



General Instructions

- (i) The test is of 1 hour duration.
- (ii) The question paper consists of 50 questions. The maximum marks are 250.
- (iii) 5 marks are awarded for every correct answer, and 1 mark is deducted for every wrong answer.

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LIST-I	LIST-II
A. Alkaline Earth metals	I. s-block
B. Transition Elements	II. p-block
C. Transuranic Elements	III. d-block
D. Metalloid	IV. f-block

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (A) A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV
- (B) A-I, B-III, C-IV, D-II
- (C) A-I, B-III, C-II, D-IV
- (D) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV

2. Which of the following is the correct chronological sequence of the 'Evolution of Geography'?

- 1. Spatial Organisation
- 2. Emergence of Humanistic, Radical and Behavioural schools
- 3. Regional Analysis

4. Post-modernism in Geography

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (A) 3, 1, 2, 4
 - (B) 1, 3, 2, 4
 - (C) 3, 2, 1, 4
 - (D) 2, 3, 1, 4
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3. Given below are two statements: one is labelled as Statement I and the other is labelled as Statement II.

Statement I: The Demographic Transition Theory helps us predict the future population of any area.

Statement II: In the first stage, fertility is high but mortality is low due to medical advancements.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (A) Both Statements are correct.
 - (B) Statement I is correct, Statement II is incorrect.
 - (C) Statement I is incorrect, Statement II is correct.
 - (D) Both Statements are incorrect.
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4. Arrange the following continents in descending order of their population growth rate (2010–15):

1. Asia
2. Africa
3. Latin America
4. Europe

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (A) 2, 3, 1, 4
- (B) 2, 1, 3, 4
- (C) 1, 2, 3, 4
- (D) 3, 2, 1, 4

5. Which pair is NOT correctly matched regarding the components of population change?

- (A) Crude Birth Rate (CBR): $\frac{Bi}{P} \times 1000$
(B) Crude Death Rate (CDR): $\frac{D}{P} \times 1000$
(C) Growth Rate: (Births – Deaths) + (In-migration – Out-migration)
(D) Natural Growth: Births + Deaths
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6. Consider the following statements about the Human Development Index (HDI):

- 1. It was created by Dr. Mahbub-ul-Haq and Prof. Amartya Sen.**
- 2. The index ranges from 0 to 100.**
- 3. Access to resources is measured by purchasing power in US dollars.**

Which is/are correct?

- (A) 1 and 2
(B) 1 and 3
(C) 2 and 3
(D) All of the above
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7. Identify the type of farming based on these characteristics:

- **Large estates owned by Europeans in colonies.**
- **Focus on a single crop (Monoculture).**
- **High capital investment and scientific methods.**

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (A) Intensive Subsistence
(B) Mediterranean Agriculture
(C) Plantation Agriculture
(D) Extensive Commercial Grain Farming
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8. Arrange the following primary activities from 'Most Ancient' to 'Modern':

- 1. Commercial Livestock Rearing**

2. Nomadic Herding

3. Gathering

4. Market Gardening

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

(A) 3, 2, 1, 4

(B) 3, 1, 2, 4

(C) 2, 3, 1, 4

(D) 3, 2, 4, 1

9. Match the following 'Shifting Cultivation' names with their regions:

Name	Region
A. Milpa	1. Northeast India
B. Jhumming	2. Central America/Mexico
C. Ladang	3. Vietnam
D. Ray	4. Indonesia/Malaysia

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

(A) A-2, B-1, C-4, D-3

(B) A-1, B-2, C-3, D-4

(C) A-2, B-1, C-3, D-4

(D) A-4, B-3, C-2, D-1

10. Statement I: Mediterranean agriculture is highly specialized commercial agriculture.

Statement II: Viticulture (grape cultivation) is a specialty of the Mediterranean region.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

(A) Statement I is the cause of Statement II.

(B) Both statements are correct and II explains I.

(C) Both statements are correct but II does not explain I.

(D) Statement II is incorrect.

