

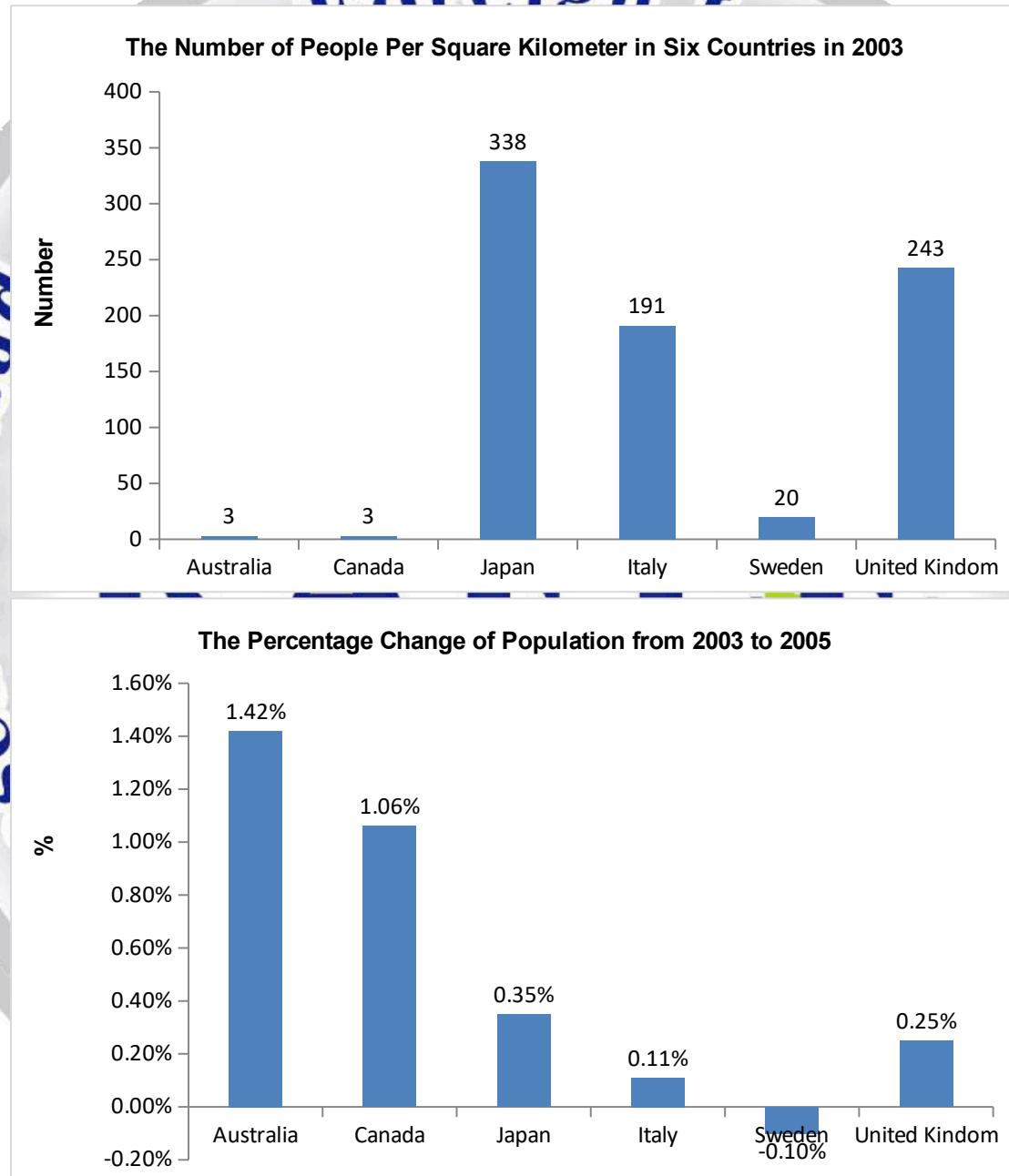
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Task 1 考题预测

1) Bar chart (柱状图)

The first chart shows the number of people per kilometer square in six countries in 2003. The second chart shows the percentage change of population in urban area of these six countries from 2003 to 2005.

Summarise the information by selecting and reporting the main features and make comparisons where relevant.



参考范文:

The two bar charts illustrate the population density in the six selected countries in 2003 and the percentage changes of its urban population in the following two years.

A striking feature that can be readily identified from the first bar chart is the considerable variations in population density among these six countries. Specifically, Japan proved to be the most densely populated country, with the figure standing at 338 residents per square kilometer, 95 more than that of the United Kingdom and nearly twice as much as the data for Italy. In stark contrast, the population density stood merely at 3 people per square kilometer in Australia and Canada respectively.

Turning to the second bar chart, it's evident that six nations underwent drastically dissimilar changes in the period from 2003 to 2006. Sweden was the only country that experienced de-urbanization, as evidenced by a 0.1% decline in the proportion of urban dwellers. By comparison, the rest of the countries indicated an upward trend, albeit to widely varying degrees. Australian urbanites expanded by 1.42%, outpacing the growth in the rest of the countries, of which Japan, Italy, United Kingdom experienced an insignificant urban population growth - ranging from 0.11% to 0.35%.

Overall, Japan had the highest population density while the greatest increase in the proportion of urban dwellers was witnessed in Australia.



2) Pie chart (饼图)

The charts below show the percentage of coffee production from different regions, of consumption in different regions and of the profits in different fields in 2014.

Summarize the information by selecting and reporting the main features, and make comparisons where relevant.

	Men (%)			Women (%)		
	1990	2000	2010	1990	2000	2010
Retail/Shop	7	7	7	7	8	9
Health	6	8	9	23	25	27
Manufacturing	30	15	10	15	7	2
Tourism	13	10	9	13	14	15

参考范文:

The changes among four various industries in terms of the proportion of males and females in 1990, 2000 and 2010 are illustrated in the table.

According to the table, there was a stable trend (7%) in male workers who were employed in retail stores between 1990 and 2010. Meanwhile, female counterparts ascended marginally from 7% to 9%, which was nearly similar with the data of men employees in health industry, gradually rising from 6% to 9%. By contrast, the rate of women employees in this field outnumbered 20%.

When it comes to manufacturing field, the two decades witnessed a dramatic decline both in the percentage of females and males from 30% to 10% and 15% to 2% respectively. However, the rate of female employees experienced a smooth increase from 13% to 15%, surpassing that of males (9%) in 2010.

In conclusion, whether men or women account for the smallest proportion in retail industry, while more males were likely to work in manufacturing industry and females were willing to work for health area during the period from 1990 to 2010.

Task 2 考题预测

1) 同意与否类:

Most of the world's problems are caused by over-population. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

参考范文:

One of the most conspicuous trends is the booming population among many countries. It is claimed that this phenomenon should be blamed for causing most of the problems in the world. I find myself on the same side of this opinion, as the major worldwide issues, by nature, are related to peace and development.

Overpopulation is one of the most direct factors which triggers the war between countries. The ever-increasing population means the governments have to try all ways out to support the survival of their citizens. Unfortunately, there is not the equal distribution of resources, such as land, water, and metal materials among every international member. As a result, it is inevitable for some countries to encounter the problem of resources exhaustion due to the excessive demands of their locals. If the conflicts cannot be smoothly tackled, the far-right parties, colonialists and militarists will launch wars against others, especially for those who embrace abundant resources. For example, Japan, a relatively small country with the number of population over 100 million, barbarically and outrageously invaded China, attempting to annex the rich and productive lands.

In addition to the peace-and-war problem, the challenges in development forced by the world can also be attributed to the overpopulation. Many underdeveloped countries, such as Pakistan, Brazil and Mexico have been witnessing the over-swelling population and shrinking job opportunities, which is doomed to result in the higher unemployment rate. Thus it may increase the chance of social instability, as the jobless people with resentment and disappointment may easily form gangs or groups to commit robbery or other more serious crimes. Even worse, a large proportion of the unemployed and impoverished may illegally immigrate to Europe or the USA, contributing to the damage to the preservation of local culture in terms of religion, language and customs.

In conclusion, overpopulation threatens global peace and development.

2) 利弊讨论类:

New technologies have changed the way children spend their free time. Do you think the advantages outweigh the disadvantages?

参考范文:

Recent advances in technology have exerted a strong influence on how youngsters use their leisure time. It leads to an argument about its beneficial and adverse effects. I am more of the belief that the positive sides of modern technologies surpass the negative ones.

On the one hand, high-tech devices such as computers or mobile phones give children more chances to have an access to the whole new world which has much knowledge for them to acquire. This tool is utterly advantageous to search for any information they take

interest in due to the fact that it is really fast, convenient and accurate. Besides, using the modern equipment can also be the most useful way to reduce stress and relax for children. Through millions of means of entertainment like films, cartoons or games, they can choose from the entertainment and enjoy themselves while their parents are on duty. Rather than hanging out with friends in the past, children will find that this way of enjoying their free time is much more pleasing and safer.

On the other hand, overusing these devices can lead to a number of drawbacks that will definitely do direct harm to children. First of all, spending youngster's free time too much in front of the television or computer screen can undeniably affect children's health. Even worse, this leads to many incurable diseases like short-sightedness or inaccurate development in bones. Furthermore, I am of great concern that future generation will have no connectivity within the community and they do not even stay in touch with their nearest neighbours on account of using all their time for highly-advanced technologies available in their house.

In a nutshell, I am utterly convinced that the advantages of latest technologies can beat their disadvantages provided that their owners make use of them in an intelligent way.

3) 报告类:

In many parts of the world children and teenagers are committing more crimes. Why is this case happening? How should children or teenagers be punished?

参考范文:

Nowadays, there are more and more reports of juvenile delinquency in many places. This phenomenon has aroused people's deep concern. There are many reasons for this, and we should adopt some reasonable and appropriate methods to punish these young people.

One of the most important reasons for more and more juvenile crimes is the lack of corresponding moral education and training. Nowadays, many schools regard achievements as a very important criterion for students' assessment, so they do not pay enough attention to the cultivation of students' morality. Schools always attach importance to academic performance, and some students suffer unfair treatment from teachers because of unsatisfactory performance. Besides, the pressure of competition among students is increasing, which also leads to many problems in children's mental health. Moreover, the lack of family education has also promoted more and more teenagers to commit crimes. Nowadays, many parents are busy with work, which leads to very little time for them to accompany their children. They give their children very limited companionship, care, and moral education.

Another very important reason is that the development of science and technology and the development of media have accelerated the seriousness of this problem to a certain extent. Because of the imperfect network system and inadequate auditing mechanism, some media will spread unhealthy information and content, such as violence, bloodshed, pornography and so on, for profit. Even in some common movies and TV dramas, producers will add some unhealthy content in order to be eye-catching. In the long run,

children are exposed to such a social environment, which has a great negative impact on their mental health, and then lead to their psychological distortion on the road to crime.

The better punishment for these children is to give them some relevant moral knowledge and trainings on observing rules. Only with the ideological awareness and awareness of their own mistakes can it be possible to eradicate the crimes. Besides, they can also have appropriate participation in some social activities, such as compulsory community labor and services. To some extent, this will make them more aware of their mistakes and have better self-reflection, and also in the process of realizing the great significance of good behaviours, they can develop in a positive and healthy direction in the future.

