

Geography

Section II (continued)

Marks

Question 17 (7 marks)

- (a) Using Sources A and B, calculate the percentage of Brazil's population living in Sao Paulo in the year 2000. 1

10.2% of Brazil's population live in Sao Paulo in 2000.

- (b) Using Source A, identify TWO features of the population pyramid that make it typical of a mega city in the developing world. 2

High birthrate indicated by wide base. Early death rate indicated by tapering off at about 40-44 range on the pyramid

- (c) Describe ONE health issue and ONE social issue that a mega city in the developing world could face in the next decade. 4

Health issue With increased poverty and population booms, health services will not run efficiently. This leads to disease epidemics and death.

Social issue overcrowding and increased unemployment leading to an even worse poverty rate.