

GEOGRAPHY

Paper 4 Alternative to Coursework

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Figure 1.1 for Question 1

Instrument used to measure atmospheric pressure



Figure 1.2 for Question 1

Two anemometers

Anemometer A



Anemometer B

Figure 1.3 for Question 1

A maximum-minimum thermometer

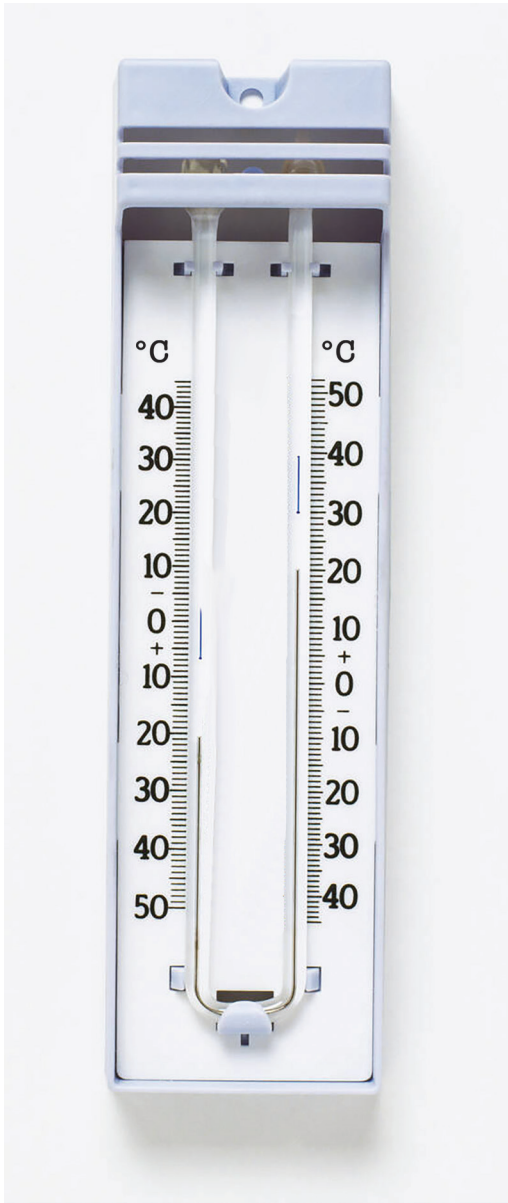


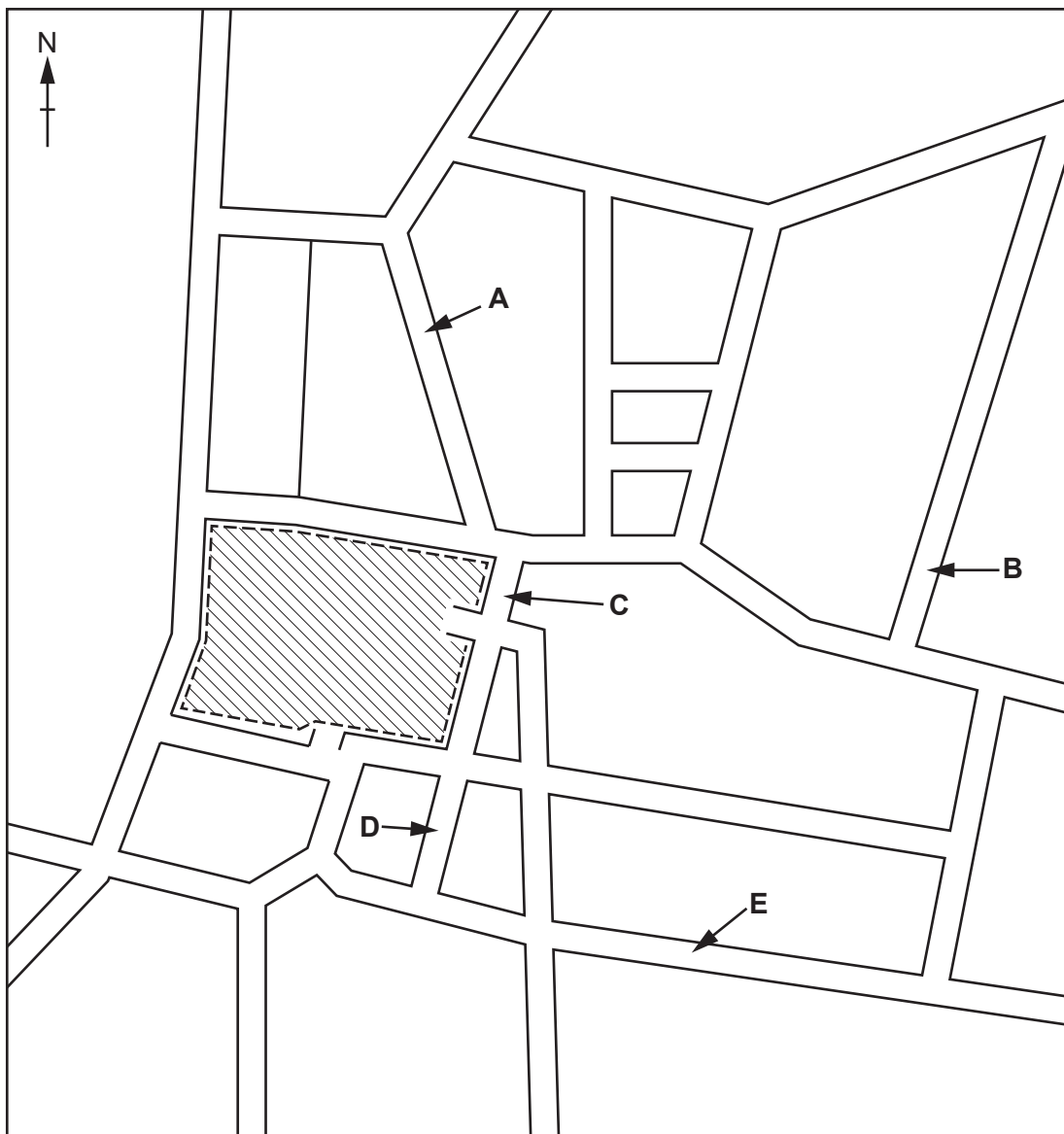
Table 1.1 for Question 1

Results of the students' measurements

date in September	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
atmospheric pressure (mb)	1013	1011	1012	1013	1013	1014	1012	1012	1011	1012	1014	1016	1015	1013	1016
wind speed (km/h)	23	28	40	39	35	44	25	53	60	47	48	54	49	49	36
maximum temperature (°C)	13	14	13	14	12	14	13	14	15	16	17	14	15	16	13
minimum temperature (°C)	9	10	11	9	7	11	10	10	13	13	14	13	13	13	11

Figure 2.1 for Question 2

Location of supermarket in town centre

**key**

 new supermarket
and car park

 A to E location of
survey sites

0 400
m

Figure 2.2 for Question 2

Student questionnaire

Hello, I am studying geography at college. Please will you complete the following questionnaire to help me complete my geography fieldwork?

I want to find out what people think about the new supermarket which has opened in the town centre.

For each of the following statements, circle the answer which matches your opinion.

- 1 The supermarket increases the choice of goods available in the town centre.
strongly agree agree disagree strongly disagree
- 2 The supermarket attracts people to the town centre more often.
strongly agree agree disagree strongly disagree
- 3 The supermarket provides more jobs in the town centre.
strongly agree agree disagree strongly disagree
- 4 The supermarket has cheaper prices than other shops in the town centre.
strongly agree agree disagree strongly disagree

Thank you for your time.

Table 2.1 for Question 2

Questionnaire results

statement	strongly agree	agree	disagree	strongly disagree
1 The supermarket increases the choice of goods available in the town centre.	38	26	33	3
2 The supermarket attracts people to the town centre more often.	31	40	20	9
3 The supermarket provides more jobs in the town centre.	57	37	3	3
4 The supermarket has cheaper prices than other shops in the town centre.	24	25	38	13

Figure 2.5 for Question 2

Environmental quality recording sheet

environmental quality survey							
Location:	A	B	C	D	E	(circle) the location being surveyed	
feature	negative description	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	positive description
buildings	poorly maintained						well maintained
pavement	no pavement or poorly maintained						well maintained and safe to walk on
traffic	a lot of traffic causing congestion and queues						very little traffic, moving freely
open space	none or unattractive appearance						plenty, and attractive appearance
noise	very noisy from different sources						quiet, and causes no inconvenience
appearance	widespread litter, graffiti or damage						no litter, graffiti or damage

Table 2.2 for Question 2

Results of environmental quality survey

feature	survey location				
	A	B	C	D	E
buildings	1	-1	1	2	0
pavement	1	-1	1	1	0
traffic	0	0	2	1	-1
open space	0	-2	1	2	-1
noise	-1	-1	0	0	-1
appearance	0	-1	0	1	-1
total score	1	-6	5	7	-4

Figure 2.7 for Question 2

Students' traffic count recording sheet

survey location					circle	time	circle
A	B	C	D	E		08:30–09:00	
						12:30–13:00	
						16:30–17:00	
type of vehicle						total	
bike / motorbike							
car / taxi							
van / minibus							
lorry / bus / coach							

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