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Paper 3 Analysis and Critical Evaluation

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Answer all questions.

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The extract 'Is China's economic growth sustainable?' will be needed for this question.

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1	(a)	Sta	te two influences on the demand for a country's exports.	
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				[2]
	(b)	ldei	ntify two possible reasons why the Chinese savings ratio may fall in the future.	
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	(c)	(i)	What is meant by cyclical unemployment?	
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	Explain one consequence of unemployment referred to in the extract.	
		Exa
	[3]	
(i)	Describe the relationship between unemployment and inflation shown in Table 1.	
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ii)	Explain one possible reason for the relationship described in (d)(i) .	
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Discuss what factors are likely to influence whether unemployment will rise in China the future.

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2	(a)	Calc	culate the estimated percentage fall in the Japanese population from 2008 to 2050.
			[1]
	(b)	Iden	ntify:
		(i)	one cause of a decline in population size not mentioned in the extract
			[1]
		(ii)	two possible causes of the change in Japan's death rate.
			[2]
	(c)	Wha	at is meant by the labour force?
			[2]

(d)	Explain, using a demand and supply diagram, the likely effect of an ageing population on the price of residential care.	For Examiner's Use
	[4]	

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(e)	Explain why raising the retirement age would be expected to raise tax revenue.	
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	[4]	

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