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*Burkina Faso:*

1. Are birth rates high or low in Burkina Faso?

2. Explain how you determined your answer to #1

3. Contrast the number of elderly people in Burkina Faso to the number of elderly people in the China, and explain what might account for the difference.

4. Based on its birth rates & life expectancy, is Burkina Faso is an LDC or an MDC? Explain your answer.

*Mexico:*

1. Do you think Mexico is more or less developed than Burkina Faso? \_\_

2. Explain your answer to #1.

*China:*

1. Examine the percent of males vs. females in every age cohort in China from age 0-59. What pattern do you see that is different from the percent of males vs. females in Burkina Faso and Mexico in the same age cohorts?

2. China instituted its one child policy in 1970 and relaxed it in 2016, which would affect people who are now age 0-48. Reproductive age is considered to be 15-49. The widespread cultural preference for boys has caused China to have a distorted sex ratio, with 116 boys being born for every 100 girls instead of the natural sex ratio of 106:100. Explain one effect having more men than women at reproductive age OTHER THAN a lowered birth rate might have on China.

*United Arab Emirates (UAE)*

1. What do you notice about the number of males vs. females in the 15-65 age groups?

2. The UAE has a large number of guest workers. Explain how this is related to the pattern you see in #1.

*Final Question:*

1. Of these four countries, which one has the lowest dependency ratio?

2. Explain your answer

3. Of these four countries, which two countries have the highest dependency ratios?

4. Explain your answer.