

EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL OF ZAMBIA

Examination for School Certificate Ordinary Level

Geography

2218/2

Paper 2

Additional Information:
Answer Booklet

Time 2 hours

Instructions to Candidates

- 1 Write your **name**, **centre number** and **candidate number** in the spaces provided on the **Answer Booklet**.
- 2 There are **ten (10)** questions in this paper.
- 3 Answer only **four (4)** questions according to the instructions below:
 - (i) Answer **one** question from Section **A**.
 - (ii) Answer **one** question from Section **B**.
 - (iii) Answer **one** question from Section **C**.
 - (iv) You are free to choose the **fourth** question from any Section: **A**, **B** or **C**.
- 4 Write your answers in the separate **Answer Booklet** provided.

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- 1 The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- 2 The Insert contains Figure 1.
- 3 Sketch maps and diagrams should be drawn whenever they serve to illustrate an answer.
- 4 **Cell phones and calculators are not allowed in the examination room.**

SECTION A: ZAMBIA

- 1 Study Figure 1 (Insert) of Zambia.**
- (a) Name in the spaces provided below **Figure 1**, land tenure systems common in Area **A** and in Area **B**. [2]
- (b) Explain how traditional farming activities may lead to the loss of soil fertility. [4]
- (c) (i) Explain the effects of bad agricultural practices on the environment. [3]
- (ii) Describe the measures taken to encourage soil conservation in Zambia. [3]
- [12]
- 2**
- (a) Explain **five** differences in the way the indigenous trees and the exotic trees are exploited for timber in Zambia. [5]
- (b) (i) List **four** types of exotic trees. [2]
- (ii) What advantages do the exotic trees have over indigenous timber trees? [5]
- [12]
- 3**
- (a) (i) What tourist attractions has Zambia not fully developed or utilized? [4]
- (ii) Explain the differences between game parks and game reserves. [3]
- (b) What is the Government of Zambia doing promote the tourism industry? [5]
- [12]
- 4**
- (a) Draw a sketch map of Zambia and on it **mark** and **name** the following hydroelectric power stations; **Kariba North Bank, Lusiwasi, Musonda falls**. [4]
- (b) What factors have favoured the development of the Kariba North Bank Hydroelectric Power Stations? [4]
- (c) State the disadvantages of hydroelectric power over thermal power. [4]
- [12]

SECTION B: SUB REGION

- 5** (a) Draw a sketch map of South Africa and on it **mark** and **name** the **Vaal Dam** and the **Vaal river** on which the dam was constructed. [3]
 (b) What necessitated the construction of the Vaal Dam? [4]
 (c) What are the benefits of the lake behind the Vaal Dam to South Africa? [5]
[12]
- 6** (a) (i) Name **two** minerals mined in Zimbabwe. [1]
 (ii) Describe the importance of mineral processing to Zimbabwe. [5]
 (b) Discuss the impact of mining on the environment. [6]
[12]
- 7** (a) Explain the role played by road and railway transport in the social and economic development of the sub-region. [4]
 (b) (i) What problems does the sub-region face regarding air and water transport? [4]
 (ii) How can the problems of air and water transport in the sub-region be overcome? [4]
[12]

SECTION C: SETTLEMENTS AND POPULATION STUDIES.

- 8** (a) (i) Name **two** provinces of Zambia which have experienced a high rate of rural – rural migration in recent years. [1]
 (ii) Explain why the provinces stated in (i) above have experienced rural-rural migration within themselves. [5]
 (b) Explain the consequences of rural-urban migration.
 (i) in rural areas
 (ii) in towns [6]
[12]
- 9** (a) With the help of a diagram, describe the general land use pattern of the Zambian cities and towns. [6]
 (b) Regarding the high and low residential areas in the cities of Zambia;
 (i) Explain the difference in the standard of housing. [3]
 (ii) How does the quality of life differ between the two? [3]
[12]
- 10** Concerning population in Zambia;
 (a) Explain the effects associated with rapid population growth. [6]
 (b) What are the solutions to the effects of over-population in cities and towns? [6]
[12]

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Figure 1 for Question 1

