

GRADE 11 GEOGRAPHY YEAR END EXAMINATION PAPER 1 MEMORANDUM



Marks: 225

Time: 3 hours

SECTION A

QUESTION 1

1.1.1. False ✓

1.1.2. False ✓

1.1.3. True ✓

1.1.4. False ✓

1.1.5. False ✓

1.1.6. True ✓

1.1.7. True ✓

1.1.8. False ✓

1.1.9. True ✓

1.1.10. True ✓

(10x1) (10)

1.2.

1.2.1. Coriolis ✓

1.2.2. Batholith ✓

1.2.3. Tropical easterlies ✓

1.2.4. Water table ✓

1.2.5. Sedimentary ✓

(5x1) (5)

1.3.

1.3.1. High pressure ✓

(1x1) (1)

1.3.2. Pressure is highest at the centre of the cell; ✓ ✓ pressure decreases outwards; ✓ ✓

1.3.3. the latitudinal position of the cell indicates it is high pressure. ✓ ✓ (any one)

(1x2) (2)

1.3.4. Cold front ✓

(1x1) (1)

1.3.5. Summer. ✓ High temperatures ✓ / position of the high pressure cells ✓ / no Kalahari anticyclone is present ✓ (any one correct reason)

(2x1) (2)

- 1.3.6. Temperature 20°C ✓ and dew point 19°C; ✓ 50% cloud cover; ✓ north-easterly ✓ 20 knot wind ✓ and no precipitation. ✓ (6x1) (6)
- 1.3.7. East coast – the warm current ✓ leads to higher evaporation levels ✓ and therefore cloud cover. ✓ West coast – the cold current ✓ means less evaporation and humidity ✓ therefore clear skies. ✓ (6x1) (6)
- 1.4.
- 1.4.1. A – tropical easterlies ✓ B – westerlies ✓ C – polar easterlies ✓ (3x1) (3)
- 1.4.2. D – tropical or Hadley cell ✓ E – mid-latitude or Ferrel cell ✓ F – polar cell ✓ (3x1) (3)
- 1.4.3. The Earth’s rotation ✓ causes the winds to deflect; ✓ this is Coriolis force ✓ (3x1) (3)
- 1.4.4. Intertropical Convergence Zone / ITCZ ✓ (1x1) (1)
- 1.4.5. When it is summer in a certain hemisphere, pressure belts shift so the ITCZ is further north in June / July ✓ and further south in January. ✓ (2x1) (2)
- 1.5.
- 1.5.1. A – mesa ✓ B – butte / pointed butte ✓ C – conical hill ✓ (3x1) (3)
- 1.5.2. The softer layers of the mesa erode away with sheetwash ✓ until the hard cap breaks ✓ which narrows the landform. It becomes a mesa. With further erosion, scarp retreat ✓ continues until the hard cap erodes completely ✓ leaving a conical hill. (4x1) (4)
- 1.5.3. Karoo landscape ✓ (1x1) (1)
- 1.5.4. Very little seasonal rainfall ✓ ✓ (1x2) (2)
- 1.5.5. Talus slope – rock falls and eroded debris presents a danger. ✓ ✓ It is steep and inaccessible which makes building difficult. ✓ ✓ (2x2) (4)
- 1.5.6. Rock climbing, hiking or abseiling (*any one*) (1x1) (1)
- 1.5.7. Freeface ✓ (1x1) (1)
- 1.6.
- 1.6.1. The process where weathered material moves down a slope under the influence of gravity. ✓ ✓ (1x2) (2)
- 1.6.2. Buildings: these are heavy and have made cuts into the slope, which makes the slope unstable and can cause collapse. ✓ ✓
- Removal of vegetation: If there are no roots to hold the soil in place it becomes loose and susceptible to movement. ✓ ✓

Excavation: these can compromise the stability of the slope which can lead to collapse. ✓ ✓

(any TWO answers)

(2x2) (4)

1.6.3. Homes can be crushed ✓ ✓

Farms can be covered in eroded materials destroying crops ✓ ✓

Electricity lines and water pipes can be destroyed ✓ ✓

Sewerage pipes can be broken, leading to disease ✓ ✓

Transport routes can be blocked off ✓ ✓

(any two)

(2x2) (4)

1.6.4. Fencing can be put on slopes to catch falling material ✓ ✓

Support walls can be built to stabilise slopes and soil ✓ ✓

Vegetation can be planted ✓ ✓

Channels can be built to direct runoff ✓ ✓

Building can be prevented in unstable areas ✓ ✓

(any two suitable answers)

(2x2) (4)

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QUESTION 2

2.1.1. Climate change ✓

2.1.2. Heat wave ✓

2.1.3. Subsidence ✓

2.1.4. Weather ✓

2.1.5. Biome ✓

2.1.6. Desertification ✓

2.1.7. Heavy rainfall ✓

2.1.8. Talus ✓

2.1.9. Dyke ✓

2.1.10. Waterfall ✓

(10x1) (10)

2.2. Answer must be in this form:

Hilly landscape	Badlands
Smooth slopes ✓ Regular rainfall ✓	Arid area ✓ Rugged landscape ✓
Horizontal strata ✓ (must be mentioned on both sides to get the mark)	

(5x1) (5)

2.3.

2.3.1. 0° – low pressure ✓ 30° – high pressure ✓ 60° – low pressure ✓ (3x1) (3)

2.3.2. Toward 60° ✓ (1x1) (1)

2.3.3. Air moves from an area of high pressure (at 30°) ✓ to an area of low pressure (at 60°) ✓ . (2x1) (2)

2.3.4. During winter low pressure belts shift northward and closer to the coastline. ✓ ✓
Mid-latitude cyclones on this belt are blown from west to east ✓ ✓ by the westerly winds. ✓ ✓

These cyclones bring cold air to the Western Cape. ✓ ✓

The cold fronts bring frontal rain. ✓ ✓ (any 3 suitable points for a full answer) (3x2) (6)

2.4.

2.4.1. A prolonged period of little or no rainfall in an area. ✓ ✓ (concept) (1x2) (2)

2.4.2. Devastating effects on people ✓ ✓

Food shortages ✓ ✓

Food insecurity ✓ ✓

Increase in food prices ✓ ✓

Famine ✓ ✓

People live in refugee camps ✓ ✓

High number of deaths ✓ ✓

(any two) (2x2) (4)

2.4.3. Lack the technology to monitor and predict drought ✓ ✓

Unable to plant or have no access to genetically modified crops or alternate crops ✓ ✓

Poor irrigation systems ✓ ✓

No water schemes in place to get water from elsewhere ✓ ✓

Rely heavily on subsistence farming for food ✓ ✓

Lack funds to import food ✓ ✓

Less educated on soil management and sustainable farming techniques ✓ ✓

Government has less money to support citizens ✓ ✓

(any 3 suitable answers)

(3x2) (6)

2.4.4. Build dams ✓ ✓

Plant genetically modified crops ✓ ✓

Plant crops that need less water ✓ ✓

Drought monitoring ✓ ✓

Harvest rain from rooftops or use containers ✓ ✓

Restrict irrigation ✓ ✓

Restore soil fertility ✓ ✓

(any 3 suitable answers)

(3x2) (6)

2.5.

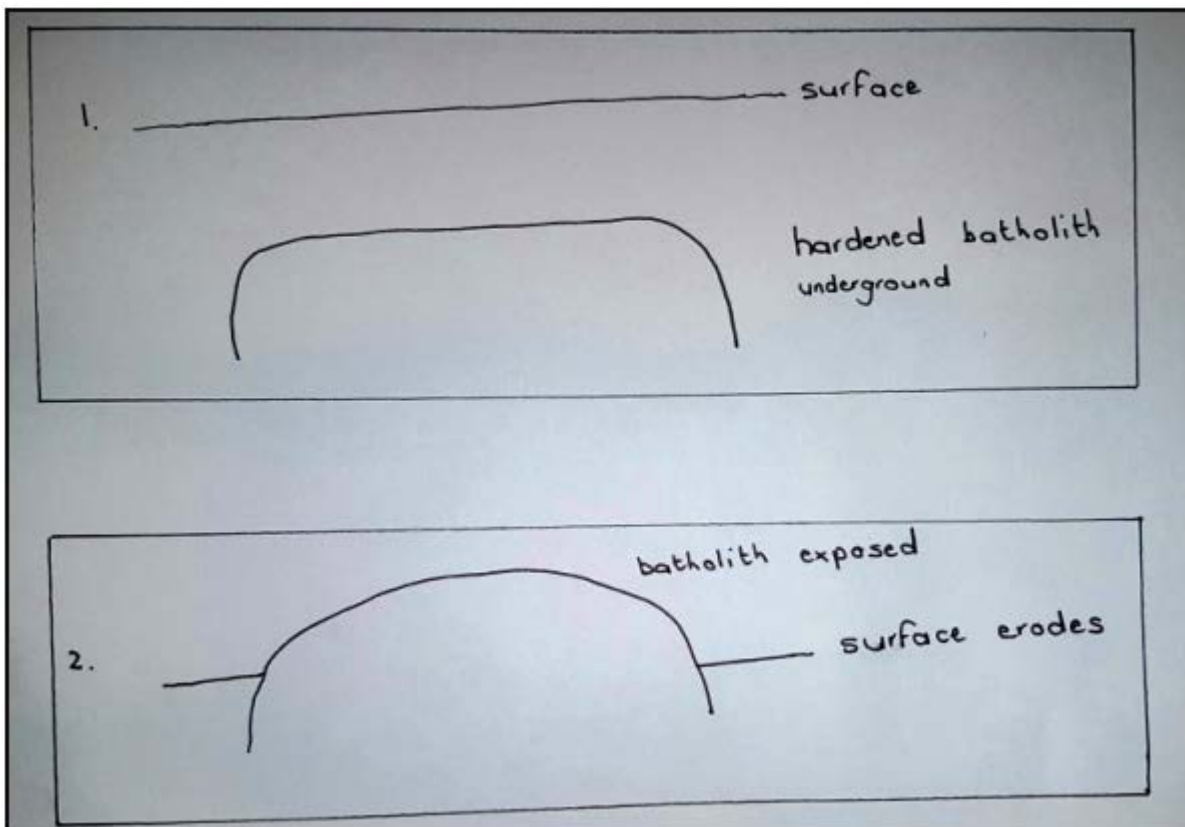
2.5.1. A – granite dome ✓ B – tor ✓

(2x1) (2)

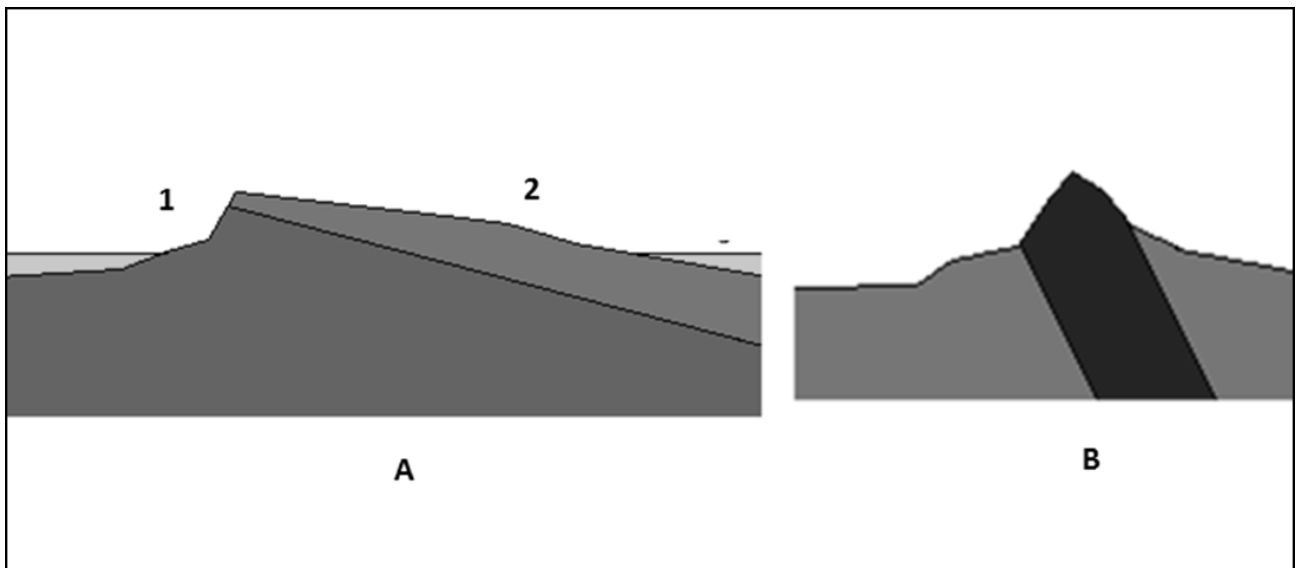
2.5.2. Batholith ✓ ✓

(1x2) (2)

2.5.3. A batholith made from cooled magma formed underground ✓ ✓ and over time the softer rock above it eroded away, exposing the batholith. ✓ ✓ Diagram:



- ✓ ✓ (3x2) (6)
- 2.5.4. Little activity can take place – abseiling, hiking or rock climbing. ✓ ✓ (any one) (1x2) (2)
- 2.5.5. Rockfalls ✓ ✓ (1x2) (2)
- 2.6.
- 2.6.1. A ✓ (1x1) (1)
- 2.6.2. The angle of inclination is lower / the slope is less steep than B so it is a cuesta ✓ ✓ (1x2) (2)
- 2.6.3. Dip slope ✓ (1x1) (1)
- 2.6.4. Gentle slope ✓ ✓ (1x2) (2)
- 2.6.5. Diagram:



<https://www.uwgb.edu/dutchs/Graphics-Geol/GEOMORPH/SedRockForms.gif>

(one mark per correct label for a maximum of 4 marks) (4x1) (4)

- 2.6.6. Gradient allows for the building of homes ✓ ✓
 Transport routes are possible, if difficult ✓ ✓
 Forestry can take place on the thin soil (soil is too thin for farming) ✓ ✓
 Recreational activities such as hiking, horse riding or trail running ✓ ✓
 (any 3 points in paragraph form) (3x2) (6)

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SECTION B: DEVELOPMENT GEOGRAPHY, RESOURCES AND SUSTAINABILITY

QUESTION 3

- 3.1
- 3.1.1 Acid rain ✓
 - 3.1.2 Nuclear energy ✓
 - 3.1.3 Humus ✓
 - 3.1.4 Carbon footprint ✓
 - 3.1.5 Fossil fuels ✓
 - 3.1.6 Land degradation ✓
 - 3.1.7 Free trade ✓
 - 3.1.8 GDP ✓
 - 3.1.9 Demographic indicators ✓
 - 3.1.10 Trade deficit ✓
 - 3.1.11 Import ✓
 - 3.1.12 Quotas ✓
 - 3.1.13 Exploit ✓
 - 3.1.14 Biomass ✓
 - 3.1.15 Coal ✓ (15x1) (15)
- 3.2
- 3.2.1 Development around the world is unequal ✓ ✓ (*concept*) (1x2) (2)
 - 3.2.2 Food resources ✓ ✓ (*do not accept shelter or water*) (1x2) (2)
 - 3.2.3 Panel 2 ✓ which shows a child in a large house with many manufactured / luxury items which means they have money. ✓ ✓ (1+2) (3)
 - 3.2.4 Panel 1 – LEDC ✓ because it is rural; ✓ there is no modern technology; ✓ no electricity; ✓ basic food ✓ (*any one suitable reason*)
Panel 2 – MEDC ✓ the child is well-fed (over-fed); ✓ large home; ✓ clothing; ✓ technology; ✓ electricity ✓ (*any one suitable reason*) (4x1) (4)
 - 3.2.5 High BR; ✓ Gini co-efficient of 0,58; ✓ HDI of 0,43; ✓ Low literacy rate; ✓ high IMR ✓ (5x1) (5)

- 3.3
- 3.3.1 Humanitarian aid is given in times of crises, such as natural disaster or conflict ✓ ✓ (1x2) (2)
- 3.3.2 Bilateral – aid given from one government to another, usually with conditions ✓ ✓
Development – Assistance or support for economic or human development in LEDCs, without conditions ✓ ✓ (*concepts*) (2x2) (4)
- 3.3.3 Shelter ✓
Food ✓
Medicine ✓
Water ✓
Clothes ✓
Blankets ✓
(*any one suitable answer*) (1x2) (2)
- 3.3.4 Yes:
Reduced chance of famine / provides food security ✓
Lowered death rate / lives are saved ✓
Population is able to rebuild livelihoods and support themselves in the long term ✓
People can rebuild homes ✓
Provides shelter ✓
Important medical care is provided ✓
Overall standard of living improves ✓ (*accept any 6 suitable points*)
- No:
Possible increased dependency of LEDCs on donor countries ✓
Aid may not reach those who need it (limited resources) ✓
Possible corruption means people may not receive donations ✓
LEDC may be left in the debt of MEDCs, preventing future growth ✓
LEDC may be exploited for political gain ✓ (*accept any 6 suitable points*)
(*learner may present either side of the argument or both sides*) (6x1) (6)

- 3.4
- 3.4.1 Sunlight ✓
Soil ✓
Air (natural gases) ✓
Coal ✓
Minerals ✓
Animals ✓ (*any 2*) (2x1) (2)
- 3.4.2 Urbanisation – Space is needed for settlements to expand, so forests are cleared ✓ ✓
Agriculture – space is needed for commercial farming and raising cattle to meet food demands ✓ ✓
Fuel - population growth has increased the demand for fuel wood ✓ ✓
Subsistence farming – space is needed for people in LEDCs to grow their own food (they cannot afford to buy food) ✓ ✓
(*any 2*) (2x2) (4)
- 3.4.3 Soil erosion – tons of fertile topsoil is lost, plants can no longer grow in the area; the risk of desertification increases ✓ ✓
Global warming – climate change; flooding, droughts, disease all increase ✓ ✓
Extinction of species – food chains disrupted, more animals and plants may be lost ✓ ✓
Flooding – could be caused by increased runoff; indirectly related to deforestation because of climate change ✓ ✓
Drought – deforestation leads to climate change and drought ✓ ✓
(*any 2 points*) (2x2) (4)
- 3.4.4 Forests are cut down and cleared to make space for farms ✓ ✓ (1x2) (2)
- 3.4.5 The trees are cut down at a rate faster than they can grow again. ✓ ✓ (1x2) (2)
- 3.5
- 3.5.1 Coal ✓ (1x1) (1)
- 3.5.2 Large coal reserves means there is plenty of existing infrastructure ✓ ✓
It is costly to build new alternative energy plants ✓ ✓ (2x2) (4)
- 3.5.3 Renewable – the energy source will never run out ✓ (*concept*) (1x1) (1)
- 3.5.4 Solar / sun; ✓ water; ✓ wind ✓ (*any 2*) (2x1) (2)
- 3.5.5 The generation of energy from these resources does not result in pollution. ✓ ✓ (1x2) (2)
- 3.5.6 True ✓ ✓

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Sources may not always be available ✓ ✓

Nature is unpredictable ✓ ✓

On a cloudy day, solar power is not useful ✓ ✓

Wind may not blow for a few days ✓ ✓

(2 marks for agreeing with the statement and learner must give any 2 reasons) (3x2) (6)

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QUESTION 4

4.1

4.1.1 B ✓

4.1.2 B ✓

4.1.3 C ✓

4.1.4 A ✓

4.1.5 C ✓ (5X1) (5)

4.2

4.2.1 B ✓ ✓

4.2.2 A ✓ ✓

4.2.3 D ✓ ✓

4.2.4 C ✓ ✓

4.2.5 F ✓ ✓ (5x2) (10)

4.3

4.3.1 Globalisation is the interconnection of places around the world in terms of economic, social, political and cultural ways of life, due to technology ✓ ✓ (*concept*) (1x2) (2)

4.3.2 Factories in the distance ✓ ✓

Improved quality of life ✓ ✓

Improved services ✓ ✓

Improved infrastructure ✓ ✓

Increased technology (cars, electricity) ✓ ✓

Jobs ✓ ✓

(*any one*) (1x2) (2)

4.3.3 Reduced poverty ✓ ✓ (1x2) (2)

4.3.4 A) Primary ✓ B) secondary ✓ (2x1) (2)

4.3.5 Export-led development / economic development ✓ ✓ (1x2) (2)

4.3.6 Positive:

Improved services ✓

Technology ✓

Jobs ✓

Infrastructure ✓

Trade ✓

Economic development ✓

Reduced poverty ✓

Foreign investment ✓

Sharing of ideas and culture ✓ (*any 3*)

Negative:

Widened gap between rich and poor ✓

Exploitation of people in poorer countries ✓

Exploitation of resources in poorer countries ✓

Cultures of indigenous may be lost or disrupted ✓

Rural depopulation increased ✓ (*any 3*)

(answer must be in a paragraph; subtract one mark for point form. Learner must present at least 3 point for positive AND 3 points for negative)

(6x1) (6)

4.4

4.4.1 Men and women are treated differently ✓ ✓ (*concept*) (1x2) (2)

4.4.2 Nigeria ✓ ✓ (1x2) (2)

4.4.3 Jobs – women cannot work or make less money ✓ ✓

Little or no education or training of women ✓ ✓

No voting rights ✓ ✓

Arranged marriages ✓ ✓

Women may not own property ✓ ✓

Forced prostitution ✓ ✓

(accept other answers; ONE suitable answer) (1x2) (2)

- 4.4.4 In LEDCs:
Women are not empowered to change their statuses or make decisions ✓ ✓
Cultural roles place women in positions with less power ✓ ✓
Women are not educated or trained ✓ ✓
Low status of women – treated poorly and not protected ✓ ✓
Women do not have the financial means to support themselves ✓ ✓
(accept other answers; *any TWO answers*) (2x2) (4)
- 4.4.5 Create job opportunities in management for women ✓ ✓
Raise awareness against violence towards women ✓ ✓
Teach women about self-empowerment and their rights ✓ ✓
Protect women’s rights ✓ ✓
Include more women in fields traditionally associated with men ✓ ✓
Encourage women to attend and complete school ✓ ✓
Offer women scholarships ✓ ✓
Higher pay for women so they earn equal amounts as men ✓ ✓
(accept other answers; *any TWO answers*) (2x2) (4)
- 4.5.1. The removal of soil by wind and water ✓ ✓ (*key words must be included*) (1x2) (2)
- 4.5.2. Overstocking ✓
Overgrazing ✓
Little natural vegetation (trees) ✓
Soil left bare ✓
No wind breaks ✓

(*any THREE reasons*) (3x1) (3)
- 4.5.3. The soil erosion will continue / get worse ✓ (1x1) (1)
- 4.5.4. Windbreaks – trees are planted to prevent wind blowing soil away ✓ ✓
Limit livestock in one area – to prevent trampling the soil or overgrazing ✓ ✓
Rotational grazing – allows for natural vegetation to re-grow ✓ ✓
Encourage growth of plant cover – prevents loose soil blowing or washing away ✓ ✓
(*any TWO with explanations. Only ONE mark if no explanation is given*) (2x2) (4)

4.5.5. Environment:

- Less soil fertility ✓
- Reduce productivity of soil ✓
- Land degradation ✓
- Gullies become deeper because of increased runoff ✓
- Deep gullies lower the water table ✓
- Sedimentary deposits in dams decrease capacity of water in the dam ✓
- Destroys ecosystems and habitats ✓
- Loss of food source (plants) for animals ✓
- Loss of shelter for animals ✓ (*any 3*)

Humans:

- Land becomes unsustainable and cannot support people ✓
- Decline in food production and food shortages ✓
- Job losses on commercial farms ✓
- Poverty and famine ✓
- Health risks linked to discharge of chemicals in downstream waterbodies ✓
- Collapse in farm production leads to rapid urbanisation
- Social problems and conflict due to increased competition for resources ✓ (*any 3*)

(Learner must refer to both environment and people) (6x1) (6)

4.6.

- 4.6.1. The Northern Cape receives the most solar radiation annually ✓ ✓

(concept) (1x2) (2)

- 4.6.2. Large, flat land ideal for solar farms ✓ ✓

Low population means less space is needed for urbanisation – plenty of space available ✓ ✓ (2x2) (4)

- 4.6.3. Zero carbon emissions ✓ ✓

Renewable ✓ ✓

Sustainable ✓ ✓ (*any 2 suitable answers*) (2x2) (4)

- 4.6.4. Along the coastline, for example the Western Cape, Eastern Cape or KwaZulu-Natal ✓
There is a lot of wind along coastlines (sea and land breezes) that blows year-round ✓ ✓
Wind farms do not require flat land; coastlines are mountainous so cannot be used for most other forms of
renewable energy ✓ ✓
(any suitable reason) (1+2) (3)
- 4.6.5. Hydro-electric power ✓
Geo-thermal energy ✓
Biofuel ✓
Tidal power ✓ (any 1) (1x1) (1)

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