

The Living World

Hot Deserts

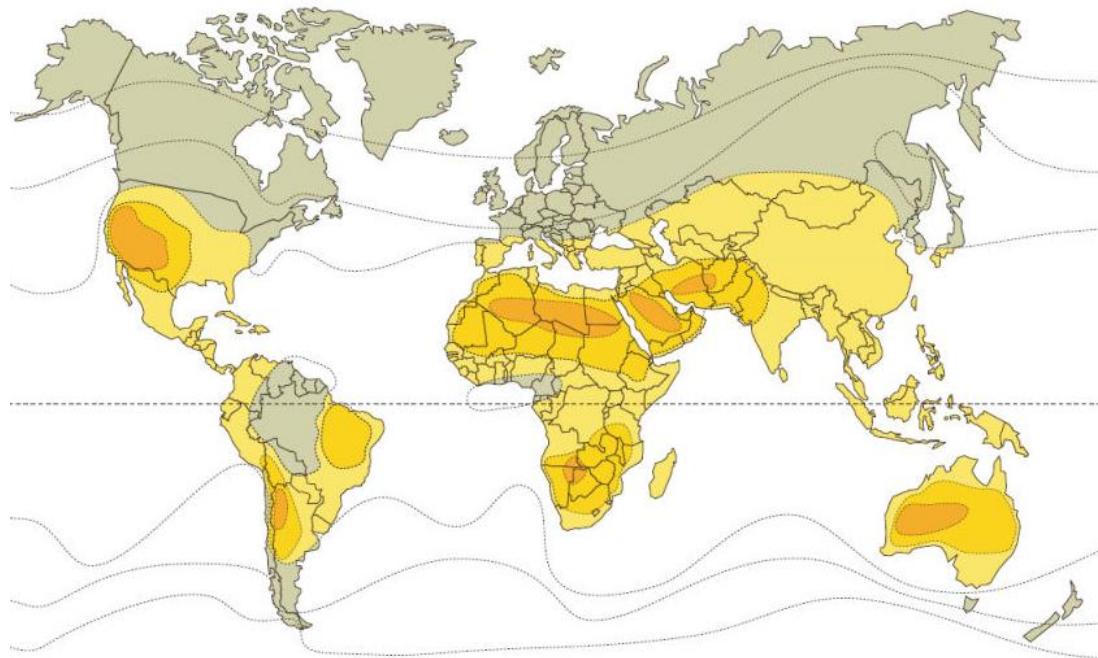
End of Unit Assessment

Name: _____

<u>Topic</u>	<u>Score</u>
Where are they and what are they like?	/4
Animal and Plant Adaptation	/10
Development Opportunities and Challenges in Hot Desert Environments	/8
Desertification	/15
S, P and G	/3

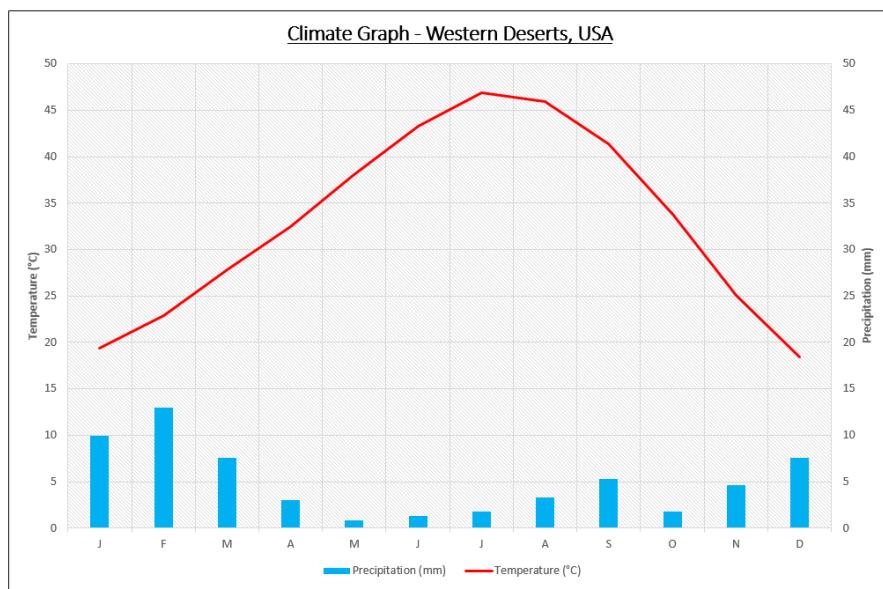
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1 - Outline the locations of deserts around the world.
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2 - Look at the climate graph for The Mojave Desert, USA. Describe the climate.
(2)

(You should refer to figures in your answer)



3 - Explain the difference between abiotic and biotic components in a desert.
(2)

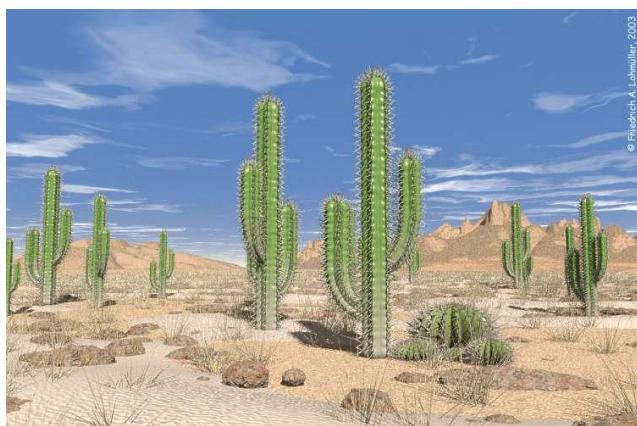
4 - Look at the image below. Explain how the animal has adapted to life in a desert environment.

(4)



5 - Look at the image below. Explain how the plant has adapted to life in a desert environment.

(4)



6 - Outline one way in which a desert area you have studied can provide *challenges* for development. (4)

(4)

Named Desert Area:

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7 - Outline one way in which a desert area you have studied can provide **opportunities** for development. (4)

Named Desert Area:

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8 - What is desertification? (2)

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9 - Outline **2** causes of desertification. (4)

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10 - Assess the importance of different management strategies used to reduce the risk of desertification. (9)