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Answer 1a

(i)

National main [1]

(ii)

Motorway [1]

(iii)

270 (metres) [1]

(iv)

(railway) Station [1]

(v)

Cemetery [1]

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Answer 1b

	Area A	Area B	Both these areas	Neither of these areas
river flowing from south to north				✓
meandering river	✓			
river flowing from north to south		✓		
either flat or gently sloping			✓	
steep slopes				✓
plateau				✓



Answer 1c

(i)

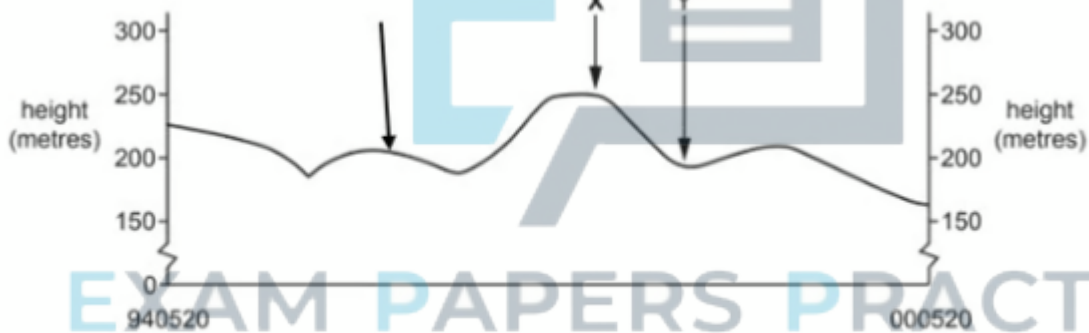
(other) Road [1]

(ii)

(V. ne) dei Sieli [1]

(iii)

Position of Motta S. Anastasia shown with an arrow between 54 mm and 69 mm from the left hand margin [1]



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Fig. 1.3

Answer 1d



(i)

7700–8100 (metres) [1]

(ii)

East [1]

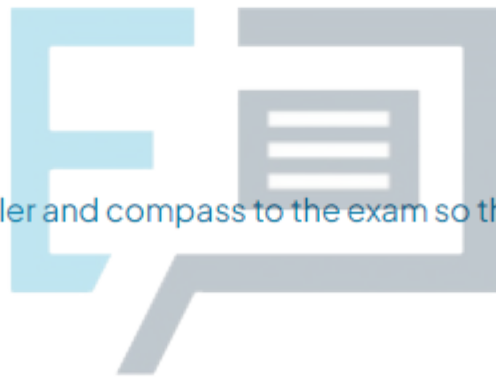
(iii)

91–94° [1]

(iv)

945/6 458/9 [1]

- Remember to bring a ruler and compass to the exam so that you can give the answers accurately



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Answer 1e

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(i)

Dispersed [1]

- The houses in these grid squares are scattered around which means they are dispersed

(ii)

Dendritic [1]

- A dendritic pattern is where the rivers and streams follow the slope of the landscape

Answer 2a

75 (million tonnes) [1]

- Each small square is 5 million tonnes

Answer 2b

(i)

In the centre [1]

(ii)

Wind further west/water further east [1]

Answer 2c

(i)

Wind in drier areas/water in wetter areas [1]

(ii)

In dry areas soil is loose/in wet areas soil is sticky/heavy [1]

In dry areas soil is bare/exposed/in wet areas there is vegetation cover [1]

In wet areas more surface runoff/in dry areas there is less surface runoff [1]

Answer 3a

- a) (i) (V. ne di) Licodia,
(ii) 317 (metres),
(iii) church,
(iv) cemetery,
(v) (national main) road,



Answer 3b

b)

Feature	Area P	Area Q	Both these areas	Neither of these areas
a railway	✓			
dispersed settlement			✓	
dense settlement		✓		
land over 900m above sea level		✓		

Answer 4a

(i)

(secondary) road, (allow spot height)

(ii)

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(mixed) woodland,

(iii)

250 metres,

(iv)

railway,

(v)

tunnel,

(vi)

church,



Answer 4b

994879,

Answer 4c

(i)

flat valley floor,
(just above) 200 m,

(ii)

correct position of river,



Answer 4d

(i)

7780 m, alt

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(ii)

north east,

(iii)

33–37°

(iv)

winding,
follows valley,
keeps low,
keeps level,
crosses river,

Answer 4e

the highest point is over 550 m,
it is an area of deeply cut relief,
there is a V-shaped valley,
Deduct one mark for every tick more than three.

Answer 4f

road junction,
(more) gentle slope,
services/two named services,
dry point site,
woodland for fuel,



Answer 5a

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(secondary) road

(ii)

250 metres

(iii)

church

(iv)

deciduous trees

(v)

high voltage line

Answer 5b

(b)

radial/meet in centre/meet in Ouffet,
main road E-W and secondary road SSW-NNE,

Answer 5c

(i)

8500 m

(ii)

east-south east

(iii)

109-113

(iv)

801890

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Answer 5d

(i)

correct position of river,
correct position of Chat. De Renal,

(ii)

section continuing to rise but not reaching 300m,

Answer 5e

(e)

it is meandering,
it has a flood plain of varying width,
it is 50–100 m wide,

Answer 5f

(f)

on valley floor,)
on valley side,) in valley alone = 1
west side/east facing,
road junction,
bridge point,
railway,
services/2 named services,
river for water,
woodland for fuel,

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Answer 6a



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(i)

(secondary) road

(ii)

high voltage line

(iii)

water tower

(iv)

castle

(v)

258 (m)

(vi)

200 (m)



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Answer 6b



(i)

2300–2400 m

(ii)

south east/east-south east

(iii)

111–113°

(iv)

752/3967



Answer 6c

(i)

correct position of N633 road,
correct position of railway,

(ii)

land rising to a summit below 250 m,

Answer 6d

(d)

it is an area of steep and gently sloping relief,
the land is below 300 m,
there are few rivers,

Answer 6e

(e)

on valley floor,)
on valley side,) in valley alone = 1
junction of valleys,
accessibility (dev.),
road junction,
bridge point,
railway,
water from river,
woodland for fuel,

Answer 7a

(i)

public road, (ignore width)

(ii)

church

(iii)

mast

(iv)

33 (m)

(v)

100 (m)



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Answer 7b

flat land		✓		
steep land				✓
gentle slopes	✓			
mostly forest	✓			
mostly arable land		✓		

Answer 7c

(i)

public road 28–32 mm from left hand margin,
river 97–101 mm from left hand margin

(ii)

land continuously rising to the left hand margin,
highest point over 100 m but not more than 112 m

Answer 7d

bathing,
leisure/second homes,
camp site/camping,
roads give access to sea,
dunes,
cycle path(s)

Answer 7e

(i)

ENE/NE

(ii)

63–67°

(iii)

438 855 = 2

43_85_ = (correct square) 1

Answer 8a

a)(i)

turning place,

a)(ii) EXAM PAPERS PRACTICE

other/open (land),

a)(iii)

deciduous forest,

a)(iv)

25 m

a)(v)

(municipality) boundary,

Answer 8b

b) (i)

5-7,

b) (ii)

radial/route centre/nodal point/focus on town/branch out from town,

Answer 8c

c) (i)

2000-2200,

c) (ii)

SSE/SE,



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Answer 8d

d)

at least 6 m wide,

flows east,

braided/island/splits and re-joins,

meanders,

cut-off/oxbow, (4025)

straightened, (3826)

gentle gradient,

two/few/small tributary/ies,

dam,



Answer 8e

e) (i)

in valley(s)

near river(s),

on low(er) land/land below 25 m (any figure below)/avoids high(er) land,

on gentle(r) slopes/on flat(ter)/avoids steep(er) slopes,

e) (ii)

steep(er) slopes,

high(er) land/hills/any figure between 25 m and 74 m,

(more) in the west/south/less in the east/north,

Answer 8f

f) (i)

marsh (liable to flooding),

f) (ii) Copyright © 2024 Exam Papers Practice

nature reserve,

Answer 8g

g) (i)

railway/R 76–80 mm from the western edge,

g) (ii)

river Kälän/K 24–27 mm from the western edge,



Answer 9a

(i)

(main) road/D3,

(ii)

liable to flood,

(iii)

brushwood,

(iv)

1246 (metres), (allow 1248)



Answer 9b

(i)

3850 metres,

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(ii)

south east,

Answer 9c



- (i)
river/stream/canal,
- (ii)
one correctly located position of road either 29–31 mm or 42–44 mm from right hand margin,
rise–fall–rise from north,
- (iii)
summit plotted between 8 mm and 16 mm from left hand margin,

Answer 9d

highest point is above 1400 m,
it is a mountainous area,
there are seasonal rivers,

Answer 9e



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(i)

in valley,
near river/lake/canal/body of water,
slightly higher than river,
along (D139) road,
gentle slope/avoids steep/ flat qualified,
sheltered,
900-1000 m,

(ii)

parking,
leisure area,
tennis,
campsite,
swimming pool,
footpath(s),



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(i)

main road

(ii)

Santoire

(iii)

coniferous woodland

(iv)

leisure area

(v)

1150 (metres)



Answer 10b

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north west

(ii)

1350–1650 (metres)

(iii)

102 (metres)



Answer 10c

(c)

	square 8802 at Lac de Sauvages	square 8902 at Peyre del Cayre	both these areas	neither of these
parking			✓	
steep slopes	✓			
area liable to flooding			✓	
land over 1200 m above sea level			✓	
church				✓

Answer 10d

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(main) road/D3

(ii)

Lac de Sauvages/lake/body of water

(iii)

rising to above 1200 m then falling

Answer 10e

(e)
low/in valley, gentle/flat qualified, above lowest land/flooding, road junction, bridge point, river for water supply/transport, skiing, footpath for tourism/monument for tourism, woodland for fuel/construction, refuge hut/overnight stop/gite.

Answer 11a

(i)
regional/main/D/D119,

(ii)
tennis,

(iii)
mixed forest,

(iv)
open forest,



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Answer 11b

campsite,
museum/musée,
tourist information centre,
seaside resort,
casino,
hiking trail,
notable monument/(diverse) place of interest,
sports ground,



Answer 11c

	Area in Fig. 1.2 at St-Colomban	Area in Fig. 1.3 near Kermario	Both these areas	Neither of these areas
a dam		✓		
land over 25 m above sea level		✓		
a bathing place	✓			
a railway				✓

Answer 11d

(i)

2875 metres,

(ii)

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SE/ESE,

(iii)

123–126°,

(iv)

932704/5,

Answer 11e



bay/cove,
headland/point/promontory/peninsula/cape,
spit,
estuary/inlet/creek,
beach/sand/mud,
tidal mud flats,
flat rock,
lake/lagoon,
island,
intermittent water course,
marsh,
forest,
tombolo,



Answer 12a

(i)

railway,

(ii)

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place of interest,

(iii)

rock escarpment,

(iv)

reservoir,

(v)

deciduous woodland,

(iv)

1224 (metres),

Answer 12b

(i)

road labelled 23–25 mm from right hand edge of section,

(ii)

rises and falls from left hand edge of section,
peak more than 1150 m and less than 1200 m,

Answer 12c

(i)

north west,

(ii)

2300 (metres),

(iii)

steep slopes,
deciduous woodland,

(iv)

316–326 (degrees),



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Answer 12d

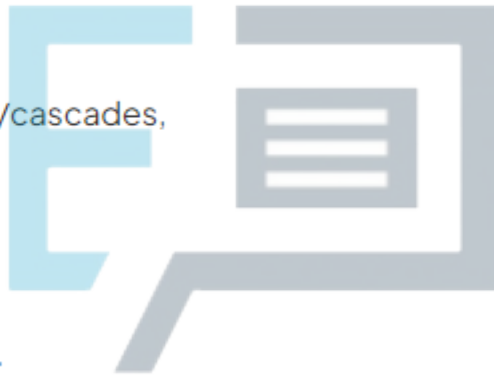


Relief:

high/mountains/hills,
steep,
valley(s),
V shaped valley(s),
1236 metres,
(rock) escarpment/bare rock,
higher in north/north west/lower in south,
spur(s)/ridge(s),
concave/convex slopes,

Drainage:

narrow/small streams/rivers/cascades,
seasonal rivers,
flow south,
3 streams/rivers/cascades,
parallel,
Reserve 1 mark for each part.



Answer 13a

(i)

Trentino Alto Adige,

(ii)

Calabria,

(iii)

Calabria,

Answer 13b

higher in the north/lower in the south,
increases to the north/decreases to the south,
positive in the north and negative in the south,

Answer 13c

(i)

4.2 (per thousand)

(ii)

-1.7 (per thousand)



Answer 13d

jobs/higher wages,
family/friends live there,
shops,
leisure/entertainment,
medical care,
education,
wealthy area/higher GDP/higher standard of living,