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Paper 2

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**MALIET JOINT EXAMINATION**

**Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education**

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**Instructions:**

1. This paper consists of two sections A and B.
2. Answer all questions in section A.
3. Answer question 6 and any other TWO questions from section B.
4. All questions must be written in the answer sheets provided.
5. Candidates must ensure that no question is missing.

**For official use;**

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| **Question** | **Marks** |
| Section A |  |
| 6 |  |
| 7 |  |
| 8 |  |
| 9 |  |
| 10 |  |
| TOTAL |  |

**SECTION A**

1. a. Distinguish between forest and Forestry (2mks)

b. State any three problems facing forestry in Kenya (3mks)

1. State five reasons why government of Kenya encourages fishing (4mks)
2. a. Define the term horticulture (2mks)

b. State three characteristics of horticulture farming (3mks)

1. a. Name two types of ground photographs (2mks)

b. State three uses of photographs (3mks)

1. a. Identify two sources of renewable energy (2mks)

b. Give three factors that have contributed to the declining usage of coal as source of

energy. (2mks)

**SECTION B.**

(*Answer* ***question 6*** *and any other* ***TWO*** *question from this section*)

1. The table below shows crop production in Kenya for a period of five years in 1000 kilograms. Use it to answer the following questions.

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| **CROP/YEAR** | **2005** | **2006** | **2007** | **2008** | **2009** |
| COFFE | 1000 | 900 | 800 | 700 | 800 |
| TEA | 700 | 700 | 600 | 600 | 600 |
| COTTON | 500 | 400 | 300 | 600 | 350 |
| PYRETHRUM | 300 | 200 | 300 | 440 | 450 |

1. i. Using a scale of 1cm represent 200kgs present the above data using a compound bar graph. (9mks)

ii. List two advantages of using a compound bar graph to represent statistical

data (2mks)

1. i. Other than Ghana, name other two counties in west Africa where cocoa is grown

(2mks)

1. Describe how cocoa is processed in Ghana (6mks)
2. Give three importance of cocoa production to the economy Ghana (3mks)
3. a. i. What is wildlife? (2mks)

ii. Explain three factors that influence distribution of wildlife in East Africa? (6mks)

b. i. Name a National park in each of the three East Africa countries? (3mks)

ii. Give three reasons why game reserves and national parks are located in marginal

areas? (3mks)

c. i. State three ways in which the government of Kenya is conserving the parks. (3mks)

ii. Explain for socio-economic factors that have led to development of tourism in

Switzerland. (8mks)

1. a.(i) Name two crops grown in Perkerra irrigation scheme (2mks)

(ii) Give three reasons why Perkerra irrigation scheme was started. (3mks)

b.(i) State five physical factors when favoured the location of Mwea irrigation scheme.

(3mks)

c. Explain five problems experienced by farmers in the Mwea irrigations scheme. (10mks)

d. State five benefits of irrigation to the economy of Kenya. (5mks)

1. a (i.) Identify two human factors that influence mining. (2mks)

b. Describe hill slope boring method of mining (2mks)

c. i. State the contribution of gold mining to the economy of South Africa (6mks)

ii. Identify two uses of gold in South Africa (2mks)

d. Explain problems facing petroleum mining in the Middle East (5mks)

e. Name four countries that are members of OPEC (4mks)

1. a.(i) Give two communities in Kenya that practice nomadic pastoralist. (2mks)

(ii). State three problems that have inhibited livestock farming under nomadic pastoralist

in Kenya (3mks)

b. (i) Explain four ways the government of Kenya has undertaken to assist nomadic

pastolists. (8mks)

(ii) State the factors that have favoured beef farming in Argentina as compared to Kenya

(8mks)

c. State four signature of beef farming in Kenya (4mks)