CBSE Class 12 Geography 2012 - Set 64/1

Question Paper

Conducted by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE)

Time Allowed: 3 Hours **Maximum Marks: 70**

General Instructions

(i) There are 26 questions in all.

(ii) All questions are compulsory.

(iii) Marks for each question are indicated against it.

(iv) Question numbers 1 to 10 are very short answer questions carrying 1 mark each. Answers should not exceed 20 words each.

(v) Question numbers 11 to 20 are short answer questions carrying 3 marks each. Answers should not exceed 80 words each.

(vi) Question numbers 21 to 25 are long answer questions carrying 5 marks each. Answers should not exceed 150 words each.

(vii) Question number 26 is related to identification or locating and labelling of geographical features on maps.

(viii) Outline maps of the World and India provided to you must be attached within your answer-book.

(ix) Use of templates or stencils for drawing outline maps is allowed.

Questions

1. Define the term 'Population growth'.

2. Name the country having the highest sex ratio in the world.

3. Define the term 'Tourism'.

4. Give any two examples of quarternary activities.

5. What is the density of population of India according to 2001 census ?

6. Which state of India has the lowest percentage of population below poverty line ?

7. Name any two metropolitan cities of Andhra Pradesh.

8. Which is the eastern terminal city of East-West Corridor ?

9. Name the railway line that was constructed between Roha in Maharashtra and Mangalore in Karnataka.

10. Name any two diseases that are caused by air pollution.

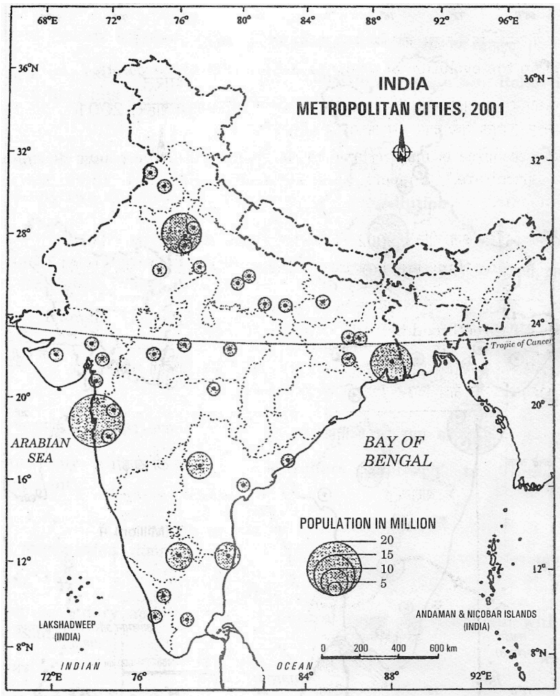
11. Define 'Human Geography'. Give four examples of elements of material culture created by humans, using the resources provided by nature.

12. Explain any three features of 'Welfare approach' to 'Human Development'.

13. How do secondary activities add to natural resources ? Explain with three examples.

14. Why do people migrate ? State the four streams of migration in India.

15.



Study the map of India given below and answer the questions that follow :

(15.1) How many metropolitan cities are there in Maharashtra ?

(15.2) Which one of them is the largest metropolitan city ?

(15.3) Name the easternmost metropolitan city of India as shown in the map.

15-VI. For visually impaired candidates only, in lieu of the corresponding visual question:

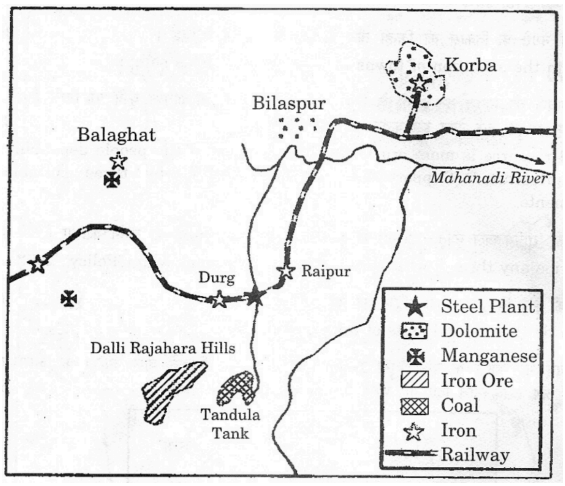
Explain the evolution of towns in India in any three points.

16. "Land resource is more crucial to the livelihood of the people depending on agriculture." Support this statement with any three suitable arguments.

17. Describe any three key features of India's 'National Water Policy', 2002.

18. Describe three broad belts of minerals in India.

19.



Study the diagram showing the location of a major steel plant of India, given below and answer the questions that follow :

(19.1) Identify and name the steel plant.

(19.2) In which state of India is this plant located ?

(19.3) Name the source of iron ore for this plant.

19-VI. For visually impaired candidates only, in lieu of the corresponding visual question:

Explain why are the iron and steel plants located near the source of raw materials in India.

20. Explain any three problems faced by slum dwellers in India.

21. Explain any five features of nomadic herding in the world.

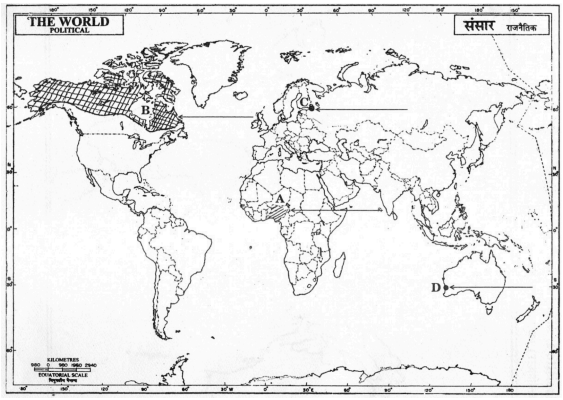
22. Explain the merits and demerits of road transport in the world.

23. Explain any five bases of international trade in the world.

24. Classify the human settlements of the world into two types, by their shape. Explain any two features of each type.

25. "Air transport plays an important role in the international trade." Support the statement.

26.1.



In the given political outline map of the World, the following four features are shown :

A. The country having the lowest rank in Human Development Index in 2003

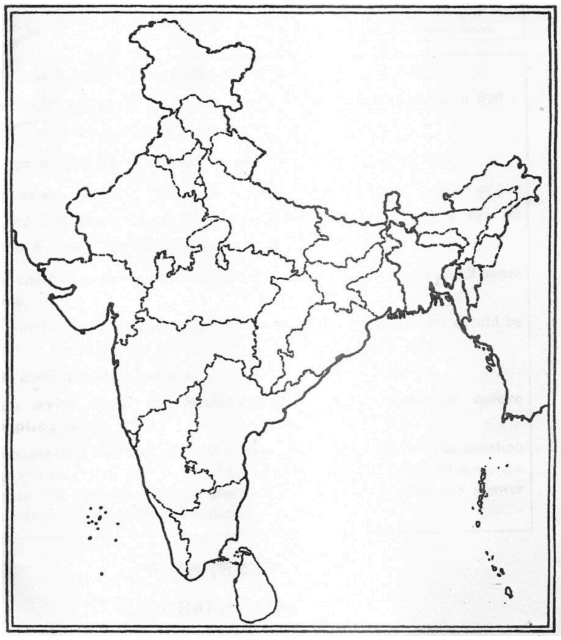
B. An area of subsistence gathering.

C. Terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway

D. A major sea-port of Australia

Identify these features and write their correct names on the lines marked near each feature.

26.2.



In the given political outline map of India, locate and label the following with appropriate symbols :

(i) The state having the largest area

(ii) The oil refinery located in Haryana

(iii) A metropolitan city of Kerala (2001)

26-VI. For visually impaired candidates only, in lieu of the corresponding visual question:

(26.1) Name the country having the lowest rank in Human Development Index in 2003.

(26.2) Which is the eastern terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway ?

(26.3) Name the state of India having the largest area.

(26.4) Name the place where an oil refinery is located in Haryana.

(26.5) Which is the metropolitan city of Kerala (2001) ?

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