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WATER RESOURCES AND AGRICULTURE

Elementary Questions

1. India receives nearly four per cent of the global precipitation and ranks ____ in the world

in terms of water availability per person per annum.

A. 200

B. 500

C. 133

D. 250

Answer: C



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2. In the 14th century, the tank in Hauz Khas, Delhi was constructed by which ruler for supplying of water to Siri Fort area?

A. Qutabuddin Aibak

B. Razia Sultan

C. Allauddin Khilji

D. Iltutmish

Answer: D



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3. In the first century B.C., Srīngaverapura near Allahabad had a sophisticated water harvesting system channelling the flood water of the river

A. Gandak

B. Kosi

C. Satluj

D. Ganga

Answer: D



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4. The Hirakud project in the basin integrates conservation of water with flood control.

A. Mahanadi

B. Kosi

C. Son

D. Luni

Answer: A



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5. Jawahar Lal Nehru proudly proclaimed the dams as

- A. Pillars of modern India
- B. Temples of modern India
- C. Tubewells of modern India
- D. Symbols of modern India

Answer: B



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6. Roof top rain water harvesting is the most common practice in

A. Indore, Madhya Pradesh

B. Allahabad, Uttar Pradesh

C. Kokrajhar, Assam

D. Shillong, Meghalaya

Answer: D



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7. Which state is the first and the only one in India to have made roof top rainwater harvesting structure compulsory to all the houses across the state.

- A. Tamil Nadu
- B. West Bengal
- C. Orissa
- D. Chhattisgarh

Answer: A



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8. Plantation is also a type of

- A. Big farming
- B. Household farming
- C. Group farming
- D. Commercial farming

Answer: D



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9. Bhoodan-Gramdan movement initiated by Vinobha Bhave is also known as the

- A. Peaceful Revolution
- B. Silent Revolution
- C. Blood-less Revolution
- D. Violent Revolution

Answer: C



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10. Which one of the following describes a system of agriculture where a single crop is grown on a large area?

- A. Shifting Agriculture
- B. Plantation Agriculture
- C. Horticulture
- D. Intensive Agriculture

Answer: B



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11. Which one of the following is a rabi crop?

A. Rice

B. Gram

C. Millets

D. Cotton

Answer: B



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12. Which one of the following is a leguminous crop?

A. Pulses

B. Jawar

C. Millets

D. Sesamum

Answer: A



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13. Which one of the following is announced by the government in support of a crop?

A. Maximum support price

B. Minimum support price

C. Moderate support price

D. Influential support price

Answer: B



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14. _____ crop requires high temperature, light rainfall or irrigation and bright sunshine for its growth.

A. Cotton

B. Apple

C. Almond

D. Jute

Answer: A



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15. India ranks among the world's natural rubber producers.

A. First

B. Second

C. Fifth

D. Fourth

Answer: C



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16. Which of the following is the third most important food crop with respect to area and production?

A. Jowar

B. Gowar

C. Wheat

D. Rice

Answer: A



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17. Which of the following is the largest producer of bajra followed by Uttar Pradesh, Maharashtra, Gujarat and Haryana?

A. Bihar

B. Madhya Pradesh

C. Rajasthan

D. Karnataka

Answer: C



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18. Which of the following is the largest producer of ragi followed by Tamil Nadu?

A. Uttar Pradesh

B. Karnataka

C. Madhya Pradesh

D. Maharashtra

Answer: B



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19. Which of the following states is the largest producer of groundnut?

A. Karnataka

B. Kerala

C. Andhra Pradesh

D. Maharashtra

Answer: C



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20. Tea is an important beverage crop introduced in India initially by the

A. Portuguese

B. French

C. British

D. German

Answer: C



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21. India is the second largest producer of sugarcane only after

A. Brazil

B. Cuba

C. Australia

D. China

Answer: A



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22. _____ is the leading producer as well as exporter of tea in the world.

A. Nepal

B. China

C. Russia

D. India

Answer: D



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23. The Arabica, a variety of coffee is initially brought from is produced now in India.

A. France

B. Greece

C. Portugal

D. Yemen

Answer: D



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24. Which of the following countries is the largest producer of fruits and vegetables in the world?

A. UK

B. India

C. Italy

D. USA

Answer: B



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25. India produces about what per cent of the world's vegetables?

A. 25

B. 10

C. 31

D. 13

Answer: D



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26. What is the full form of KCC, a scheme introduced by the Government of India for the benefit of the farmers?

- A. Kissan Capital Card
- B. Kissan Credit Card
- C. Krishak Credit Cart
- D. Krishak Capital Card

Answer: B



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27. What is the full form of PAIS?

- A. Professional Accident Insurance Scheme
- B. Personal Application Insurance Scheme
- C. Personal Accident Insurance Scheme
- D. Personal Accident Insurance Subject

Answer: C



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Higher Order Thinking Questions

1. Match the fresh water lakes on the map of India (I, II, III, IV) with their respective names.



- A. Bhimtal
- B. Loktak
- C. Barapani
- D. Dal lake

A. A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV

B. A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I

C. A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV

D. A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II

Answer: C



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2. On which river is Koyna Dam built?

A. River Krishna

B. River Kaveri

C. River Bhadra

D. None of these

Answer: A



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3. What is the major source of fresh water in India?

A. Lakes

B. Pokhars

C. Ground Water

D. None of these

Answer: C



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4. On which river Bhakra Nangal Dam has been constructed?

A. River Satluj

B. River Beas

C. River Chenab

D. None of these

Answer: A



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5. Name the largest artificial lake that was built in the 11th century.

A. Salal Lake

B. Bhopal Lake

C. Tukmur Lake

D. None of these

Answer: B



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6. Which multipurpose project is situated in Punjab?

A. Pulkit Dam

B. Ramtek Dam

C. Bhakra Nangal Dam

D. None of these

Answer: C



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7. What is the main cause of water scarcity?

A. Water uses in hydro electric plants

B. Growing population and less rainfall

C. Water uses in automobile industry

D. None of these

Answer: B



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8. On which river, Salal project is situated?

A. River Sutlej

B. River Chenab

C. River Beas

D. None of these

Answer: B



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9. Rain water harvesting structures are built in Rajasthan are called

A. Khadians and Johads

B. Gaddhas and Johads

C. Khadians and Gaddhas

D. None of these

Answer: A



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10. Name the King (Sultan) who built Hauz Khash in Delhi.

A. Shahjahan in 16th century,

B. Balban in 15th century.

C. Sultan Iltutmish in 14th century.

D. None of these

Answer: C



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11. The first & the only state in India which has made Roof top rain water harvesting structures compulsory to all across the state is

A. Haryana

B. Tamil Nadu

C. Tripura

D. None of these

Answer: B



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12. Write the names of cash crops.

A. Cotton, Jute, Sugarcane

B. Pulses, Rice, Jute

C. Rice, Sugarcane, Pulses

D. None of these

Answer: A



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13. Which of the following methods are used to restrict soil erosion?

A. Ploughing along contour lines

B. Strip cropping

C. Jhumming

D. Mixed farming

A. A and B

B. A and C

C. B and D

D. B and C

Answer: A



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14. Write the name of Agro-based industries:

A. Cotton textile Industry, Jute Industry,

Sugar Industry

B. Hardware Industry, Drinking Water

Industry, Food Industry

C. Banking Industry, Food Industry, Sugar

Industry

D. None of these

Answer: A



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15. It's a type of agriculture where farmers clear a patch of land and produce food crops to sustain their family

- A. Regular farming
- B. Slash and burn farming
- C. Clear farming
- D. None of these

Answer: B



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16. Agriculture, where a single crop is grown on large area

- A. Fodder products
- B. Green plants
- C. Plantation agriculture
- D. None of these

Answer: C



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17. Palar Pani means

- A. Lots of drinking water
- B. Rain water harvesting
- C. Fresh water
- D. None of these

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18. India is the larger producer as well as the consumer of the world of

A. Corn

B. Pulses

C. Rice

D. None of these

Answer: B



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19. Name the two beverage crops produced in India.

A. Tea and Grapes

B. Tea and Coffee

C. Corn and Rice

D. None of these

Answer: B



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20. What is the other name of operation flood?

A. Cream revolution

B. Blue revolution

C. White revolution

D. None of these

Answer: C



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