## C. Economic Activity - Exploitation of Peat


(i) Describe two different ways in which technology has aided the exploitation of peat.
(ii) Explain two reasons why there is limited commercial peat production in blanket bogs.

## Question 2

## A. Farming



A farm can be viewed as a system, involving inputs, processes and outputs. Answer each of the following questions with reference to any mixed farm that you have studied.
(i) Name two farm inputs.
(ii) Describe two processes that take place on the farm.
(iii) Name two outputs from the farm and state how each may be used.

## C. Fishing

(i) Explain two reasons for the over exploitation of fish.
(ii) Describe two measures that could be used to prevent the over exploitation of fish.

## Question 4



The diagram shows that a farm is a system with inputs, processes and outputs.
It also shows that some farm outputs can also be farm inputs.
In the Selection Box below, draw circles around three items,
each of which can be a farm input as well as a farm output.

|  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| animal manure | ploughing | calves | spraying |
| artificial fertilisers | tractors | harvesting | silage |
| milking parlours | milk | farm buildings | land |

## Question 3. ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY

A. Resources and Technology


Examine the information above.
(i) Describe THREE ways that technology (machines) has increased the amount of peat that is extracted (removed).
(ii) Describe ONE possible use of bogs after the peat has been removed.

## 14. ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES



Which of the following is an example of a worker in a secondary economic activity?


Tick $(\checkmark)$ the correct box.

## Question 3. ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES

## A. Mixed Farming

With reference to a farm that you have studied, describe how farming can be studied as a system with inputs, processes and outputs.

## B. Location of Industry



Some of the factors which influence where factories are located are shown in the diagram above.
(i) Name a factory that you have studied AND state where it is located.
(ii) Describe how any THREE of the factors in the diagram have influenced the location of the factory you named above.

## C. FISHING



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Study the graph above and answer each of the following questions.
(i) Which fishing port recorded the second highest tonnage of fish landed in 2014?
(ii) Calculate the total amount of fish landed in tonnes for Dunmore East and Kilmore Quay combined.
(iii) Explain TWO causes of the over-exploitation of fish in Irish waters.
(iv) Name ONE fish species which is at risk from overfishing.

## Question 8



Which of the photographs above shows an example of a primary economic activity?
Factory

Gas Rig


Garda

[tick $\checkmark$ the correct box]

## Question 9

## 10B. ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES

Killybegs is best known as the location for:
A tourist resort
A fishing port
A large chemical factory
A peat-burning power station

[tick $\checkmark$ the correct box]


## 4C. ECONOMIC ACTIVITY - Overfishing


(i) Explain how any TWO of the items shown in the photographs above have helped to cause overfishing.
(ii) Describe TWO results of overfishing in the seas around Ireland.

## A. Farming as a System

## A Local Farm



With reference to the diagrams above, explain how FARMING works as a system with Inputs, Processes and Outputs.

