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| **IGCSE Geography – Upper Course of the River Garonne – Student Case Study Sheet** |



**Task 4 – 6** Diagram (waterfalls & rapid formation)

**Task 2** – V Shaped Valley

**Task 4 – 6** explanation (waterfalls & rapid formation)

**Task 1** - In the upper course of any river, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is always the main force because the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the river is steep and it has a lot of energy, especially during \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_ and heavy rain.

The main process of erosion is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and this causes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and vertical erosion of the banks and the \_\_\_\_ of the river. Remember that the conditions in the Pyrenees can be harsh and therefore weathering can affect the slopes of the valley. Landslides and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ can carry materials down the slope and into the river where it is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ away. This often makes the valley steeper and gives it a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ appearance.



**Task 7** – Pot Hole Formation



snow melt, transported, erosion, V-shaped, avalanches, gradient, abrasion, lateral, bed

**Task 3** – Describe landscape