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ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

0680/11

Paper 1 Theory

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1 hour 45 minutes

You must answer on the question paper.

No additional materials are needed.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **all** questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen. You may use an HB pencil for any diagrams or graphs.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
- Do **not** write on any bar codes.
- You may use a calculator.
- You should show all your working and use appropriate units.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 80.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].

This document has **20** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

Section A

- 1** Lithium is an important resource. It is used in the production of rechargeable batteries and electricity storage.

The table shows the annual production of lithium and lithium reserves for some major producing countries.

country	annual production / thousand tonnes	reserves / thousand tonnes
Argentina	3.2	850.0
Australia	9.3	970.0
Canada	0.4	180.0
Chile	12.6	7500.0
China	5.2	3500.0
Portugal	0.8	16.0
Zimbabwe	0.5	23.0

- (a) (i)** State the country in the table with the lowest annual production of lithium.

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- (ii)** Calculate how many years the reserves in Portugal will last if they are used at the current rate of annual production.

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- (iii)** Suggest reasons why demand for lithium from Chile may increase in the future.

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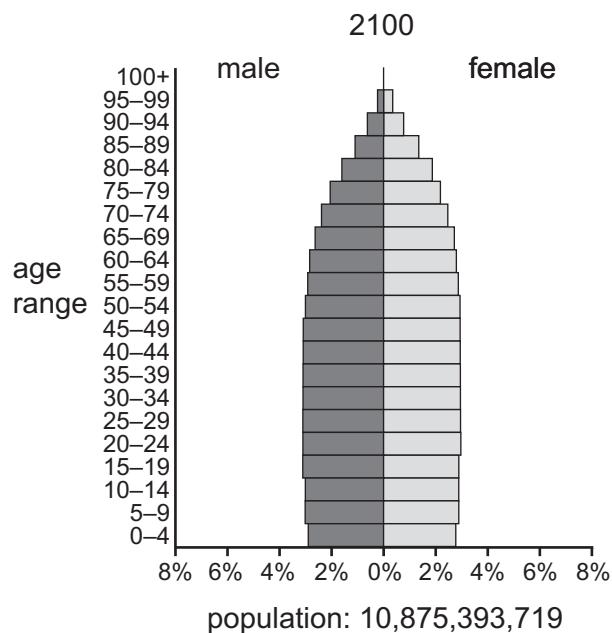
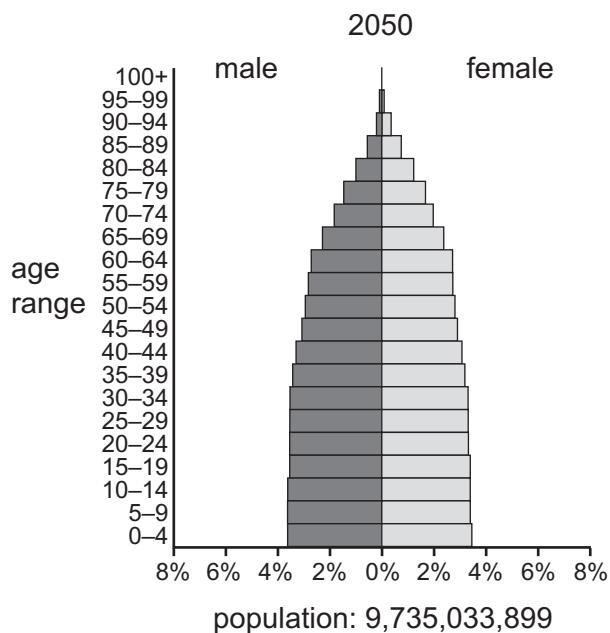
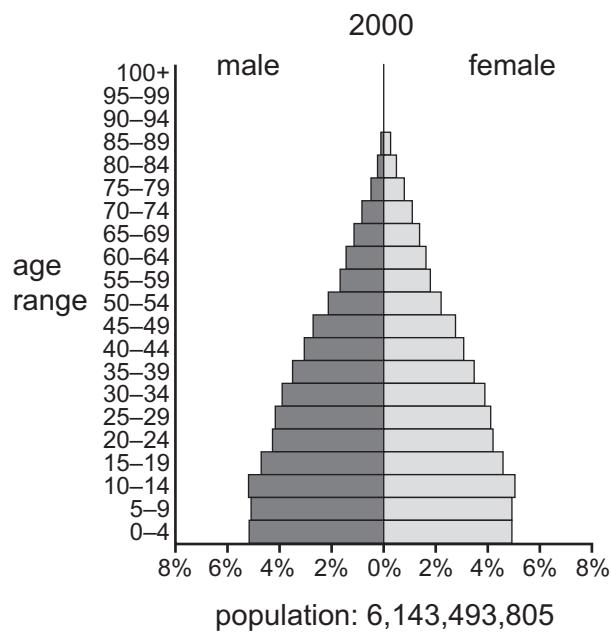
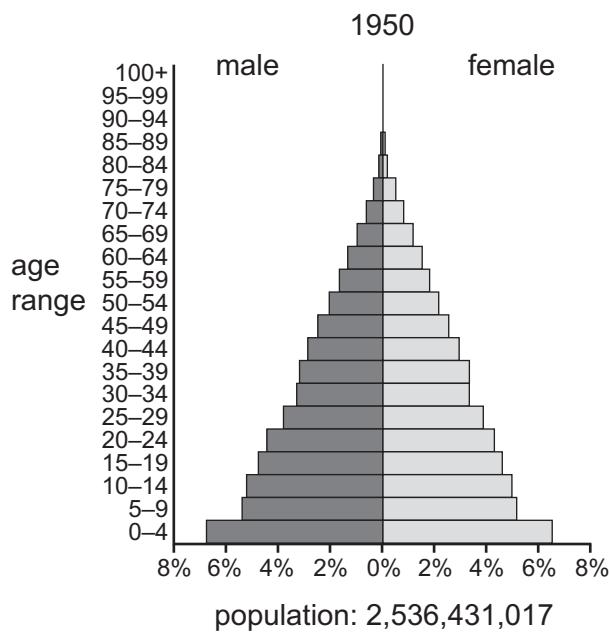
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- (b) Suggest strategies to make the use of lithium more sustainable.

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- 2 The population pyramids show information about the world population in 1950 and 2000 and give predictions for 2050 and 2100.



- (a) Calculate the predicted increase in world population from 2000 to 2100.

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- (b) Describe the trends in age distribution between 1950 and 2100.

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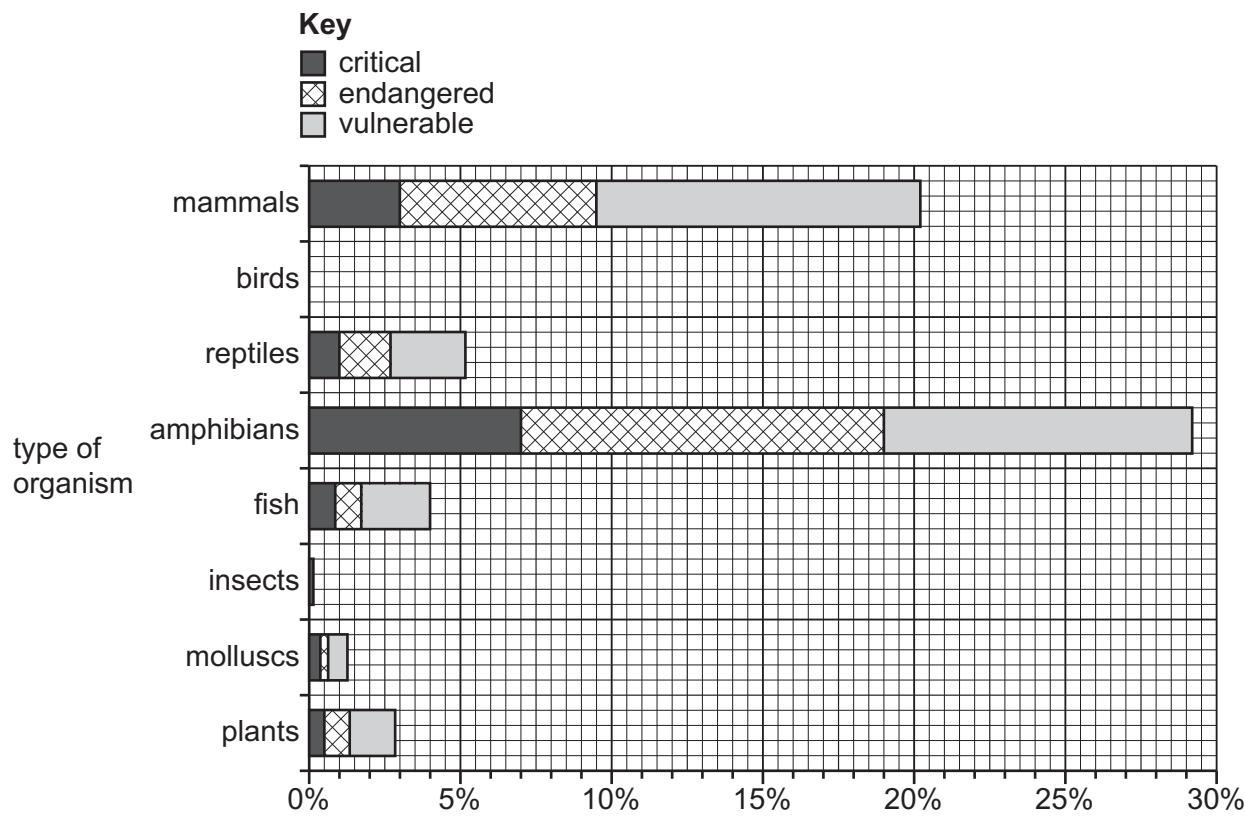
- (c) Suggest reasons why the actual population pyramid in 2100 might be different from the predicted population pyramid in 2100.

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- 3 Scientists are concerned about the rate of species extinction.

The bar chart shows the percentage of species that are under threat for different types of organism.



- (a) (i) Plot the data for birds using the information in the table.

Use the key.

critical	endangered	vulnerable
2.0%	3.5%	7.0%

[4]

- (ii) State the percentage of amphibian species that are classified as endangered.

..... % [1]

- (b) Scientists in the United Kingdom (UK) are developing a seed bank as part of the conservation of plant species.

- (i) Define the term seed bank.

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..... [1]

- (ii) The UK seed bank will hold 75 000 different species. This is 24% of the world's number of plant species.

Calculate the number of plant species in the world.

..... [1]

[Total: 7]

Section B

- 4 A newspaper published an article about ocean fishing.

90% of fish stocks are under threat

Ocean fishing at current levels is not sustainable. Scientists have been studying current fishing levels and found that:

- 10% of fish stocks are underfished
- 61% of fish stocks are fully fished
- 29% of fish stocks are overfished.

The scientists are concerned that current levels of fishing will cause the extinction of fish species and affect biodiversity.

The scientists want governments to introduce greater controls on the amount of fish caught annually.

- (a) Use the information in the article to complete the pie chart about fish stocks.

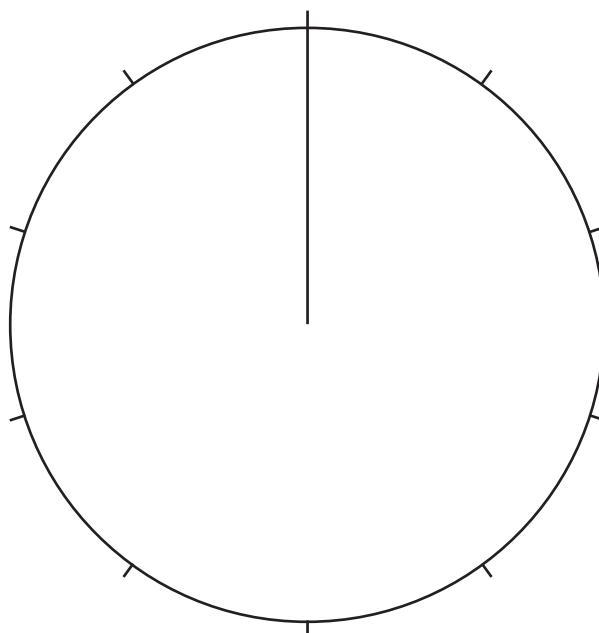
Complete the key.

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- (b) Explain why the extinction of fish species will affect biodiversity of oceans.

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- (c) (i) Describe strategies that governments can use to make fishing sustainable.

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- (ii) Explain why international cooperation is needed to maintain fish stocks.

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- 5 (a) Use the list of words to complete the table of renewable and non-renewable energy resources.

biofuel coal hydroelectric
petroleum solar uranium wind

renewable	non-renewable

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- (b) (i) Describe strategies for reducing the use of energy within the home.

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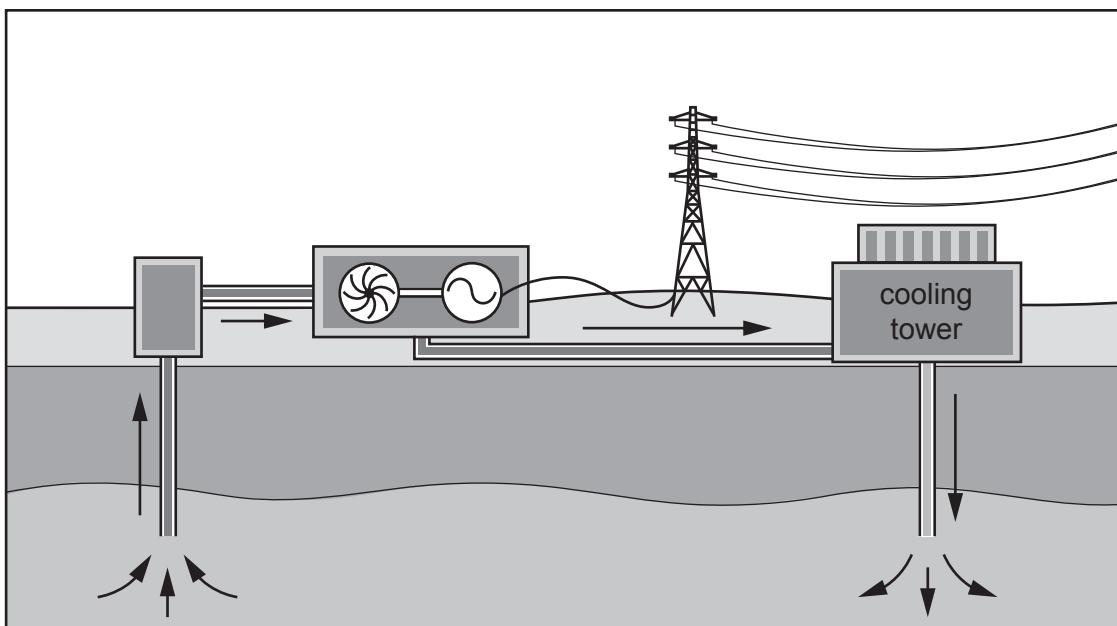
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- (ii) Suggest reasons why reducing the use of energy within the home is an important environmental issue.

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- (c) The diagram shows a geothermal power station.



- (i) Use the diagram to describe how geothermal power is used to generate electricity.

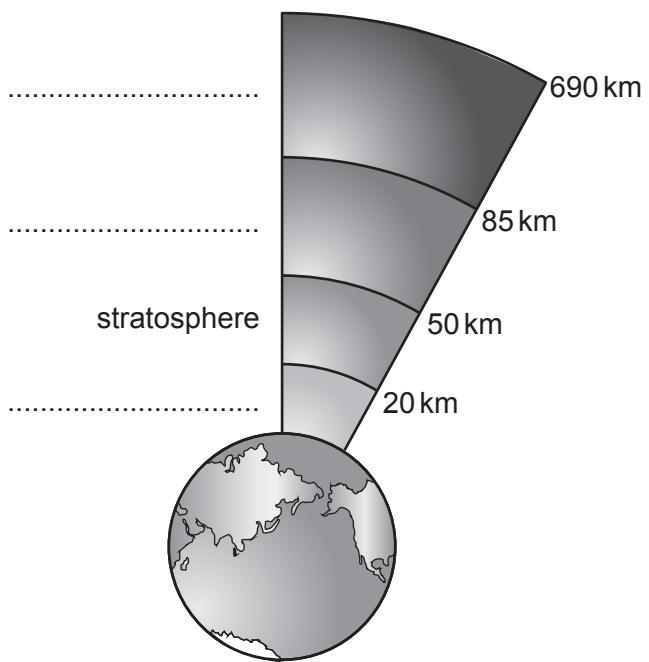
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- (ii) Suggest why geothermal power is **not** used to generate electricity in some countries.

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- 6 The diagram shows the layers of the Earth's atmosphere.



(a) (i) Complete the diagram by labelling the layers of the Earth's atmosphere. [3]

(ii) State the height of the stratosphere above the Earth.

from km to km [1]

(iii) Draw an X on the diagram to show which layer has the highest concentration of ozone. [1]

(b) Describe the natural greenhouse effect.

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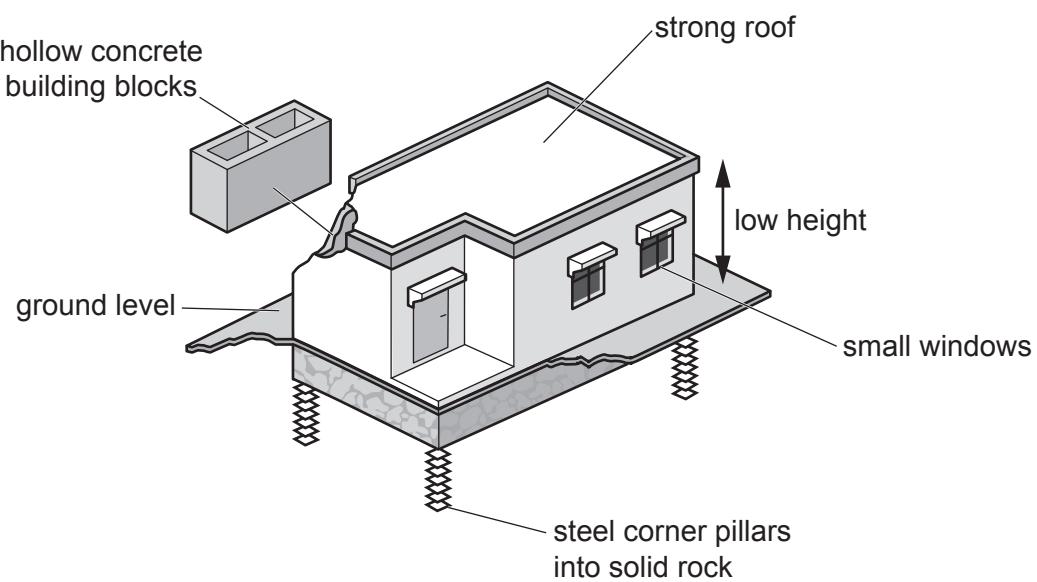
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- 7 (a) Describe the cause of an earthquake.

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- (b) The diagram shows the design of an earthquake-resistant building.



Describe **three** ways that the design of the building reduces the impacts of an earthquake.

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- (c) The table shows the details of earthquakes occurring in a 14-day period in 2018.

date	country	magnitude of earthquake	number of		
			deaths	injuries	people displaced
10 Jan	Honduras	7.5	0	0	0
10 Jan	Iran	4.7	0	0	0
11 Jan	Iran	5.6	0	5	208
11 Jan	Iran	5.4	0	0	0
11 Jan	Myanmar	6.0	0	0	0
14 Jan	Peru	7.1	2	136	2003
15 Jan	Portugal	4.9	0	0	0
17 Jan	Austria	3.9	0	0	0
19 Jan	Mexico	6.3	0	0	0
20 Jan	China	4.8	0	0	0
22 Jan	India	3.0	0	0	0
23 Jan	Iran	4.5	0	0	0
23 Jan	Indonesia	6.0	2	23	2934
23 Jan	USA	7.9	0	0	0

- (i) State the scale used to measure the magnitude of the earthquakes.

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- (ii) State which country experienced the most earthquakes during this 14-day period.

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- (iii) Calculate the total number of people displaced during this 14-day period.

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- (iv) Some earthquakes with a large magnitude do **not** cause any deaths or injuries.

One reason for this could be earthquake-resistant buildings.

Suggest other reasons.

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- (v) Suggest why people continue to live in places which are at high risk of earthquakes.

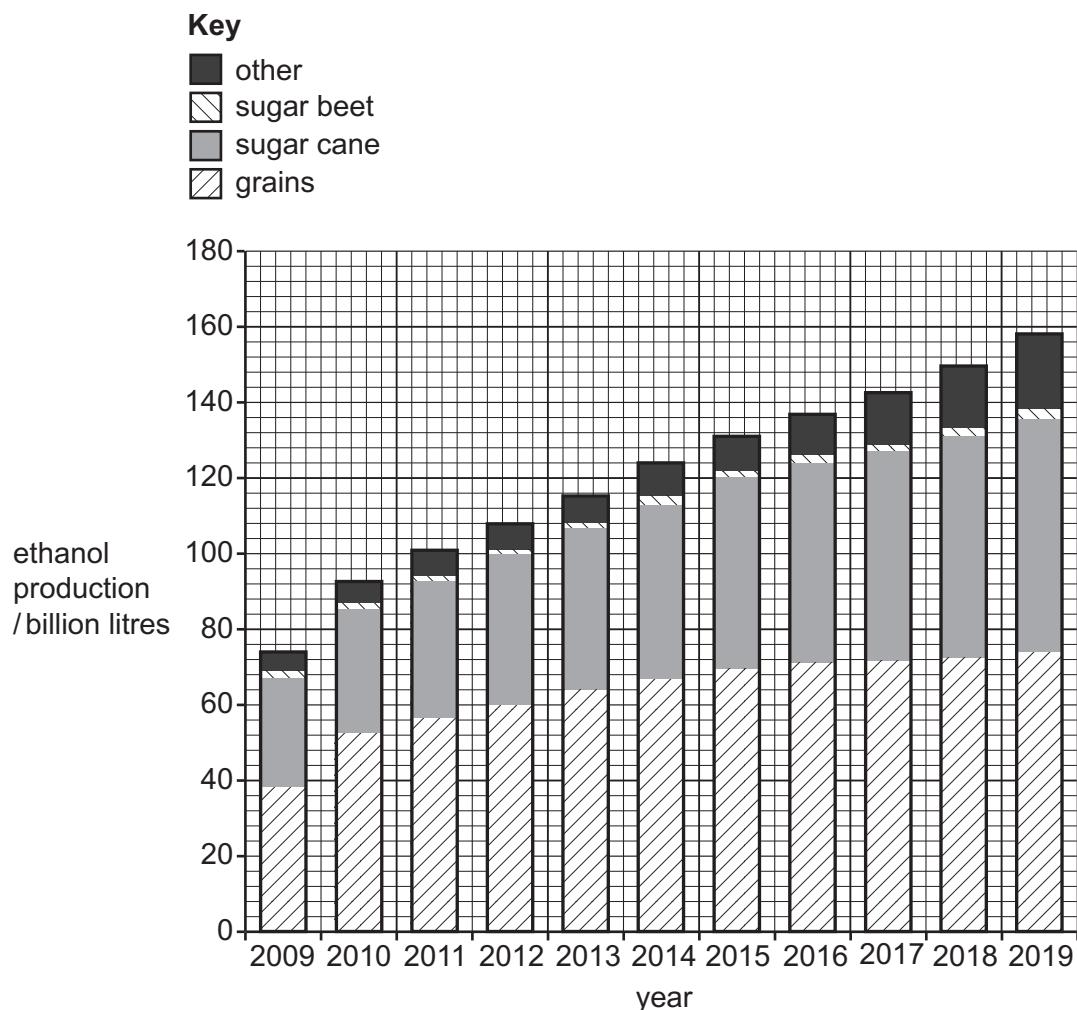
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- 8 Many farmers choose to grow biofuel crops rather than food.

Some fuel crops are converted into bioethanol.

The bar chart shows the global production of bioethanol by crop.



- (a) (i) Calculate the percentage change in the global production of bioethanol between 2009 and 2019.

..... % [2]

- (ii) Describe the trends in the use of grains for the production of bioethanol between 2009 and 2019.
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(b) A student says:

Farmers should grow food crops rather than biofuel.
There are food shortages in the world.

To what extent do you agree with this statement? Give reasons for your answer.

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MARK SCHEME

Maximum Mark: 80

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This mark scheme is published as an aid to teachers and candidates, to indicate the requirements of the examination. It shows the basis on which Examiners were instructed to award marks. It does not indicate the details of the discussions that took place at an Examiners' meeting before marking began, which would have considered the acceptability of alternative answers.

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These general marking principles must be applied by all examiners when marking candidate answers. They should be applied alongside the specific content of the mark scheme or generic level descriptors for a question. Each question paper and mark scheme will also comply with these marking principles.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 1:

Marks must be awarded in line with:

- the specific content of the mark scheme or the generic level descriptors for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptors for the question
- the standard of response required by a candidate as exemplified by the standardisation scripts.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 2:

Marks awarded are always **whole marks** (not half marks, or other fractions).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 3:

Marks must be awarded **positively**:

- marks are awarded for correct/valid answers, as defined in the mark scheme. However, credit is given for valid answers which go beyond the scope of the syllabus and mark scheme, referring to your Team Leader as appropriate
- marks are awarded when candidates clearly demonstrate what they know and can do
- marks are not deducted for errors
- marks are not deducted for omissions
- answers should only be judged on the quality of spelling, punctuation and grammar when these features are specifically assessed by the question as indicated by the mark scheme. The meaning, however, should be unambiguous.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 4:

Rules must be applied consistently, e.g. in situations where candidates have not followed instructions or in the application of generic level descriptors.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 5:

Marks should be awarded using the full range of marks defined in the mark scheme for the question (however; the use of the full mark range may be limited according to the quality of the candidate responses seen).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 6:

Marks awarded are based solely on the requirements as defined in the mark scheme. Marks should not be awarded with grade thresholds or grade descriptors in mind.

Science-Specific Marking Principles

- 1 Examiners should consider the context and scientific use of any keywords when awarding marks. Although keywords may be present, marks should not be awarded if the keywords are used incorrectly.
- 2 The examiner should not choose between contradictory statements given in the same question part, and credit should not be awarded for any correct statement that is contradicted within the same question part. Wrong science that is irrelevant to the question should be ignored.
- 3 Although spellings do not have to be correct, spellings of syllabus terms must allow for clear and unambiguous separation from other syllabus terms with which they may be confused (e.g. ethane / ethene, glucagon / glycogen, refraction / reflection).
- 4 The error carried forward (ecf) principle should be applied, where appropriate. If an incorrect answer is subsequently used in a scientifically correct way, the candidate should be awarded these subsequent marking points. Further guidance will be included in the mark scheme where necessary and any exceptions to this general principle will be noted.
- 5 'List rule' guidance

For questions that require ***n*** responses (e.g. State **two** reasons ...):

- The response should be read as continuous prose, even when numbered answer spaces are provided.
- Any response marked *ignore* in the mark scheme should not count towards ***n***.
- Incorrect responses should not be awarded credit but will still count towards ***n***.
- Read the entire response to check for any responses that contradict those that would otherwise be credited. Credit should **not** be awarded for any responses that are contradicted within the rest of the response. Where two responses contradict one another, this should be treated as a single incorrect response.
- Non-contradictory responses after the first ***n*** responses may be ignored even if they include incorrect science.

6 Calculation specific guidance

Correct answers to calculations should be given full credit even if there is no working or incorrect working, **unless** the question states 'show your working'.

For questions in which the number of significant figures required is not stated, credit should be awarded for correct answers when rounded by the examiner to the number of significant figures given in the mark scheme. This may not apply to measured values.

For answers given in standard form (e.g. $a \times 10^n$) in which the convention of restricting the value of the coefficient (a) to a value between 1 and 10 is not followed, credit may still be awarded if the answer can be converted to the answer given in the mark scheme.

Unless a separate mark is given for a unit, a missing or incorrect unit will normally mean that the final calculation mark is not awarded. Exceptions to this general principle will be noted in the mark scheme.

7 Guidance for chemical equations

Multiples / fractions of coefficients used in chemical equations are acceptable unless stated otherwise in the mark scheme.

State symbols given in an equation should be ignored unless asked for in the question or stated otherwise in the mark scheme.

Question	Answer	Marks
1(a)(i)	Canada;	1
1(a)(ii)	20 (years);	1
1(a)(iii)	<i>any two from:</i> other countries will run out of lithium before Chile / large reserves; additional uses for lithium found; more demand for batteries; due to increased electric vehicle usage; due to environmental policies / government legislation;	2
1(b)	<i>any three from:</i> recycling; (improved) efficiency in extraction; (improved) efficiency in use; quotas / legislation / regulation;	3

Question	Answer	Marks
2(a)	$(10\ 875\ 393\ 719 - 6\ 143\ 493\ 805 =) 4\ 731\ 899\ 914;$	1
2(b)	<i>any three from:</i> proportion of, young people / children, decreases; life expectancy increasing / more old people; broadly equal numbers of all ages up to age 65 in 2100 compared to sharp decline in 1950; greater increase in 15–64/ economically active age group; quoted data to support; AVP;	3

Question	Answer	Marks
2(c)	<i>any two from:</i> changes to birth rate / government policies; risk of pandemic / natural disaster; war / conflict; change in attitudes (to family) / education-qualified; changes in healthcare / food supply / water supply;	2

Question	Answer	Marks
3(a)(i)	1 correctly plotted; 3 correctly plotted; correct order of key; correct use of shading ;	4
3(a)(ii)	12 (%);	1
3(b)(i)	a store for seeds / a gene bank (for plants using their seeds);	1
3(b)(ii)	$((75\ 000 \times 100) / 24 =) 312\ 500;$	1

Question	Answer	Marks
4(a)	clockwise in size order; accurate plotting; correct application of key;	3
4(b)	<i>any three from:</i> disrupts food chain / web; increase in the species preyed on by the fish; lack of food for predators; reduction in number of predators that feed on fish; (may lead to) extinction of some predators;	3

Question	Answer	Marks
4(c)(i)	<p><i>any three from:</i></p> <p>restrictions in breeding seasons / closed seasons; ban fishing in some areas / protected areas; restrict net size / shape / pole and line method; increase in mesh size; quotas / enforcing legislation / monitoring / limit number of days; fish farming;</p>	3
4(c)(ii)	<p><i>any three from:</i></p> <p>fish migrate across national boundaries / borders; oceans are shared; international waters need international regulation / agreement; unless all countries work together the effect is limited / cooperation to avoid overfishing; some countries allow other countries to fish their waters;</p>	3

Question	Answer	Marks										
5(a)	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>(renewable)</td> <td>(non-renewable)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>biofuel</td> <td>coal</td> </tr> <tr> <td>hydroelectric</td> <td>petroleum</td> </tr> <tr> <td>solar</td> <td>uranium</td> </tr> <tr> <td>wind</td> <td></td> </tr> </table> <p>2 correct 1 mark; 5 correct 2 marks; 7 correct 3 marks;</p>	(renewable)	(non-renewable)	biofuel	coal	hydroelectric	petroleum	solar	uranium	wind		3
(renewable)	(non-renewable)											
biofuel	coal											
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Question	Answer	Marks
5(b)(i)	<p><i>any three from:</i></p> <p>turn off electrical devices (when not in use) / do not leave on stand-by / unplug devices; use more energy-efficient devices / examples; use of windows instead of air conditioning / electric lighting; insulation / example; adjust thermostat on air-con / heating;</p>	3
5(b)(ii)	<p><i>any two from:</i></p> <p>burning fossil fuels/ wood/ deforestation releases CO₂ / named pollutant; contributes to climate change / global warming / acid rain; named consequence of global warming / acid rain; extraction/ transport of energy resources contributes to pollution-qualified; use of resources needed to enable supply of energy to homes;</p>	2
5(c)(i)	<p><i>any four from:</i></p> <p>(cold) water pumped into ground / rocks; (onto) hot rocks; hot water returns to surface; (turns to) steam; (steam) drives / turns / spins / rotate turbine; rotates / drives / generator (which generates electricity); water is re-used / process repeated;</p>	4
5(c)(ii)	<p><i>any two from:</i></p> <p>cannot afford the development costs; abundant / cheaper supply of other energy resources; geology not suitable / hot rocks too deep;</p>	2

Question	Answer	Marks
6(a)(i)	thermosphere; mesosphere; (stratosphere) troposphere;	3
6(a)(ii)	(from) 20 km (to) 50 km;	1
6(a)(iii)	X in stratosphere;	1
6(b)	<i>any four from:</i> solar radiation / short wave radiation / sunlight / rays from the Sun; Earth's surface absorbs radiation / light; Earth emits infrared (radiation) / heat; named greenhouse gas (water vapour / methane / carbon dioxide / NOx); in troposphere; greenhouse gases absorb infrared radiation/ prevents (infrared) radiation from escaping atmosphere / traps radiation;	4

Question	Answer	Marks
7(a)	<i>any three from:</i> movement / slide / converge / divergence of (tectonic) plates; due to convection currents; friction at plate boundary; build-up of pressure; pressure overcomes friction; release of energy / (seismic) waves; move outward (from focus / epicentre);	3
7(b)	<i>any three from:</i> hollow concrete building blocks, are lighter / cause less damage if they fall; strong roof, is less likely to collapse / allows for air spaces / protects from falling debris; low height, is less risk from falling / more compact; small windows reduce risk of broken glass / fewer weak spots in walls; steel pillars into solid rock provide secure / strong foundation;	3

Question	Answer	Marks
7(c)(i)	Richter;	1
7(c)(ii)	Iran;	1
7(c)(iii)	(208 + 2003 + 2934 =) 5145;	1
7(c)(iv)	<i>any three from:</i> monitoring / early warning systems in place; disaster preparation / evacuation plans in place; epicentre might be in a geographically remote / unpopulated location; land use zoning; deeper earthquakes can be less damaging;	3
7(c)(v)	<i>any three from:</i> traditional / family reasons; employment / livelihood; lots of natural resources in area; too costly to live elsewhere / lack of alternatives; perceive the risk is small / confident of measures in place;	3

Question	Answer	Marks
8(a)(i)	158 AND 74 ; $((158-74)\div 74 \times 100 =) 114 (\%)$;	2
8(a)(ii)	general increase; rate of increase slows down / levels out;	2

Question	Answer	Marks
8(b)	<p><i>Level of response marked question:</i></p> <p>Level 3 [5–6 marks] A coherent response is given that develops and supports the candidate's conclusion using relevant details and examples. Indicative content and subject-specific vocabulary are generally used precisely and accurately. Good responses are likely to present a balanced evaluation of the statements.</p> <p>Level 2 [3–4 marks] Development and support of the conclusion is evident, though the response may lack some coherence and/or detail. Indicative content and subject-specific vocabulary are used but may lack some precision and / or accuracy. Irrelevant detail may be present. Responses contain evaluation of the statement, but this may not be balanced.</p> <p>Level 1 [1–2 marks] The response may be limited in development and / or support. Contradictions and / or irrelevant detail may be present. Indicative content and subject-specific vocabulary may be limited or absent. Responses may lack structure or be in the form of a list. Evaluation may be limited or absent.</p> <p>No response or no creditable response [0 marks]</p> <p><i>indicative content for:</i> Farmers should grow food crops rather than biofuel. There are food shortages in the world.</p> <p><i>agree:</i> there are food shortages in the world world population increasing, more food will be needed many other energy resources instead of biofuels. poor allocation of water resources uses valuable resources such as fertilisers, pesticides growing biofuels is not carbon neutral causes additional unnecessary deforestation</p>	6

Question	Answer	Marks
8(b)	<p><i>disagree:</i></p> <p>there are also energy shortages / requirements food shortages not always caused by lack of food caused by poor food distribution / food imbalance / food waste food crops grown and exported some land is not suited for food crops but may be suited for biofuels growing biofuels has some useful by-products, e.g. compostable waste can increase revenue for countries / locals / farmers other fuel resources also use land, e.g. solar farms, mining biofuel has less environmental impact than other fuels</p>	