ENGLAND GCSE GEOGRAPHY EDEXCEL · UNIT 3 · 25 QUESTIONS

The Human Environment — Practice Test

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1 **Books about cities are stacked on a desk. What is Dharavi in Mumbai?**

- A Large informal settlement
- B The main railway station
- C A modern business district
- D A national park in the city

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2 **A snowman stands outside a house in Mumbai. What is the main problem of rapid growth in Mumbai?**

- A Lack of jobs in the city
- B The city being too small
- C Housing shortages
- D Too few people

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3 **A beach has a cafe selling water. What is water security?**

- A Cheap water for all
- B Enough clean water for all
- C Storing water in dams
- D Water from one source only

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4 **A guitar is played in a street in Mumbai. What is the main industry in Mumbai?**

- A Coal mining
- B Farming in the city centre
- C Steel making
- D Bollywood films

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5 **A kite flies above a wind farm. What is the benefit of renewable energy?**

- A It needs no land at all
- B It is always cheap
- C Low carbon emissions
- D It works all the time

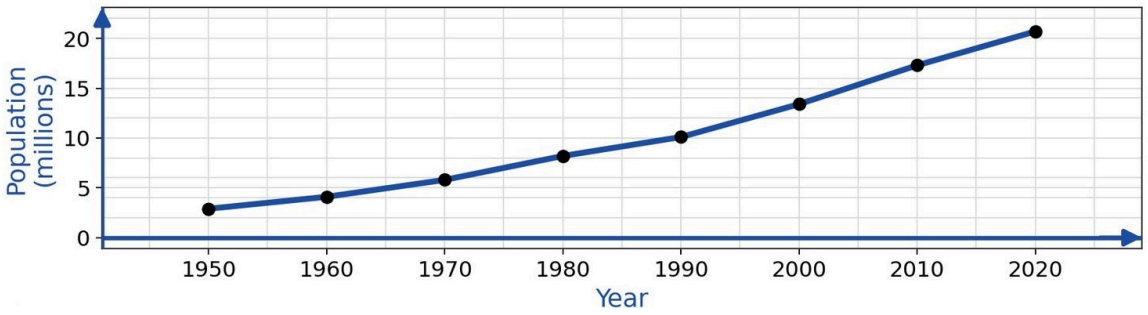
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6 **An umbrella stands by the door on a wet day. What is desalination?**

- A Moving water in pipes to homes
- B Cleaning river water
- C Storing rain water
- D Removing salt from sea water

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7 **The graph shows the population of a city from 1950 to 2020. In which decade did the population grow fastest?**



A 2010 to 2020

B The decade from 1990 to 2000

C 1970 to 1980

D 1950 to 1960

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8 **How can water be saved in homes?**

A Longer showers

B Watering gardens daily

C Leaving taps running

D Shorter showers

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9 **What is development?**

A Building factories

B Increasing population

C Improving lives

D Making a country richer only

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10 **How can energy use be reduced in homes?**

- A Insulation
- B Using old appliances
- C Heating empty rooms
- D Leaving lights on

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13 **Which city is the capital of the UK?**

A The city of Edinburgh in Scotland

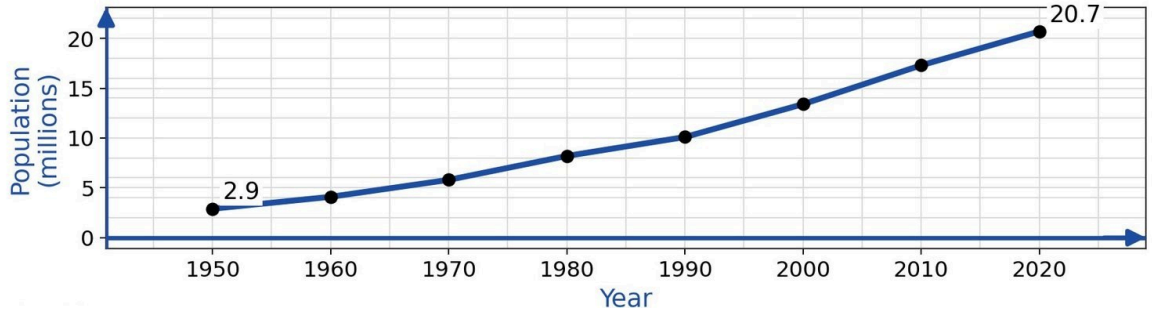
B Manchester

C London

D Birmingham

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14 **The graph shows the population of Mumbai from 1950 to 2020. How much did the population grow between 1950 and 2020?**



A About 10 million

B About 18 million

C The very small growth of 2.9 million

D About 3 million

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15 **Why does the UK transfer water?**

- A Water is moved to the sea
- B Dry east to wet west
- C North to south only
- D Wet west to dry east

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16 **Which country is used as a case study of development in a developing country?**

- A India
- B China is also developing fast
- C Brazil is also developing
- D Nigeria in West Africa

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17 **What is a resource?**

A A product sold in a shop

B Something made in a factory

C Useful natural material

D Money in a bank

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18 **Why do people move out of cities to the countryside?**

A More shops in the countryside

B Cheaper houses in cities

C Quieter life

D Better jobs in villages

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19 **What is the name for the area around London where people commute from?**

A Commuter belt

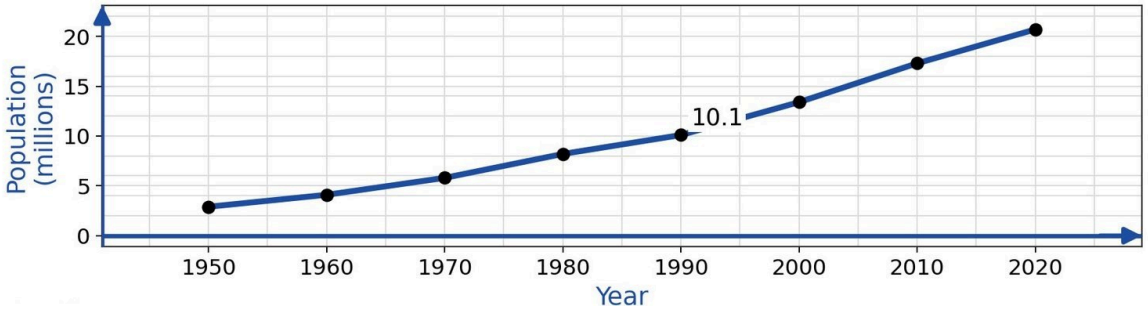
B Inner city

C Green belt

D The suburbs of the city itself

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20 **The graph shows the population of Mumbai from 1950 to 2020. In which year was the population about 10 million?**



A The year 2020 at the end of the graph

B 1990

C 1950

D 1970

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21 **What is water transfer?**

A Cleaning dirty water

B Storing water in dams in the hills

C Saving water in homes

D Moving water between areas

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22 **What is outsourcing?**

A Moving work abroad

B Bringing work home

C Closing factories

D Hiring local workers only

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23 **What is one challenge of rapid urban growth?**

- A Traffic congestion
- B Lack of tall buildings
- C The city being too quiet
- D Too few people

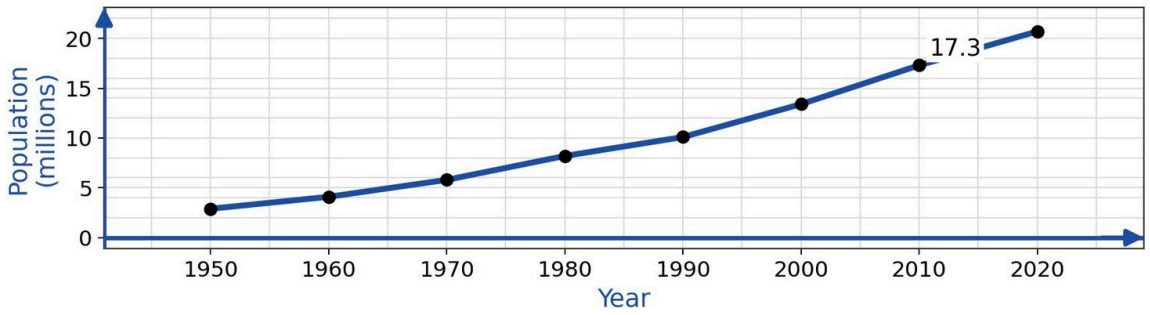
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24 **What is one benefit of urban regeneration in London?**

- A New jobs created
- B Higher house prices for all
- C More traffic congestion
- D Loss of green space everywhere

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25 **The graph shows the population of Mumbai from 1950 to 2020. In which year did the population first pass 15 million?**



A 1980

B 1990

C 2010

D The year 2020 at the end of the graph

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ANSWER KEY

1.	A	**10.**	A	**19.**	A
2.	C	**11.**	C	**20.**	B
3.	B	**12.**	C	**21.**	D
4.	D	**13.**	C	**22.**	A
5.	C	**14.**	B	**23.**	A
6.	D	**15.**	D	**24.**	A
7.	A	**16.**	A	**25.**	C
8.	D	**17.**	C		
9.	C	**18.**	C		

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