



# TAMPINES MERIDIAN JUNIOR COLLEGE

## JC1 YEAR-END EXAMINATION

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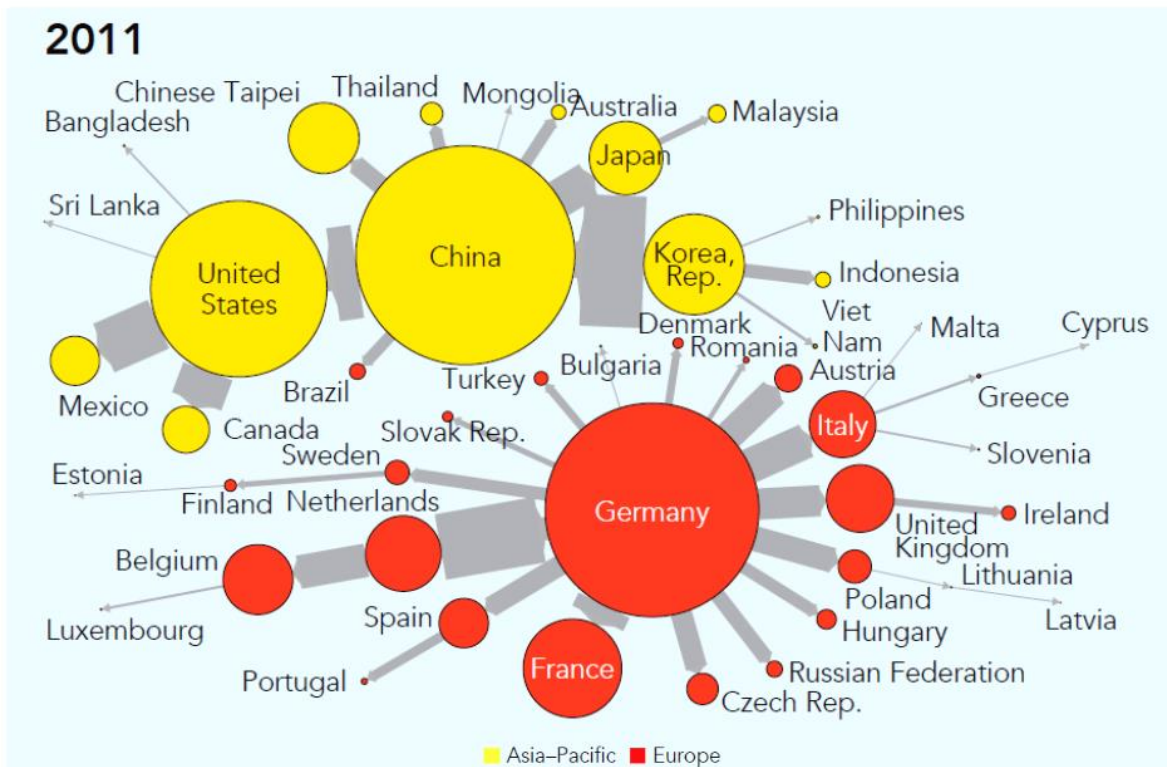
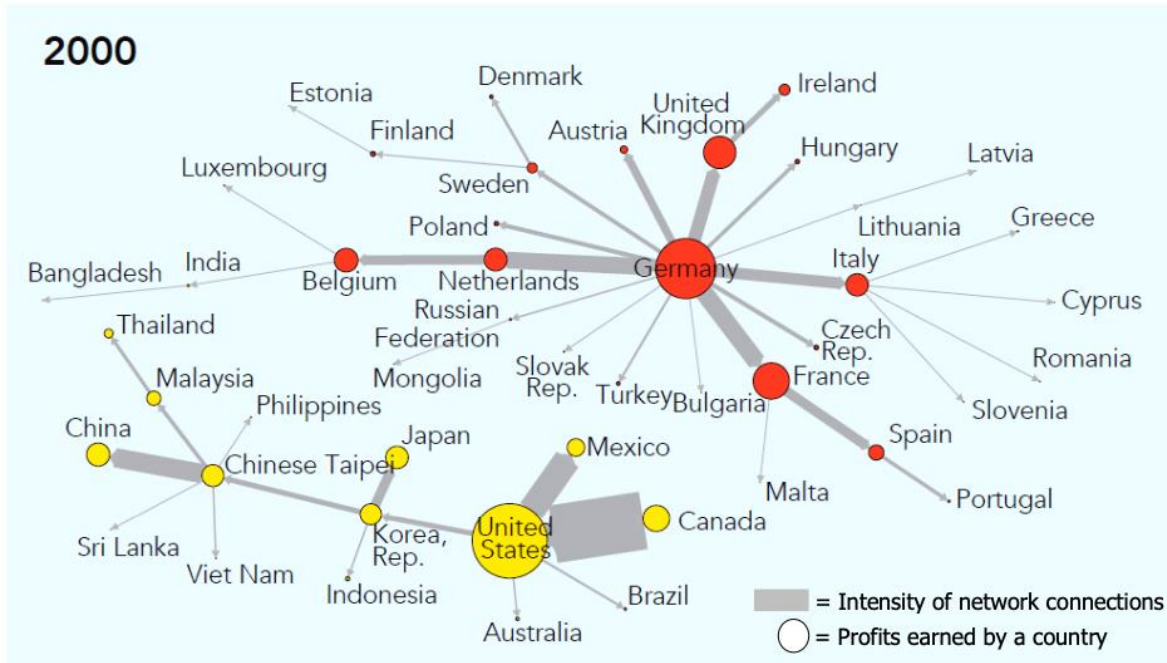
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### Resource 1 for Question 1

#### Network connections and profits earned by countries in producing manufactured goods between 2000 and 2011



Source: Author's calculation based on Xiao and others' 2017 method and data from Asian Development Bank Inter-Country Input-Output Tables.

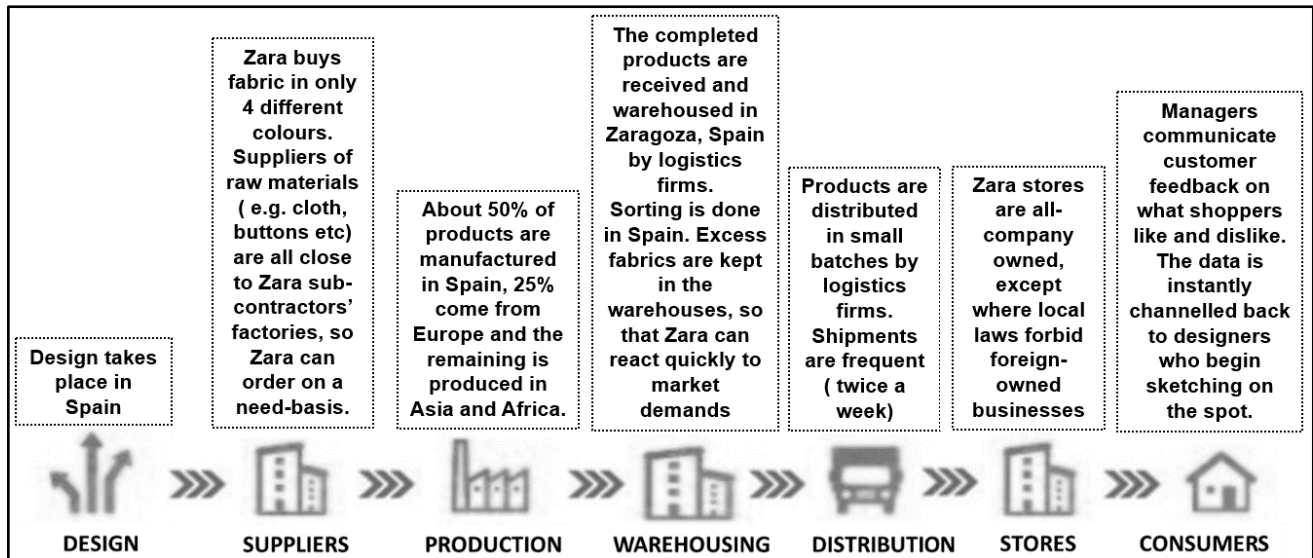
### Resource 2 for Question 1

#### Distribution of Zara's suppliers by region (%) from 2007 to 2012

Region/Year	2007 (%)	2008 (%)	2009 (%)	2010 (%)	2011 (%)	2012 (%)
Africa	6.9	7.6	8.5	7.6	8.8	8.7
Americas	2.7	3.4	5.1	4.1	4.7	4.6
Asia	26.4	33.6	35.2	38.9	44.8	44.7
Europe	64	55.4	51.2	49.4	41.7	42
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100

### Resource 3 for Question 1

#### Zara's Global Production Network (GPN).




**Resource 4a for Question 1**  
**News article about Zara workers in Spain**

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## Zara shopworkers call off strikes in company's hometown after 25% pay rise: Union



MADRID - A union representing shop assistants at fashion retailer Zara has called off planned strikes in the company's hometown in northern Spain following an agreement on a 25 per cent pay rise, a union leader said on Friday.

Around 1,000 workers at Zara shops and other Inditex fashion brands had announced they would strike on Dec 23 and Jan 7 to demand higher wage increases after rejecting the company's previous offer. They had already gone on strike [during the Black Friday sales rush on Nov 24 and 25](#).

Inditex has now agreed to pay 322 euros (\$461) more per month to shop assistants who work at its 44 stores in A Coruña, where the fashion giant has its headquarters on the city's outskirts, CIG union leader and Zara retail assistant Carmiña Naveiro said on Friday. Workers will also get a one-off bonus of 1,000 euros to be paid in February.

**Resource 4b for Question 1**  
**News article about Zara's subcontractor workers in Myanmar**

## Zara Factory Staff Face Prison in Myanmar After Protest For Wage Rise

By The Irrawaddy — June 28, 2023 in Burma Reading Time: 3 mins read AA

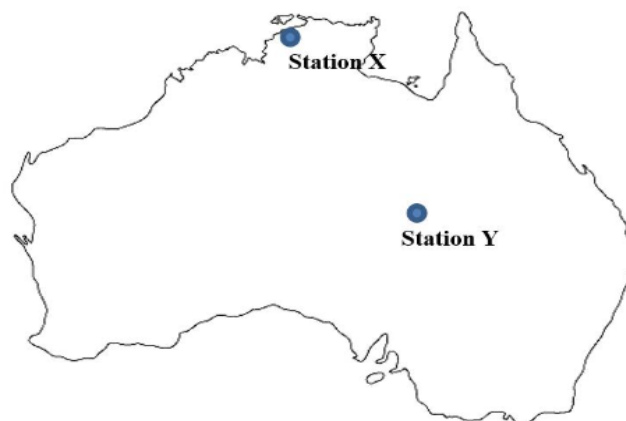
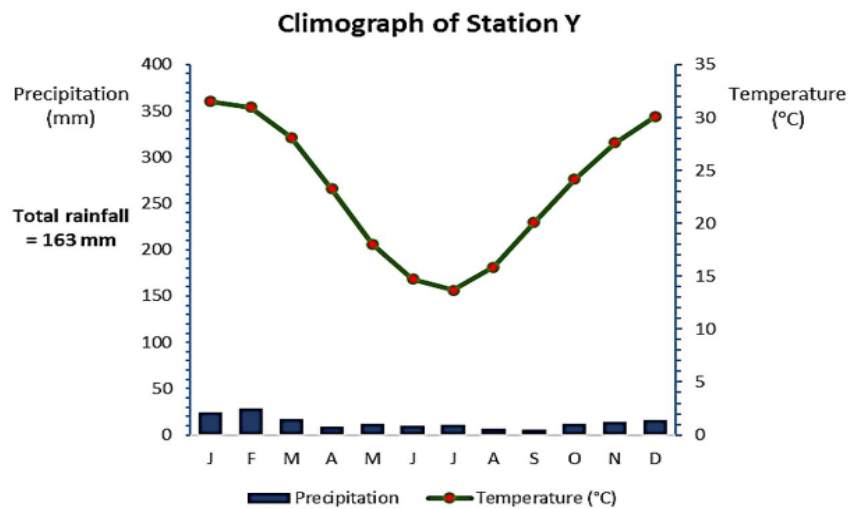
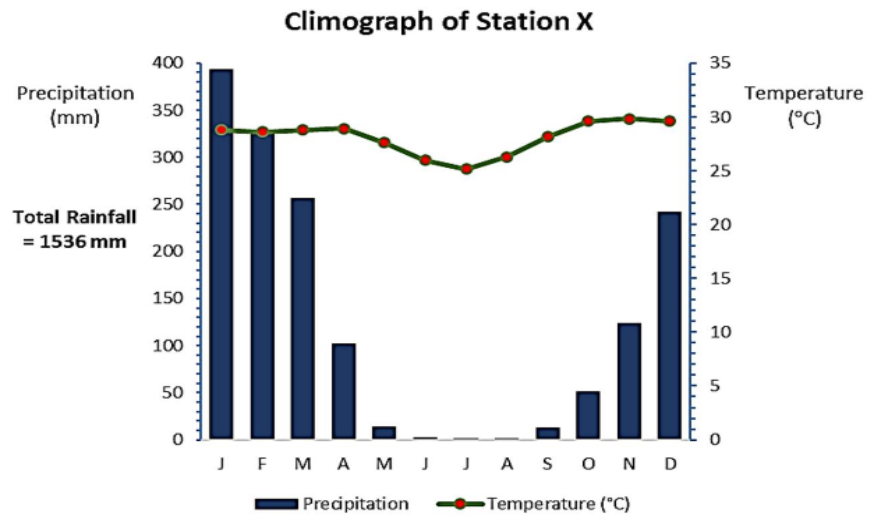


Five labor union leaders at a Chinese-owned garment factory in Yangon that supplies global brands Zara and Pull & Bear face charges under the Sedition Law and Unlawful Association Act after they were arrested for leading a protest for a pay rise of 800 kyats (38 US cents) a day earlier this month.

The five union leaders who were protesting for a pay rise of 38 US cents a day were arrested on June 14 and taken to a junta interrogation center in Shwe Pyi Thar before being remanded in custody.

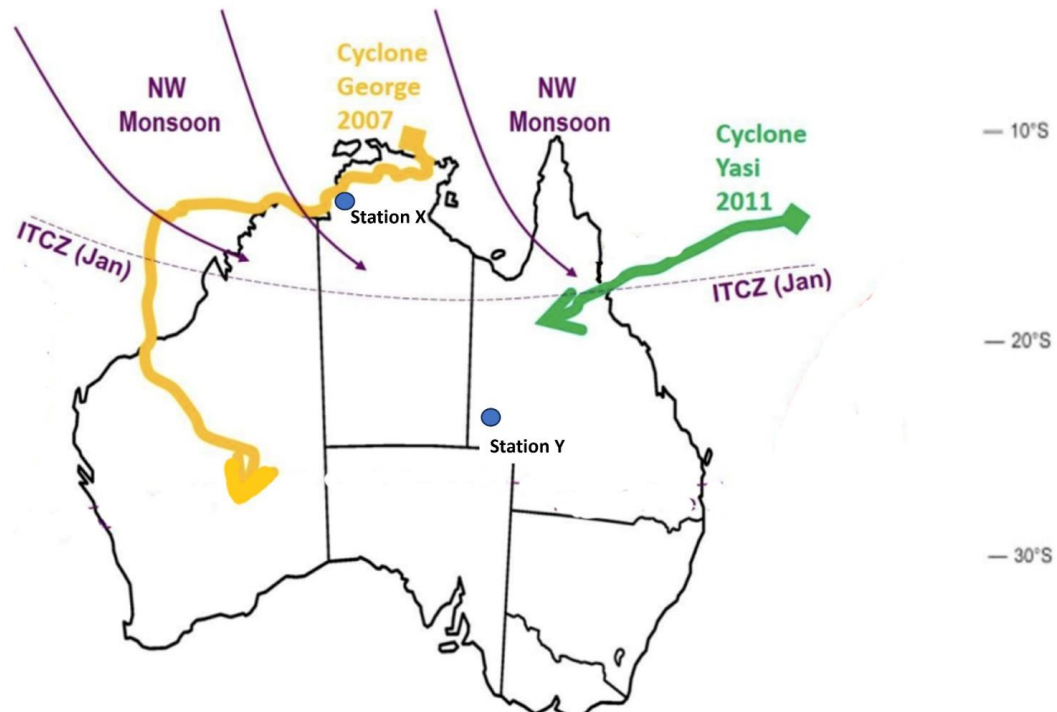
Seven leaders of the labor union were fired from their jobs at the factory on June 10 after calling for an increase in the daily wage from 4,800 to 5,600 kyats at the factory operated by Hosheng (Myanmar) Garment Co. Ltd. in Yangon's Shwe Pyi Thar Township.

**Resource 5 for Question 2**  
**Climograph of Station X and Station Y in Australia**





**Resource 6 for Question 2**  
**Climatic processes happening in Australia**



**Resource 7 for Question 2**  
**Sea Surface Temperature anomalies in August 2023**

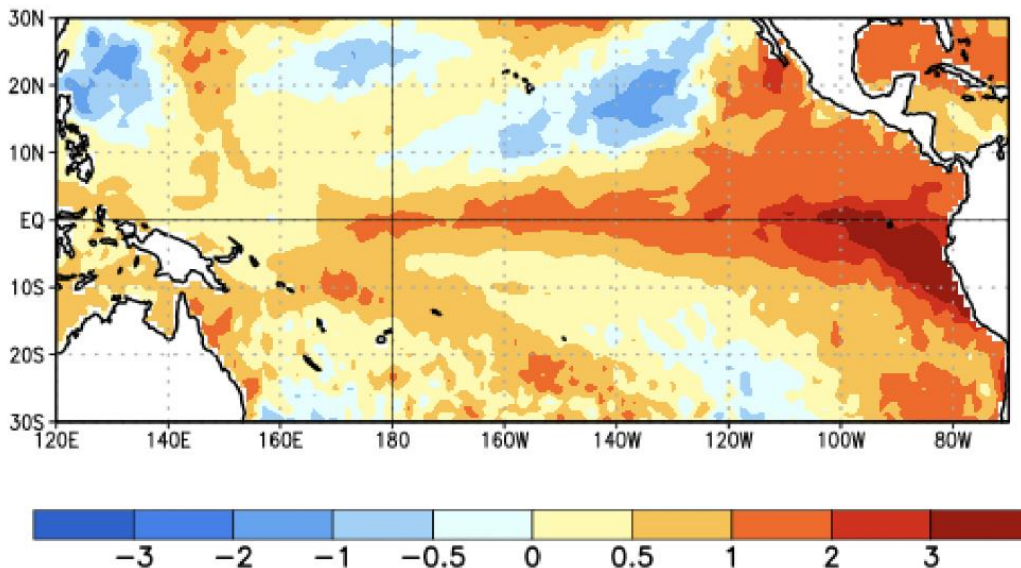


Figure 1. Average sea surface temperature (SST) anomalies ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) for the week centered on 2 August 2023. Anomalies are computed with respect to the 1991-2020 base period weekly means.

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