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GEOGRAPHY

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Paper 1

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1 hour 45 minutes

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

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Write your Centre number, candidate number and name in the spaces provided.

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Write your answer to each question in the space provided.

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Answer **three** questions, one from each section.

The Insert contains Photographs A and B for Question 5 and Fig. 11 for Question 6.

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Sketch maps and diagrams should be drawn whenever they serve to illustrate an answer.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.

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Definitions

MEDCs – More Economically Developed Countries

LEDCs – Less Economically Developed Countries

The syllabus is approved for use in England, Wales and Northern Ireland as a Cambridge International Level 1/Level 2 Certificate.

This document consists of **35** printed pages, **1** blank page and **1** Insert.

Section A

Answer **one** question from this section.

QUESTION 1

- 1 (a) Study Fig. 1, which shows information about the number of immigrants to Mexico (an LEDC) in 2011.

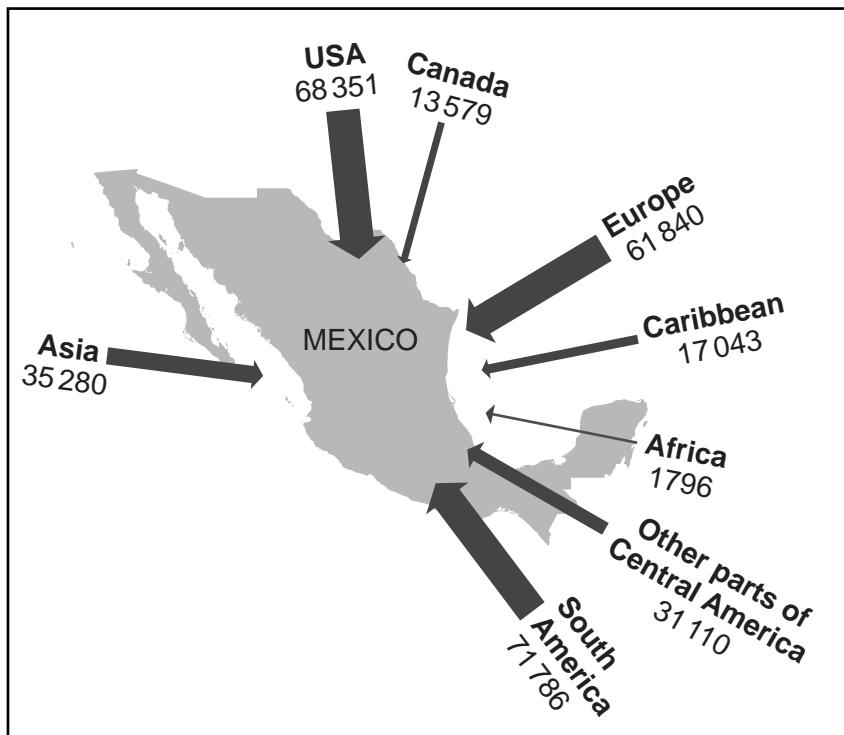


Fig. 1

- (i) Put the following continents in rank order according to their number of migrants into Mexico.

Asia	Europe	South America
1 st	highest	
2 nd	↕	
3 rd	lowest	

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- (ii) Identify the following:

- a country in North America with over 60 000 migrants to Mexico in 2011;

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- the number of migrants to Mexico from other parts of Central America in 2011.

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(iii) Give **three** difficulties which international migrants may experience when settling in a new country.

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(iv) Suggest ways in which Mexico will have benefitted from receiving international migrants.

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(b) Study Fig. 2, which shows information about migration between Mexico (an LEDC) and the USA (an MEDC).

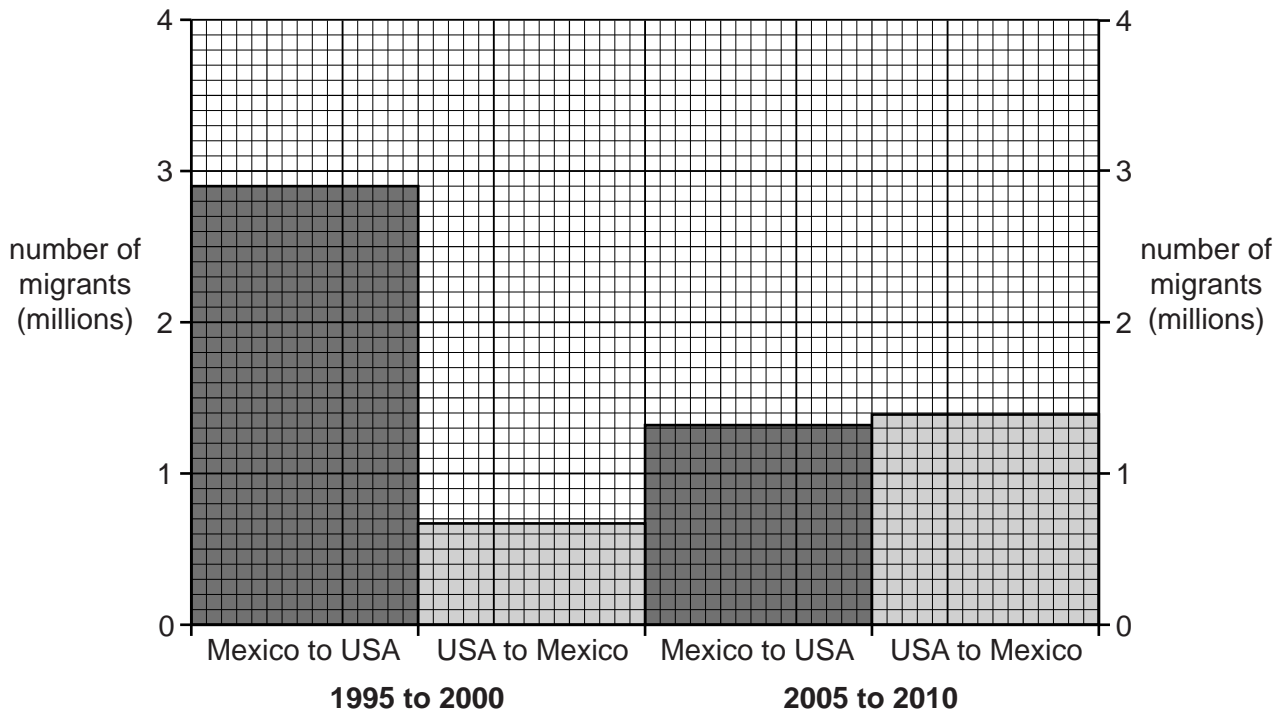


Fig. 2

(i) Using Fig. 2, compare the pattern of migration between Mexico and the USA during the periods 1995–2000 and 2005–2010. Include statistics in your answer.

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QUESTION 2

2 (a) Study Fig. 3, which shows a coastal area in an MEDC.

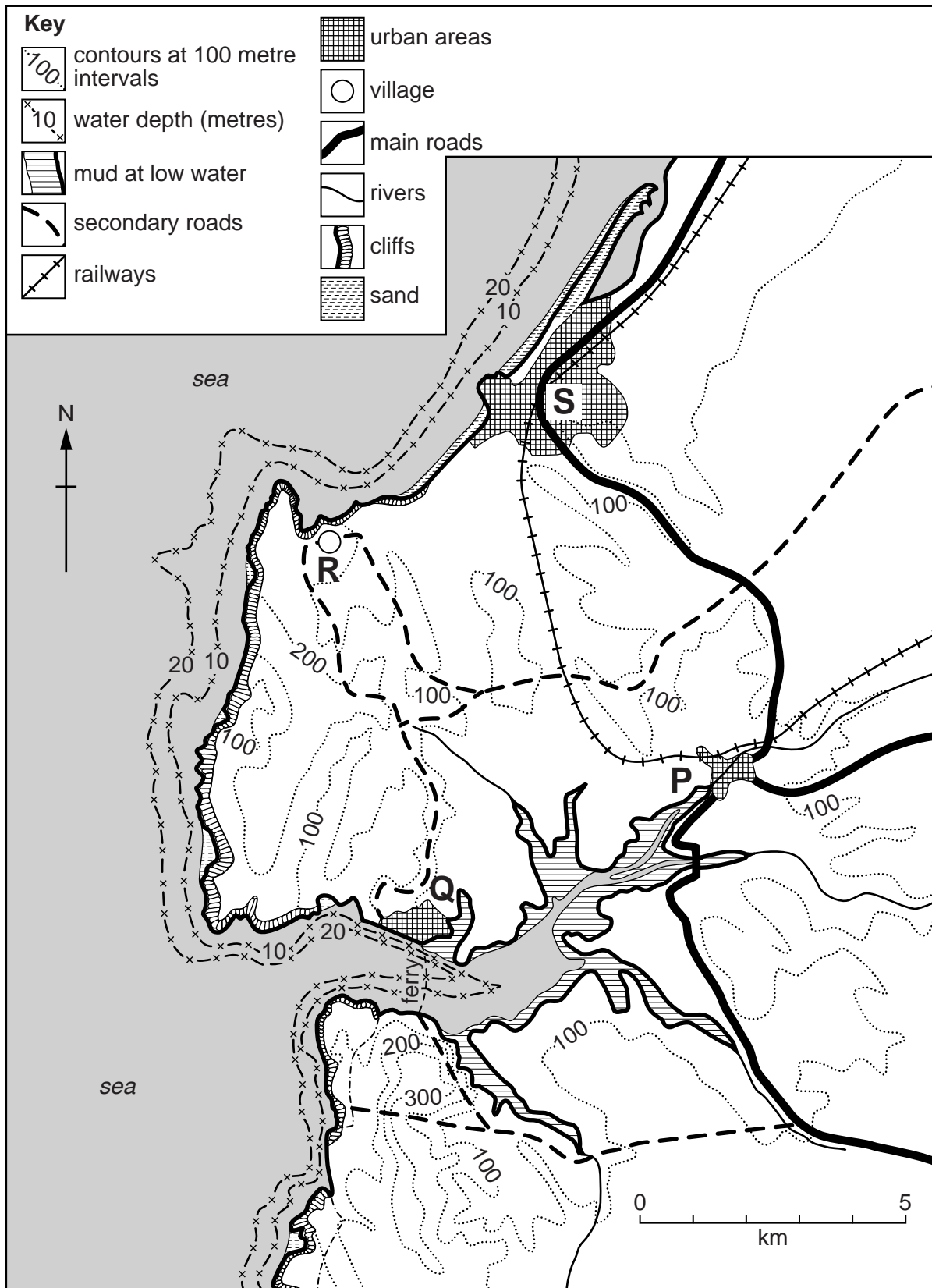


Fig. 3

(i) Give **one** reason why ports developed at **P** and **Q**.

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(ii) Suggest why the port at **P** has declined in importance in the last fifty years, whilst the port at **Q** has increased in importance.

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(iii) Settlements **R** and **S** were both villages one hundred years ago. Using Fig. 3, suggest reasons why **R** remained a village whilst **S** grew into a tourist resort.

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(iv) Settlement **P** is now an industrial town. Explain **two** different reasons for the growth of this function at settlement **P**.

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(b) Study Fig. 4, which shows information about two rural settlements in Malta (an MEDC in Europe).

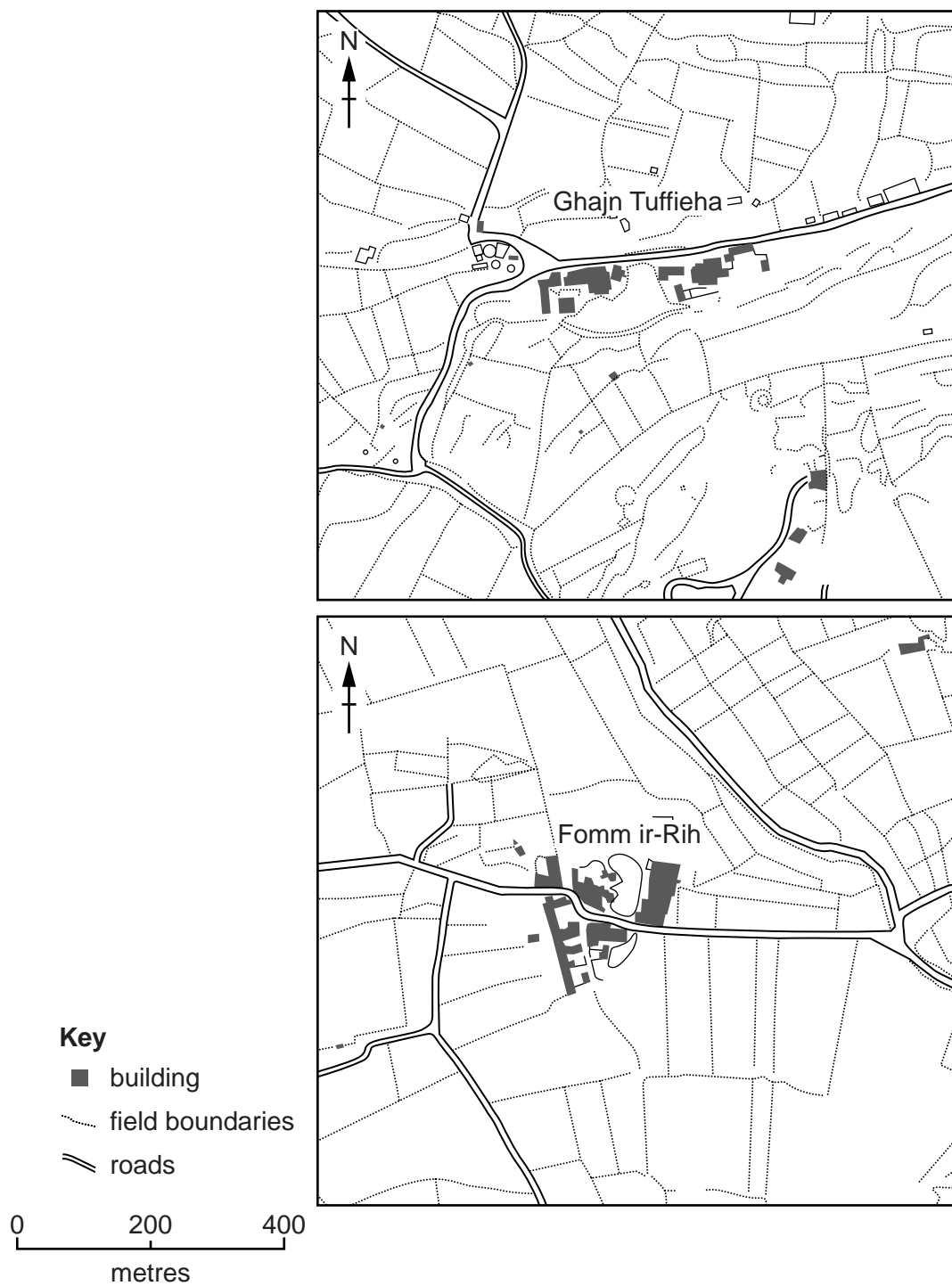


Fig. 4

(i) Compare the shape and size of the two rural settlements, Ghajn Tuffieha and Fomm ir-Rih.

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(ii) Explain the factors which influence the sites of rural settlements.

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Section B

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QUESTION 3

3 (a) Study Fig. 5, which shows the location of earthquakes in central and southern Asia between 1900 and 2012.

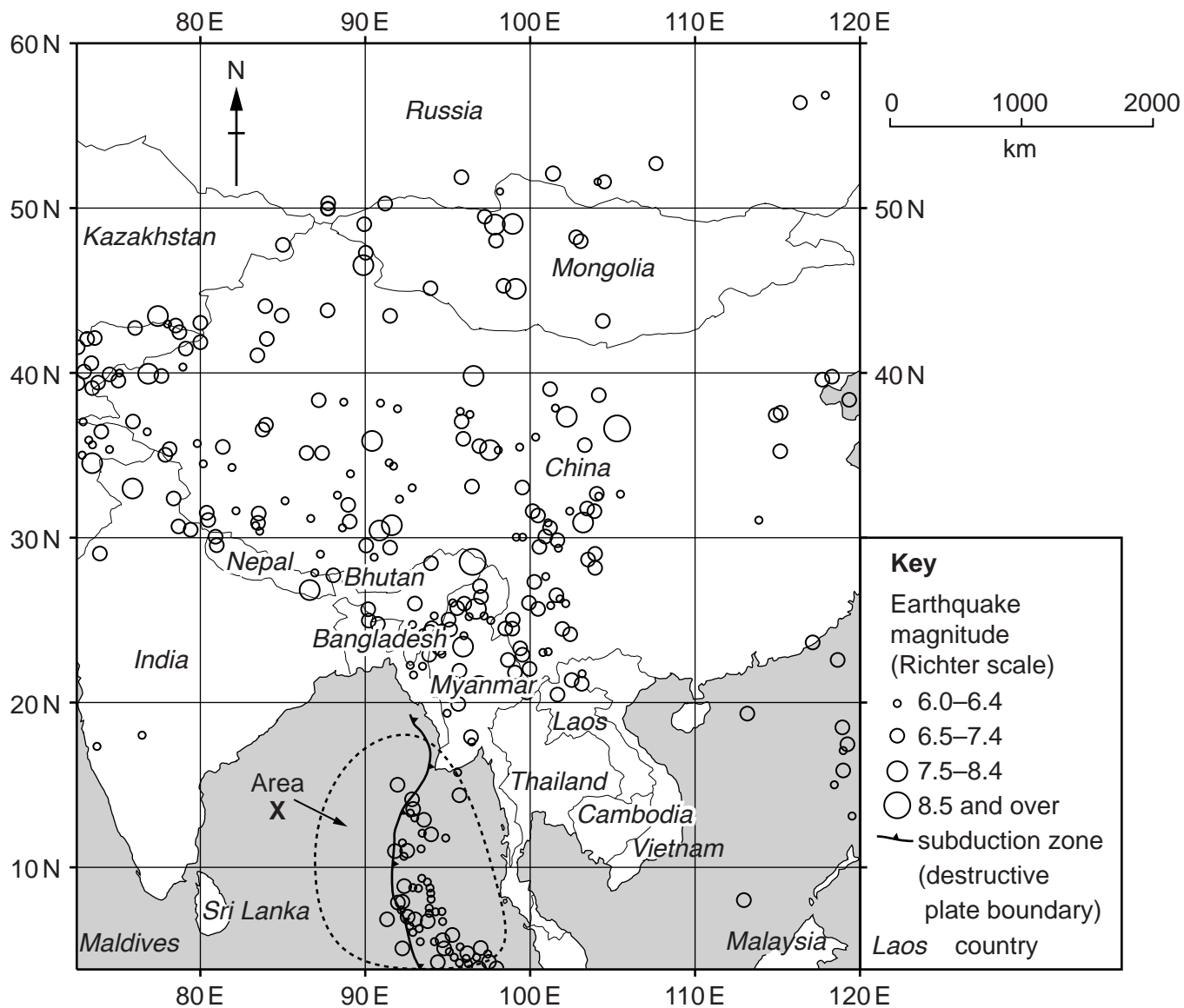


Fig. 5

(i) What does the Richter scale measure?

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(ii) On Fig. 5, label the following:

- an earthquake with a magnitude 8.5 or higher (label with **A**);
- an earthquake of a magnitude less than 6.5 in India (label with **B**).

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(iii) Describe the distribution of earthquakes in Mongolia between 1900 and 2012.

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(iv) Explain why the area labelled X on Fig. 5 has experienced many earthquakes.

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(b) Study Fig. 6, which shows information about an earthquake.

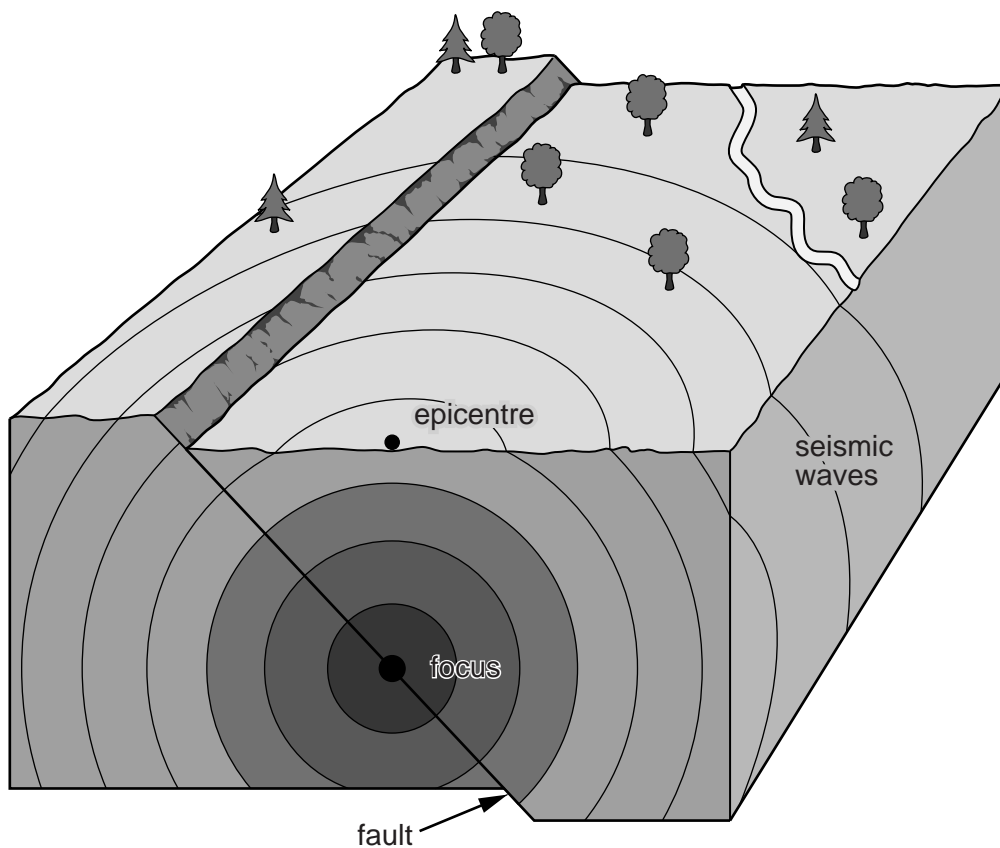


Fig. 6

(i) Define the following terms:

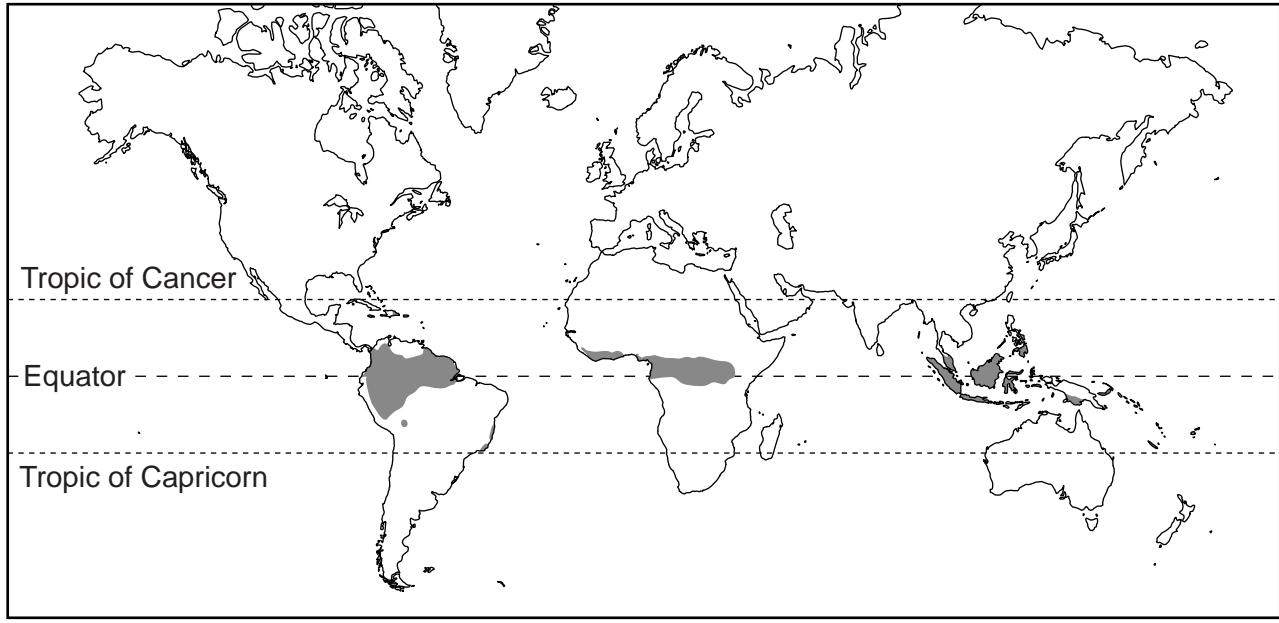
- focus;
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- epicentre;
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- seismic waves.
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QUESTION 4

4 (a) Study Fig. 7, which shows the location of areas of Equatorial climate.



Key
■ Equatorial climate

Fig. 7

(i) Name an area of Equatorial climate.
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(ii) Using Fig. 7, describe the global distribution of the Equatorial climate.
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(iii) Describe and explain the main characteristics of the Equatorial climate.

A Description

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(b) Study Fig. 8, which shows information about deforestation of tropical rainforests.

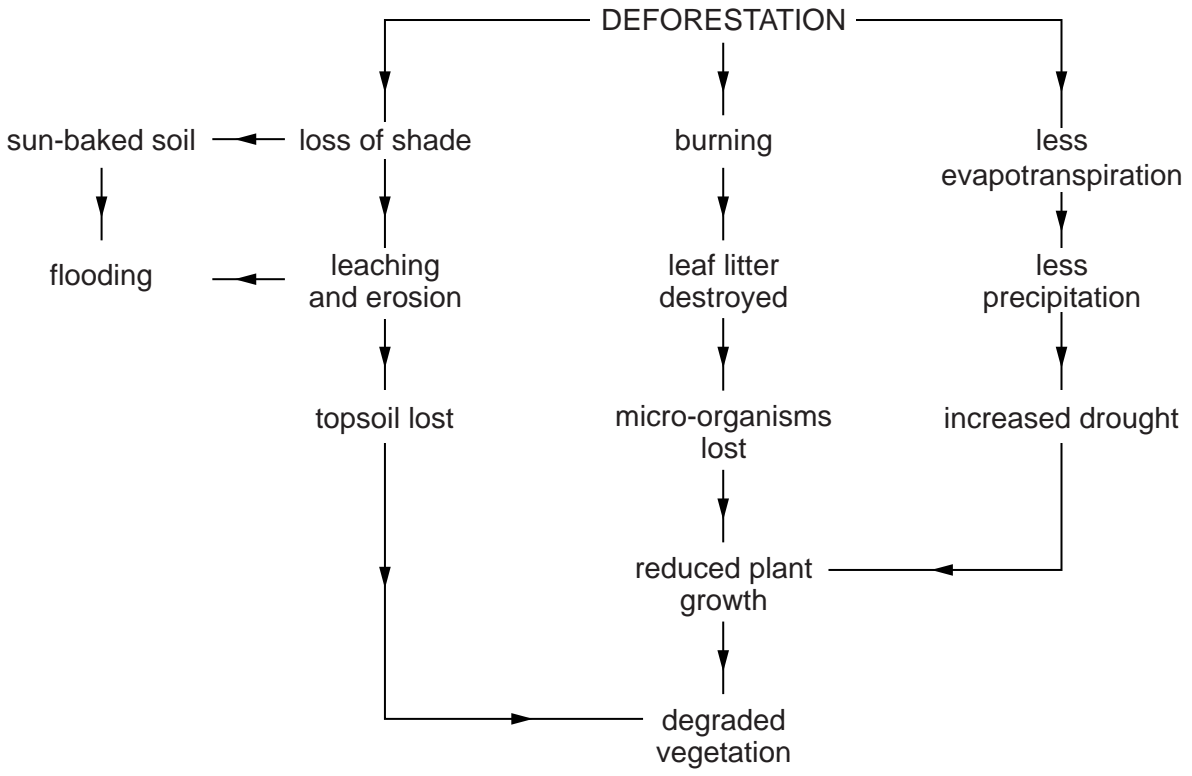


Fig. 8

(i) Using Fig. 8 **only**, explain how deforestation damages local ecosystems.

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Section C

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QUESTION 5

- 5 (a) Study Fig. 9, which shows information about GNP per capita and access to clean water in ten LEDCs.

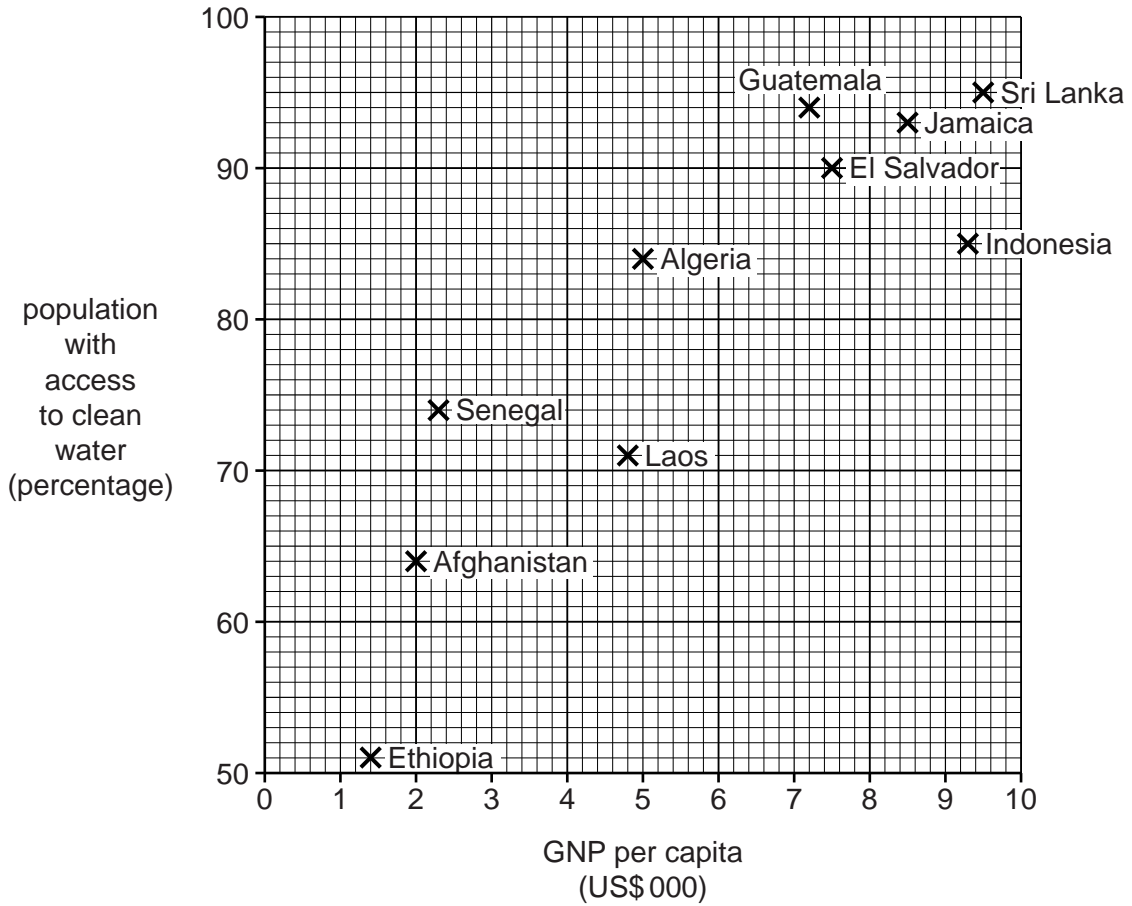


Fig. 9

- (i) Identify the country with a GNP per capita of US\$7500 and 90% of the population with access to clean water.

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- (ii) Describe the general relationship between GNP per capita and the percentage of the population with access to clean water. Use statistics in your answer.

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(iii) State **three** ways in which people obtain water in LEDCs.

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(iv) Explain why providing a reliable supply of clean water may increase life expectancy.

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QUESTION 6

6 (a) Study Fig. 10, which shows information about an agricultural system.

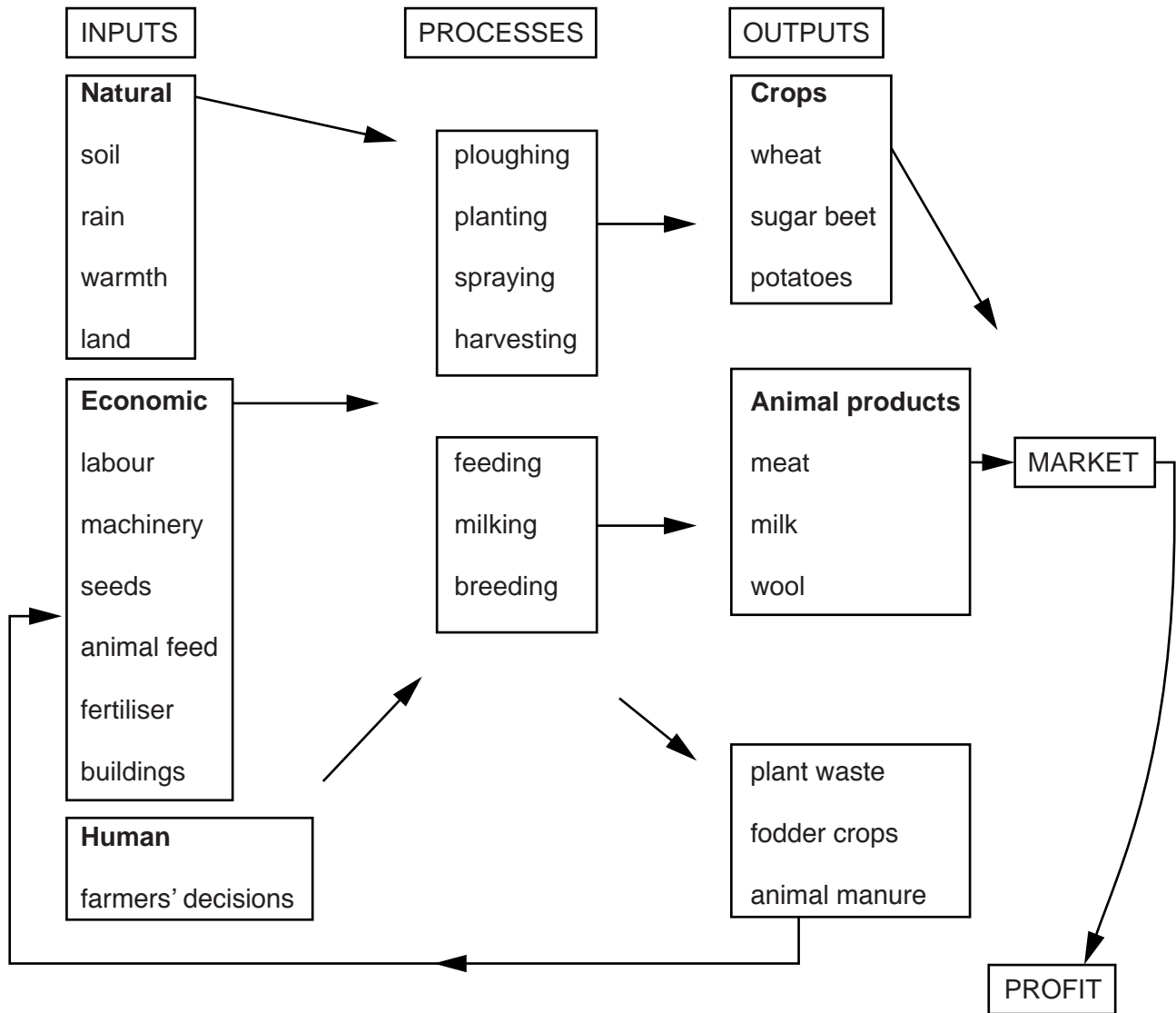


Fig. 10

(i) What is meant by *processes* in an agricultural system?

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(ii) Identify from Fig. 10:

- an output of an arable farm;
- an output of a pastoral farm.[2]

(iii) Suggest the likely advantages to a farmer of mixed farming.

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(iv) Using examples of different land uses, explain how relief influences farmers' decisions.

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(b) Study Fig. 11 (Insert), which shows information about land use in Pakistan (an LEDC in Asia).

(i) Compare the land use to the east and west of the Indus river.

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(ii) Suggest reasons why some rice farmers in countries such as Pakistan are commercial farmers while others are subsistence farmers.

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