



CHARACTERISTICS OF WORLD DESTINATIONS

Friday 10th June 2022

Time allowed

Three hours

Instructions

- Write the question number next to each answer in your answer booklet.
- You are not required to rewrite the question in your answer booklet.
- Ensure that you pay particular attention to words in **bold**.

Information

- Different questions may carry a different number of marks.
- Marks for each question are shown in [].

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Use the full time permitted and check all your answers.

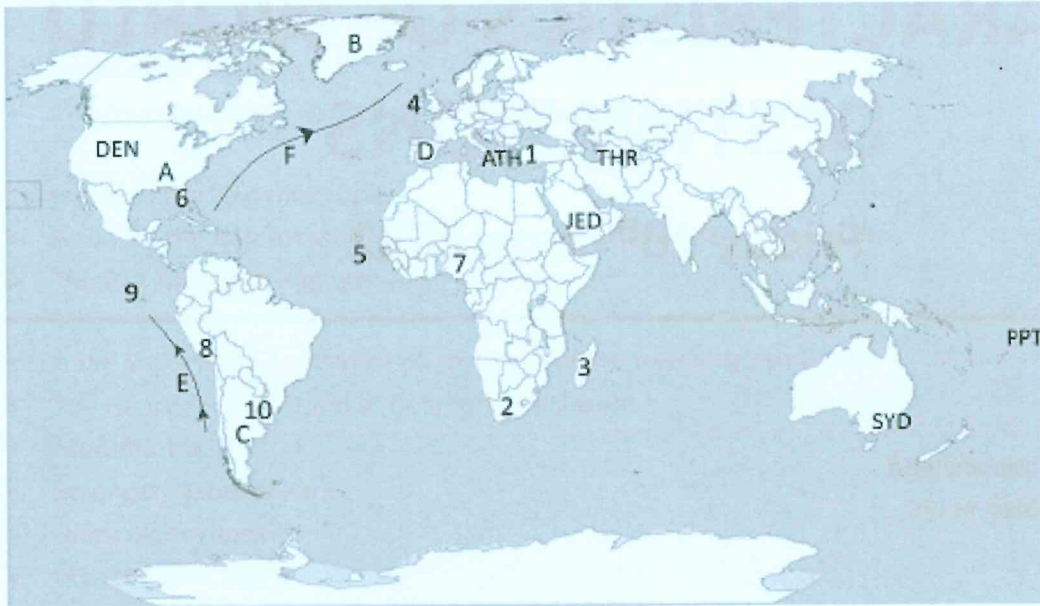
Materials

- Notes or books are not permitted.
- Non-programmable calculators are permitted.

ANSWER FIVE QUESTIONS IN TOTAL
ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS FROM SECTION A
ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS FROM SECTION B

SECTION A (ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS)

1. On the world map provided below, the letters and numbers indicate geographical locations, destinations and cities.



- (a) Identify the following geographical locations shown by the letters A, B, C, D, E and F on the map. Copy the following grid into your answer booklet, using the letters to identify the location to which it relates:

Geographical location	Letter on the world map
Greenland Icecap	
Pampas	
Mississippi Basin	
Iberian Peninsula	
Gulf Stream	
Humboldt/Peruvian Current	

[1 mark]
[1 mark]
[1 mark]
[1 mark]
[1 mark]
[1 mark]

- (b) Identify the destinations shown by the numbers 1-10 on the map. Copy the following grid into your answer booklet, using the numbers to identify the destination to which it relates:

Destination	Number on the world map
Uruguay	
South Africa	
Turkey	
Ireland	
Cape Verde Islands	
Florida	
Galapagos Islands	
Peru	
Nigeria	
Madagascar	

[1 mark]
[1 mark]
[1 mark]
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- (c) Identify the cities/islands shown by their IATA codes. Copy the following grid into your answer booklet, naming the city to identify the IATA code to which it relates:

IATA code	Name of the city/island
ATH	
DEN	
JED	
SYD	
THR	
PPT	

[1 mark]

[1 mark]

[1 mark]

[1 mark]

[1 mark]

[1 mark]

2. (a) State the name of the capital of Brazil (IATA code BSB) founded in 1956. [1 mark]
- (b) State the name of the city in which St Mark's Basilica and the Doge's Palace is located and a gondola can be ridden on the Grand Canal. [1 mark]
- (c) State the sport showcased internationally by the Americas Cup. [1 mark]
- (d) State the name of the African country where the official language is Spanish. [1 mark]
- (e) State the sport showcased internationally by the Tour de France. [1 mark]
- (f) State the name of the country in which the Tsavo National Park is located. [1 mark]
- (g) State **two** European capitals which are located on the River Danube. [2 marks]
- (h) State the name of the country in which the Okavango Delta is located. [1 mark]
- (i) State any **two** of the three official languages of Belgium. [2 marks]
- (j) State the name of the state in the USA in which the Shenandoah Valley and Blue Ridge Mountains are located. [1 mark]
- (k) State the name of the Asian country in which the cherry blossom festivals known as Sakura are celebrated in spring. [1 mark]
- (l) State the names of any **three** of the countries which are located on the ancient overland trade route known as the Silk Road. [3 marks]
- (m) State the name of the longest river system in the USA. [1 mark]
- (n) State the name of **two** African capital cities located on opposite sides of the River Congo. [2 marks]
- (o) State the name of any **two** islands which form part of the Canary Islands. [2 marks]
- (p) State the name of the European country in which the city of Kraków is located. [1 mark]
- (q) State the name of the largest city in northern England. [1 mark]
- (r) State the name of the largest city and former capital of Nigeria. [1 mark]

SECTION B (ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS)

3. Describe the key attractions of any **three** of the following destinations:

- Peru
- South Africa
- Madagascar
- Florida
- Iran

[18 marks]

4. Evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of Belgium as a tourist destination, making reference to the following factors:
- Transport networks and accessibility to the countries generating the greatest demand for tourism
 - Climate, including suitability for specific types of recreation
 - Topography including physical features such as mountains, coasts, rivers and forests
 - Culture, heritage and famous cities
 - Facilities for sport, recreation and entertainment
 - Facilities for business
 - The country's image in the media, including art, literature and film
- [18 marks]
5. Discuss **one** of the following topics:
- A tour of the USA focusing on popular music which includes Route 66
 - The Pan American Highway
- [18 marks]
6. Explain the importance to tourism of any **three** of the following attractions:
- The Henry Ford Museum at Dearborn, Michigan
 - Montmartre
 - Serengeti National Park
 - Uluru (Ayers Rock)
 - Mount Fuji in Japan
- [18 marks]
7. Discuss the theory that the following preconditions must be satisfied in order to develop a successful tourism industry in the context of sub-Saharan countries:
- The provision of basic infrastructure
 - Political stability
- [18 marks]
8. Explain the ways in which tourism development has been influenced by improvements to transport systems. Use examples from Spain and the USA to support your explanation.
- [18 marks]

END OF QUESTIONS