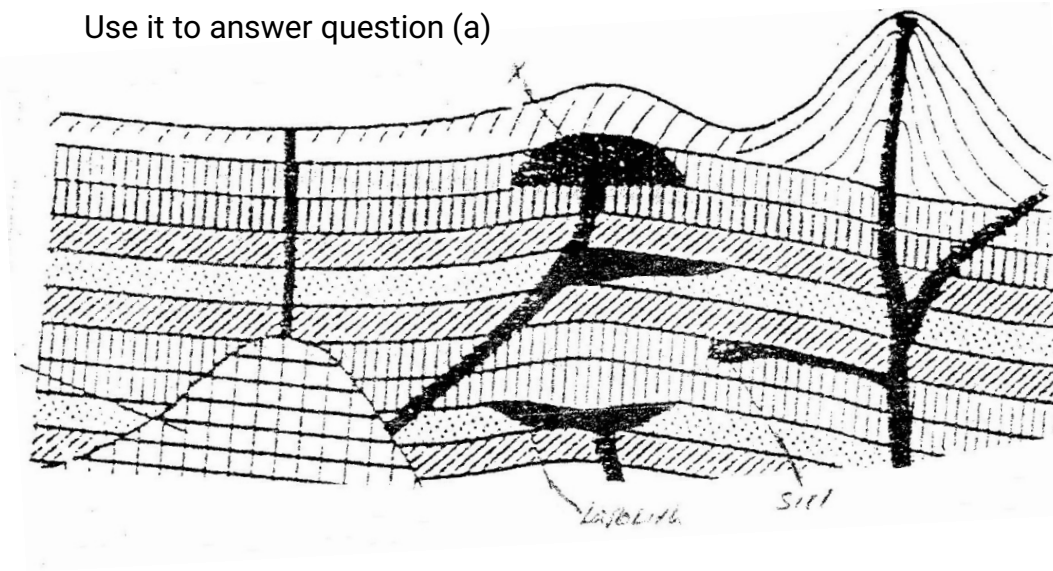
- 7. Name three types of fault. (3mks)
- 8. Explain how compressional forces lead to formation of rift valley. (5mks)
- 9. Give two of escarpments in East Africa. (2mks)
- 10. Explain ways in which features resulting from faulting are of importance. (8mks)
- 11. Describe formation of fault steps with aid of diagrams. (6mks)

CHAPTER 4

INTERNAL LAND FORMING PROCESSES – VULCANICITY

1. The diagram below shows some intrusive features formed by volcanicity.

Use it to answer question (a)



- a) i) Name features marked X,Y, and Z (3mks)
- ii) Explain how a sill is formed (4mks)
- b) Describe the characteristics of a composite volcano (4mks)
- c) Explain **four** ways in which volcanic mountains positively influence human activities. (8mks)
- d) Students carried a field study on volcanic rocks
- i) Give **four** reasons why it is necessary to collect rock samples during such a field study. (4mks)
- ii) State **two** problems they are likely to have experienced during the field study (4mks)
2. (a) Differentiate between plutonic rocks and volcanic rocks
- (b) Describe how lava plateau is formed

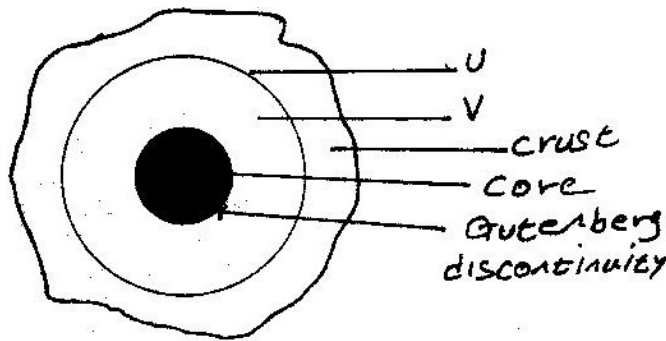
- (c) (i) Name three volcanic features found in the rift valley of Kenya
- (ii) Explain four negative effects of vulcanicity in Kenya
- (d) You intend to carry out a field study of a volcanic landscape
- (i) State four reasons why it is necessary to conduct a reconnaissance of the area of study.
- (ii) During your field work, you intend to study volcanic rocks, state why you would need the following items

- 3. Name three volcanic features found in the Rift Valley of Kenya. (3mks)
- 4. Explain four negative effects of vulcanicity in Kenya. (8mks)
- 5. Describe how lava plateau is formed. (5mks)
- 6. Differentiate between sill and dyke. (4mks)
- 7. What is vulcanicity. (2mks)
- 8. Describe how Crater Lake is formed. (5mks)
- 9. Describe how Mt. Kenya was formed.

CHAPTER 5

INTERNAL LAND FORMING PROCESSES – EARTHQUAKES.

1. (a) Name two scales used to measure the intensity of an earthquake (2mks)
(b) Give three causes of earthquakes (3mks)
2. The diagram below represents the internal structure of the earth. Use it to answer question(a)



- (a) Name the part marked U and V.
- (b) Describe the deposition of:
 - i. The crust
 - ii. The core
- (c) (i) What are earthquakes
(ii) Name two types of earthquakes.
(iii) State the five ways in which the earth's crust is affected by earthquakes.
- (d) You intend to carry out a field study of an area recently affected by intense earthquake.
 - i. Give two sources of information that you would use in

preparation for the study.

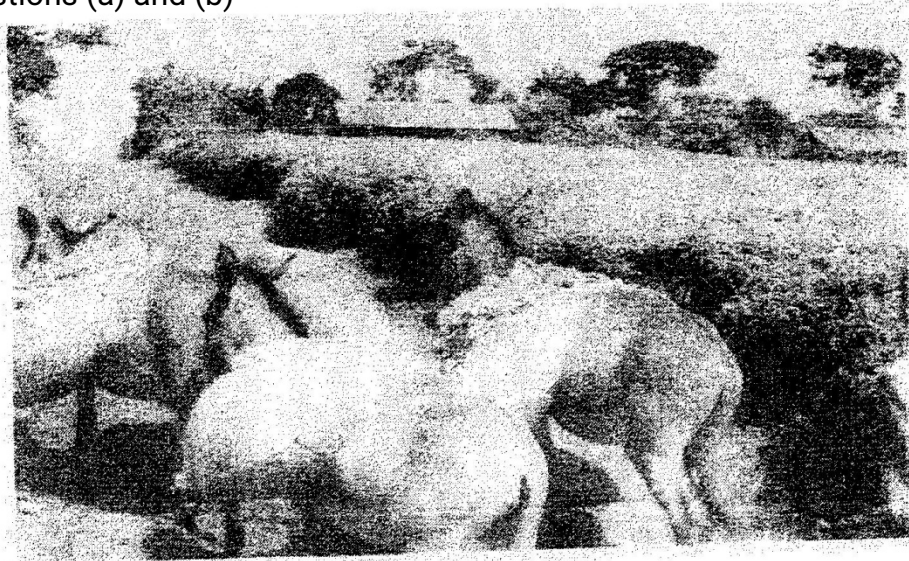
- ii. Explain two factors that would make it difficult for you to collect accurate data during the field study.

3. (a) State three causes of earthquakes
(b) Give two effects of earthquakes in built up areas
4. State the major causes of earthquakes (2mks)
5. Explain how intensity of earthquake is measured. (2mks)
6. List major effects of earthquakes where they occur. (4mks)
7. Distinguish between seismograph and seismogram (4mks)
8. Differentiate between intensity and magnitude of earthquake (4mks)
9. Students from your school intend to carry out a field study of an area recently affected by intense earthquake.
 - (i) Give two sources of information that you would use in preparation for the study.
 - (ii) Explain two factors that would make it difficult for you to collect accurate data during the field study.

CHAPTER 6

PHOTOGRAPH WORK.

1. The photograph provided shows a tea growing area in Kenya. Use it to answer questions (a) and (b)



- a) (i) What evidence in the photograph shows that this is a ground general-view type of photograph? (2mks)
- (ii) Draw a rectangle measuring 15cm by 10cm to represent the area of the photograph. On it sketch and label the main features shown on the photograph. (5mks)
- (iii) Identify two features from the photograph that show that this is a small scale tea farm. (2mks)
- b) Describe the stages involved in the cultivation of tea from land preparation to the stage shown on the photograph.
- c) (i) Name two districts in the Eastern province where tea is grown. (2mks)
- (ii) Explain four ways in which the Kenya Tea development agency

(KTDA) assists small scale tea farmers in Kenya

(8mks)

2. What is the type of photograph shown?



3. Name each of the following:

- (i) Crop under cultivation (2mks)
- (ii) Type of farming (2mks)
- (iii) Other groups of crops in this type of farming. (2mks)
- (iv) The province in Kenya where this photograph was taken. (2mks)

4. Name five problems facing this type of farming in Kenya. 5mks

5. Name two major export destinations (countries) for farm produce shown. (2mks)

6. Name three physical features at the background of the photograph.

(3mks)

7. Draw a rectangle of 12cm by 7cm to represent the area covered by the photograph.



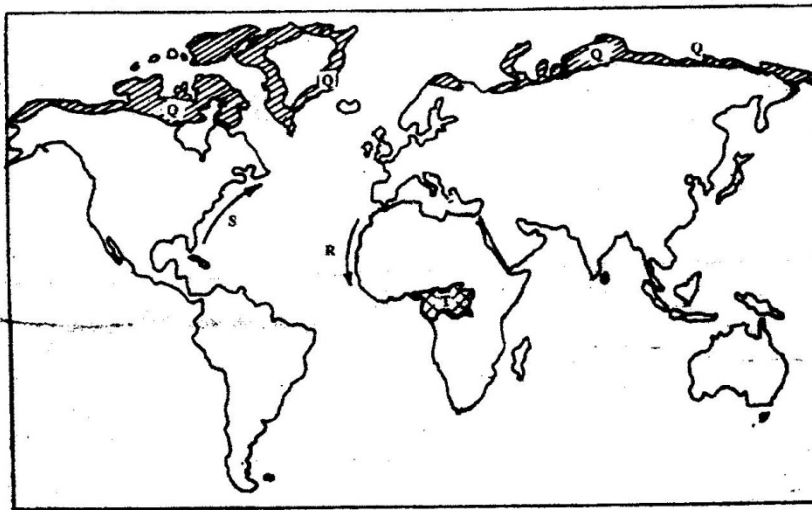
CHAPTER 7

CLIMATE.

1. (a) (i) What is climate? (2mks)
(ii) Explain two effects of climate change on the physical environment
2. The table below represents rainfall and temperature figures for a town in Africa.
Use it to answer the questions that follow

Month	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Temp (°C)	27	28	28	28	27	25	25	24	25	26	27	26
Rainfall (mm)	25	38	99	140	277	439	277	69	142	201	71	25

- (a) Calculate the annual range of temperature for the town (2mk)
 - (b) Calculate the total annual rainfall for the town. (2mks)
 - (c) State two characteristics of the climate experienced in the town. (2mks)
3. Use the map below to answer questions (a) and (b)



- (a) Name:
- (i) The type of climate found in the shaded area marked Q (1mk)
 - (ii) The ocean current marked R and S (2mks)
- (b) Describe the characteristics of the type of climate found in the shaded area marked T (8mks)
- (c) Explain how the following factors influence climate
- (i) Altitude (4mks)
 - (ii) Distance from the sea (4mks)
- (d) (i) Describe a suitable site where you would locate a weather station in your School (2mks)
- (ii) Give reasons why a Stevenson's screen is:
- Painted White (2mks)
 - Has louvers (2mks)
4. Describe the characteristics of natural vegetation associated with equatorial climate (4mks)
5. Give five characteristics of hot desert climate (5mks)
6. How does the following factors influence climate?
- (i) Wind/air masses.
 - (ii) Latitude.
7. Explain characteristics of climatic conditions experienced in the Kenyan highlands. (8mks)
8. Explain four ways in which mountains influence climate. (8mks)
9. What is greenhouse effect? (2mks)

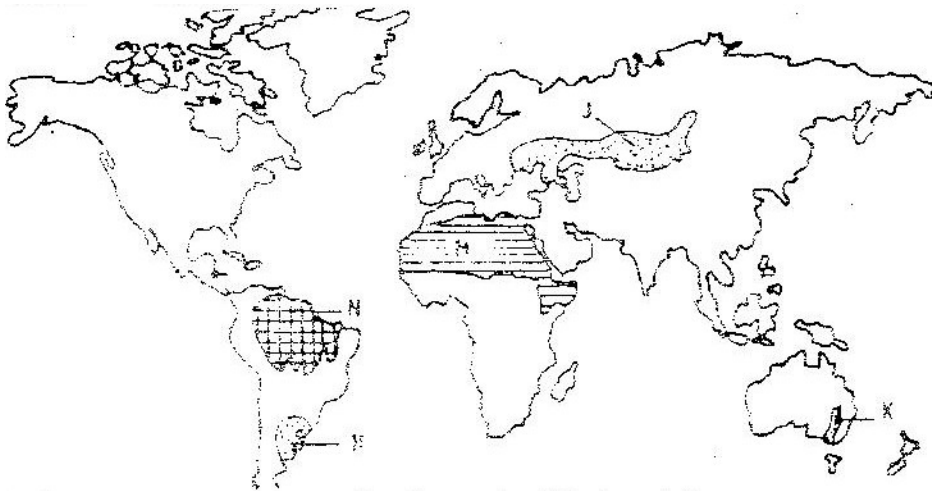
10. How do human activities influence climate change? (6mks)
11. How does clearance of vegetation cause climate change? (3mks)
12. Define climate. (2mks)
13. What is isothermal layer? (2mks)

CHAPTER 8

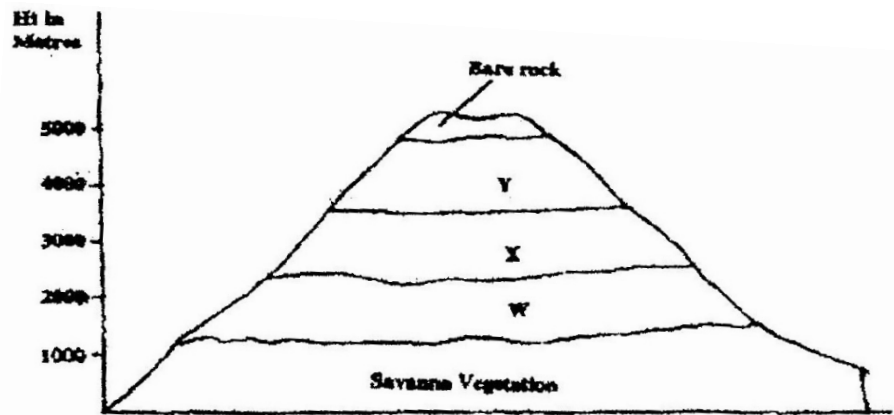
VEGETATION

1. The map below shows some vegetation regions of the world.

Use it to answer questions (a) to (c).



- a) Name the temperate grasslands marked H, J and K.
- b) Describe the characteristics of the natural vegetation found in the shaded area marked N.
- c) i) Explain four ways in which the vegetation found in the area marked M adapts to the environment conditions of the region.
- d) You are required to carry out a field study of the vegetation within the local environment:
- i) A part from identifying the different types of plants, state three other activities you will carry out during the field study.
- ii) How will you identify the different types of plants?
2. The diagram below represents zones of natural vegetation on a mountain in Africa. Use it to answer question (a) (i) and (ii)



- a) (i) Name the vegetation zones marked W, X and Y. (3mks)
- (ii) Describe the characteristics of the savanna vegetation. (6mks)
- (iii) Name the temperate grasslands found in the following countries:
- Canada (1mk)
 - Russia (1mk)
 - Australia (1mk)
- b) Explain three causes of the decline of the areas under forest in Kenya. (6mks)
- c) You are supposed to carry out a field study on the uses of vegetation in the area your school.
- (i) State three reasons why it would be necessary to visit the area before the day of the study. (3mks)
- (ii) Give four uses of you are likely to identify during the study (4mks)
3. (a) What is a natural vegetation? (2mks)
- (b) State three characteristics of Mediterranean vegetation (3mks)

4. Explain three measures that the Kenyan government has taken to reduce the decline of natural vegetation cover. (6mks)
5. How do the following factors influence distribution of vegetation in Kenya.
- (i) Variation in rainfall
 - (ii) Variation of temperature
 - (iii) Variation of altitude/relief.
 - (iv) Aspect
 - (v) Soil
 - (vi) Human activities (10mks)
6. State two reasons why mountain tops have no vegetation. (2mks)
7. Define vegetation. (2mks)
8. Name areas where coniferous forests are found. (3mks)
9. State characteristics of temperate grassland. (5mks)
10. Distinguish between secondary vegetation and planted vegetation. (4mks)
11. State two ways in which vegetation is significant to human and physical environment. (5mks)



- (a) Name the type of photograph and type of vegetation. (2mks)
- (b) Describe how the vegetation is adapted to climatic conditions of the region. (3mks)

CHAPTER 9

FORESTRY

1.
 - a)
 - i) What is forestry? (2mks)
 - ii) Explain three factors that favour the growth of natural forests on the slopes of Mt. Kenya. (6mks)
 - iii) State five factors that have led to the reduction of the area under forest on the slopes of Mt Kenya. (5mks)
 - b) Explain four measures that the government of Kenya is taking to conserve forests in the country. (8mks)
 - c) Give the differences in the exploitation of softwood forests in Kenya and Canada under the following sub-headings;
 - i) Period of harvesting; (2mks)
 - ii) Transportation (2mks)
2. Explain factors favouring forestry in Canada
3. List two species of indigenous hardwood forest trees in Kenya. (2mks)
4. Name two industries associated with forestry. (2mks)
5. Explain three measures being undertaken to conserve forests in Kenya. (6mks)
6. Explain four problems that are being experienced in exploitation of hardwood forests in Kenya. (8mks)
7. Explain three reasons why only a small part of Kenya is forested. (6mks)
8. Outline three consequences of forest depletion in Kenya. (3mks)
9. State the factors favouring forestry in Kenya. (8mks)

10. Name four secondary products of forests. (4mks)
11. List eight major indigenous tree species in West Africa. (8mks)
12. (a) Define agro-forestry. (1mk)
(b) Outline four benefits of agro-forestry (4mks)

1. (a) (i) What is the difference between weathering and mass wasting?
(ii) Apart from plants, give three other factors that influence the rate of Weathering (3mks)
(iii) Explain two ways in which plants cause weathering (4mks)
- (b) (i) List two types of mass wasting other than soil creep (2mks)
(ii) Explain three factors that cause soil creep. (6mks)
- (c) Explain four effects of mass wasting on the environment. (8mks)
2. Give two processes involved in each of the following types of weathering
(a) Physical weathering (2mks)
(b) Chemical weathering (2mks)
3. (a) What is mechanical weathering? (2mks)
(b) How is an exfoliation dome formed? (5mks)
4. Describe five processes involved in chemical weathering? (3mks)
5. Name physical weathering processes that take place in the arid areas.
6. List factors that determine rate of weathering.
7. Define the term denudation
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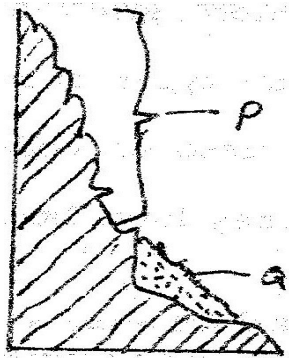


- a) Name the above type of weathering.
- b) Describe the process shown by the photograph

CHAPTER 2

EXTERNAL LAND FORMING PROCESSES – MASS MOVEMENT.

1. a) State two conditions which may influence the occurrence of landslides
- b) Using the diagram (in question paper), name



- (i) The type of mass movement shown
 - (ii) The features marked P and Q (2mks)
2. Explain five ways in which soil creep occurs. (10mks)
3. Describes the effects of soil creep. (6mks)
4. Define the following:
 - a) Mass wasting.
 - b) Mass movement. (2mks)
5. Name and explain three process of slow mass movement. (4mks)
6. Explain the factors that are responsible for rapid mass wasting.
7. List the evidences of soil creep. (4mks)

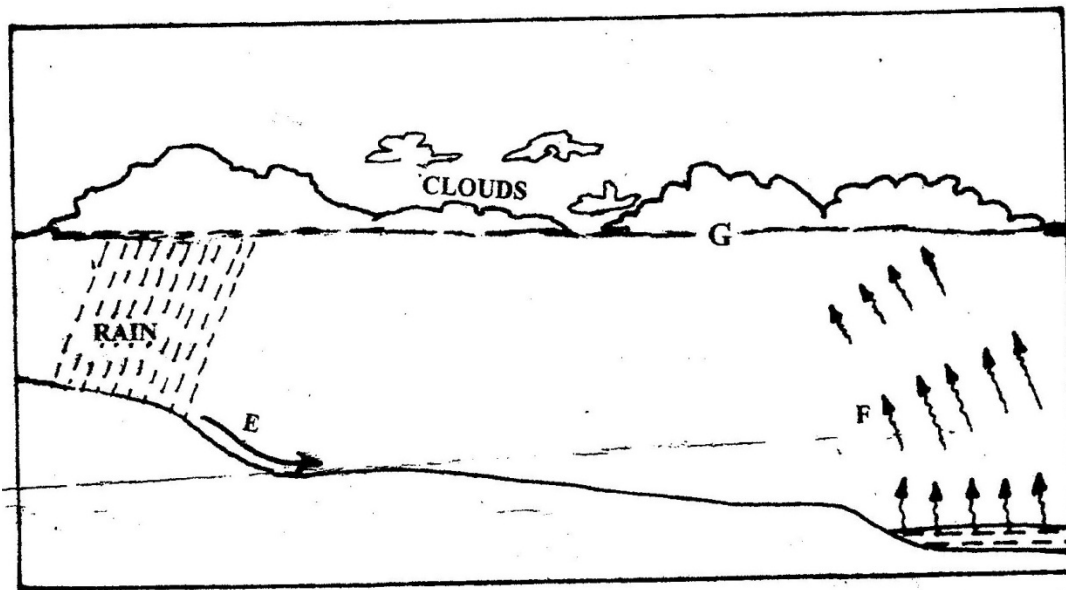
CHAPTER 3

THE HYDROLOGICAL CYCLE

1. (a) The diagram below shows the hydrological cycle. Name the stages marked

E, F, and G

(3mks)



- (b) Differentiate between watershed and a catchments area (2mks)
2. State four factors that determine the amount of surface run-off.
3. What is hydrological cycle? (2mks)
4. Explain factors that influence percolation of water. (8mks)
5. (a) What is cryosphere? (2mks)
- (b) Name the significance of hydrological cycle.
- (4mks)
6. List other forms of precipitation other than rainfall that may also form major inputs into the system. (4mks)

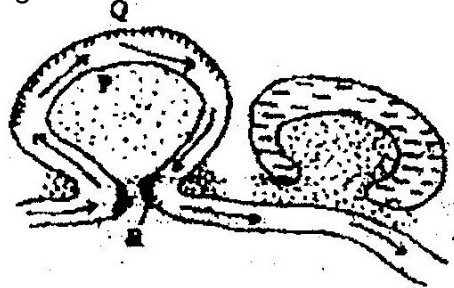
7. What factors can influence surface run off or overland flow. (5mks)
8. In what ways can we sustain the process of the hydrological cycle? (8mks)

CHAPTER 4

ACTION OF RIVERS

1. (a) Name two types of the coastal deltas (2mks)
(b) State two conditions that lead to deposition of silt at the mouth of a river (2mks)

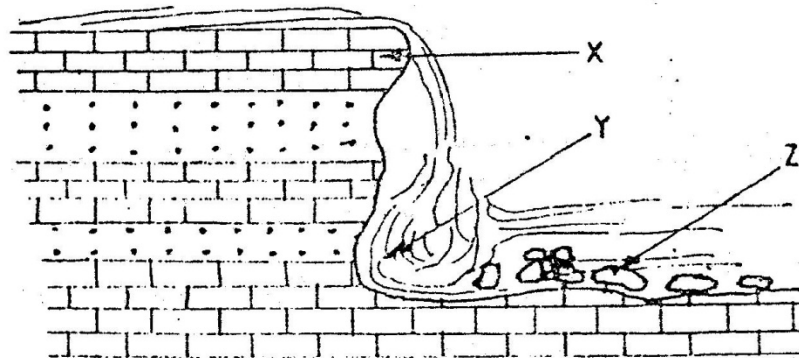
2. The diagram below shows river Mandra. Use it to answer question (a)



- (a) (i) Name the process that take place at each of the points marked P and Q. (2mks)
(ii) Name the feature formed at the point marked R (1mk)
(iii) Describe how an Ox- bow lake is formed (5mks)
 - (b) State five characteristics of a flood plain (5mks)
 - (c) Explain three causes of river rejuvenation (6mks)
 - (e) Your class is required to carry out a field study of a river
(i) What would be the advantages of dividing the class into groups according to the stages of the long profile of a river? (4mks)
(ii) What would be the disadvantage of using secondary data in this kind of a field study? (2mks)
3. (a) State two factors which influence the occurrence of surface run- off
(b) The diagram below shows a waterfall. Name the feature marked X, Y and

Z

Z



4. Describe three ways in which rivers transports its load.
5. Describe the following drainage patterns
 - (i) Dedritic.
 - (ii) Trellis.
 - (iii) Centipetal.
6. a) State two factors that influence the rate of erosion by the river in its upper course.
- b) (i) Define river rejuvenation

Name two features that result from river rejuvenation

7. Explain the following:
 - (a) River basin
 - (b) Watershed
 - (c) Catchment area
 - (d) River regime

(8mks)

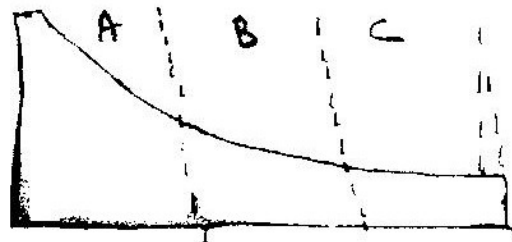
8. With examples from Africa, explain the differences between the following river features:

- (a) Inland delta and alluvial fan.
- (b) Estuarine delta and an estuary.
- (c) Bluff and river cliff.
- (d) Levees and river bank.
- (e) River valley and river channel.
- (f) Paired terrace and unpaired terrace.
- (g) Drainage pattern and drainage system,
- (h) Misfit river and deferred river,
- (i) Antecedent drainage and superimposed drainage. (18mks)

9. Describe how a river erodes its channel through the following processes

- (i) Abrasion
- (ii) Hydraulic (4mks)

10. (a) (i) In which stage is the river at 'A'



(ii) Name 3 features found at the above stage. (3mks)

(b) (i) In which stage is the river at 'B'

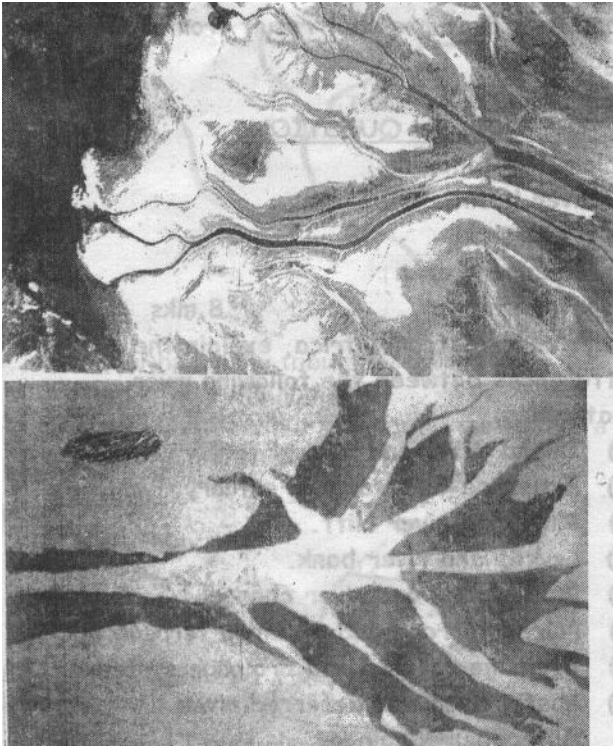
(ii) Which are the characteristics of the river at stage B?

(iii) Describe the characteristics of the river at the above stage C. (4mks)

(c) In which stage is the river at C.

11. Explain the significance of rivers to man.

(10mks)12.



- a) Name the type of photograph. (1mk)
- b) Name the features shown by the photograph. I and II. (2mks)
- c) State the conditions necessary for formation of these features. (3mks)

CHAPTER 5

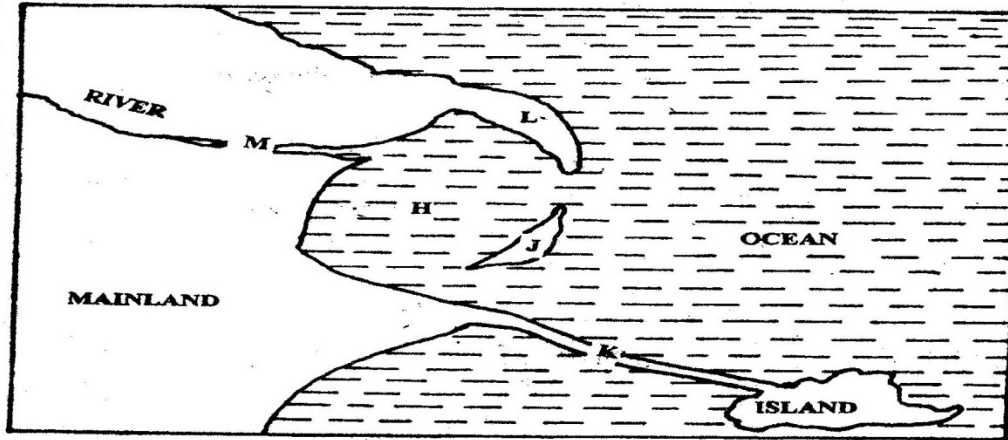
LAKES.

1. Give three processes that lead to formation of lakes.
2. Describe how Lake Victoria was formed.
3. Explain how Lake Victoria influences the climate of the surrounding areas.
4. What is a lake?
5. State three ways in which lakes are formed.
6. Explain how each of the following lakes were formed :
 - (a) Victoria
 - (b) Tanganyika
 - (c) Chala
 - (d) Sare
 - (e) Kivu (15mks)
7. State the differences between the lakes on the eastern and western areas of East African Rift Valley. (6mks)
8. With reference to specific lakes in East Africa, explain the significance of lakes in the region. (8mks)

CHAPTER 6

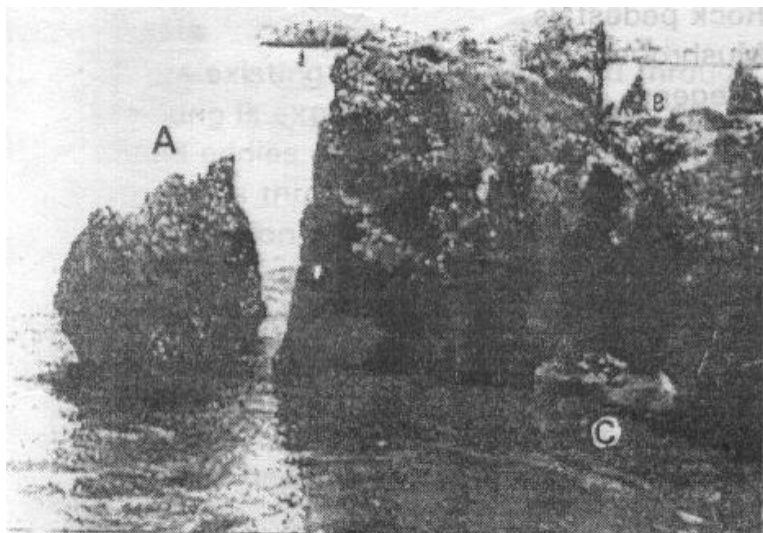
OCEANS, SEAS AND THEIR COASTS.

1. Use the diagram below to answer question (a)



- (a) Name the coastal features marked H, J, K, L and M (5mks)
- (b) (i) State four conditions necessary for the formation of a beach (4mks)
- (ii) Describe three processes involved in marine erosion (6mks)
- (c) You are planning to carry out a field study on the depositional features along the coast of Kenya
- (i) State five objectives you would formulate for your study (5mks)
- (ii) Give five methods you would use to record the information collected (5mks)
2. (a) Name two types of submerged coasts. (2mks)
- (b) Explain how the following factors determine effectiveness of wave erosion along the coast.
- (i) Nature of the material transported by waves
- (ii) Nature of the coastal rocks. (4mks)

3. State two causes of submerged coasts. (2mks)
4. Name two features that result from submergence of coasts. (2mks)
5. Define term coastline (2mks)
6. What are destructive waves? (2mks)
7. Name three resultant features of wave erosion. (3mks)
8. Describe formation of cliff. (5mks)
9. Describe formation of a wave-cut platform. (5mks)
10. Name three types of coast. (3mks)
11. (a) Describe formation of coral coast. (5mks)
(b) Explain the significance of coral coast to Kenya.
12. Distinguish between shingle beaches and sand beaches. (6mks)
13. Name three types of submerged coasts. (3mks)
14. Name two types of movements of ocean water. (2mks)
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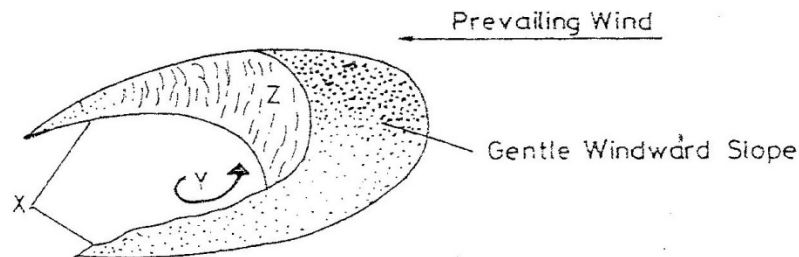


- (a) Name features marked A, B, and C.
- (b) Describe the formation of feature marked C.

CHAPTER 7

ACTION OF WIND AND WATER IN ARID AREAS.

1. The diagram below represents a barchan. Use it to answer questions (a)



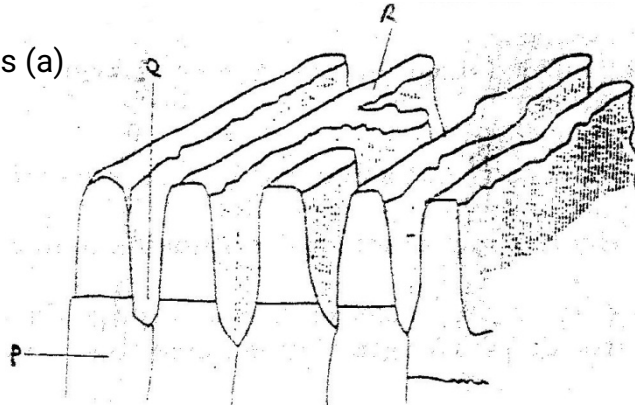
- (a) Name
- (i) The feature marked X (1mk)
 - (ii) The air current marked Y (1mk)
 - (iii) The slope marked Z (1mk)
- (b) Give two ways in which wind transports its load (2mks)
2. a) (i) Two process through which wind erodes the surface
- (ii) Three ways through which wind transports its load
- b) (i) How an oasis is formed
- (ii) How zeugens are formed
- c) You are supposed to carry out a field study of a semi-arid area in Kenya.
- (i) Two ways of preparing for the Field study
 - (ii) Information that would be collected through observation of the arid area
 - (iii) Measures to be recommended for controlling desertification.
3. Explain the process of abrasion. (2mks)
4. Name four features of wind erosion. (4mks)

5. Describe formation of zeugens, (4mks)
6. List features of wind deposition. (4mks)
7. Describe formation of wadis. (5mks)
8. Differentiate between suspension and saltation. (4mks)
9. Name four types of desert surface (4mks)
10. Identify and describe the processes of wind erosion. (6mks)
11. (a) Explain how wind transports its load.
(b) State the factors influencing wind transportation. (3mks)
12. Explain the formation of the following features:
(a) Bajadas.
(b) Pediments. (6mks)
13. Students carried out field study on desert landforms.
(i) State two type of information they collected through observation.
(ii) Which measures would they have recommended to control desertification?

CHAPTER 8

UNDERGROUND WATER

1. The diagram below show some features of a Karst scenery. Use it to answer questions (a)

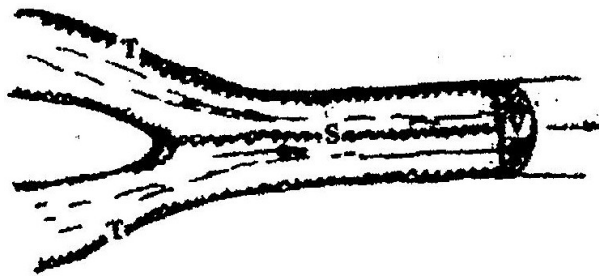


- a) Name the features marked P, Q, and R. (3mks)
- b) Describe carbonation as a process of Chemical weathering (3mks)
2. State three conditions necessary for the development of Karst scenery, (3mks)
3. Give two reasons why there are few settlements in a Karst landscape. (4mks)
4. Explain factors influencing formation of springs. (8mks)
5. Distinguish between the following.
- (i) Effluent streams and influent streams. (4mks)
- (ii) Artesian basins and artesian well. (4mks)
6. Name three surface features of Karst landscape. (3mks)
7. What are stalactites? (2mks)
8. Explain the significance of limestone regions. (8mks)

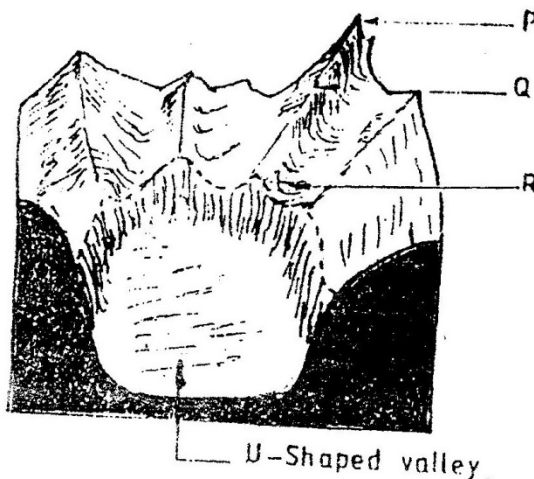
CHAPTER 9

GLACIATION

1. (a) (i) What is an ice sheet? (2mks)
(ii) Give two reasons why there are no ice sheets in Kenya (2mks)
(iii) Explain three factors that influence the movement of the ice from the place where it has accumulated (6mks)
- (b) Describe how an arête is formed (4mks)
- (c) The diagram below shows types of moraines in a valley glacier



- (i) Name the type of moraines marked S, T and V (3mks)
 - (iii) Explain four positive effects of glaciation in lowland areas. (8mks)
2. a) (i) What is a glacier? (2mks)
(ii) Distinguish between valley glaciers and ice sheets (4mks)
3. The diagram below shows a glaciated upland area



- (a) Name the feature marked P, Q, and R (2mks)
- (b) How is a U- shaped valley formed? (5mks)
- 4. a) Describe how pyramidal peak is formed. (6mks)
- b) Explain the significance of upland glaciated features to human activities. (6mks)
- c) Students from a school near Mt. Kenya were planning to carry out a field study on the glaciated features on the top of the mountain.
 - (i) Give the reason why it would be difficult to undertake the field study on the glaciated features on the mountain. (4mks)
 - (ii) Describe how students would use a photograph of Mt. Kenya to identify the glaciated features on the mountains. (3mks)
- 5. Differentiate between snout and snow niche. (4mks)
- 6. Name three glaciers on Mt. Kenya. (3mks)
- 7. Describe the formation of a glacial trough. (3mks)
- 8. What is ice cap? (2mks)
- 9. Name three resulting features of glacial erosion on Mt. Kenya (3mks)
- 10. What is a nivation hollow? (2mks)

CHAPTER 10

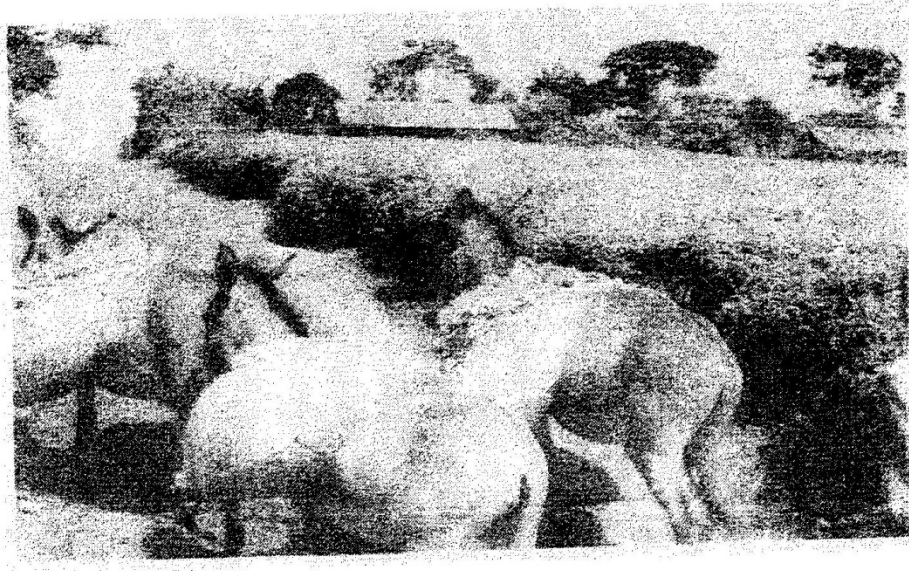
SOIL

1.
 - a)
 - (i) What is soil catena? (5mks)
 - (ii) Draw a labeled diagram to show a well developed soil profile. (5mks)
 - (iii) State three characteristics of the soils found in the arid regions of Kenya. (3mks)
 - b) Give three factors that determine the colour of soil.
 - c) Describe how laterization occurs. (6mks)
 - d) Explain how the following farming practices cause soil erosion.
 - (i) Burning (2mks)
 - (ii) Continuous application of fertilizer on farm lands. (2mks)
 - (iii) Monocultures. (2mks)
2.
 - (a) Name two types of soil according to texture. (2mks)
 - (b) State two ways in which humus improves the quality of soil. (2mks)
3. What is soil? (2mks)
4. Identify classification of soil according to order. (3mks)
5. Describe formation of soil through decomposition of organic matter. (3mks)
6. How does salination occur? (3mks)
7. What do you understand by zonal order soil?
8. List four soil conservation and management practices. (4mks)
9. What do you understand by podzolisation? (2mks)

CHAPTER 11

AGRICULTURE.

1. a) State two climatic conditions that favour the growing of oil palm in Nigeria. (2mks)
 b) Give two problems experienced in the marketing of palm oil in Nigeria. (2mks)
2. The photograph provided shows a tea growing area in Kenya. Use it to answer questions (a) and (b)



- a) (i) What evidence in the photograph shows that this is a ground
general-view type of photograph? (2mks)
- (ii) Draw a rectangle measuring 15cm by 10cm to represent the area of
the photograph. On it sketch and label the main features shown on
the photograph. (5mks)
- (iii) Identify two features from the photograph that show that this is a
small scale tea farm. (2mks)
- b) Describe the stages involved in the cultivation of tea from land preparation
to the stage shown on the photograph.
- c) (i) Name two districts in the Eastern province where tea is grown.
(2mks)
- (ii) Explain four ways in which the Kenya Tea development agency
(KTDA) assists small scale tea farmers in Kenya (8mks)
3. (a) State three physical conditions that are necessary for the growing of
cocoa (3mks)
- (b) Give three economic problems experienced in cocoa farming in Ghana
(3mks)
4. a) Give three physical factors that favour coffee growing in Kenya highlands.
b) State two problems facing coffee farming in Kenya
5. a) i) Name two provinces in Kenya where wheat is grown on large

scale (2mks)

ii) Explain four physical conditions that favour wheat growing in Kenya

(8mks)

b) Compare wheat farming in Canada and / Kenya under the following

i) Storage (2mks)

ii) Transportation (2mks)

iii) Marking (2mks)

c) i) Explain three climate problems that affect wheat farming in

Canada (6mks)

ii) Give three uses of wheat (2mks)

d) Name two districts in Kenya where wheat is grown on commercial scale.

(2mks)

e) Name two wheat producing provinces in Canada (2mks)

f) Explain five factors which enable Canada to produce more wheat than

Kenya. (5mks)

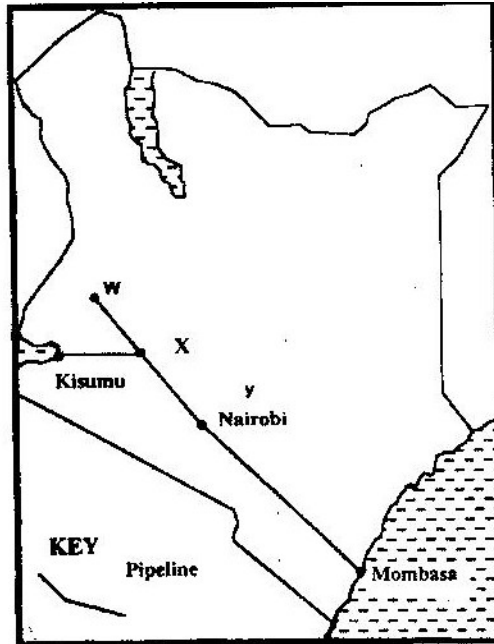
6. a) State five physical conditions required for the growing of tea in Kenya

(5mks)

b) Explain four problems experienced in small scale tea farming in Kenya

(8mks)

7. The map below shows some major tea growing areas in Kenya.



- a) Name the areas marked W, X and Y. (3mks)
 - b) Give two reasons why there was an increase in tea production over the given period. (2mks)
 - c) Describe the stages through which tea is processed from picking to the time it is ready for marketing. (5mks)
8. Name major cocoa growing areas in Ghana. (3mks)
 9. List suitable conditions for cultivation of cocoa. (4mks)
 10. Name types of commercially cultivated coffee. (3mks)
 11. Explain ways in which Brazilian government responds to problems facing coffee industry. (6mks)
 12. Name four uses of maize. (4mks)
 13. List four problems facing maize farmers. (4mks)
 14. Outline stages in industrial processing of cocoa. (5mks)

CHAPTER 12

AGRICULTURE – LIVESTOCK.

1. a) Name two exotic breeds of dairy cattle reared in Kenya. (2mks)
b) State three physical conditions that favour dairy farming in Denmark (8mks)
2. a) Explain four ways in which the government of Kenya assist nomadic pastoralist to improve the quality of their livestock
b) Explain three factors that favour beef farming in Argentina.
c) State three environmental conditions which favour commercial beef farming in Kenya. (3mks)
d) Name two exotic breeds of cattle reared in commercial ranches in Kenya. (2mks)
3. Mention three problems facing beef farming in Kenya. (3mks)
4. State five human factors that have favoured beef farming in Argentina. (5mks)
5. State differences in dairy farming in Kenya and in Denmark. (6mks)
6. What effort is Kenyan government making to improve dairy farming? (5mks)
7. What is nomadic herding? (2mks)
8. State five features of nomadic herding. (5mks)
9. Explain two efforts Kenyan government has made to improve beef farming. (4mks)
10. Explain four physical conditional that favour dairy farming in Kenya. (8mks)
9. The table below shows data on average milk yield in kg per cow in Denmark.

Year	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Yields (Kg)	5243	6693	7398	7610	7792	7946

- (a) (i) Draw a divided rectangle 15cm long to represent milk yield in Denmark.
- (ii) State two advantages of using divided rectangles.
- (b) (i) Explain three factors that have favoured dairy farming in Denmark.
(6mks)
- (ii) State 3 problems facing dairy farmers in Kenya.
- (c) Explain why beef farming is more developed in Argentina than in Kenya.

FORM FOUR WORK

CHAPTER 1

LAND RECLAMATION AND REHABILITATION.

1.
 - (a) Give two methods used to reclaim land in Kenya. (2mks)
 - (b) Outline the stages through which land is reclaimed from the sea in the Netherlands. (5mks)
2.
 - (a) Difference between land reclamation and rehabilitation. (4mks)
 - (b) Five ways through which land is being reclaimed. (5mks)
 - (c) Describe of polderization process in Netherlands. (4mks)
 - (d) State three benefits that resulted from the reclamation of the Yala Swamp. (3mks)
3.
 - (a) State the objectives of Mwea irrigation scheme. (4mks)
 - (b) State the conditions that favoured establishment of Mwea irrigation scheme. (4mks)
 - (c) Explain problems faced by rice farmers in Mwea irrigation scheme. (5mks)
 - (d) State benefits of Perkerra irrigation scheme. (5mks)
 - (e) Explain factors that limits Perkerra irrigation scheme. (8mks)
4. Differentiate between horticulture and market gardening. 4 mks
5. Outline three problems facing horticulture farming in Kenya. 3 mks
6. Name five irrigation schemes in Kenya. 5 mks
7. State two factors that favour the occurrence of tsetse flies in Olambwe Valley.
8. State measures that were taken by Kenyan government to control Tsetse flies in

- Olumbwe Valley. 5 mks
9. Give three conditions that made Mwea suitable for establishment of irrigation scheme. 3 mks
10. Explain two effects of tsetse flies on humans and livestock. 4 mks
11. (a) Differentiate between land reclamation and land rehabilitation. 4 mks
(b) State the reasons for the establishment of Mwea-Tebere irrigation project.
(c) Explain five problems facing Mwea -Tebere irrigation scheme. 5 mks
12. State the problems facing Perkerra irrigation scheme. 5 mks
13. (a) Outline the benefits which Kenya derives from irrigation farming. 5 mks
(b) What are the problems experienced in irrigation farming in Kenya. 5 mks
14. (a) Apart from irrigation, list other methods of land reclamation in Kenya.
(b) Briefly describe the methods listed in 12 (a). 5 mks
15. State the benefits of Yala-Bunyala project. 5 mks
16. (a) What is a polder. 5 mks
(b) Describe the stages involved in ^{1f} reclamation of a polder. 5 mks
(c) State five benefits of land reclamation in Netherlands.
17. State the main differences between the methods of land reclamation in Kenya and Netherlands. 6 mks

CHAPTER 2

FISHING

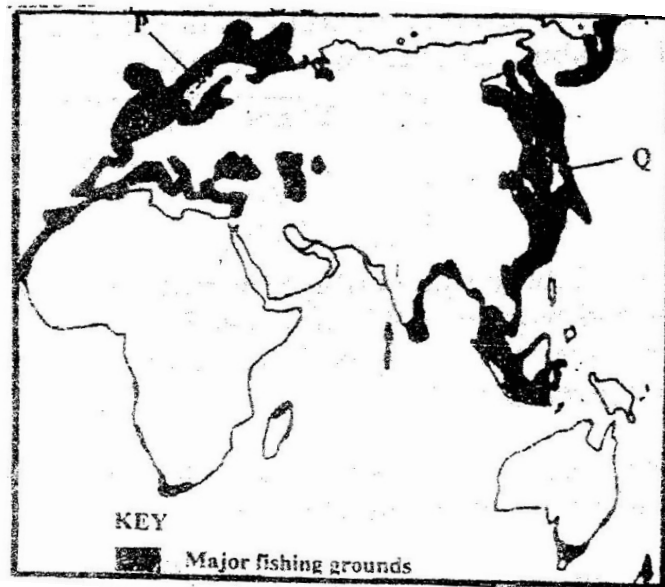
- 1 (a) State three measures that have been taken to conserve fisheries in Kenya. 3 mks
- (b) Give four reasons why Norway is a great fishing nation. 4 mks
- (c) Two traditional/ subsistence methods of fishing. 2 mks
- (d) Three measures the government of Kenya is undertaking to encourage fish culture. 3 mks
2. Use the map of North America to answer question (a).



- (a) Name two methods of fishing used in the shaded areas. 2 mks
- (b) Name two types of fish caught along the West Coast of Canada. 2 mks
- (c) Explain how the following factors favour fishing in the shaded areas,
- (i) Indented coastline
 - (ii) Ocean currents 4 mks
- (d) Give three methods used to preserve fish. 3 mks

- (e) Explain three problems experienced by fishermen while fishing in Lake Victoria. 3 mks

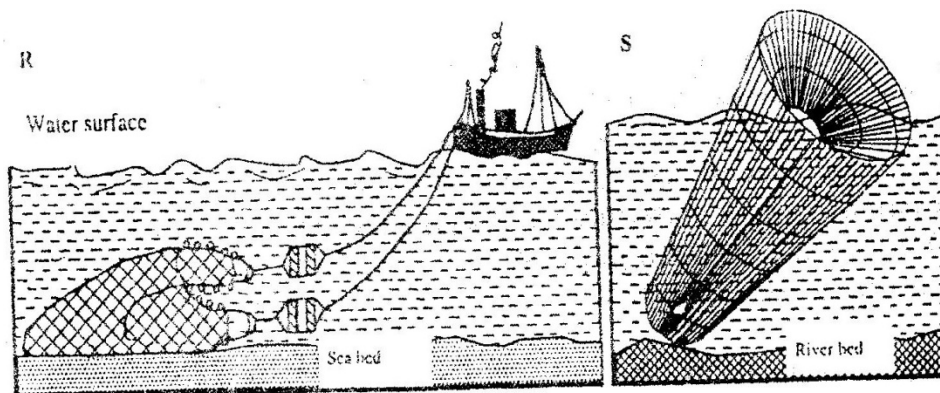
3. The map below shows some major fishing grounds in the world. Use it to Answer the questions below.



- (a) Name the countries marked P and Q. 2 mks
- (b) Explain four conditions that favour fishing in the shaded coastal waters.

8 mks

4. (a) The diagrams below represents some fishing methods.



- (i) Name R and S. 2 mks
 - (ii) Describe how the above methods are used in fishing. 4 mks
- 5. (a) Differentiate between fishing and fisheries. 4 mks
- (b) Identify the physical and human factors influencing fishing. 5mks
- 6. (a) Draw an outline map of the world and locate the major fishing grounds. 2 mks
- (b) Account for the location of fishing grounds located in 6(a). 4 mks
- 7. (a) Discuss the main types of fishing. 3 mks
- (b) List the traditional methods of fishing. 3 mks
 - (c) Describe how the following methods of fishing are carried out:
 - (i) Drifting
 - (ii) Trawling 4 mks
- 8. (a) (i) Apart from Lake Victoria, name other fresh water fisheries in Uganda and Tanzania. 4 mks
- (ii) Explain the factors favouring fishing on Lake Victoria. 6 mks
- (b) Explain why marine fisheries are underdeveloped in East Africa. 5 mks
- 9. (a) State the significance of fishing to the economy of Kenya. 5 mks
- (b) (i) Describe the problems facing fishing in Kenya. 5 mks
 - (ii) Identify the solutions in b(i) above. 5 mks
- 10. Draw a table showing the similarities and differences between fishing in Kenya and Japan. 6 mks
- 11. (a) Define:
 - (i) Management of fisheries.

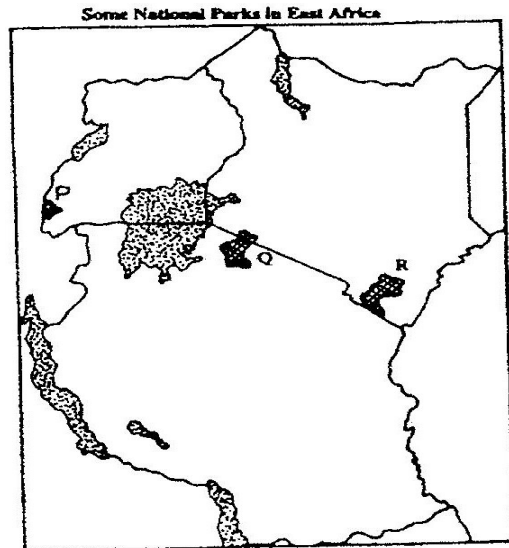
(ii) Conservation of fisheries. 4 mks

(b) State the measures which can be undertaken to manage and conserve fisheries. 4 mks

CHAPTER 3

WILDLIFE.

1. Use the map of East Africa below to answer question (a) (i)



- Name the national parks marked P, Q and R. 3 mks
2. Give FOUR reasons why wildlife conservation is encouraged in Kenya. 4 mks
3. State three reasons why National Parks have been established in Kenya. 3 mks
4. (a) Differentiate between game reserves and game parks. 4 mks
- (b) State four steps taken by Kenyan government to promote wildlife resources. 4 mks
5. Explain three ways in which human activities are a threat to wildlife. 6 mks
6. What is wildlife? 2 mks
7. State five reasons for the need to conserve wildlife? 5 mks
8. State three types of wildlife one may find at I, Nakuru. 3 mks
9. Explain four problems the government of Kenya faces in efforts to conserve

- wildlife? 8 mks
10. State human factors that affect existence of wildlife. 5 mks
11. State ways in which government of Kenya can strengthen anti poaching unit.
12. (a) Define:
- (i) Wildlife
 - (ii) Tourism 4 mks
- (b) Distinguish between Same Reserves, National Parks and Sanctuaries.
- (c) State five significance of wildlife in East Africa. 5 mks
13. (a) Discuss the problems facing wildlife in East Africa. 5 mks
- (b) Explain the measures taken to manage and conserve wildlife in East Africa 6 mks

CHAPTER 4

TOURISM.

1. (a) Explain the differences between the tourist attractions in East Africa and in Switzerland under the following subheadings:
 - (i) Climate.
 - (ii) Culture 4 mks
- (b) Explain five benefits that Kenya derives from tourism. 10 mks
- (c) Explain four measures that Kenya should take in order to attract more tourists. 8 mks
2. (a) Apart from historic sites, name two tourist attractions along the Coastal strip of Kenya. 2 mks
- (b) Give -three reasons why it is necessary to preserve historical sites. 3 mks
3. (a) Name two game reserves in Kenya. 2 mks
- (b) Define of domestic tourism 2 mks
- (c) How has the recent negative travel advisories affected Kenya's economy? 4 mks
4. (a) Explain four measures the Kenyan government has taken to attract more tourists. 8 mks
- (b) Explain three factors that have led to development of tourism in Switzerland.
5. (a) Differentiate between the following
 - (i) Ecotourism
 - (ii) Domestic tourism 4 mks

- (b) Explain similarities between tourism in Kenya and in Switzerland. 8 mks
6. Explain why tourism is 'invisible export'. 2 mks
7. Explain four positive effects of tourism. 8 mks
8. Explain four ways in which tourism in Kenya differ from that Switzerland. 8 mks
9. Why are some parts of Kenya not developed for tourism? 3 mks
10. What are the problems facing tourism in Kenya? 5 mks
11. State five efforts being made to improve tourism industry in Kenya. 5 mks
12. What is domestic tourism? 2 mks
13. Name tourist attractions found in Rift Valley province of Kenya. 5 mks
14. What factors hinder development of domestic tourism in Kenya? 5 mks
15. Name two historical attractions along Kenyan coast. 2 mks
16. (a) Define:
- (i) Eco-tourism
 - (ii) Domestic tourism
 - (iii) International tourism 6 mks
- (b) (i) State five tourist attractions in Kenya. 5 mks
- (ii) Explain five factors influencing tourism in Kenya. 10 mks
17. (a) State six factors influencing tourism in Switzerland. 6 mks
- (b) Explain five problems facing tourism in Kenya. 10 mks
18. Compare and contrast tourism in Kenya and Switzerland. 8 mks
19. The table below shows the number of tourists who visited Kenya.

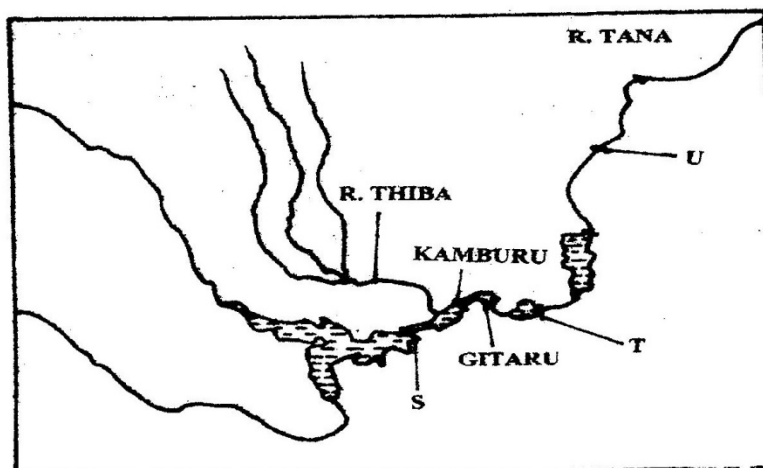
Year	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
No. Of Tourists	1.53 m	1.64 m	1.65 m	1.77 m	1.54 m

- (a) Using a radius of 3cm draw a pie-chart to represent the above data.
- (b) List three advantages of using pie-charts to represent statistical data.

CHAPTER 5

ENERGY.

1. (a) Apart from providing power, state three other benefits of the dams along River Tana. 3 mks
(b) State two problems that affect hydroelectric power production along river Tana. 2 mks
(c) State two factors that hinder the expansion of geothermal power. 2 mks
2. (a) Name two non-renewable sources of energy. 2 mks
(b) Explain four physical factors that influence the location of a hydroelectric power station. 8 mks
3. (a) Explain three benefits that would result from rural electrification in Kenya. 6 mks
(b) In what three ways did the power shortage resulting from the drought of the years 1999 and 2000 affect this industrial sector in Kenya? 5 mks
4. (a) Give three reasons that make tropical countries to have the potential to develop HEP. 3 mks
(b) Give two reasons why tropical countries are not sufficient in HEP production. 2 mks
5. Use the diagram to answer questions below.



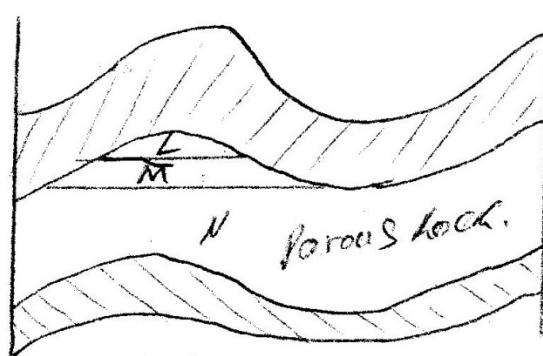
(a) Name

(i) The HEP stations marked S & T 2 mks

(ii) Name the proposed HEP station marked U. 1 mk

(b) Name renewable sources of industrial energy other than water 2 mks

6. The diagram below shows the occurrence of petroleum in the earth's crust. Use it to answer question (a).



(a) Name the substances labeled L, M and N. 3 mks

(b) Give two by-products obtained when crude oil is refined. 2 mks

(c) Explain efforts by Kenyan government to reduce cost on importation of petroleum. 6 mks

7. Name two main disadvantages of using coal as a source of energy. 2 mks

8. Suggest four solutions to Kenya's energy deficit. 4 mks

9. What are the causes of energy crises? 4 mks

10. List uses of nuclear energy. 4 mks

11. Name uses of wind energy. 2 mks

12. Name two non-renewable sources of energy. 2 mks

13. Why has usage of coal as a source of energy declined? 4 mks

14. Give four reasons why Kenya has been unable to exploit high geothermal power

- potential. 4 mks
15. Name the various methods that can be used to conserve energy. 4 mks
16. Define biomass. 2 mks
17. (a) Define energy. 2 mks
- (b) List three renewable; sources of energy. 3 mks
- (c) State the disadvantages of coal as a source of energy. 4 mks
18. (a) What is the name of power projects along river Tana.
- (b) Apart from hydroelectric power production, state the other benefits of the dams along the Tana. 4 mks
- (c) Identify the problems facing hydroelectric power production along the Tana. 4 mks
19. (a) Apart from the Tana, name three other hydroelectric power projects in Kenya. 3 mks
- (b) State the benefits of the Owen Falls Dam in Uganda. 4 mks
- (c) State the factors limiting the expansion of geothermal power production in Kenya. 4 mks
20. Apart from hydro-electric power production; state the other benefits of the dams. 4 mks
21. State the significance of energy. 5 mks
22. (a) What is energy crisis? 2 mks
- (b) State the causes of energy crisis. 2 mks
23. Explain the problems Kenya faces due to overdependence on petroleum. 4 mks
24. (a) Differentiate between management and conservation of energy. 2 mks

(b) Describe the measures of management and conservation of energy.

10 mks

CHAPTER 6

INDUSTRY

1. (a) State two reasons why some industries are located near the sources of raw. 2 mks
(b) Give three characteristics of the cottage industry in India. 3 mks
2. (a) State characteristics of jua kali industries in Kenya. 5 mks
(b) State problems facing Jua kali industries in Kenya. 5 mks
(c) Differentiate between manufacturing and tertiary industries. 4 mks
(d) State three factors that led to the growth of iron and steel industry in the Ruhr region of Germany. 3 mks
3. (a) Name three agricultural non-food manufacturing industries in Kenya. 3 mks
(b) Explain three causes of the decline in the textile industry in Kenya. 3 mks
(c) Describe the measures that should be taken to control the following.
(i) Water pollution
(ii) Rural urban migration. 2mks
(d) Explain four factors which have favoured the development of the electronics industry in Japan. 8 mks
4. (a) What is industrialization? 2 mks
(b) Name a town in Kenya where each one of the following industries is located,
(i) Oil refinery
(ii) Paper manufacturing

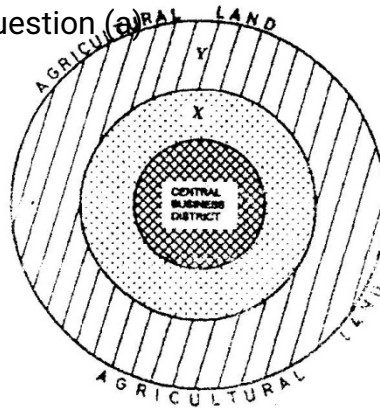
- (iii) Motor vehicle assembly. 3 mks
- (c) Give five factors why the development of the Jua kali industry is encouraged In Kenya. 5 mks
- (d) Name two non-food agricultural industries in Thika. 2 mks
5. State benefits of exploiting soda ash in Kenya. 5 mks
6. State two major steps currently -undertaken by the government to promote industrial growth and development. 2 mks
7. What is industrialization? 2mks
8. State three reasons why the jua kali industry is encouraged in Kenya. 3 mks
9. (a) What is an industry. (2mks)
- (b) State two ways in which each of the factors affect the location and development of industries.
- (i) Raw materials
- (ii) Transport
- (iii) Markets 6 mks
- (c) Explain why power is not considered as a major industrial locational factor in the modern world. 2 mks
10. (a) Define:
- (i) Primary industry
- (ii) Secondary industry
- (iii) Quaternary industry 6 mks
- (b) (i) What is meant by Jua Kali industry in Kenya? 2 mks
- (ii) State five economic benefits of the Jua Kali industry in Kenya.

- 5 mks
- (c) Explain the significance of industrialization to Kenya. 6 mks
11. (a) State two main industries found in the towns below:
- (i) Thika
 - (ii) Athi River
 - (iii) Kisumu
 - (iv) Nanyuki
 - (v) Nakuru 10 mks
- (b) Explain the problems associated with industrialization. 6 mks
12. State five reasons why the Ruhr region in Germany is the leading industrial centre in Europe. 5 mks
13. (a) (i) Mention four industrial regions in Japan. 4 mks
- (ii) List five factors that have aided car manufacture and electronic industries in Japan. 5 mks
- (b) Explain the reasons which contributed to the growth and development of the cottage industry in India. 8 mks

CHAPTER 7

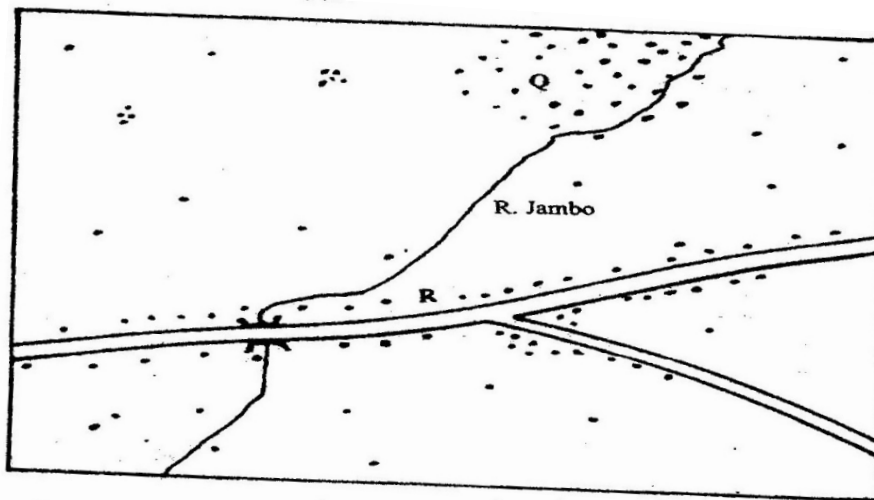
SETTLEMENT.

1. The diagram below represents the functional zones of urban centre. Use it to answer question (a)



- (a) (i) Name the zones marked X and Y. 2 mks
- (ii) List three functions of the Central Business District. 3 mks
2. (a) Name two types of human settlements. 2 mks

Use the sketch below to answer question (b)



KEY	
	Settlements
	Road
	River

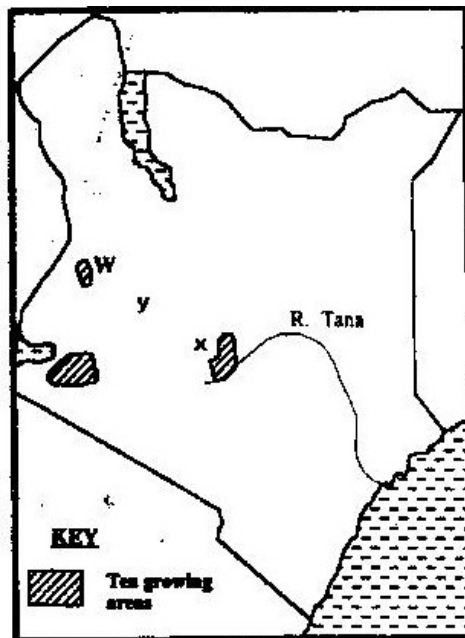
- (b) Settlement patterns marked Q A R. 2 mks
3. (a) Name two types of rural settlement patterns. 2 mks
- (b) Apart from urban-rural migration, name two other types of migration. 2 mks
- (c) State three factors that may lead to urban-rural migration. 3 mks
4. State three factors which led to the development of Mombasa into a major sea port in the region. 3 mks
5. (a) What is urbanization? 2 mks
- (b) Give two differences in the functions of New York and Nairobi cities. 4 mks
6. Apart from pollution, explain four problems experienced in urban centres. 8 mks
7. Explain similarities and differences between Nairobi and New York cities. 8 mks
8. State two main functions of rural settlements. 2 mks
9. Explain four problems that are experienced in Nairobi as one of the major urban centres in Kenya. 4 mks
10. List three factors that have led to rapid growth of Mombasa town. 3 mks
11. State ways through which the Kenyan government is using to solve problems of Nairobi city. 5 mks
12. (a) Differentiate between the terms settlement and urbanization. 4 mks
- (b) Identify factors influencing settlement. 4 mks
- (c) State the factors influencing patterns of settlement. 5 mks
13. (a) By use of relevant examples, explain the distribution of urban centres in East Africa. 5 mks

- (b) Explain 4 human factors which may lead to development of towns.
14. (a) Explain factors leading to the growth of Kisumu as a Lake Port. 8 mks
- (b) What are the functions of Thika town? 5 mks
15. Explain the problems facing New York City. 6 mks
16. (a) Outline the main differences between the cities of New York and Nairobi. 4 mks
- (b) Compare the port of Mombasa to the port of Rotterdam. 8 mks
17. Discuss the effects of urbanization. 4 mks

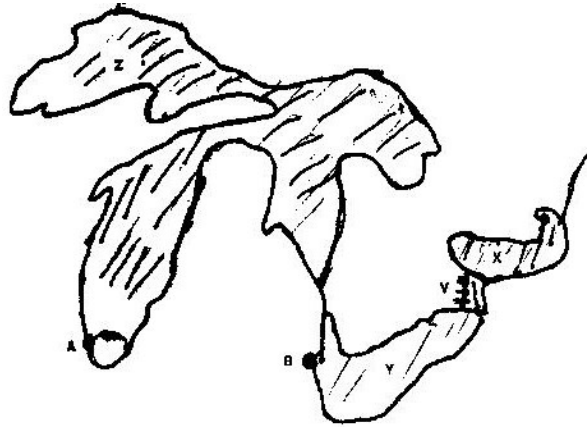
CHAPTER 8

TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION.

1. State the causes of the decline in the use of letter writing as a means of communication in Kenya. 5 mks
2. (a) Give three advantages of railway over road transport. 3 mks
(b) The map below shows the extent of the oil pipeline in Kenya. Use it to answer question (b).

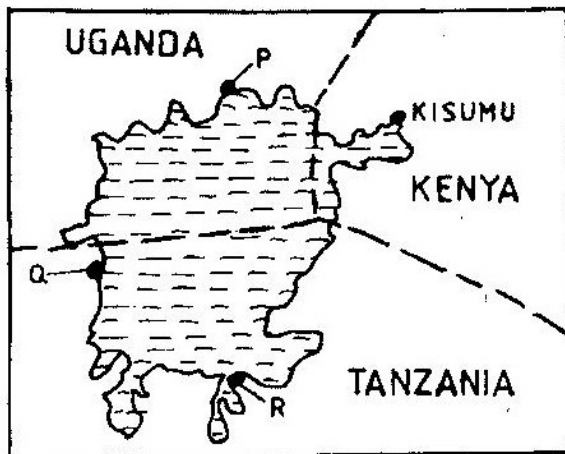


- Name the towns marked X and Y which are served by the pipeline. 2 mks
- (c) State two disadvantages of using pipelines as means of transporting oil.
 - (d) Use the map drawn below of St. Lawrence sea way to answer the questions that follow.



- (i) Name the towns A and B
- (ii) Name lakes X, Y, Z
- (iii) Name canal marked V 3.

3. Use the sketch map of Lake Victoria below to answer question (a).

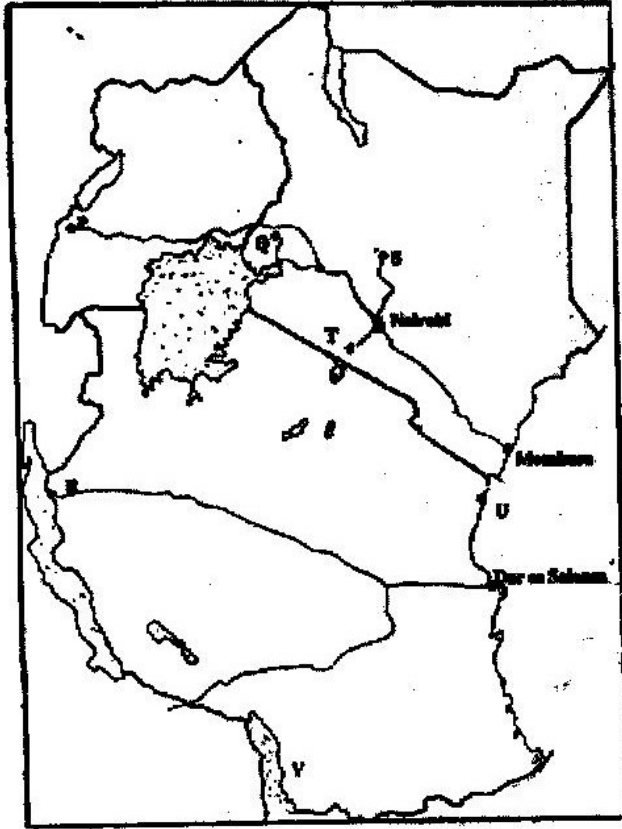


- (a) Name the lake ports marked P, Q, and R 3 mks
 - (b) Outline two advantages of using containers while handling goods at the port of Kisumu. 2 mks
4. (a) Give three reasons why road transport is used more than air transport in East Africa. 3 mks
- (b) In what three ways does Kenya benefit from air links with the rest of the

world?

3 mks

5. Use the map of East Africa below to answer question (a).



- (a) Name the railway terminuses marked P, Q and R. 3 mks
- (b) Give the main commodities transported by the railway lines marked S and T. 2 mks
- (c) Name the port marked U and the lake marked V. 2 mks
- (d) State four reasons why road network is more widespread than railway network in East Africa. 4 mks
- (e) One of the problems facing road transport is the high frequency of accidents. Explain four conditions of roads in Kenya that may lead to accident. 8 mks

6. Give four benefits of the efforts the government is data in streamlining pubic transport sector. 4 mks
7. Outline two major problems affecting the development of trans- African highway in Africa. 2 mks
8. State two major problems hindering river transport in Kenya. 2 mks
9. Suggest three benefits of the proposed Southern bypasses to be constructed in Kenya. 3 mks
10. (a) Define containerization.
(b) Outline three merits of using containerization as a method of transportation. 3mks
11. (a) State three problems facing railway transport in Kenya. 3 mks
(b) Identify importance of railway transport in a country. 4 mks
12. Differentiate between 'transport' and communication. 4 mks
13. Apart from cell phones, mention other two modern methods of communication. 2 mks
14. State advantages of using cell phones communication. 3 mks
15. State reasons why St. Lawrence sea way was set up by the government of USA. 4 mks
16. (a) Define:
(i) Transport
(ii) Communication 4 mks
(b) Apart from water transport, list the other modes of transport. 2 mks
(c) Name the two types of waterways used in transportation. 2 mks

17. (a) Give three reasons why river transportation in Africa is poorly developed. 3 mks
- (b) Name the major ocean routes of the world. 3 mks
- (c) State the advantages of water transport. 6 mks
18. (a) Account for the poor rail linkages *j*, between the African countries. 2 mks
- (b) Name three trans-continental rail lines in Africa. 3 mks
- (c) What are the advantages and disadvantages of transporting goods by rail? 6 mks
19. (a) Why is railway transport less used in Africa? 4 mks
- (b) Name two railway systems in Africa. 2 mks
- (c) Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of railway transport. 4 mks
20. State the advantages of road transport. 4 mks
21. (a) What is containerization? 2 mks
- (b) Discuss advantages and disadvantages of containerization. 6 mks
- (c) State advantages and disadvantages of air transport. 6 mks
22. Identify the main types of communication. 4 mks
23. (a) Name two trans-African highways 2 mks
- (b) What are the benefits of trans-African highways? 2 mks
- (c) Explain the problems facing the trans-African highways. 4 mks
24. Discuss the role of transport and communication in economic development of Africa. 4 mks
25. (a) State the problems facing transport and communication in Africa. 4 mks
- (b) Outline the efforts being made to solve these problems. 4 mks

26. (a) (i) Identify the obstacles that face navigation along the St Lawrence
seaways. 3 mks
- (ii) State ways in which navigation on the seaway was improved.
4 mks
- (b) Explain the benefits of the St. Lawrence seaway on the economies of the
United States of America and Canada. 6 mks

CHAPTER 9

TRADE.

1. (a) State five reasons why the common market for Eastern and Southern Africa was formed. 5mks
2. (a) What is international trade? 5mks
(b) Name major imports from Europe to Kenya 2 mks
(c) List factors that influence the import and export of goods in Kenya. 4 mks
(d) Explain ways through which Kenya will benefit from the renewed East African co-operation. 6 mks
(e) Explain negative effects of international trade. 6 mks
3. (a) Explain four measures which Kenya may take to reduce the unfavourable Balance of trade. 8 mks
(b) Explain four benefits that Kenya derives from international trade. 8 mks
4. (a) What is Trade? 2 mks
(b) Identify the two types of internal trade. 2 mks
5. State the factors influencing trade. 4 mks
6. (a) Differentiate between visible and invisible exports. 4 mks
(b) Draw a table showing the major visible export and imports of Kenya. 8 mks
7. Explain the significance of trade to Kenya. 5 mks
8. State the future on international trade in Kenya. 3mks
9. (a) What is a regional trading bloc? 2 mks

(b) Apart from the European Union, name three other regional trading blocs.

3 mks

(c) Outline the role played by the European Union in the economy of Europe.

4 mks

10. Explain why the Kenya's exports are more to the outside world than her neighbors.

6 mks

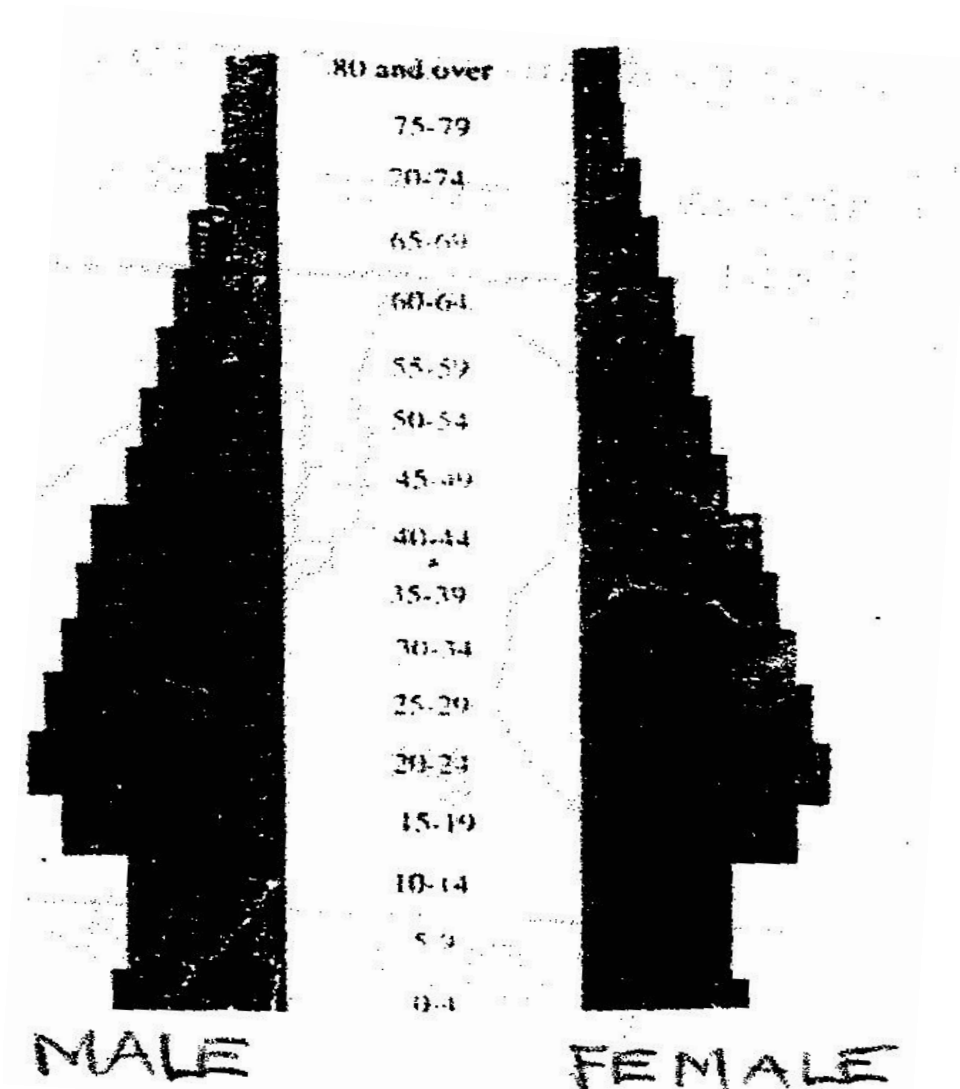
CHAPTER 10

POPULATION

1. (a) State four reasons why the northern parts of Kenya are sparsely populated. 4 mks
- (b) Give two primary sources of population data 2 mks
- (c) What information can be derived from a population pyramid? 4 mks
- (d) Describe three ways in which the population of Kenya differ from those of Sweden. 6 mks
- (e) Explain four causes of rural-urban migration in Kenya. 8 mks
2. Explain three problems which result from the high population growth rate in the East African countries. 6 mks

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3. List three factors that have contributed to a decline in infant mortality in Kenya. 3 mks
4. Explain two reasons why Thika District has a higher population than Murang'a district. 4 mks
5. (a) State the reasons for carrying out population census. 5 mks
- (b) How the following factors lead to population increase in Kenya.
 - (i) Early marriages
 - (ii) Improved medical facilities
 - (iii) Cultural beliefs. 6 mks
6. The pyramid below represents the population of country X. Use it to answer question (a).



- (a) Describe the characteristics of the population represented by the pyramid. 4 mks
- (b) Explain three problems which may result from a high population growth rate. 6 mks
- (c) Describe THREE measures that have been taken in Kenya to reduce infant mortality. 6 mks
- (d) Explain four factors that have led to a high population density in Lake Victoria basin. 8 mks

7.
 - a) Define the term population. 2 mks
 - (b) Explain factors influencing population distribution. 6 mks
8.
 - (a) Explain factors influencing population growth. 8 mks
 - (b) Describe the main features of population structure of a developing country.

4 mks

9. Explain the factors leading to high fertility levels in a population. 6 mks
10. Compare and contrast population trends between Kenya and Sweden. 8 mks
11. The table below shows population distribution in Kenya by province in 1999. Use it to answer the questions below.

Province	Population	Area in Sq Kms
Nairobi	2,143,254	696
Central	3,724,159	13,220
Rift Valley	6,987,036	182,539
Western	3,358,776	8,264
Nyanza	4,392,264	12,547
Coast	2,487,264	82,816
Eastern	4,634,779	153,473
N. Eastern	962,143	128,124

Table 9.3 *Population of Kenya by Provinces*

- (a) Calculate the population density of each province. 2 mks
- (b) Give reasons why there is a high population density in Central Province of Kenya. 3 mks

CHAPTER 11

MANAGEMENT AND CONSERVATION OF THE ENVIRONMENT.

1. (a) Why is it necessary to conserve water? 3 mks
(b) How does terracing help in water conservation? 2 mks
2. (a) Apart from desertification, name two other environmental hazards experienced in Kenya. 2 mks
3. (a) Name three physical regions through which river Tana passes. 3 mks
(b) Name two rivers in Kenya to the West of the Rift Valley which causes large scale flooding. 2 mks
(c) Explain four problems caused by floods. 8 mks
4. (a) Define the term pollution. 2 mks
(b) Explain three effects of land pollution on the environment. 6 mks
(c) State four ways through which Sand pollution can be controlled. 8 mks
5. (a) State ways in which drought affects the agricultural sector in Kenya. 4 mks
(b) What is soil conservation? 2 mks
(c) State three farming methods that assist in soil conservation. 3 mks
6. State three factors contributing to occurrence of floods 3 mks
7. State five negative effects of floods. 5 mks
8. State measures currently undertaken by Kenyan government to control natural disasters. 5 mks
9. Explain five economic importance of controlling floods. 10 mks

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| 10. | Name five natural hazards. | 5 mks |
| 11. | Name three human induced hazards. | 3 mks |
| 12. | Define desertification. | 2 mks |
| 13. | Name causes of desertification. | 4 mks |
| 14. | List effects of desertification. | 4 mks |
| 15. | Explain five types of environment. | 10 |
- mks
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| 16. | (a) Define: | |
| | (i) Environment | |
| | (ii) Management of the environment | |
| | (iii) Conservation of the environment | 6 mks |
| | (b) Why is it necessary to manage and conserve the environment? | 4 mks |
| 17. | (a) Mention six environmental hazards. | 6 mks |
| | (b) Explain: | |
| | (i) The causes of floods. | |
| | (ii) The effects of floods. | 4 mks |
| 18. | (a) (i) What is lightning? | 2 mks |
| | (ii) What causes lightning? | 2 mks |
| | (b) (i) What are the effects of lightning? | 2 mks |
| | (ii) How can lightning be controlled? | 4 mks |
| 19. | (a) (i) Define pollution. | 2 mks |
| | (ii) Name the four types of pollution. | |
| | (b) (i) What is air pollution? | 2 mks |

- (ii) State five causes of air pollution. 5 mks
 - (iii) How can pollution be controlled? 5 mks
- 20. (a) (i) Name four non -governmental organizations involved in the management and conservation of environment in Kenya. 4 mks
- (b) Explain how legislation in Kenya is used to manage and conserve the environment. 8 mks

MODEL PAPERS.

PAPER 1 (A)

2 HOURS 45 MINUTES

Answer all questions in this section.

1. (a) Define Geography. 2 mks
(b) Explain the relationship between Geography and Biology. 2 mks
2. (a) Differentiate between mass wasting and mass movement. 2 mks
(b) Outline four factors that cause soil creep to occur. 4 mks
3. (a) Name two fold mountains formed during Alpine Orogeny . 2 mks
(b) State three theories which explain the formation of fold mountains. 3 mks
- 4 Explain what you understand by each of the following;
(a) Vertical movement.
(b) Isostatic adjustment 4 mks
5. (a) Give three conditions necessary for the formation of Karst scenery. 3 mks
(b) List three zones of saturation below the earth surface. 3 mks

SECTION B

Answer question 6 and any other two questions

6. Study the map of Taita Hills (1: 50 000) sheet 189\4 provided and answer the following questions.
(a) What is the grid square of:
(i) Water reservoir at Mwasere

- (ii) Water tank at Kirutai 4 mks
- (b) What is the magnetic variation as of January 1991? 2 mks
- (c) What is the direction of flow of River Goshi? 2 kms
- (d) Explain four ways in which relief influences settlements in the area covered by the map. (8mks)
- (e) Name three types of natural vegetation in the area covered by the map. 3 mks
- (f) Students of the school at Zare carried out field study around the school,
- (i) List four preparations they made. 4mks
- (ii) State two methods they would use to collect data. 2 mks
7. (a) Define the term Lake, 2 mks.
- (b) Explain three reasons why some Rift Valley lakes are saline. 6 mks
- (c) (i) Describe how caldera lake is formed. 5 mks
- (ii) Give three examples of caldera lakes in Africa. 3 mks
- (d) Explain four ways in which lakes modify the climate of the surrounding areas. 8 mks
8. (a) (i) Define faulting. 2 mks
- (ii) Distinguish between reverse and tear faults. 2 mks
- (b) Explain formation of each of the following;
- (i) Fault scarp
- (ii) Tilt block 4 mks
- (c) Explain four economic significances of faulting to human activities 8mks
- (d) (i) State three advantages of oral interviews. 3 mks.

9. (a) (i) Differentiate between zero lapse rate and environmental lapse rate. 4 mks
- (ii) Name two types of fronts in air masses. 2 mks
- (iii) State two effects on climate from urbanization. 2 mks
- (b) (i) Name one type of hot climates. 1 mk
- (ii) Account for the characteristics of rainfall experienced in Equatorial climate. 8 mks
- (c) (i) State four causes of the recent global climatic change. 4 mks
- (ii) State six major effects of climate change. 6 mks
10. (a) (i) State three characteristics of arid areas. 3 mks
- (ii) Give two factors that promote wind deposition in arid areas 2 mks
- (b) (i) Identify two processes of wind erosion. 2 mks
- (ii) Describe how the barchan is formed. 4 mks
- (c) Differentiate between a rock pedestal and a mushroom block. 4 mks
- (d) Suppose you are asked to carry out a field study on the action of water in a desert.
- (i) State two objectives for your study 2 mks
- (ii) Name two water depositional features you are likely to observe. 2 mks
- (iii) Explain three significance of arid landforms. 6 mks

2 HOURS 45 MINUTES

Answer all questions in section A

- ## SECTION B

Answer question 6 and any other two questions.

6. Study the map of Nyahururu (10:50000) provided and answer the following questions.
- a) (i) Measure the length of the dry weather road from Marmanet Saw Mills, grid reference 054143 to the junction at Karima shopping centre grid reference 033099 in kilometers. 2 mks
- ii) Calculate the gradient of the slope between point A grid reference

- 940021 and point B at grid reference 985021. 2 mks
- (b) (i) Name drainage features found in the area covered by the map. 3 mks
- (ii) List features found in the southern part of the map indicating the area receives low rainfall. 3 mks
- (c) Describe the relief of the area covered by the map. 3 mks
- (d) Three natural factors influencing settlements. 3 mks
- (i) Name factors favouring location of Nyahururu town. 6 mks
- ii) State two social functions of the town. 3 mks
7. a) What is a Lake? 2 mks
- b) Discuss the formation following Lakes.
- i) Lake Victoria
- ii) Lake Tanganyika 8 mks
- c) Explain how human activities have negative impact on lakes. 8 mks
- d) i) List three positive effects of lakes to humans. 3 mks
- ii) Name four follow up activities in fieldwork. 4 mks
8. a) i) Differentiate between mineral and rock. 4 mks
- ii) State characteristics of sedimentary rocks. 3 mks
- b) Classify rocks according to form and origin giving two examples in each type. 9 mks
- c) Explain formation of following examples of rocks. 6 mks
- i) Tuff
- ii) Coral rock

- d) State use of equipment listed below in fieldwork. 3 mks
- (i) Geological hammer
 - (ii) Lenses
 - (iii) Hydrochloric acid
9. a) i) Name three hot deserts. 3mks
- ii) State two characteristics of arid lands. 2 mks
- b) Describe formation of following features.
- i) Rock pedestals
 - ii) Yardang 8 mks
- c) Name three resultant features of action of water in deserts. 3 mks.
- d) i) Name three processes of wind transport. 3 mks.
- ii) State advantages of using secondary sources of data. 2 mks
- iii) List four evidences of desertification. 4 mks.
10. a) i) What is a fault 2 mks.
- ii) Name the parts of a fault? 4 mks
- b) i) Name two resultant features of faulting. 2 mks
- ii) Explain formation of Rift valley by theory of anticlinal arching. 3 mks
- c) i) Distinguish between basic lava and acidic lava. 6mks
- ii) State four characteristics of composite volcano. 4 mks
- iii) State four positive influences of volcanicity. 4 mks

KCSE MODEL PAPER 2 (A)

2 HOURS 45 MINUTES

SECTION A

Answer all questions in this section

1. (a) Name two exotic beef cattle reared in Kenya. 2 mks
(b) State three physical conditions favouring beef farming in Argentina 3 mks
2. (a) Name two products which can be transported using pipelines. 2 mks
(b) Give three advantages of using pipelines as a means of transport. 3mks
3. a) What is land reclamation? 2 mks
b) State three physical factors which influenced the establishment of the Perkerra irrigation scheme. 3 mks
4. a) Name three cities in Kenya. 3 mks.
b) State three problems facing the growth of Mombasa city. 3 mks
5. a) Name two environmental hazards other than floods 2mks
b) Give three problems resulting from flooding in Lake Victoria basin. 3mks

SECTION B

Answer question 6 and any other two questions

6. a) (i) What is statistics? 2 mks.
ii) Name three ways in which data analysis is done. 3 mks
iii) Name two advantages of a wind rose. 3 mks
b) State four physical conditions necessary for the growing of sugar cane.
c) Describe the commercial production of sugar cane from land preparation

- to harvesting. 8 mks
- d) Explain three problems facing sugar cane farmers in Kenya. 6 mks
7. a) Name three national parks in Uganda 3 mks
- b) (i) Explain two differences between a national park and a game reserve. 4 mks
- (ii) Name three tourist attractions found in the Rift Valley Province of Kenya. 3 mks
- c) i) State three physical conditions that influence distribution of wildlife in East Africa. 3 mks
- ii) List four problems experienced by the Kenya Government in its effort to conserve wildlife. 4 mks
- d) Explain four factors which have made Switzerland a major tourist attraction in Europe. 8 mks
8. (a) i) What is agroforestry? 2 mks
- ii) Give three reasons why agroforestry is being encouraged in Kenya. 3 mks
- (b) i) Name three types of coniferous trees found in Kenya. 3 mks
- ii) State five characteristics of coniferous forest. 5 mks
- (c) Compare forestry in Kenya and Canada under the following sub-headings.
- i) Tree harvesting.
- ii) Transportation of logs
- iii) Marketing
- (d) Explain three problems that affect forestry in Canada. 6 mks

9. a) i) Name two non-renewable sources of energy other than coal. 2 mks
ii) Give three disadvantages of using coal as source of energy. 3 mks
- b) i) Name two Geothermal potential areas in Kenya. 2 mks
ii) Give three reasons why Kenya has not been able to fully exploit her geothermal potential. 3 mks
- c) Explain four conditions that favour the location of hydroelectric power station. 4 mks
- d) i) What is energy crisis? 2 mks
ii) Explain three effects of energy crisis in Kenya. 3 mks
10. a) i) Differentiate between pelagic and demersal fishing. 2 mks
ii) Name any two examples of demersal fish. 2 mks
- b) State four reasons why fresh water fishing is more important than marine water fishing in Kenya. 4 mks
- c) i) What is fish farming? 2 mks
ii) State four ways through which fish farming contributes to the economy of t Kenya. 4 mks
- d) State three problems facing fish farming in Kenya. 3 mks
- e) Explain four conditions that favour fishing in Japan. 4 mks

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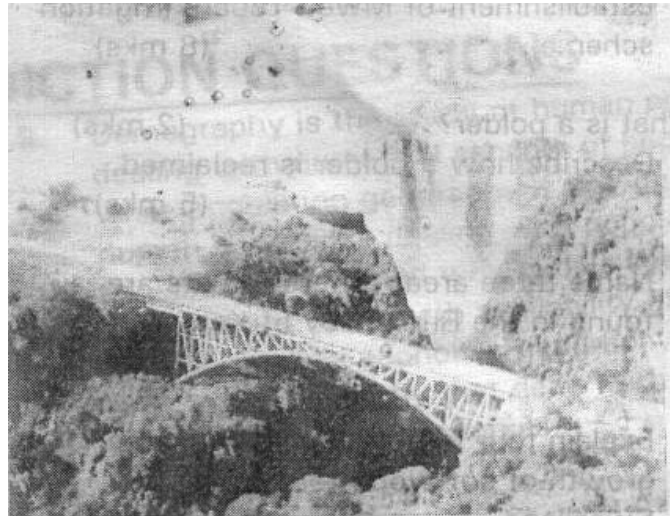
Answer all questions in this section

1. a) State three advantages of using solar energy. (3mks)
b) State two factors hindering the development of solar energy. (2mks)
2. a) State three ways through which Kenya has benefited from international airports. (3mks)
b) Suggest two possible solutions to Africa's transport and communication problems. (2mks)
3. a) Distinguish between population distribution and population density. (2mks)
b) State three problems created by a decline of population in a developed country. (3mks)
4. a) State two physical factors which influence the location of settlements. (2mks)
b) Which are the three functional zones of an ideal urban centre? (3mks)
5. a) List two types of fish reared in ponds. (2mks)
b) State measures that have been undertaken by the government of Kenya to encourage fish farming. (3mks)

SECTION B

Answer question 6 and any other two questions from this section.

6. Use the photograph below to answer questions (a) i and (ii)



- a) i) Identify the type of photograph given above. (1mk)
- ii) Name two major features represented in the area shown on the photograph. (2mks)
- b) Identify four road conditions that trigger mad accidents. (4mks)
- c) Explain four limitations of road transport. (8mks)
- d) Explain four problems faced by African states in efforts to improve roads. (8mks)
7. (a) Give five reasons why wildlife conservation is encouraged in Kenya. (5mks)
- b) Explain what you understand by the following terms:
- i) Domestic tourism.
- ii) Eco-tourism (4mks)

- (c) Explain three factors that have hindered the development of domestic tourism in Kenya.
 - (d) Explain four factors that have made Switzerland a major tourism destination in Europe.
8. (a) What do you understand by the following terms:
- i) Land reclamation.
 - ii) Land rehabilitation. (4mks)
- b) i) State any four methods used in land reclamation and rehabilitation in Kenya. (4mks)
- ii) Apart from Mwea Tebere, name two other large scale irrigation schemes in Kenya. (2mks)
- iii) Explain four factors that led to the establishment of Mwea Tebere irrigation scheme. (8mks)
- (c) i) What is a polder? (2mks)
- ii) Describe how a polder is reclaimed. (5mks)
9. a) i) Name three areas where forests are found in the Rift Valley of Kenya. (3mks)
- b) Explain four factors that favour the growth of softwood forests in Swaziland. (4mks)
- c) i) Explain four problems experienced in commercial exploitation of the equatorial forest in Africa. (4mks)
- ii) Give three species of trees found in Gabon. (3mks)
- d) State three measures being taken to conserve forests in Kenya. (3mks)

10. (a) i) Name two conditions that are necessary for the formation of petroleum. (2mks)
- ii) Give two reasons why Kenya imports her oil in crude form. (2mks)
- (b) i) State two advantages of geothermal power. (2mks)
- ii) State four factors that hinder the expansion of geothermal power production in Kenya. (4mks)
- (c) Explain four ways by which the government of Kenya should apply to conserve her energy. (4mks)
- (d) i) What is multi-purpose dam? (2mks)
- ii) State three reasons why Akosombo dam was established. (3mks)
- iii) List three benefits of establishing the Akosombo dam. (3mks)

