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Unit 2: Geographical Investigations

Tuesday 24 May 2011 – Afternoon

Time: 1 hour 15 minutes

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You must have:

Resource Booklet (enclosed)

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Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer ONE question in Section A and ONE question in Section B.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 70.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- The quality of your written communication will be assessed in ALL your responses
– *you should take particular care with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression.*

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Spend approximately 35 – 40 minutes on Section A and 35 – 40 minutes on Section B.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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SECTION A

Answer ONE question in this section.

Indicate which question you are answering by marking a cross ☐. If you change your mind, put a line through the box ☒ and then indicate your new question with a cross ☐.

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EXTREME WEATHER

If you choose to answer Question 1, put a cross ☐ .

1 Study Figure 1.

(a) Describe the patterns of extreme weather hazards shown.

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(b) Describe the fieldwork and research you undertook to investigate flood risk.

(15)

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(10)

[illegible]

(Total for Question 1 = 35 marks)



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CROWDED COASTS

If you choose to answer Question 2, put a cross in the box ☐.

2 (a) Study Figure 2.

Describe the factors that have made the coastal areas shown attractive for development.

(10)



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(c) Using examples, explain how coastal development can lead to environmental costs.

(10)



(Total for Question 2 = 35 marks)

TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 35 MARKS



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SECTION B

Answer ONE question in this section.

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UNEQUAL SPACES

If you choose to answer Question 3, put a cross in the box ☐.

3 Study Figure 3.

(a) Comment on the unequal provision of sport and leisure facilities in the two areas shown.

(10)

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(c) Using examples, explain why inequalities are difficult to manage.

(10)



(Total for Question 3 = 35 marks)



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REBRANDING PLACES

If you choose to answer Question 4, put a cross in the box ☐.

4 Study Figure 4.

(a) Choose **two** strategies and comment on how they could contribute to rural rebranding.

(10)

Strategy 1 Strategy 2

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(c) Using examples, explain why rebranding strategies are not always entirely successful.

(10)

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(10)



(Total for Question 4 = 35 marks)

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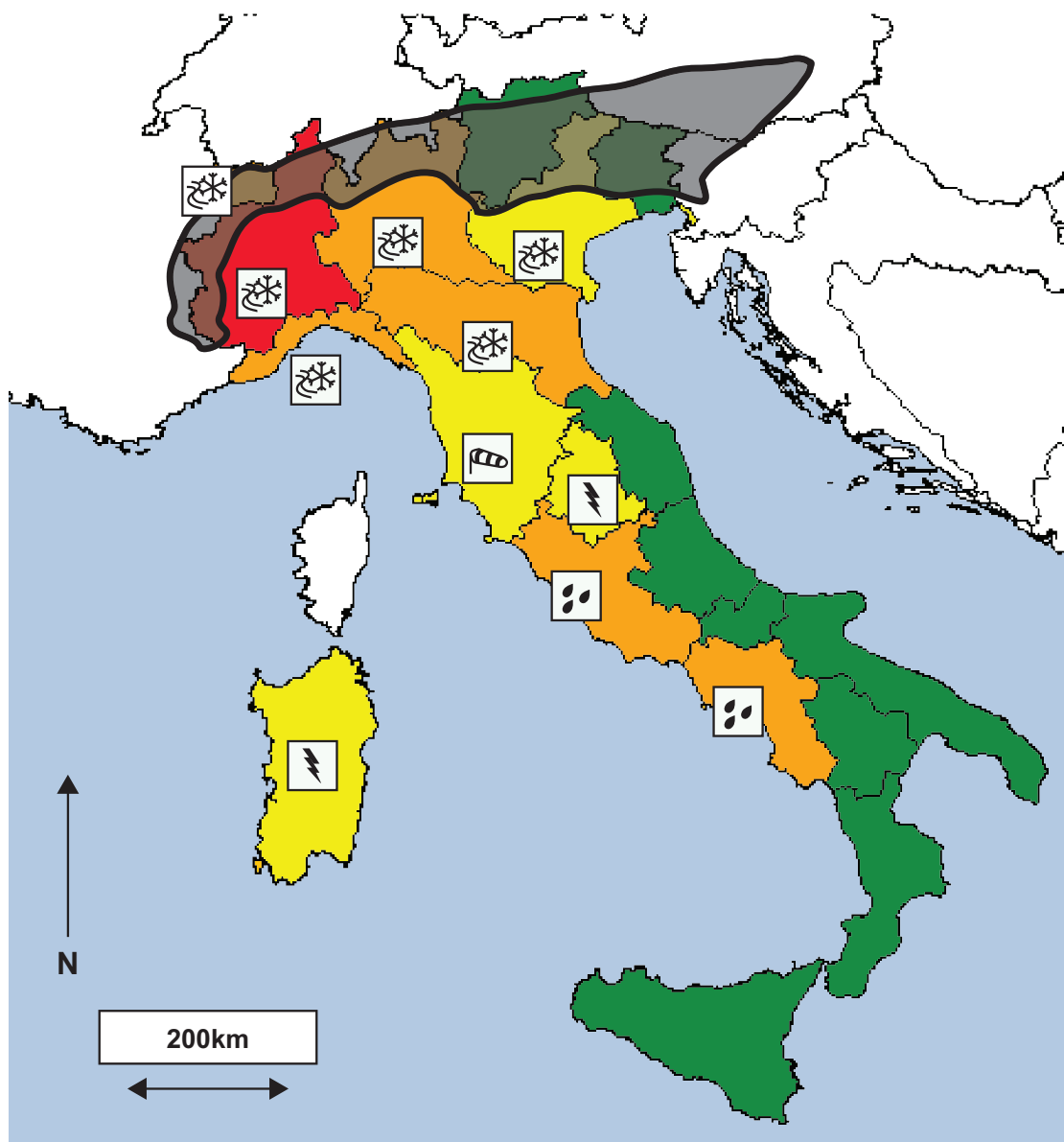
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Figure 1 Type and severity of extreme weather in Italy, 7 January 2009



No weather risk

The weather is potentially dangerous

The weather is dangerous

The weather is very dangerous



wind



rain



snow / ice



thunderstorms



Alps (approx)

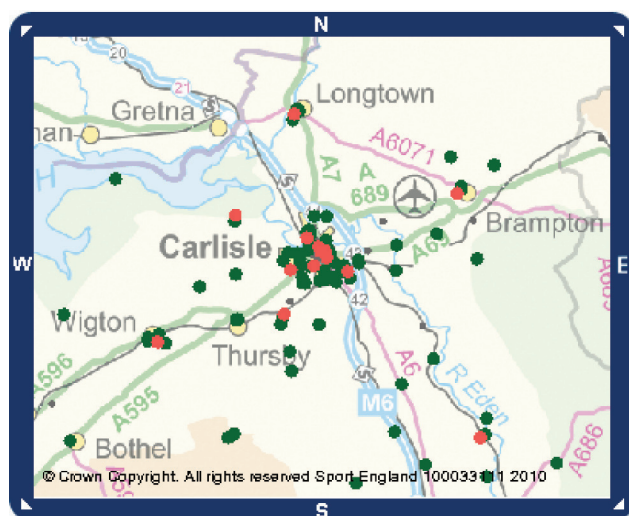
Figure 2a Milford Haven Liquid Natural Gas (LNG) Terminal, Pembrokeshire, Wales



Figure 2b Miami coastal strip, USA

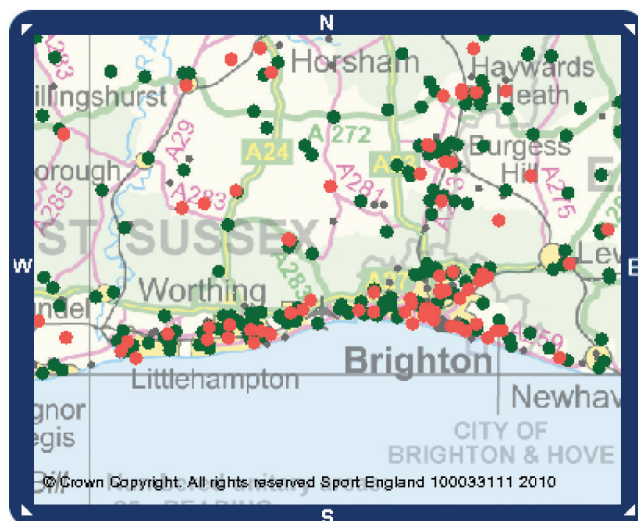


Figure 3 Two GIS (Geographical Information Systems) maps showing the distribution of grass pitches and sports halls in two areas of England



- Grass Pitches
- Sports Halls

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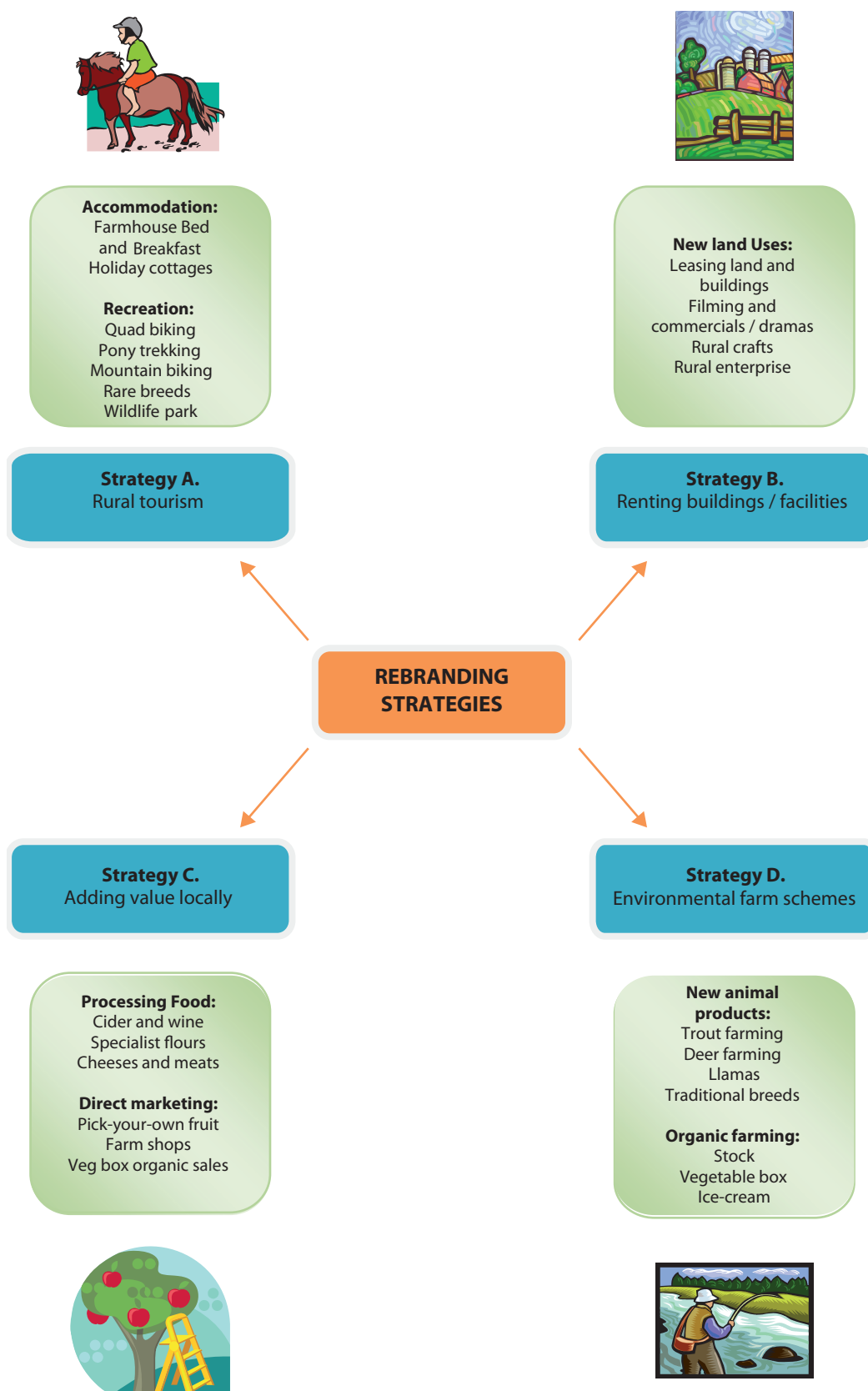


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- Sports Halls

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Figure 4 Possible rural rebranding strategies



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