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Course of defence: Defence: reviews propose C/64, C/61 and B/65, the average mark is C/63. The main critical issues are: problematic selection of the sample of the countries, descriptive and general findings, unclear definition and verification of hypotheses, language and editing are not very good. Student was just partially explaining some of the critical remarks, the main point of critique is not a clear organization of research questions and methodology and a problematic selection of the sample of the studied countries. The board proposes C/61.

Result of defence: very good (C)

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