

# ICSE SEMESTER 2 EXAMINATION

## SPECIMEN QUESTION PAPER

### GEOGRAPHY (THAILAND)

#### H.C.G. Paper – 2 (THAILAND)

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*Maximum Marks: 40*

*Time allowed: One and a half hours*

*Answers to this Paper must be written on the paper provided separately.*

*You will not be allowed to write during the first 10 minutes.*

*This time is to be spent in reading the question paper.*

*The time given at the head of this Paper is the time allowed for writing the answers.*

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*Attempt **all** questions from **Section A** and **any three** questions from **Section B**.*

*The marks intended for questions are given in brackets [ ]*

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#### SECTION A

*(Attempt **all** questions from this Section.)*

##### Question 1

On the outline map of Thailand:

- (i) Shade and label the Daen Lao range. [1]
- (ii) Shade and label the Nan river. [1]
- (iii) Shade and label the Malay peninsula. [1]
- (iv) Shade and label the Gulf of Thailand. [1]
- (v) Mark and label the direction of the North East monsoons. [1]
- (vi) Mark “G” and label the place where Gemstones are found. [1]
- (vii) Mark and label with a dot Chinag Mai. [1]
- (viii) Shade and label the Tha Chin river. [1]
- (ix) Shade a region where sparse population is found. [1]
- (x) Mark and label with a dot Krabi. [1]

## SECTION B

(Answer **any three** questions from this Section.)

### Question 2

- (i) “Thailand’s Electronic sector still remains a magnet for investors”. Give two reasons. [2]
- (ii) Differentiate between an agro-based and a mineral based industry giving an example of each. [2]
- (iii) Name any three basic raw materials used in the Iron and Steel industry. [3]
- (iv) Mention three problems of the sugar industry of Thailand. [3]

### Question 3

- (i) How are the rivers and their tributaries used in Thailand? [2]
- (ii) Which is the most important mode of transport in Thailand?  
Name any two means of the mode mentioned above. [2]
- (iii) How many railway lines are there in Thailand? Name any two. [3]
- (iv) Name: [3]
  - (a) An expressway of Thailand
  - (b) An international airport of Thailand
  - (c) An inland waterway of Thailand

### Question 4

- (i) What do you mean by cultural tourism? Name any two such cultural tourism places in Thailand. [2]
- (ii) Why has tourism increased in Thailand? [2]
- (iii) Mention any three negative impacts of tourism. [3]
- (iv) Name three beach destinations of Thailand. [3]

**Question 5**

- (i) What is composting? State one advantage. [2]
- (ii) Differentiate between biodegradable and non-biodegradable waste. [2]
- (iii) Give reasons: [3]
  - (a) We should avoid using plastic bags.
  - (b) Open dumping is not environment friendly.
  - (c) Segregation is the key to effective waste management.
- (iv) How would you as an individual reduce waste? [3]

**Question 6**

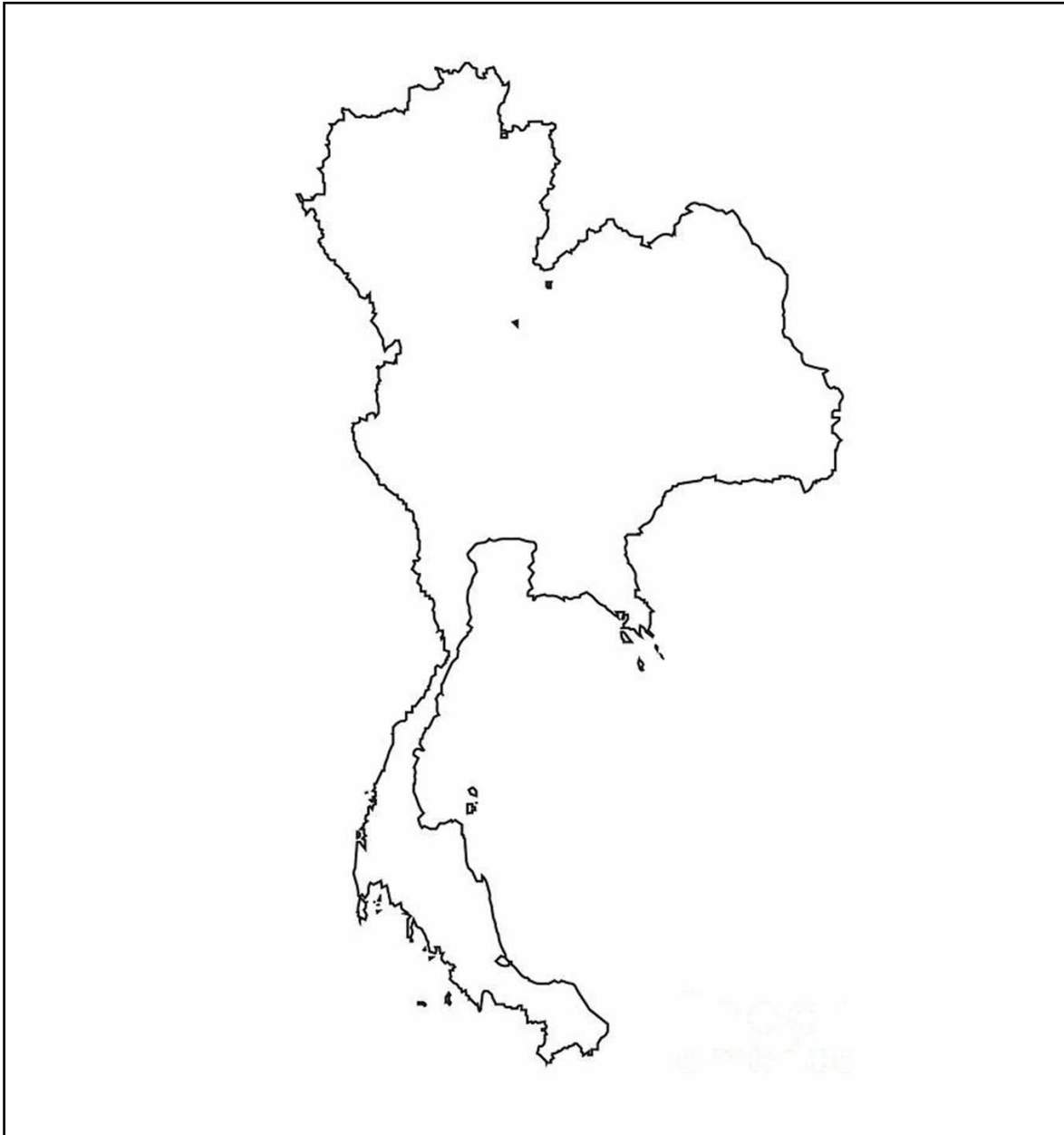
- (i) What is the importance of Thai textile industry? [2]
- (ii) What is segregation of waste? [2]
- (iii) What is the impact of tourism in Thailand? [3]
- (iv) Mention two advantages and one disadvantage of airways. [3]

**Question No. 1**

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(This map, if used, must be fastened with all other answers)

**Map of Thailand for Question 1.**



ONLY FOR THE EXAMINER										
(i)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)	(v)	(vi)	(vii)	(viii)	(ix)	(x)	Total