Urbanization and Economic Geography — Practice Test

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1 **Smart growth for a sustainable city favours**

- A low density sprawl and car dependence
- B building only far from jobs
- C compact, mixed use development served by public transit
- D no planning at all

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2 **A factory is most likely to locate where it has good access to**

A no transport at all

B no workers

C only mountains

D raw materials, labour, markets, and transport

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3 **A footloose industry is one that**

A is not tied to raw materials and can locate near skilled labour or markets

B must sit on top of a mine

C cannot move at all

D only makes food

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4 **Primary activity remains important in the Prairies mainly through**

A ocean fishing only

B grain farming and other agriculture on open farmland

C downtown banking only

D Arctic shipping only

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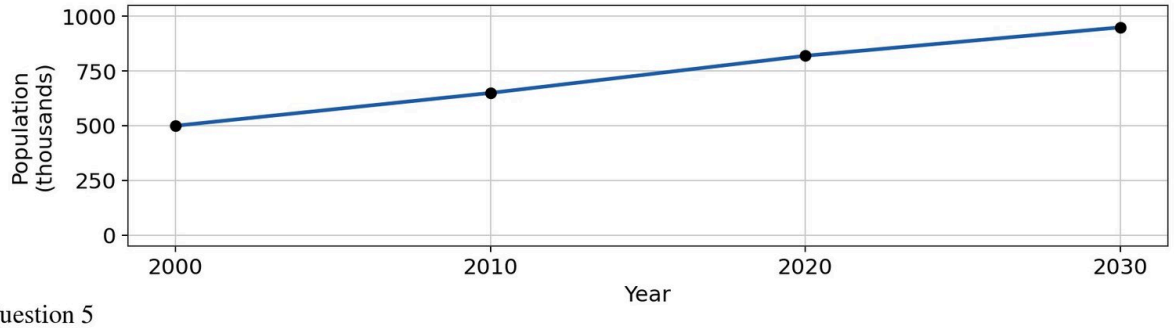

Question 5

The graph shows the population of a growing city in thousands. Between 2010 and 2020, the population grew by about

A) 150 thousand

B) 320 thousand

C) 170 thousand

D) 500 thousand

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6 **Gross domestic product per capita is a limited measure of development because it**

A shows happiness for everyone

B measures health directly

C counts education levels

D shows income per person but not how income is shared or how people live

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7 **The Human Development Index combines**

A income, education, and health

B income only

C population size only

D trade volume only

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8 **An export is a good or service sold abroad. What is an import?**

A a good made only at home

B a good or service bought from abroad

C a tax on farms

D a type of city

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9 **A multinational corporation is a company that**

A operates in only one town

B is owned by one government only

C operates in many countries, with production or sales across borders

D never trades abroad

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10 **Rapid rural to urban migration in a developing country can lead to informal settlements when**

A housing and services grow faster than arrivals

B no one migrates

C cities ban all newcomers

D arrivals outpace formal housing and services, so people build their own homes

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ANSWER KEY

1.	C	**5.**	C	**9.**	C
2.	D	**6.**	D	**10.**	D
3.	A	**7.**	A		
4.	B	**8.**	B		

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