Indian Geography

Geography Model Test Questions 16 in English With Answers

1. Which of the following is a planetary wind?
   (A) The westerlies  (B) Sea breeze  (C) Fohn  (D) Mistral

2. Where does the third largest concentration of population lie?
   (A) North America  (B) Eurasia  (C) South America  (D) Africa

3. Place known for windmills is
   (A) Muppandal  (B) Tirupur  (C) Nanguneri  (D) None of these

4. Tirupur is located on the banks of river
   (A) Bhavani  (B) Noyyal  (C) Periyar  (D) Palar

5. In Tamil Nadu sugar mill is located at
   (A) Lalgudi  (B) Tirunelveli  (C) Karur  (D) Cuddalore

6. As per census report 2001, percentage of scheduled caste people of population in Tamil Nadu is
   (A) 20%  (B) 19%  (C) 26%  (D) 10%

7. Indian Telephone Industries Ltd. Is located at
   (A) Mumbai and Bangalore  (B) Bangalore  (C) Mumbai and New Delhi  (D) Mumbai and Chennai

8. Raurkela steel plant was set up with the assistance from
   (A) USSR  (B) UK  (C) USA  (D) West Germany

9. The oil and Nature Gas Commission was set up in
   (A) 1956  (B) 1957  (C) 1959  (D) 1961

10. In Tamil Nadu, the district with the highest sex ratio as per 2001 census is
    (A) Tuticorin  (B) Tirunelveli  (C) Ramanadhapuram  (D) Nilgiris

11. The Green Revolution has led to marked increase in
    I. Productivity of wheat  II. Productivity of pulses
    III. Regional inequalities  IV. Inter-personal inequalities

    Of the statements:
12. The Jain temples known for the finest marble carvings in India are situated at
   (A) Gwalior    (B) Jaipur    (C) Gandhara    (D) Dilwara

13. Place known for silk fabrics is
   (A) Coimbatore  (B) Mumbai    (C) Kancheepuram  (D) Surat

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15. The climate around Bikaner can be described as
   (A) Tropical monsoon    (B) Hot desert
   (C) Mediterranean type   (D) Semi-arid shape

16. In which state does the maximum area of black soil occur?
   (A) Gujarat  (B) Maharashtra  (C) Karnataka  (D) Andhra Pradesh

17. India is the seventh largest country in the world. It occupies _________ of world area
   (A) 2.4%  (B) 3.4%  (C) 4.2%  (D) 4.3%

18. The Khasi and Jaintia hills are located in
   (A) Arunachal Pradesh  (B) Meghalaya  (C) Manipur  (D) Nagaland

19. The largest producer of chillies in the world is
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(A) India    (B) Bangladesh    (C) Pakistan    (D) Sri Lanka

20. The ideal temperature for the growth of sugarcane is

(A) 20°C to 30°C    (B) 15°C to 40°C    (C) 15°C to 20°C    (D) 25°C to 40°C

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22. Which of the following is the smallest in terms of area?

(A) Vatican city    (B) Monaco    (C) Nauru    (D) San Marino

23. The maximum daily range of temperature can be observed at

(A) Chennai    (B) Thiruvananthapuram    (C) Delhi    (D) Mumbai

24. The district with highest population in Tamil Nadu as per 2001 census is

(A) Madurai    (B) Chennai    (C) Coimbatore    (D) Trichi

25. The district with highest literacy rate in Tamil Nadu is

(A) Kanniyakumari    (B) Tirunelveli    (C) Cuddalore    (D) Thanjavur

26. The density of population in Tamil Nadu is (as per 2001 census)

(A) 478    (B) 456    (C) 411    (D) 626

27. The highest mountain peak of India is

(A) Mt. Everest    (B) Mt. Kanchenjunga    (C) Mt. K2    (D) Mt. Nanga Parbat
Note: Kanchenjungha is the highest peak in India. It is situated in the border of Sikkim and Nepal. Kanchenjungha is the third highest peak in the world after Mount Everest and K2 (Godwin Austen). K2, which is also called as Godwin Austen, is situated in POK (Pakistan Occupied Kashmir) region which is administered by Pakistan.

28. The port which is rich in minerals is
   (A) Cochin    (B) Kandla    (C) Marmagoa    (D) Paradwip

29. The area which is rich in minerals is
   (A) Malwa plateau (B) Chota Nagpur (C) Micot hills (D) Ajanta caves

30. Mahatma Gandhi National Marine Park is situated at
   (A) Chennai    (B) Thoothukudi    (C) Andaman and Nicobar Island    (D) Kanniyakumari

31. The place where richest mangrove vegetation are found is
   (A) Cuddalore    (B) Pichavaram    (C) Pazhaverkadu    (D) Vandalur

32. The peninsula in the east of India is
   (A) Arabia    (B) Indo-China    (C) Italy    (D) Iberi

33. The dam constructed across the Sutlej is
   (A) Bharakra Nangal    (B) Hirakud    (C) Damodar    (D) Stanly Reservoir

34. Which city is known as ‘Pearl city’?
   (A) Nagapattinam    (B) Thanjavur    (C) Thoothukudi    (D) Rameswaram

35. The highest peak on Himalayas is
   (A) Dodda Betta    (B) Everest    (C) Anaimudi    (D) Nanoa Parbat

36. The only nuclear reactor, ‘Kamini’ which uses Uranium-233 as fuel, is located in
   (A) Maharashtra    (B) Orissa    (C) Gujarat    (D) Tamil Nadu

37. The North-west of peninsular India is
   (A) Chota Nagpur plateau    (B) Deccan plateau    (C) Malwa plateau    (D) Shillong plateau
38. The important food crop of Tamil Nadu is
   (A) Paddy  (B) Wheat  (C) Ragi  (D) Barley

39. The heaviest rainfall occurs during the month in __________ Tamil Nadu
   (A) January – March  (B) April – June
   (C) July – September  (D) October – November

40. The land that consists of homogeneous geographical features is
   (A) Region  (B) Country  (C) Continent  (D) World

41. Adam’s Bridge connects which of the following two places?
   (A) Pamban island of India and north tip of Sri Lanka
   (B) India and Pakistan
   (C) India and Bangladesh
   (D) None of these

42. Which one of the following combinations is responsible for higher salinity ocean water?
   (A) High evaporation, high temperature and high rainfall
   (B) High evaporation, high temperature and low rainfall
   (C) Low evaporation, low temperature and high rainfall
   (D) Low evaporation, low temperature and low rainfall

43. The largest reserve of bauxite is found in
   (A) Madhya Pradesh  (B) Orissa  (C) Maharashtra  (D) Chhattisgarh

44. Which place is called “Muthumakkal Thaligalin Thottam”?
   (A) Chettipalayam  (B) Athichchanallur  (C) Saanur  (D) Thirumudivakkam

45. The oil and natural gas commission was set up in
   (A) 1956  (B) 1957  (C) 1958  (D) 1959

46. Consider the following statements:
   Assertion (A): Laterite soil is well developed in Kerala.
   Reason (R): Kerala receives high rainfall during south-west monsoon.
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47. The region on the solution side of the siwalk hill is called his

(A) Dunes  (B) Bhabhar  (C) Terai  (D) Khadar

48. Which of the following is the primary source of energy in India?

(A) Coal  (B) Petroleum  (C) Hydroelectricity  (D) Biogas plants

49. The percentage of population depending on agriculture as per the census, 1981 in India is

(A) 68 percent  (B) 48 percent  (C) 62 percent  (D) 54 percent

50. The first cotton mill was set up in India during

(A) 1862  (B) 1852  (C) 1851  (D) 1863

NOTE: 1818 – 1st Modern cotton mill - Mumbai

51. Which one of the following is a warm current?

(A) Labrador current  (B) Peru current

(C) **Falkland current**  (D) Florida current

52. First electric railway was opened in

(A) 1853  (B) 1885  (C) 1905  (D) **1925**

53. Escape velocity of the earth is

(A) 1.12 km/s  (B) **11.2 km/s**  (C) 112 km/s  (D) 112 km/h

54. Which of the following should be avoided as method of presenting data?

(A) Bar diagram  (B) Pie diagram

(C) **Pictogram**  (D) Spheres and Cones

55. Fjord coasts are very typical of the

(A) Alaskan coast  (B) Spanish coast
56. Which one of the following states is still practising Jhum cultivation?

(A) Assam  (B) Tamil Nadu  (C) Karnataka  (D) Maharashtra

57. Where are silicon chips manufactured in India?

(A) Chandigarh  (B) Punjab  (C) Uttar Pradesh  (D) Tamil Nadu

58. How many tides are experienced in a day?

(A) One time  (B) Two times  (C) Three times  (D) Four times

59. Which of the following states has the largest area under forest?

(A) Gujarat  (B) Haryana  (C) Madhya Pradesh  (D) Uttar Pradesh

60. Which of the following pairs is not correctly matched?

(A) Tectonic lake - Wular lake  (B) Lagoon lake - Pulicat lake
(C) Aeolian lake - Chilka lake  (D) Volcanic lake - Lunar lake

61. The area of Ganga plain is

(A) 3,57,000 sq.kms.  (B) 3,20,000 sq.kms.  (C) 3,50,000 sq.kms.  (D) None of these

62. Coral reefs in the oceans are found between

(A) 25° N - 25° S latitude  (B) 30° N - 30° S latitude
(C) 15° N - 15° S latitude  (D) None of these

63. Bokaro Steel Plant is located in the state of

(A) West Bengal  (B) Orissa  (C) Jharkhand  (D) Karnataka

64. The Nilgiris are part of the

(A) Eastern Ghats  (B) Western Ghats
(C) Vindhya-Satpura range  (D) Himalayan range

65. The famous textile market in Tamil Nadu

(A) Coimbatore  (B) Tirunelveli  (C) Salem  (D) Erode

66. Manimutharu Dam is located in the district of

(A) Tirunelveli  (B) Coimbatore  (C) Cuddalore  (D) Thanjavur
67. Consider the following statements:

Assertion (A): Drought is a creeping phenomenon, which makes an accurate prediction of its onset a difficult task.

Reason (R): Deficiency in rainfall and over-exploitation of ground water aggravates the situation.

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<td>(c) Earth axis</td>
<td>3. 100 minutes</td>
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<td>(d) Lunar eclipse</td>
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69. Choose the correct statement from the following:

(A) The direction in which water currents move depends on winds and the earth’s spin
(B) The direction in which water currents move does not depend on winds and the earth’s spin
(C) The direction in which water current move depends on winds and the earth’s revolution
(D) The direction in which water currents move depends in sun’s energy and the earth’s spin

70. All water lying south of latitude 55° in the southern hemisphere, is called

(A) South Pacific   (B) South Atlantic   (C) Southern Ocean   (D) Indian Ocean
71. The devastating cyclone struck the coast of Orissa in India on
   (A) 29th October, 1999   (B) 26th December, 2004
   (C) 17th and 18th August, 1998   (D) 2nd December, 1984

72. Earthquakes under the sea can cause long, giant, destructive waves called
   (A) Cyclones   (B) Tides   (C) Tsunami   (D) Tornadoes

73. Which one is a fast growing tree?
   (A) Banyan   (B) Teak   (C) Coconut   (D) Eucalyptus

74. The Kudankulam Nuclear Power Station is set up in Tamil Nadu in collaboration with
   (A) France   (B) Germany   (C) Russia   (D) Italy

75. Coal mine is situated in Tamil Nadu at
   (A) Cuddalore   (B) Neyveli   (C) Mettur   (D) Kalpakkam

76. Maitree express is a train that runs between
   (A) Kolkata and Kohima   (B) Kolkata and Shillong
   (C) Kolkata and Dispur   (D) Kolkata and Dhaka

77. Which one of the following combinations are cash crops?
   (A) Cotton, sugarcane, oil seeds   (B) Maize, ragi, millets
   (C) Groundnut, castor seeds, tobacco   (D) Rice, wheat, dals

78. The famous Kashmir valley is located between which of the following two ranges?
   (A) Pirpanjal and Himachal   (B) Pirpanjal and Himadri
   (C) Pirpanjal and Karakoram   (D) Pirpanjal and Zaskar range

79. Population density is represented by
   (A) Total population/Total area
   (B) Total population/Total cultivated area
   (C) Total population/Net sown area
   (D) Total population engaged in agriculture/Total cultivated area

80. The relative proportion of labour earnings in national income in India is
81. The second longest National Highway of India is
   (A) NH – 7  (B) NH – 6  (C) NH – 1  (D) NH – 4

82. The line that sets the boundary and consequently the number of the poor refers to
   (A) Line of control  (B) Line of poor  (C) Poverty line  (D) Poor border line

83. The major source of irrigation in peninsular India is
   (A) Wells and tubewells  (B) Tanks  (C) Canals  (D) All of these

84. Tamil Nadu stretches between 8° 5’ N ______ N latitudes
   (A) 13° 35’  (B) 12° 25’  (C) 11° 25’  (D) 10° 25’

85. The Manchester of India is
   (A) Chennai  (B) Mumbai  (C) Delhi  (D) Jamshedpur

86. A district in Tamil Nadu which has government explosive factory is
   (A) Vellore  (B) Erode  (C) Trichy  (D) Chennai

87. In paddy production, Tamil Nadu occupies the ______ rank in India
   (A) Third  (B) Fifth  (C) Fourth  (D) Second

88. Gold fields in Karnataka are at
   (A) Mysore  (B) Kolar  (C) Bangalore  (D) Mandya

89. The delta area where petroleum is found in Tamil Nadu is
   (A) Tamiraparani  (B) Vaigai  (C) Kaveri  (D) Palar

90. Climate of India is highly influenced by
   (A) Local winds  (B) Planetary winds  (C) Monsoon winds  (D) Trade winds

91. Mundanthurai wildlife sanctuary inlocated in
   (A) Theni district  (B) Karur district  (C) Tuticorin  (D) Tirunelveli districts

92. Which is the premier national industry of India?
   (A) Sugar industry  (B) Jute industry
(C) Textile industry  (D) Cotton mill industry

93. What is the time taken by the earth from its axis to pass through one longitude?
   (A) 15 minutes  (B) 10 minutes  (C) 5 minutes  (D) 4 minutes

94. According to the census estimate of 2001, the rate of literacy in Tamil Nadu was ______ per cent.
   (A) 73.5  (B) 54  (C) 36  (D) 90

95. Which of the following countries does not experience monsoon type of climate?
   (A) Myanmar  (B) Indonesia  (C) Bangladesh  (D) Sri Lanka

96. Railway Zones in India are
   (A) Seven  (B) Eight  (C) Nine  (D) Ten

   NOTE: Indian Railways has been divided into 17 zones and 69 divisions.

97. Find the correct sequence of passes located from North to South in the Western Ghats of India.
   (A) Palghat, Bhorghat, Thalghat, Shencota gap
   (B) Thalghat, Bhorghat, Palghat, Shencota gap
   (C) Shencota gap, Palghat, Thalghat, Bhorghat
   (D) Bhorghat, Thalghat, Palghat, Shencota gap

98. The solar system that belongs to the galaxy is called
   (A) Milky way  (B) Magellanic cloud
   (C) Radio galaxy  (D) Andromeda nebula

99. Consider the following statements:
   Assertion (A): Indira Gandhi canal irrigates large area of western Rajasthan.
   Reason (R): It is fed by river Ravi in Rajasthan.

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100. The total number of corporations of Tamil Nadu in 2008 was

(A) 7   (B) 8   (C) 10   (D) 12