

**THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
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ADVANCED CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION EXAMINATION**

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**GEOGRAPHY PAPER 2
(For Both School and Private Candidates)**

TIME: 3 Hours

27 May 1999 P.M

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Answer FOUR (4) questions, including at least TWO (2) questions from section A and ONE (1) question from section B. In section B, questions must be selected from one Part only.
2. Credit will be given for the use of relevant sketch maps and diagrams. World outline maps are provided with this paper. They may be used for relevant answers and handed in with the answer booklet.
3. Write your Index Number on every page of your answer booklet.

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SECTION A - AFRICA
Answer TWO questions from this section.
(Each question carries 25 marks)

1. "Plantation farming is much more economical than small scale cultivation". Elaborate this statement.
2. Examine the social and environmental problems caused by dams in Africa.
3. Write an essay on the major relief regions of East Africa.
4. (a) Outline the distribution of industries in Nigeria.
(b) Give an account of the problems facing industrialization in Nigeria.
5. Examine how the railways of the Republic of South Africa have contributed to the development of the country.
6. Explain the climate and natural vegetation of Kenya.
7. What is the economic importance of Tropical moist forests of Africa?

SECTION B
PART I - WESTERN EUROPE
(Each question carries 25 marks)

8. Assess the role played by inland waterways in Western Europe.
9. What is the economic importance of the Rhone-Saone Corridor in France?
10. Examine the significance of the continental shelf to the economic geography of Western Europe.
11. What influenced the economic development of Iceland?
12. "The Paris Basin of France is the granary of Europe". Discuss.
13. Briefly outline the distribution of natural vegetation in Western Europe.
14. "The low countries in Western Europe are poor in basic industrial resources but highly advanced in manufacturing" Comment on this statement.

PART II - USA AND FORMER U.S.S.R

15. What attractions make California the most famous tourist centre in U.S.A.?
16. Explain the importance of the Great Lakes of the U.S.A.
17. Examine the factors that have contributed to industrial development in the North Eastern part of the U.S.A.
18. With the aid of a sketchmap explain the climatic regions of former U.S.S.R.
19. What is the role of mining in the industrial development of the former Soviet Union?
20. What is the importance of the Steppe region to the economy of the former Soviet Union?
21. Examine the nature of agriculture and problems facing farmers in The Ukraine.

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WORLD OUTLINE MAP FOR GEOGRAPHY II

