

# **Changing Economic World**

These practice questions can be used by students and teachers and is Suitable for GCSE AQA Geography Topic Questions 8035

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Complete the questions by typing in the answer boxes, which will expand as necessary.

Then fill in the self-assessment form as fully as you can to help you reflect on your work.

1 Study the table showing the results of a survey of life satisfaction for a number of European countries in 2011.

Life satisfaction is how happy people are with their quality of life.

0 = lowest possible life satisfaction score

10 = highest possible life satisfaction score

Country	Life satisfaction score
Bulgaria	5.5
Croatia	6.8
Denmark	8.4
Estonia	6.3
Finland	8.1
Germany	7.2
Hungary	5.8
Italy	6.9
Netherlands	7.7
Portugal	6.8
UK	7.3

(a) Calculate the median value for the life satisfaction data in the table.

Show your working here	
Median =	

(2)

(b) Suggest one reason why life satisfaction scores vary between countries.

(1)



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(c) Give **one** disadvantage of using a social measure of development such as life satisfaction.

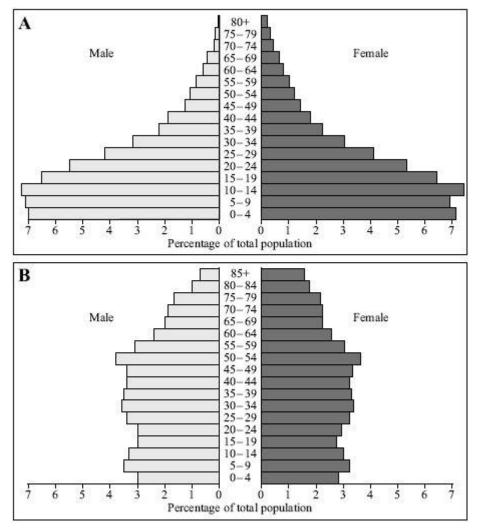
(1) (Total 4 marks)

2 Suggest two ways that the level of economic development of a country might affect the quality of life of its people.

1.	
2.	

(Total 4 marks)

3 Study the figure below, population pyramids of two different countries.



(a) Which age group has the highest percentage in pyramid A?

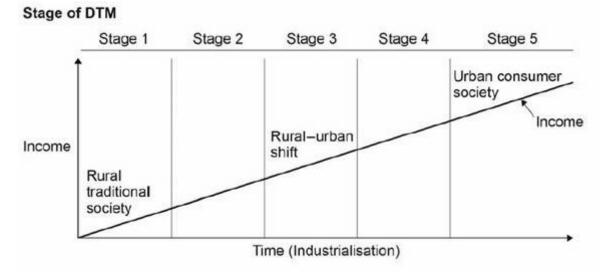


(1)

(b) What percentage of the population are females aged between 10 and 14 years of age in pyramid B?

(1) (Total 2 marks)

4 Study the diagram below, a simplified model of the link between the Demographic Transition Model (DTM) and economic development.



Using the diagram and your own understanding, explain the link between the DTM and a country's level of development.

(Total 4 marks)

5 Outline one way that Fairtrade helps to deal with the problems of unequal development.

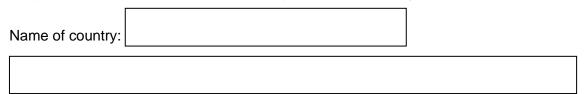
(Total 2 marks)

6 Explain how mass tourism contributes to the economy of a country.

(Total 4 marks)



7 Using a case study of a LIC or NEE country, explain the link between Transnational box Corporations (TNCs) and industrial development in the country.



(Total 4 marks)

#### 8 Give two advantages to a local area of the development of a Science Park.

1.		
2.		

<sup>(</sup>Total 2 marks)

9 Study the photograph showing a modern industrial development.



Using the photograph to help you, explain how modern industrial developments can be made more environmentally sustainable.

(Total 4 marks)



#### **Feedback Form Instructions**

When you have answered as many questions as you can, complete the form on the last page to help you reflect on your work.

#### How to fill in the form

1 Put your confidence score in Column C. This is not about the number of marks you achieved but how sure you felt while you were answering the question.

Confidence	Definition
0	I didn't answer this one
1	I guessed the answer
2	I needed help with the answer
3	I understood the question but wasn't sure about my answer
4	I was fairly confident I would get most of the marks
5	I was sure my answer was correct and I would get full marks

2 Use the mark scheme to check your answers.

Put the mark you think you achieved in Column Mark.

- 3 Write an overall comment about how you felt each question went.
  - If you got help, make a note in the comment box specifying the source: internet, friend, book, parent or tutor.
- 4 Complete 'I can...' and 'I need to...' sentences.
  - 'I can...' sentences might include the questions you found easiest to answer, got the most marks for or felt the most confident about.
  - 'I need to...' sentences might include areas you need to revise, questions you want to ask your teacher or the next topic or skill you want to work on.
- 5 Return the form to your teacher.



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Feedback form

Name

	Total	Self-assessment		
Qu	marks	С	Mark	Comment
1	4			
2	4			
3	2			
4	4			
5	2			
6	4			
7	4			
8	2			
9	4			
Overall I can				
I need to				



## **Teacher review** Total Qu marks Mark Comment Overall You can ..... You need to .....

