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Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1(a)(i)	any 2 of:	2	
	more trade; with other countries; more tourists; promote international image; more jobs; tax revenues; AVP;		
1(a)(ii)	any 2 of: to keep economy going when oil prices are low/the oil runs out; to help development in UAE; reduce imports; allow exports; increase GDP/profits can be invested;	2	
1(b)(i)	$9.5 - 8.4 = 1.1/9.5 \times 100 = 11.6/11.58$ (%);;	2	
1(b)(ii)	any 2 of: reduce street lighting; encourage use of low energy bulbs/energy efficient appliances in houses; use solar power; nuclear power; wind power; more public transport; less use of cars e.g. walking/car sharing; low carbon building materials; increase cost of electricity (to reduce wastage); AVP; e.g. use less fossil fuels	2	
1(c)(i)	240, 200 correctly plotted;	1	

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1(c)(ii)	any 2 of:	2	
	electricity consumption increases with temperature; electricity consumption increases one month after temperature increases; and then both drop/eq; use of figures;		
1(c)(iii)	any 2 of:	2	
	ref to weather/temperature/seasonal change; temperature peaks in August, electricity peaks in September; so increased use of refrigeration; air con/fans;		
1(d)(i)	any 3 of:	3	
	amount of water in dam; amount of groundwater; amount of water produced from power station; energy source used to pump water/drill bore hole; AVP;		
1(d)(ii)	any 2 of:	2	
	preventing flash floods; allows irrigation; drinking water supply; HEP/eq; recreation/ tourism;		
1(d)(iii)	any 2 of:	2	
	water table shaded in appropriate position so that tress can only grow as shown in the diagram; key completed;		

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1(e)(i)	any 2 of:	3	
	farmers have low costs; can produce more crops every year; more profit; wider range of crops; can grow crops that need more water; AVP;		
1(e)(ii)	any 2 of: government reduces food imports/exports increase; improves food availability/prevents malnutrition; maintains employment; prevents migration to cities; traditional way of life; AVP;	3	
1(e)(iii)	any 4 of: overuse could make soil toxic to some plants; risk of eutrophication; further details;; increased soil erosion; further details;;	4	

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2(a)(i)	producer; consumer;	2	
2(a)(ii)	April-September;	1	
2(a)(iii)	August; highest temperature/30°C means more energy to turn water into vapour/eq;	2	
2(a)(iv)	any 2 of: increase awareness of species/educate people; encourages laws to protect species; helps conservation efforts; raise more money; set up nature reserves; AVP;	2	
2(b)(i)	5.9; 113;	2	
2(b)(ii)	the only factor that changes/has large range/eq is salinity:	1	
2(c)(i)	more fish; longer/bigger fish; more representative sample/eq;	2	
2(c)(ii)	place fish on a measuring board/gridded background/(mm) scale/with a ruler/eq;	1	
2(d)(i)	both axes labels completed;; plots;;	4	
2(d)(ii)	55 (mm);	1	
2(d)(iii)	circle around 52;	1	
2(d)(iv)	fish length drops as salinity increases; then little or no change (between 107/130–144/eq);	2	

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2(d)(v)	yes – the graph shows fish grow less in pools with high(er) salinity/ORA; data quoted to support argument;	2	
2(d)(iv)	any 2 of:	2	
	repeat the experiment (in the same river); in more pools; at another time/season/following year; repeat in other rivers; laboratory experiment in fish tanks; keep all other variables the same/controlled experiment;		
2(e)	any 5 of: protecting wildlife laws to prevent catching/killing animals; or picking plants; park rangers/patrols to enforce laws; prevent/limit/control development in NP; so preventing habitat destruction; AVP; encourage tourism UAE has wildlife people want to see; (eco)tourists money helps to conserve wildlife; National Park maintained due to tourism; guides educate tourists/prevent tourists damaging environment; locals support tourism and NP as they gain income;	5	