

FORM FOUR CLUSTER KCSE MODEL 3

GEOGRAPHY PAPER 2 QUESTIONS

SECTION A (25 Marks)

Answer ALL questions in this section.

1. (a) State any two factors that favour the growth of forests on Mt. Kenya. (2mks)
(b) Name any three indigenous hardwood trees found in Kenyan forests. (3mks)
2. (a) Name any two categories of fish. (2mks)
(b) State any three problems facing the fishing industry on Lake Victoria. (3mks)
3. (a) State any three characteristics of nomadic pastoralism in Kenya. (3mks)
(b) Name the two main indigenous breeds of cattle reared in Kenya. (3mks)
4. (a) Apart from drought, name any other two natural hazards in Kenya. (2mks)
(b) State any three problems associated with drought. (2mks)
5. (a) What is an entre port? (2mks)
(b) State three factors that led to the growth of Mombasa as a city and port. (3mks)

SECTION B (75 Marks)

Answer question 6, and any other two questions in this section.

6. The table below shows production of some FOUR crops in Kenya between 2000-2002

CROP	AMOUNT IN METRIC TONS		
	2000	2001	2002
Tea	240,000	295,000	315,000
Maize.	200,000	370,000	400,000
Coffee.	98,000	55,000	40,000
Wheat.	70,000	130,000	120,000

- (a) (i) Draw a pie chart to represent production in the year 2002. (7mks)
(ii) Calculate the percentage increase in tea production between the years 2000-2002 (2mks)
- (b) (i) State four reasons why cash crops are mainly grown in the Kenya Highlands. (4mks)
(ii) Describe the productions of maize from cultivation to harvesting. (7mks)
- (c) (Name the common pest that attack maize crop. (5mks)
7. (a) Name any three major minerals mined in Kenya. (3mks)
(b) (i) Describe the open cast mining method. (4mks)
(ii) Explain how the following factors influence mining:
(i) Value of mineral. (2mks)
(ii) Mode of occurrence of the mineral. (2mks)
(iii) World market prices. (2mks)
8. (a) (i) Define the term Industrial inertia. (2mks)
(ii) State four reasons for decentralization of industries in Kenya. (4mks)
(b) (i) Explain four factors which influenced the location of iron and steel industry in the Ruhr region of Germany in 19th Century. (8mks)
(ii) Name any three industries found in Ruhr region of Germany. (3mks)
(c) You intend to carry out a field study of a factory which manufactures goods for a local Market as well as export.
(i) State any three background information you would need for this study. (3mks)
(ii) Give two reasons why content analysis may not be suitable method of data collection for the field study. (2mks)

(iii) What three information would you need to enable you achieve the objectives of your study. (3mks)

9. (a)(i) Name the three modes of transport. (3mks)
(ii) Give any five reasons why river transport is not well developed in Africa. (5mks)

- (b) Explain any three problems encountered when transporting goods along the Trans highways. (6mks)
- (c)(i) State any three physical obstacles that hindered navigational along St. Lawrence sea- way. (3mks)
- (ii) Name three canal along the St. Lawrence sea way. (3mks)
- (d) State the benefits of the St. Lawrence Sea-way and Great Lakes to the economies of U.S.A and Canada. (5mks)
10. (a)(i) Name the two types of settlements. (2mks)
- (ii) State any four reasons that might lead to the development of nucleated settlement patterns. (4mks)
- (b) Explain four factors that have led to the growth of Nairobi city. (8mks)
- (c) Define the following terms:
- (i) Conurbation. (2mks)
- (ii) Metropolis. (2mks)
- (d) (i) State any four functions of New York City. (4mks)
- (ii) Give any three social problems faced by Nairobi City. (3mks)