


IB ESS | Essay Task

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Question

Surtsey is a young volcanic island formed between 1963 and 1967. Read the 'Results' section (page 5525) of [this article](#), and use this information, as well as further research, to answer the question below.

Explain the ecological changes that have occurred on Surtsey since its formation in the late 1960s. Include justified predictions about its future development.

[9 marks]

Answer

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