

1) Study the table below showing deforestation in selected countries of tropical Africa (1990 and 2005) and answer the questions that follow;

Country	1990 (Hectares)	2005 (Hectares)
DRC	114,000	58,000
GABON	28,000	4,000
CAMEROON	75,000	59,000
NIGERIA	19,000	4,000
IVORY COAST	40,000	27,000
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC.	10,000	4,000

- a) Calculate the percentage loss in forest cover for each of the selected countries between 1990 and 2005. (06marks)
- b) Draw a simple bar graph to show the level of forested cover for 2005 in the selected countries in Africa. (10 marks)
- c) Outline the merits and demerits of using the statistical method. (5marks)
- d) Explain the effects of forest destruction on the environment in Africa. (04marks)