



GEOGRAPHY

BOOKS - FULL MARKS GEOGRAPHY (HINGLISH)

THE WORLD POPULATION DISTRIBUTION, DENSITY AND GROWTH

Ncert Textbook Questions Solved

1. Which one of the following continents has the highest growth of population?

A. Africa

B. South America

C. Asia

D. North America

Answer: A



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

A. 1. The Atacama

B. 2. Equatorial region

C. 3. South-east Asia

D. 4. Polar regions

Answer: C



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3. Which one of the following is not a push factor?

A. Water shortage

B. Medical/educational facilities

C. Unemployment

D. Epidemics

Answer: B



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4. Which one of the following is not a fact?

(a) Human population increased more than ten times during the past 500 years.

(b) It took 100 years for the population to rise from 5 billion to 6 billion

(c) Population growth is high in the first stage of demographic transition.



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5. Name three geographical factors that influence the distribution of population:



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6. There are a number of areas of high population density in the world. Why does this happen?



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7. What are the three components of population change?



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8. what is Birth rate and Death rate ?



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9. Push factors and pull factors of migration:



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10. Discuss the factors influencing the distribution and density of population in the world.



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11. Discuss the three stages of demographic transition.



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12. Map Skill On an outline map of the world name the following:

(a) Countries of Europe and Asia with negative growth rate of population.

(b) African countries with growth rate of population more than three per cent.



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Additional Question Solved | Very Short Answer Type Questions

1. What was world's population at the beginning of the 21st century?



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2. What did George B Cressey say about Asia's population distribution?



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3. 60% of world's population is contributed by how many countries? How many of them are in Asia?



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4. What is population density?



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5. Which areas in the world have > 200 persons per sq. km?



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6. Name two areas with < 1 person/sq. km.



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7. Name two countries with medium density of population.



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8. Why do people migrate?



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9. 1. What was the population of the world around 8000 - 12000 years back?



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10. How long did the world take to increase its population from 5 billion to 6 billion?



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11. What is population doubling time?



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12. Which country has the highest and lowest growth rate of population respectively?



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13. What is the correlation between population growth and economic development?



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14. Which is the most serious problem of population growth?



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15. What is the world's and India's doubling time of population?



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16. Name a country each from the different stages of demographic transition.



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17. What is meant by family planning?



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18. What do you mean by the term “population distribution?”



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19. 1. Mention the names of areas where density of population is very low.



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20. What is the impact of migration?



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Additional Question Solved li Short Answer Type Questions

1. What is population growth? What does population change indicate for an area?



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2. What are the components of population change?



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3. Distinguish between place of origin and place of destination.



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4. How did science and technology help in population growth?



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5. What are the impacts of population change?



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6. What was Thomas Malthus's theory?



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7. 1. Which areas of the world have high density of population?



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Additional Question Solved Iii Long Answer Type Questions

1. Write a note on the factors that influence the distribution of population in the world.



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2. What is the trend in growth of population over the years in the world?



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3. What is population change? What is the Spatial Rate of population change?



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4. What is Demographic Transition? Explain the stages of demographic transition theory with examples.



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5. What are the repercussions of population increase? What are the population control measures?



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Additional Question Solved Iv Higher Order Thinking Skills Hots

1. Why is there great variation among various regions in doubling their population?



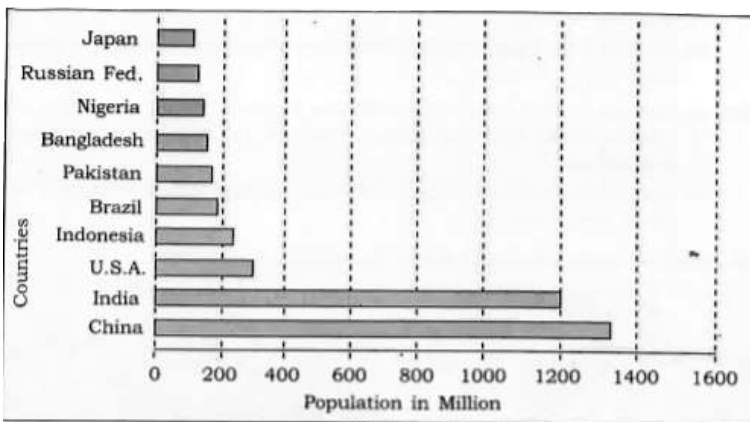
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2. What are the positive impacts of population change?



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Additional Question Solved V Data Based Question



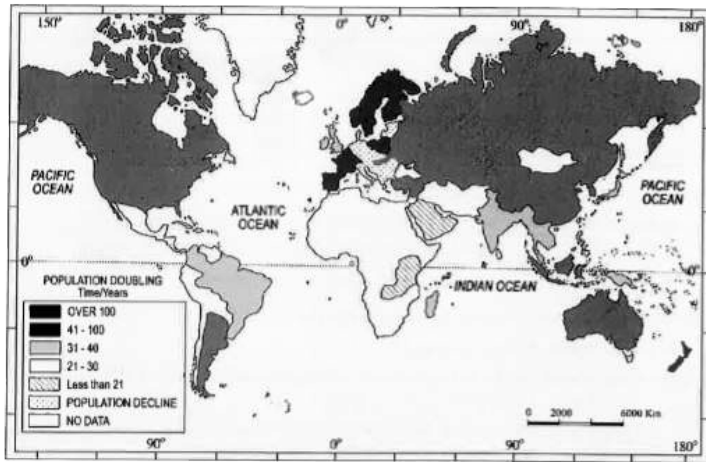
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From the above diagram identify the Asian, South American and North American countries respectively.



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Additional Question Solved Vi Map Based Questions



1.

Study the given map and answer the following questions: <

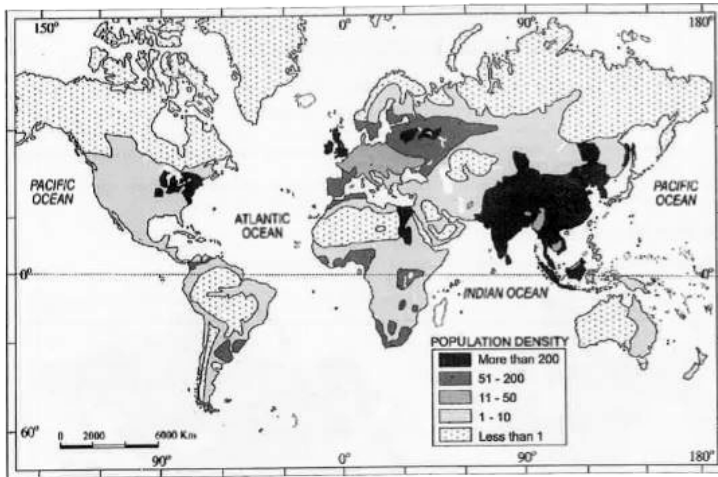
(i) Name the nations that take a very long time to double their population ? Why?

(ii) Which are the nations taking about 31 to 40 years to double their population ? Why ?



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2. Study the given map and answer the following questions:



(i) Name the nations having high density of population in Asia.

(ii) Name the nations having less than one person of population density.

(iii) Give appropriate reasons for the above two questions.



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Previous Years Board Questions Solved | Very Short Answer Type Questions

1. How is the actual growth of population calculated?



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2. Which continent has the highest growth rate of population?



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3. Which parts of U.S.A and Europe have density more than 200 persons per sq. km?



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4. Define the term 'positive growth of population



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5. Mention any two sparsely populated regions of the world with less than 1 person per sq. km.



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6. Name the most densely populated region of North America.



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7. How is density of population of a region calculated?



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8. Why do people migrate in large number from rural to urban areas in India?



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Previous Years Board Questions Solved | Short Answer Type Questions

1. "People prefer to live in certain regions of the world and not in others." Support the statement with suitable arguments.



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2. Describe in brief the different trends of population growth in the world from early period to the present day.



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3. Explain any three features of increasing trends of population growth' in the world.



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4. Explain with examples three economic factors influencing the population distribution in the world.



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5. Explain with examples, how the 'Availability of Water' and 'Landforms' influence the distribution of population in the world.



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6. Describe any three characteristics of last stage of Demographic Transition Theory.



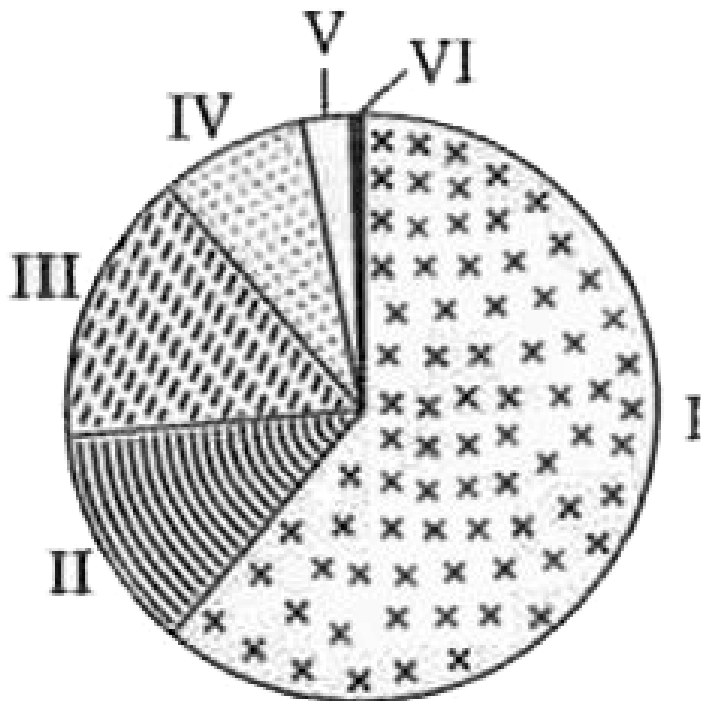
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7. Study the diagram and answer the questions that follow:

(a) Which class of towns/cities support urban population

(b) Explain any two reasons for such a high concentration of population in this class of

towns/cities.



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Previous Years Board Questions Solved Iii Long Answer Type Questions

1. What is the meaning of Density of population? Explain with examples four geographical factors influencing the distribution of population in the world.



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2. What is the meaning of Density of population? Explain with examples four geographical factors influencing the distribution of population in the world.



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3. Describe any three characteristics of the first stage of Demographic Transition Theory



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4. Explain the three components of population change in the world. Analyse the impacts of population change.



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5. Explain three economic and two social and cultural factors influencing the distribution of population of world



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6. . Explain the trends in population growth of the world with special reference to the help of science and technology.



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7. Explain any three 'push' and any two pull' factors that influence the migration of population in the world.



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8. What is demographic cycle? Describe three stages of demographic transition theory



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9. When does positive population growth takes place? Explain the geographical factors that influences the distribution of population in the world.



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10. How is the mortality rate of a region affected? Explain any four push factors responsible for emigration.



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11. “90 percent of the world population lives in about 10 percent of its total land area, whereas remaining 10 percent population resides in the 90 percent of its land area.” Support the statement with suitable examples.



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Worksheet

1. An area with high density of population because of fertile alluvial soil.



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2. An area having very low density of population due to severe freezing temperature.



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3. An area having high density of population due to industrial migration.



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4. A nation being severely affected by HIV/AIDS.



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5. Areas of medium density of population are scattered'. Comment on this statement with examples.



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6. What is the main difference between actual and natural growth rates? Name the areas of low density of population in the world. Give reasons for each.



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7. What do you mean by positive' or 'negative changes in population?



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8. How are crude birth rate and crude death rate calculated?



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9. Explain different determinants of mortality.



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10. Give the determinants of population change?



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11. Discuss physical and human factors with at least four sub-headings to justify the

distribution of world population.



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12. What is meant by density of population?
How is it calculated ? What are its different types? What is the density of population of India according to 2001 census?



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13. What do mean by demographic cycle? From the point of view of demographic transition divide the world into different categories and explain.



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14. Why do people prefer to live in certain regions and not in others? Explain with example.



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15. Explain the factors affecting population density with respective examples.



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