

**UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE INTERNATIONAL EXAMINATIONS**

International General Certificate of Secondary Education

**MARK SCHEME for the November 2004 question paper**

**0453 Development Studies**

**0453/02**

**Paper 2, maximum mark 70**

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**Grade thresholds** taken for Syllabus 0453 (Development Studies) in the November 2004 examination.

|             | Minimum mark available | Minimum mark required for grade |    |    |    |
|-------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|----|----|----|
|             |                        | A                               | C  | E  | F  |
| Component 2 | 70                     | 46                              | 37 | 32 | 28 |

The threshold (minimum mark) for B is set halfway between those for Grades A and C.  
The threshold (minimum mark) for D is set halfway between those for Grades C and E.  
The threshold (minimum mark) for G is set as many marks below F threshold as the E threshold is above it.

Grade A\* does not exist at the level of an individual component.

**November 2004**

**INTERNATIONAL GCSE**

**MARK SCHEME**

**MAXIMUM MARK: 70**

**SYLLABUS/COMPONENT: 0453/02**

**DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**  
**Paper 2**

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- 1 (a) (i) 6260 million Allow 6200 - 6300 - must have million [1]
- (ii) 2664 Allow 2500 - 2700 [1]
- (iii) 1 mark for simple statement: - must be a comparison – ‘er’ word can be used  
Developing countries have grown rapidly but developed countries have hardly grown.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> mark to show difference using figures from Fig. 1  
e.g. between 1965 and 2000 developed countries only grew from about 1000 million to 1300 million whilst developing countries grew from about 2300 million to 5000 million. Developed grew 300 million, developing 2700 million
- Figs. must be correct [2]
- (iv) **Three** reasons for why there is a high growth rate: Conc. on decline in death rate
- 1 Decline in death rate or increase in life expectancy - basic mark
  - 2 Reasons for (1) above - 2 marks
    - a Improved sanitation
    - b Health and Medical facilities - allow 1 for devel e.g. more trained doctors
    - c Better nutrition
    - d Less war
    - e Less babies die in infancy
- No credit for reasons for high birth rate or ‘better living conditions’ [3]
- (b) (i) 25 [1]
- (ii) 2015 [1]
- (iii) Urbanisation [1]
- (iv) Using data from Fig.2
- 1 mark - for simple statement that urban population has grown.
  - 2 marks - for reference to growth and stating grown from 25% or 1/4 in 1970 to 37% in 1995 and 49% or almost half in 2015
  - 3 marks - changes using all three dates and figs.
- Also allow **one** mark for idea of change at a steady rate [3]

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- (v) **Three** pull or push factors.  
 Employment  
 Bright lights/aspirations/opportunities  
 Health facilities/medical supplies  
 Hazards in rural areas  
 Education  
 Services - electricity, water etc. (1 mark)  
 Difficulties of working the land

Allow reverse for rural areas. NOT - cheaper housing, higher living standards [3]

(c) (i) Tokyo [1]

(ii) Asia [1]

(iii) Mumbai [1]

(iv) Dhaka [1]

- (v) **Two** cities:  
 Mexico City  
 Seoul  
 New York  
 Osaka  
 Los Angeles  
 Tokyo  
 Buenos Aires [2]

(d) (i) A quarter/25% [1]

- (ii) Evidence for living in a poor part of the city:  
 Eight of them live in two rooms/cannot afford more than 2 rooms  
 Has to buy water/no water supply  
 Has to buy fuel for cooking/no gas or electricity [2]

(iii) **Three** reasons:

- a Causes malnutrition
- b Not a balanced diet/no variation in diet
- c Too much carbohydrate/starch
- d Lack of nutrients
- e Lack of vitamins/minerals
- f More vulnerable to disease
- g Lowers energy levels [3]

(iv) Informal or service/tertiary sector. [1]

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(v) **Two** reasons:  
 Poverty/they are very short of money.  
 To help buy the extra things they need - more food/clothes for the children etc.  
 Six children to feed. [2]

(vi) Reasons -  
 Lack of education  
 Lack of skills  
 Vulnerability to health problems  
 Lack of alternative employment in area  
 Low social class  
 Caught in circle of poverty  
 Cannot afford to educate children  
 Cannot afford to improve 'named' living condition e.g. water supply  
 Cannot save money [4]

[35 marks]

2 (a) (i) Ability of adults to read and write - need both [1]

(ii) Japan [1]

(iii) 1 mark for general statement higher the adult literacy the lower the infant mortality.

2<sup>nd</sup> mark for quoting e.g. of high adult literacy and low infant mortality country

3<sup>rd</sup> mark for quoting e.g. of low adult literacy and high infant mortality country

4<sup>th</sup> mark for identifying anomalies in the figures e.g. Zambia/correct use of figures to illustrate both countries [4]

(i) **Three** reasons:  
 Educated parents/women: accept reverse for uneducated women/adults understand about **nutrition**  
 Have **fewer children**/marry later/less teenage pregnancies  
 Take their children to clinics for **inoculations**, keep child healthy  
 Practice better **hygiene**/access to clean water.  
 Know how to care for themselves during pregnancy [3]

(b) (i) **Two** reasons:  
 Too poor to stay at school/have to start to earn  
 Girls become pregnant/taken out of school to help mother/marry etc  
 Lack of schools  
 Lack of teachers  
 Qualifications were not important [2]

(ii) **Two** points:  
 Adults can make up for lack of education (NOT gain qualifications)  
 Distance from formal classes can be overcome/lack of transport to schools  
 Adults can work in own time/study at night [2]

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- (iii) **Two** reasons:  
 Helps shortage of qualified teachers  
 Helps where there is shortage of equipment/schools  
 Enables a high standard of teaching to reach everybody  
 Helps if schools are too far away to reach  
 Lack of classroom disruption/increases motivation [2]
- (iv) **Two** disadvantages concerning provision in some countries (not all)  
 Lack of good television network/poor reception  
 Lack of electricity/equipment/breakdowns  
 Language difficulties in some countries  
 High cost of developing programmes  
 Cost to student of a television set [2]
- (v) **One** named:  
 e.g. plumbing/electricity supply/carpentry/agricultural studies  
*Not just engineering/building unless specified.* [1]
- (vi) **Three** advantages:  
 Standardised qualifications  
 Enables people to learn on the job  
 Raises the standard of skills in the country  
 Allows people to earn whilst they learn  
 Involves businesses directly in training  
 Working alongside skilled professionals [3]
- (c) (i) Industrial countries and developing countries. [2]
- (ii) 17% - allow 18% [1]
- (iii) **Two** reasons:  
 Lack of government money to build schools  
 Poverty/people cannot afford to stay on at school  
 Lack of skilled teachers  
 Cultural attitudes towards education [2]
- (iv) **Three** points:  
 Shortage of skilled labour  
 Need to employ ex-patriates/reliance on foreign workers  
 Inability of country to use modern technology/slower rate of industrialisation  
 Country at an economic/political disadvantage in global trade/negative balance of trade  
 Slows down rate of development  
 GNP/GDP will remain low  
 Overdependence on Primary sector [3]
- (d) (i) Brazil or Namibia. [1]
- (ii) 70 [1]

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(iii) Description of differences:

**1** mark general statement:  
Namibia more, Ghana less girls than boys both in universities and schools

**2<sup>nd</sup>** mark for bringing out marked difference in equality between sexes in Namibia and Ghana i.e. Ghana only 70 girls to every 100 boys in schools and only 30 girls to every 100 boys in universities whereas Namibia more than equality. **[2]**

(iv) **Two** reasons:

Cultural reasons/girls not valued so much/religion

Prejudice about girls innate ability/brains etc.

Girls leave the family home/marry/money spent on girls is wasted/boys look after family in old age. **[2]**

**[35 marks]**