

CUET UG 2023 Geography Question Paper PDF (Jun 17, 2023) (Shift 1)

1. The study of inter-relationship between physical environment and socio-cultural environment is
 - (a) Social geography
 - (b) Physical geography
 - (c) Cultural geography
 - (d) Human geography
2. Which of the following animal is used for transport in snow covered Siberian region ?
 - (a) Horses
 - (b) Reindeer
 - (c) Mules
 - (d) Camels
3. Match List - I with List - II.

List - I
(Activity)

- (A) Primary
- (B) Secondary
- (C) Tertiary
- (D) Quaternary

List - II
(Examples)

- (I) Mining and Quarrying
- (II) Research and Development
- (III) Trade
- (IV) Processing and Construction

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) (A)-(II), (B)-(II), (C)-(III), (D)-(IV)
 - (b) (A)-(I), (B)-(IV), (C)-(III), (D)-(II)
 - (c) (A)-(I), (B)-(III), (C)-(II), (D)-(IV)
 - (d) (A)-(II), (B)-(I), (C)-(IV), (D)-(III)
4. Good quality long-distance roads are known by 'autobahns' in
 - (a) Russia
 - (b) Germany
 - (c) Sweden
 - (d) Belgium
 5. _____ of rural settlements develops on the cross-roads.
 - (a) Star like pattern
 - (b) Double village pattern
 - (c) Cruciform pattern
 - (d) Circular pattern
 6. Read the following statements about urban agglomeration carefully.
 - (A) A town and its adjoining urban outgrowths.
 - (B) Two or more contiguous towns with or without their outgrowths.
 - (C) A city and one or more adjoining towns with their outgrowths together forming a contiguous spread.
 - (D) All towns with population more than one lakh are urban agglomeration.
 - (a) (A), (B), (D) Only
 - (b) (A), (C), (D) Only
 - (c) (A), (B), (C), Only
 - (d) (B), (C), (D), Only
 7. The highest rail density in the world is found in
 - (a) Belgium
 - (b) England
 - (c) Germany
 - (d) France.

8. Narma' is a variety of _____ crop.
 - (a) Wheat
 - (b) Rice
 - (c) Jute
 - (d) Cotton
9. Read the followings about tertiary activities carefully.
 - (A) Trade
 - (B) Transport
 - (C) Communication
 - (D) Mining

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

 - (a) (A), (B), (C) Only
 - (b) (A), (B), (D) Only
 - (c) (A), (C), (D), Only
 - (d) (B), (C), (D), Only
10. _____ is NOT an example of administrative city.
 - (a) Canberra
 - (b) Addis Ababa
 - (c) Washington DC.
 - (d) Kansas City
11. After Ganga river basin which river basin has the highest total replenishable ground water resources in India ?
 - (a) Mahanadi
 - (b) Indus
 - (c) Godavari
 - (d) Brahmaputra
12. Which of the following is NOT the characteristic of minerals?
 - (a) There is inverse relationship in quality and quantity of minerals.
 - (b) Minerals are evenly distributed over space.
 - (c) All minerals are exhaustible over time.
 - (d) They cannot be replenished immediately.
13. Arrange the following iron and steel plants on the basis of their set up in chronological order.
 - (A) Bhilai
 - (B) Salem
 - (C) Jamshedpur
 - (D) Bokaro

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

 - (a) (A), (C), (D), (B)
 - (b) (A), (C), (B), (D)
 - (c) (C), (A), (D), (B)
 - (d) (C), (A), (B), (D)
14. Match List - I with List - II.

List - I
(Industrial Region)

- (A) Mumbai - Pune
- (B) Bengaluru - Chennai
- (C) Hugli
- (D) Vishakapatnam - Guntur

List - II
(Most Important Industry)

- (I) Jute
- (II) Ship-building
- (III) Cotton - textile
- (IV) Aircraft

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) (A)-(III), (B)-(IV), (C)-(II), (D)-(I)
 (b) (A)-(III), (B)-(II), (C)-(I), (D)-(IV)
 (c) (A)-(III), (B)-(I), (C)-(II), (D)-(IV)
 (d) (A)-(III), (B)-(IV), (C)-(I), (D)-(II)
15. Smoky fog over cities caused by atmospheric pollution is known as
 (a) Smog (b) Acid Rain
 (c) Aurora (d) Dew
16. Mixed Farming is practiced in _____
 (a) North Western Europe (b) Eastern Africa
 (c) Amazon Basin (d) South East Asia
17. Read the following characteristics about the second phase of population growth in India carefully.
 (A) The second phase of population growth correspond to 1921 - 1951
 (B) In this period population growth is steady
 (C) It is associated with high birth and high death rate
 (D) An overall improvement in health and sanitation throughout the country brought down the mortality rate

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) (A),(B),(C) Only (b) (A),(B)-(13) Only
 (c) (A), (O), (D) Only (d) (B),(C),(D) Only
18. Match List - I with List - II.

List - I

(Major Railway Routes of World)

(A) Trans-Siberian Railways

(B) Trans-Canadian Railways

(C) The Australian Trans-Continental Railways

(D) The Union and Pacific Railways

List - II

(Terminal Stations)

(I) New York to San Francisco

(II) Perth to Sydney

(III) St. Petersburg to Vladivostok

(IV) Halifax to Vancouver

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) (A)-(III), (B)-(IV), (C)-(II), (D)-(I)
 (b) (A)-(III), (B)-(II), (C)-(IV), (D)-(I)
 (c) (A)-(II), (B)-(III), (C)-(I), (D)-(IV)
 (d) (A)-(I), (B)-(III), (C)-(II), (D)-(IV)
19. Arrange the following roads in descending order of importance and quality.

- (A) District Roads
 (B) State Highways
 (C) Rural Roads
 (D) Golden Quadrilateral

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) (D), (B), (A), (C)
 (b) (D), (B), (C), (A)
 (c) (B), (D), (C), (A)
 (d) (B), (D), (A), (C)

20. "Human geography is the study of the changing relationship between the unresting man and unstable earth is proposed by —

- (a) Ratzel (b) Vidal de la Blache
 (c) Ellen C. Semple (d) Ritchthofen

21. The physical extent of land on which crops are sown and harvested is known as

- (a) Gross sown area and current fallow
 (b) Net sown area
 (c) Gross sown area and permanent pastures
 (d) Net sown area and current fallow

22. Read the following statements about the characteristic features of foot loose industries.

- (A) They are not dependent on any specific raw material.
 (B) They produce in small quantity and also employ a small labour force.
 (C) They can be located in a wide variety of places.
 (D) They are the base of all other industries and therefore are called basic industry.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) (A), (B), (C) Only (b) (A), (B), (D) Only
 (c) (B), (C), (D) Only (d) (A), (B), (D) Only

23. Arrange the following districts of Rajasthan along Indira Gandhi Canal from north to south.

- (A) Jaisalmer
 (B) Ganganagar
 (C) Bikaner
 (D) Barmer

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) (C), (B), (D), (A) (b) (C), (B), (A), (D)
 (c) (B), (C), (D), (A) (d) (B), (C), (A), (D)

24. Russians prefer railways as a better means of transport than roads. Its reason is

- (a) The roads are always covered with ice and snow.
 (b) Russia has vast geographical area with relatively less population.
 (c) Whole of Russia is highly industrialized.
 (d) It doesn't have good roads

25. Humanistic school of thought in human geography is NOT concerned with

- (a) Housing
 (b) Education
 (c) Health
 (d) Perception of space

26. Which one of the following city is NOT contributing in Gangariver water pollution ?

- (a) Patna (b) Bhopal
 (c) Varanasi (d) Kanpur

27. Which one of the following is the third most populous country in the world ?

- (a) China (b) U.S.A.
 (c) Australia (d) India

28. Arrange the following countries in descending order of their population.

- (A) Brazil
(B) United States of America
(C) Nigeria
(D) Indonesia

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) (B), (D), (A), (C) (b) (B), (D), (C), (A)
(c) (D), (B), (C), (A) (d) (D), (B), (A), (C)

29. The term conurbation was coined by

- (a) Patrick Geddes (b) Jean Gottaman
(c) Lewis Mumford (d) W. Christaller

30. Match List - I with List - II.

List - I
(Principal Crop)

- (A) Wheat
(B) Rice

(C) Tea

(D) Grape

List - II
(Agriculture Type)

- (I) Mediterranean agriculture
(II) Intensive subsistence agriculture
(III) Extensive commercial grain cultivation
(IV) Plantation agriculture

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) (A)-(III), (B)-(II), (C)-(IV), (D)-(I)
(b) (A)-(III), (B)-(II), (C)-(II), (D)-(IV)
(c) (A)-(II), (B)-(III), (C)-(I), (D)-(IV)
(d) (A)-(II), (B)-(III), (C)-(IV), (D)-(I)

31. Which of the following religious community in India has the lowest population percentage?

- (a) Buddhists (b) Jains
(c) Christians (d) Sikhs

32. Which one of the following follows the single crop cultivation?

- (a) Mixed farming
(b) Plantation agriculture
(c) Mediterranean agriculture
(d) Intensive subsistence agriculture

33. Which of the following duration is known as period of steady population growth in India?

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

34. Match List - I with List - II.

List - I
(Waterways)

- (A) National water way 1 (I) Kottanpuram - Kollam
(B) National water way 2 (II) Allahabad - Haldia
(C) National water way 3 (III) Sadiya - Dhubri
(D) National water way 4 (IV) Godavari - Krishna along with Kaldnada and Puducherry Canals

List - II
(Stretch)

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) (A)-(III), (B)-(I), (C)-(IV), (D)-(II)
(b) (A)-(II), (B)-(I), (C)-(III), (D)-(IV)
(c) (A)-(III), (B)-(IV), (C)-(I), (D)-(II)
(d) (A)-(II), (B)-(III), (C)-(I), (D)-(IV)

35. Arrange the following states in ascending order of population growth rate according to 2011 Census.

- (A) Meghalaya
(B) Tripura
(C) Mizoram
(D) Manipur

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) (B), (D), (A), (C) (b) (B), (D), (C), (A)
(c) (D), (B), (C), (A) (d) (D), (B), (A), (C)

36. The units Palli, Para, Dhani, etc. are part of _____.

- (a) Clustered settlement
(b) Hamleted settlement
(c) Semi-clustered settlement
(d) Dispersed settlement

37. _____ do NOT practice transhumance.

- (a) Gaddis (b) Bhotiyas
(c) Gujjars (d) Meenas

38. Which one of the following town in India developed after independence?

- (a) Chandigarh (b) Agra
(c) Chennai (d) Lucknow

39. Read the following points about pull factors of migration carefully.

- (A) Poor basic infrastructure
(B) Better job opportunities
(C) Better health facilities
(D) Good sources of entertainment

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) (B), (C), (D) Only (b) (A), (B), (C) Only
(c) (A), (B), (D) Only (d) (A), (C), (D) Only

40. Which of the following manganese mine is located in Madhya Pradesh?

- (a) Balaghat (b) Sundergarh
(c) Shivamogga (d) Nagpur

41. Read the given passage carefully and answer the following question:

Just as any building is supported by pillars, the idea of human development is supported by the concepts of equity, sustainability, productivity and empowerment.

Equity refers to making equal access to opportunities available to everybody. The opportunities available to people must be equal irrespective of their gender, race, income and in the Indian case, caste. Yet this is very often not the case and happens in almost every society.

Sustainability means continuity in the availability of opportunities. To have sustainable human development, each generation must have the same opportunities. All environmental, financial and human resources must be

used keeping in mind the future. Misuse of any of these resources will lead to fewer opportunities for future generations.

Productivity here means human labour productivity or productivity in terms of human work. Such productivity must be constantly enriched by building capabilities in people. Ultimately, it is people who are the real wealth of nations. Therefore, efforts to increase their knowledge, or provide better health facilities ultimately leads to better work efficiency.

Empowerment means to have the power to make choices. Such power comes from increasing freedom and capability. Good governance and people-oriented policies are required to empower people. The empowerment of socially and economically disadvantaged groups is of special importance.

Which of the following is NOT an approach of Human development?

- (a) Income approach
 - (b) Basic Needs approach
 - (c) Industrialisation approach
 - (d) Welfare approach
42. Idea of human development is not directly supported by
- (a) Technology
 - (b) Sustainability
 - (c) Empowerment
 - (d) Equity
43. With reference to human development, equity is best applicable to
- (a) Equal access to opportunities
 - (b) Parity between male and female
 - (c) Equal access to education
 - (d) Equal economic status
44. With reference to human development productivity refers to
- (a) Increase in knowledge and better health facilities
 - (b) Increase in knowledge and better social status
 - (c) Better health facilities and good infrastructures
 - (d) Better health facilities and good job opportunities
45. With reference to human development, empowerment means
- (a) Power to do anything which is good for society
 - (b) Power to develop human labour force
 - (c) Power to provide the financial freedom
 - (d) Power to make choices

DIRECTIONS : Study the given Table carefully and answer the following question : Composition of India's Export, 1997-2011
(Percentage share in Exports)

Commodities	1997 -1998	2003-2004	2009 -2010	2010 - 2011
Agriculture and allied products.	18.93	11.8	10.0	9.9
Ore and Minerals	3.03	3.71	4.9	4.0
Manufactured goods.	75.83	75.96	67.4	68.0
Crude and petroleum products	1.01	5.59	16.2	16.8
Other commodities	1.2	2.94	1.5	1.2

Source: Economic Survey 2011-2012

46. Which of the following commodities exported by India registered continuous decline?
- (a) Agriculture and Allied Products
 - (b) Ore and Minerals
 - (c) Manufactured Goods
 - (d) Other Commodities
47. Which of the following commodities exported by India registered continuous increase?
- (a) Ore and Minerals
 - (b) Manufactured Goods
 - (c) Crude and Petroleum Products
 - (d) Other Commodities
48. During 1997-1998, which one shows the share of non-manufactured exports?
- (a) 21.17%
 - (b) 22.17%
 - (c) 23.17%
 - (d) 24.17%
49. The export of which of the following commodities shows the sharpest increase from 1997-1998 to 2009-2010 ?
- (a) Agriculture and Allied products
 - (b) Crude and Petroleum products
 - (c) Other Commodities
 - (d) Ore and Minerals
50. In comparison to 1997-1998, how many times the crude and petroleum products have increased in 2010-2011?
- (a) Approximately 14.63 times
 - (b) Approximately 15.63 times
 - (c) Approximately 16.63 times
 - (d) Approximately 17.63 times