

Grade 7 EMS Worksheet

Assessment Task: Redressing economic imbalances

Various government measures needed to redress imbalances in our society (Individual activity)

The table below lists various government measures needed to redress imbalances and poverty in our society. Complete the table by giving three examples of each. [12 marks]

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