

**APEEJAY SCHOOL, SHEIKH SARAI**  
**FIRST TERM EXAMINATION, 2018-19**

SS-6

**CLASS-XII**  
**GEOGRAPHY**

*Time allowed : 3 Hrs.*

**M.M. : 70**

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**General Instructions :**

1. Q. 1 to 15 are for 1 mark each.
2. Q. 16 to 20 are for 3 marks each.
3. Q. 21 to 26 are for 5 mark each.
4. Q. Q. 27 and 28 are map questions.

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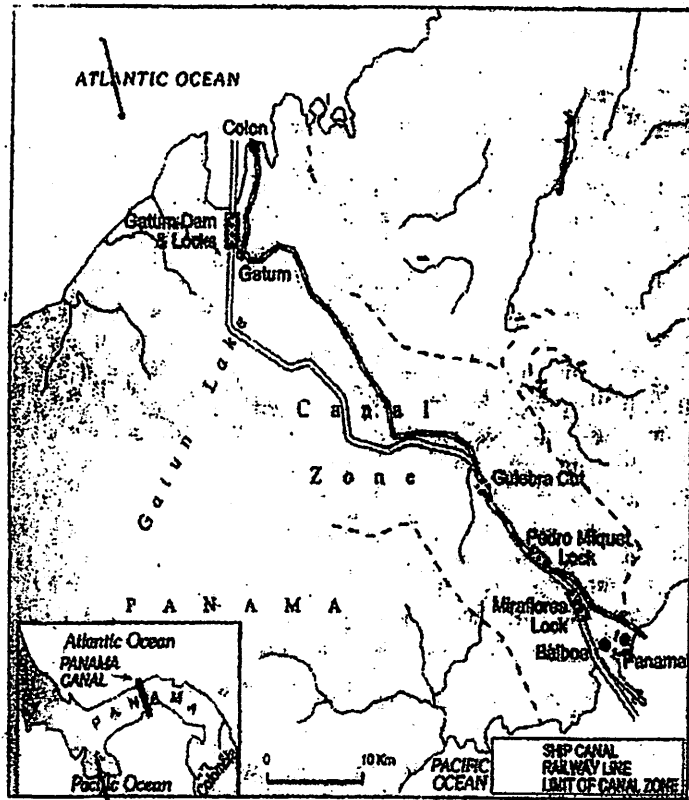
**SECTION-A**

**(10 Marks)**

1. What do you understand by the term human development ? (1)
2. Name the places connected by Union and Pacific railways. (1)
3. On the basis of scale and quality how can we divide modes of communication. (1)
4. Differentiate between place of origin and place of destination. (1)
5. Name the country with highest and lowest sex ratio. (1)
6. Name two most important factors affecting tourism. (1)
7. Define Quinary activities. (1)
8. What make up a transport network ? (1)
9. What are the two types of irrigated farming ? (1)

Study the map given below and answer Q. 10 to Q. 12.

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10. Name the canal and the country which has constructed this canal. (1)
11. Why does this canal has lock system? (1)
12. What is the signifiacne of this canal? (1)
13. What is the population size of class II and III cities in India? (1)
14. Which class of towns and cities have maximum % of total Urban population in India. (1)
15. Give two local names of Hamleted settlement in India. (1)
16. Explain the reasons for low or high level of human development in a country. (3)
17. What are the modes by which cyber space will expand the contempory economic and social space of humans ? (3)
18. Discuss with examples types of ports on the basis of specialised function. (3)
19. Differentiate between Environmentalism and possibilism. (3)
20. What is watershed management ? Write about the programmes initiated by central and state government. (3)

21. What were the steps taken by government after independence to increase the agricultural production ? Describe any four problems related to Indian agriculture. (5)
22. How are industries classified on the basis of raw material used. (5)
23. What is subsistence agriculture ? What are its type : Describe main characteristic of Primitive subsistence agriculture. (5)
24. Explain the development of land transport. (5)
25. (a) "The distribution of roads is not uniform in India." Explain with the help of examples.  
(b) Discuss the steps taken by Indian railways to modernise itself. (5)
26. Describe the different types of Urban settlements on the basis of size, services and functions. (5)
27. In the Given World map five features have been shown by A, B, C, D & E. Identify them with the help of information given below and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them
- A – Western terminal of Trans Canadian railway.  
B – A major Industrial region.  
C – A major sea port.  
D – Largest country in S. America  
E – Mega city of the world. (1×5 = 5Marks)
27. On the outline political map of India, locate and label the following :
- (a) Port refered as queen of the Arabian.  
(b) State having the largest population.  
(c) Southern most international airport.  
(d) Northern most international airport.  
(e) A state with lowest female literacy rate. (1×5 = 5Marks)

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6. *Q. No. 29 and 30 are related to identification or location and labelling of geographical features on maps, carrying 5 marks each.*
7. *Use of template or stencils for drawing maps is allowed.*

**SECTION-A**

1. Which one of the following has lowest female literacy rate?  
(a) Jammu & Kashmir  
(b) Rajasthan  
(c) Arunachal Pradesh  
(d) U.P.

**OR**

- Which one of the following states has the highest density of population in India ?
- (a) Bihar  
(b) Kerala  
(c) Uttar Pradesh  
(d) Punjab
2. Which one of the following states receives maximum number of immigrants :  
(a) U.P.  
(b) Delhi  
(c) Maharashtra  
(d) Bihar

3. Age sex pyramid of which country represents a constant population :

- (a) Bangladesh
- (b) Mexico
- (c) Australia
- (d) Japan

OR

Reason for low sex ratio in UAE is

- (a) High birth rate of males
- (b) Low birth rate of females
- (c) High out migration of females.
- (d) Selective migration of male working population.

4. Which of the following towns is not located on a river bank?

- (a) Agra
- (b) Bhopal
- (c) Patna
- (d) Kolkata

OR

Which one of the following environments does one expect the presence of dispersed rural settlements ?

- (a) Alluvial plains of Ganga
- (b) Arid and semi Arid regions of Rajasthan
- (c) Lower valleys of Himalayas
- (d) Forests and hills in North-east

5. Which one of the following is not an area of sparse population

- (a) The Atacama
- (b) South East Asia
- (c) Equatorial regions
- (d) Polar regions

6. Which approach to human development is associated with Prof. Amartya Sen.

- (a) Income approach
- (b) Basic need approach
- (c) Welfare approach
- (d) Capability approach

7. In which of the following countries co-operatives farming was most successful experiment

- (a) India
- (b) Pakistan
- (c) Denmark
- (d) Russia

8. In which of the following types of agriculture is farming of citrus fruits very important
- (a) Market gardening (c) Co-operative farming  
(b) Plantation agriculture (d) Mediterranean farming
9. In which of the following regions is extensive commercial grain cultivation not practiced?
- (a) American Canadian prairies  
(c) European steppes  
(b) Amazon basin  
(d) Pampas of Argentina
10. Which city was first to attain the status of mega city
- (a) Paris (c) New York  
(b) London (d) Tokyo
11. Washington D.C. is example of which types of town?
- (a) Administrative Town (c) Tourist/Recreational Town  
(b) Commercial Town (d) Cultural Town
12. Which type of rural settlement develops where several roads converge
- (a) Circular (c) Star shaped  
(b) Linear (d) T-Shaped
13. Identify the port situated at the head of Vembanad kayal
- (a) Kochi (c) Vishakapatnam  
(b) Parawip (d) Thiruvanthapuram
14. Which national highway (N.H.) connects Delhi and Kolkata
- (a) NH-1 (c) NH-7  
(b) NH-2 (d) NH-10
15. Name of the two types of satellite system in India on basis of configuration and purpose.
16. Which railway zone has highest % of total earnings
- (a) Northern (c) South Central  
(b) North Central (d) Western
17. Which one of the following crops is not cultivated under dryland farming
- (a) Ragi (c) Groundnut  
(b) Jowar (d) Sugarcane

18. Push and Pull factors are responsible for
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|----------------------|-------------------|
| (a) Migration        | (c) slums         |
| (b) Land Degradation | (d) Air pollution |
19. The WTO has been criticized and opposed by those who are worried about the effects of free trade and economic globalization. Justify the statement.
20. "Human beings were able to develop technology after they developed better understanding of natural laws". Justify the statement with examples.
21. What are the social benefits of IIDP in the Bharmaur tribal region?

OR

What factors are responsible for highest ground water development in the states of Punjab, Haryana and Tamil Nadu.

22. Explain three characteristics of income approach of Human Development.
23. "Sustainable development calls for protection of resources for the future generations. There is urgent need to conserve resources. Discuss various ways of conserving resources in India.

OR

"Industries tend to concentrate on certain locations because of the favourable locational factors." Elucidate the factors for Mumbai Pune Industrial region.

24. "The modern economic development in the World is mainly the result of the development of Quaternary services." Explain the statement with suitable example.
25. What are the characteristic of traditional large scale Industrial regions and how can they be recognized? (2+3=5)

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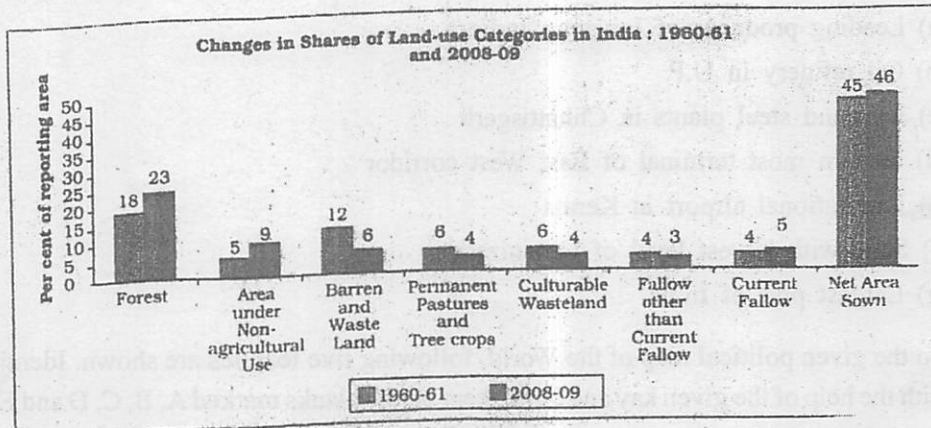
Explain with example the factors influencing industrial location in the World.

26. 'One of the biggest problem in India with regards to rural urban migration is the creation of slums'. Describe the problems and characteristic of slums in India.

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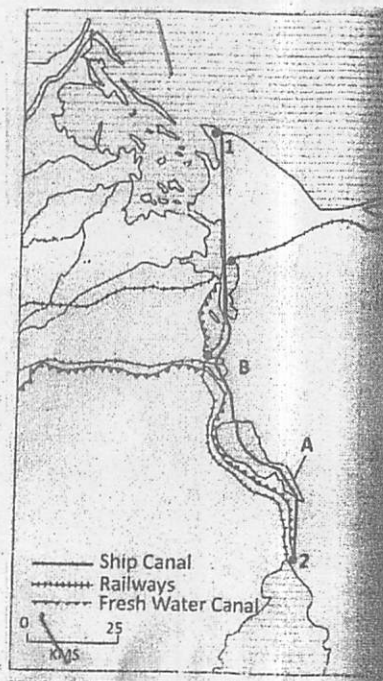
Discuss the Nature of pollution in Ganga and Yamuna Rivers; What are the effects of water pollution ? (3+2=5)

27. Study the figure given below and answer the question that follows.



- (i) Name three categories which have registered increase and why.
- (ii) Name two categories of land use which have registered a decrease and why.

28. Study the map given below and answer the questions that follow :



- (i) Name the two ports marked in the map by No. 1 and 2.
- (ii) Name the lakes shown by A and B.
- (iii) What are the difference between Panama and Suez Canal?



29. On the outline political map of India name and locate any five :

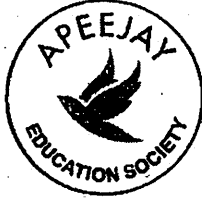
(1×5)

- (a) Leading producer of Jowar in India
- (b) Oil refinery in U.P.
- (c) Iron and steel plants in Chhattisgarh
- (d) Eastern most terminal of East West corridor
- (e) International airport in Kerala
- (f) State with lowest level of Urbanization
- (g) Largest port of India

30. On the given political map of the World, following five features are shown. Identify these with the help of the given key and write them on the blanks marked A, B, C, D and E :

- A. Industrial Region
- B. Mega city
- C. Major Airport
- D. Inland waterway
- E. Western Terminal of Trans Australian railway.

(1×5)



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- (vii) Outline map of India and World provided to you must be attached within your answer book.
- (viii) Use of template or stencils for drawing outline maps is allowed.

SECTION A

1. In which one of the following countries co-operative farming was the most successful experiment? (1)
  - (a) Russia
  - (b) India
  - (c) Denmark
  - (d) The Netherlands

OR

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In which of the following regions is extensive commercial grain cultivation not practiced?

- (a) American Canadian prairies
  - (b) European Steppes
  - (c) Pampas of Argentina
  - (d) Amazon Basin
2. Which one of the following countries has the lowest sex ratio in the world? (1)
- (a) Qatar
  - (b) Saudi Arabia
  - (c) Pakistan
  - (d) Iraq
3. Which continent has the highest density of road? (1)
- (a) North America
  - (b) Europe
  - (c) Asia
  - (d) Australia

OR

The Orient express runs from

- (a) New York to San Francisco
  - (b) Paris to Istanbul
  - (c) Calgary to Ottawa
  - (d) Moscow to Vladivostok
4. Which one of the following forms of settlement develops in plain areas or wide inter montane valleys. The road cuts each other at right angles. (1)
- (a) Rectangular
  - (b) Linear
  - (c) Star like pattern
  - (d) Cross shaped
5. Which one of the following south American nation is part of OPEC? (1)
- (a) Brazil
  - (b) Chili
  - (c) Venezuela
  - (d) Peru

6. Milk is being supplied through pipelines from farms to factories in (1)  
(a) U.S.A  
(b) Denmark  
(c) New Zealand  
(d) Netherlands
7. These are collection centres where the goods are brought from different countries for export (1)  
(a) Port of call  
(b) Entrepot ports  
(c) Pocket station  
(d) Inland ports
8. Which port is a natural harbor and the biggest port of the country? (1)  
(a) Kolkata Port  
(b) Visakhapatnam Port  
(c) Mumbai Port  
(d) Kandla Port

OR

- Which port is known as the "Queen of the Arabian sea"? (1)  
(a) Marmagao  
(b) Kandla  
(c) Kochchi  
(d) Mumbai
9. Which one of the following is the most important factor in the interaction between people and environment? (1)  
(a) Human intelligence  
(b) People's perception  
(c) Technology  
(d) Human brotherhood
10. Which one of the following states receives maximum numbers of immigrants? (1)  
(a) Uttar Pradesh  
(b) Delhi

- (c) Maharashtra  
(d) Bihar
11. Which one of the following states of India has the lowest female literacy? (1)  
(a) Jammu and Kashmir  
(b) Arunachal Pradesh  
(c) Jharkhand  
(d) Bihar
12. Which one of the following is the main form of degradation in irrigated area? (1)  
(a) Gully erosion  
(b) Wind erosion  
(c) Salinisation of soil  
(d) Siltation of land
13. Which one of the following figures in cubic kilometers correctly shows the total annual precipitation in India? (1)  
(a) 2,000  
(b) 3,000  
(c) 4,000  
(d) 5,000
14. India mostly grows Superior quality of coffee (1)  
(a) Robusta  
(b) Arabica  
(c) Liberica  
(d) Narma
15. Which one of the following is not a coal mine of India? (1)  
(a) Bokaro  
(b) Talcher  
(c) Hazaribagh  
(d) Korba
16. The new Industrial Policy was announced in (1)  
(a) 1992  
(b) 1991

- (c) 1993
- (d) 1997

17. Which one of the following decades are referred to as the period of population explosion in India? (1)

- (a) 1901-1921
- (b) 1921-1951
- (c) 1951-1981
- (d) After 1981

18. Which one of the following city is not a mega city? (1)

- (a) Osaka
- (b) Lagos
- (c) Karachi
- (d) Perth

#### SECTION-B

19. How have the Bhils in "Petlawad Block" of Jhabua district of Madhya Pradesh revitalized large parts of common property resources through their own efforts? Explain with examples. (3)

20. Discuss the economic and demographic consequence of migration. (3)

21. Explain the three stages of demographic transition. (3)

OR

Explain the factors influencing the distribution of population in the world.

22. Compare retail trading with wholesale trading. (3)

#### SECTION-C

23. "Urban areas are generally marked by overcrowding, congestion, inadequate facilities to support the fast growing population consequent poor sanitary condition by solid waste." Justify the statement. (5)

24. Discuss the problems associated with urban settlements in developing countries. Support your answer by giving suitable examples. (5)

OR

Classify and explain the urban settlements on the basis of size and services available and functions rendered.

25. Water resources in India have been depleting very fast. Justify the statement. (5)

OR

Discuss the methods of water conservation and management for sustaining water supply in long run in India.

26. Dairy is the most advanced and efficient type of rearing of milch animals. Discuss the statement by giving suitable arguments. (5)

OR

Mediterranean agriculture is highly specialized commercial agriculture. Justify the statement.

27. Explain any five problems of Indian agriculture. (5)

OR

Discuss the important strategies for agricultural development followed in the post independence period in India.

28. "The modern economic development in the world is mainly the result of the development of quaternary service." Explain the statement with suitable examples. (5)

29. On the outline map of India mark and indicate the following features. (any five) (5)

- (a) International airport located in Punjab
- (b) Coal mine located in West Bengal
- (c) State having highest urban population
- (d) Software technology park of Gujarat
- (e) Bauxite mine in Chhattisgarh
- (f) Western terminal point of golden quadrilateral
- (g) Major sea port located in Andhra Pradesh

30. On the given political map of the world following five features are shown identify these features with the help of given keys and write them on the blanks marked A,B,C,D,E (5)

- (a) A major sea port
- (b) Industrial region of the US
- (c) A mega city
- (d) A major airport
- (e) A major area of mixed farming

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