

1. In which one of the following oceans Diamantine Trench situated?

- (a) Pacific Ocean (b) Atlantic Ocean
(c) Indian Ocean (d) Arctic Ocean

2. Which of the following constitutes highest coverage of Earth's surface?

- (a) Pacific ocean (b) Atlantic ocean
(c) Indian ocean
(d) All the continents clubbed together

3. The most important fishing grounds of the world are found in the regions where

- (a) warm and cold atmospheric currents meet
(b) rivers drain out large amounts of freshwater into the sea
(c) warm and cold oceanic currents meet
(d) continental shelf is undulating

4. Sargasso Sea is characterised by

- (a) very cold water
(b) very warm water
(c) highly saline water
(d) typical marine vegetation

5. Consider the following statements

1. Suez Canal is an important link between developed countries and developing countries.
2. It joins the Mediterranean Sea with the Gulf of Suez.
3. It is not a sea level canal.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 (b) 1 and 3
(c) 2 and 3 (d) Only 1

6. Which of the following straits is not in Asia?

- (a) Malacca strait (b) Bass strait
(c) Formosa strait (d) Molucca strait

7. Which waterway separates India from Sri Lanka?

- (a) Eight Degree Channel
(b) Palk Strait
(c) Ten Degree Channel
(d) Andaman Sea

8. Falkland Island is recently the bone of contention between South America and Britishers. This Island is located in

- (a) North Atlantic Ocean
(b) South Atlantic Ocean
(c) South Indian Ocean
(d) North Pacific Ocean

9. The Palk Strait lies between

- (a) Bay of Bengal and Palk Bay
(b) Andaman and Nicobar Islands
(c) Rann of Kutchchh and Gulf of Khambhat
(d) Lakshadweep and Maldives

10. Bermuda Triangle extends upto which of the following places?

1. Southern Florida
2. Puerto Rico
3. Hawaii Islands

Select the correct answer using the codes given below

- (a) 1, 2 and 3 (b) 1 and 2
(c) 2 and 3 (d) 1 and 3

11. Which one of the following countries does not border with the Mediterranean Sea?

- (a) Algeria (b) Mauritania
(c) Morocco (d) Tunisia

12. Assertion (A) Pollutants pour into the Mediterranean Sea from urban-industrial districts in Europe, Africa and South-West Asia.

Reason (R) The Mediterranean, almost totally enclosed by land, cannot cleanse itself by flushing wastes into the ocean.

Codes

- (a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
(b) Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A
(c) A is true, but R is false
(d) A is false, but R is true

13. Which one of the following does not border Panama?

- (a) Costa Rica (b) Pacific Ocean
(c) Colombia (d) Venezuela

14. Tsugaru strait is in between

- (a) Hokkaido and Honshu
(b) Kyushu and Ryukyus
(c) Honshu and Shikoku
(d) Kyushu and Shikoku

15. Sunda Trench lies in

- (a) Atlantic Ocean (b) Pacific Ocean
(c) Indian Ocean
(d) Antarctic Ocean

16. Match the following

List I (Island)	List II (Country)
A. Corsica	1. Italy
B. Sardinia	2. Greece
C. Crete	3. France
D. Balearic Island	4. Spain

Codes

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| A B C D | A B C D |
| (a) 3 1 2 4 | (b) 3 2 1 4 |
| (c) 3 4 1 2 | (d) 3 2 4 1 |

17. Where are the Balearic Islands located?

- (a) Mediterranean Sea
(b) Black Sea
(c) Baltic Sea (d) North Sea

18. The Great Barrier Reef is located in which country?

- (a) Chile (b) Australia
(c) USA
(d) Indonesia

19. The island of Honshu is located in which one of the following countries?

- (a) Indonesia
(b) Malaysia

- (c) Japan
(d) South Korea

20. Which continent of the world does not have desert?

- (a) Australia (b) Europe
(c) Asia (d) North America

21. In which one of the following regions are the Andes mountains located?

- (a) East Europe (b) West Europe
(c) South Africa (d) South America

22. What is the name of the strait where 'Adams bridge' is situated?

- (a) Bering Strait (b) Cook Strait
(c) Palk Strait (d) Taiwan Strait

23. Name the continents that form a mirror image of each other.

- (a) North America and South America
(b) Asia and Africa
(c) Africa and South America
(d) Europe and Asia

24. Which one among the following is the longest continuous mountain range in the world?

- (a) The Himalayas (b) The Andes
(c) The Rocky Mountains
(d) The Alps

25. Match the following

List I (Country)	List II (Capital)
A. Iraq	1. Lusaka
B. Zambia	2. Buenos Aires
C. Uganda	3. Baghdad
D. Argentina	4. Kampala

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| A B C D | A B C D |
| (a) 1 2 3 4 | (b) 4 3 2 1 |
| (c) 3 1 4 2 | (d) 2 1 3 4 |

26. Which of the following two countries are separated by the 49th parallel?

- (a) North Korea and South Korea
(b) South Africa and Zimbabwe
(c) USA and Canada
(d) France and Germany

27. Which one of the following trains/railways passes through Germany, France, Austria, Hungary and Romania?

- (a) Trans-Siberian (b) Cape-Cairo
(c) Orient Express
(d) Union and Central Pacific

28. Which one among the following rivers is the longest?

- (a) Amazon (b) Amur
(c) Congo (d) Lena

29. Which of the following volcanoes is called the lighthouse of the Mediterranean?

- (a) Vesuvius (b) Stromboli
(c) Etna (d) Vulcan

30. Match List I with List II

List I (Desert)	List II (Country)
A. Kalahari	1. Angola
B. Namib	2. Sudan
C. Nubian	3. Botswana
D. Atacama	4. Chile

Codes

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|-------------|-------------|
| A B C D | A B C D |
| (a) 1 2 3 4 | (b) 3 2 1 4 |
| (c) 1 3 2 4 | (d) 3 1 2 4 |

Answer Key

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| 11. (b) | 12. (c) | 13. (d) | 14. (a) | 15. (c) | 16. (a) | 17. (a) | 18. (b) | 19. (c) | 20. (b) |
| 21. (d) | 22. (c) | 23. (c) | 24. (b) | 25. (c) | 26. (c) | 27. (c) | 28. (a) | 29. (b) | 30. (d) |