

Population, Migration, Economics 101 & Primary Sector

POPULATION & MIGRATION

1. Who was **Thomas Malthus**?
2. What **book** did he write?
3. Why was his book **controversial**?
4. What do **you** think of his theory?
5. How can we reduce the population by **humane means**?
6. What is meant by a **Malthusian catastrophe**?
7. What is the difference between a **food scarcity** and a **famine**?
8. How do **famines** occur?
9. Is it **necessary** to reduce the world population?
10. What are the **benefits** from having a large population?
11. Where do **most** of the world's population live?
12. What **percentage** of the world's population lives in Asia?
13. By **2050** which will be the world's most populous country?
14. What are the world's **top ten** most populated countries?
15. What **percentage** of the world's population is found in **Europe**?
16. What is **natural increase** when referring to the birth rate?
17. How has the demographic (population) **changed** in Spain between 1960-2020?

18. Which are the **most densely** populated countries in the world?
19. What is the **working age** of a population?
20. What is the age of **youth** employed/unemployed?
21. Demographic trends: Why did the world's population increase dramatically during the **18th century**?
22. What is the world's population?
23. In which **century** was there a **population explosion**?
24. Why was there a population explosion at this time?
25. What has happened to the world's birth rate **recently**?
26. What has happened to **life expectancy**?
27. What is the world's **average life expectancy** in developed countries?
28. Why is the birth rate high in developing countries?
29. Why does **population ageing** occur?
30. What **problems** are there with an ageing population?
31. What **solution** is there for an ageing population?
32. What percentage of the population in developed countries are **over 65**?
33. What type of country has an **expanding** population pyramid?
34. What type of country has a **stationary** population pyramid?
35. What type of country has a **contracting** population pyramid?
36. What are some of the reasons for why people **migrate**?
37. What are some positive consequences for the country **receiving** migrants?

38. What are some consequences things for the country where the migrant are **leaving**?
39. What are some **negative** consequences for the country receiving migrants?
40. What are some **negative** consequences for the country where the migrants are leaving?
41. What is **internal migration**?

ECONOMICS 101

42. What does the word **economy**, taken from the Greek *oekonomia*, actually mean?
43. Give a **definition** of what the economy is today
44. What **word** do **economists** use to talk about money?
45. What **book** did Adam Smith write?
46. In what century did he write it?
47. Why is he so famous?
48. What was his **job**?
49. Which part of the **United Kingdom** was he from?
50. Name **one** aspect concerning the economy that **he explained** in his text
51. Smith referred to the '**Division of Labour**' in his book. What do we call it today?
52. What does **Supply and Demand** determine in the economy?
53. What **product** does Adam Smith use to illustrate the power of the division of labour?

54. Why, according to Smith, is the division of labour beneficial for the economy?
55. What **negative aspect** was there concerning the division of labour and what was Smith's solution?
56. What did Smith say **trade** provides for the **individual**?
57. What did Smith believe **trade** would bring to the **world**?
58. Smith said that there are **two types of capital**? What were they?
59. **Price** is determined by which **two factors**?
60. Give an example of '**productive capital**'
61. Give an example of '**unproductive capital**'

PRIMARY SECTOR

62. What are the **five sectors** of the economy?
63. Give an example of an **industry** in each sector
64. Give a **definition** for the **primary sector**
65. Is the primary sector **important** for the economy? Why / why not?
66. What **four** basic activities does the primary sector consist of?
67. What **percentage** does agriculture contribute to the **world's GDP**?
68. What percentage of the **world's active population** works in agriculture?
69. Why has the percentage of people working in agriculture **fallen** since the Industrial Revolution?
70. What percentage of the active population works in agriculture in **developed** countries?

71. What percentage of the active population works in agriculture in **emerging and less developed** countries?
72. What percentage of the active population works in agriculture in the world's **poorest** countries?
73. What do you know about agriculture in **Almeria**?
74. Define commercial agriculture
75. What is intensive farming?
76. What is extensive farming?
77. Explain the difference between rainfed and irrigation crops
78. What is **monoculture** and what type of farmer would employ this method?
79. What is **polyculture** and what type of farmer would employ this method?
80. What type of agriculture is practiced in **Canada**? (page 69)
81. What type of agriculture is practiced in **Morocco**? (page 69)
82. What are some of the **benefits** of **commercial** agriculture?
83. What are some of the **problems (drawbacks)** of **commercial** agriculture?