

			Webnote 428	4.2 Measuring development Big Questions: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Explain the key indicators used to measure development? 2. Evaluate the indicators that are used to measure development? 		<u>Example</u>	<u>U-tube</u>		
<u>Measurement methods</u>									
168			Single indicators	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Distinguish between GDP per capita figures and GNI per capita figures. • Compare and contrast the GDP per capita figures and the GNI per capita figures for economically more developed countries and economically less developed countries. • Distinguish between GDP per capita figures and GDP per capita figures at purchasing power parity (PPP) exchange rates. • Compare and contrast GDP per capita figures and GDP per capita figures at purchasing power parity (PPP) exchange rates for economically more developed countries and economically less developed countries. • Compare and contrast two health indicators for economically more developed countries and economically less developed countries. • Compare and contrast two education indicators for economically more developed countries and 	PPP is covered in section 3.2 under exch. Rates. See item 145 in syllabusSee web 415 .	<u>Example</u>	<u>U-tube</u>	3	See web 415

				economically less developed countries.					
169			Composite indicators	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain that composite indicators include more than one measure and so are considered to be better indicators of economic development. • Explain the measures that make up the Human Development Index (HDI). • Compare and contrast the HDI figures for economically more developed countries and economically less developed countries. • Explain why a country's GDP/ GNI per capita global ranking may be lower, or higher, than its HDI global ranking. 		<u>Example</u>	<u>U-tube</u>	3	
Item	hl	sl	Must Know	Must know very well! Here are the details of what you need to know.	Reading	<u>Example</u>	<u>U-tube</u>	W E I G H T	W E B N O T E

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Theory of knowledge: potential connections

What criteria could we use to determine whether a particular method for measuring development is effective?

What knowledge issues might be encountered in constructing a composite indicator to measure development?