

# Ocean, Lakes, Gulf of World

1. Tides in the sea are caused by
  - (a) Effects of the sun
  - (b) Effects of the moon
  - (c) Sun and the moon
  - (d) Gravitational centrifugal or centripetal forces
  
2. Which of the following oceans is between Africa and Australia?
  - (a) Indian Ocean
  - (b) South Atlantic Ocean
  - (c) Arctic Ocean
  - (d) South Pacific Ocean
  
3. The canal joining Baltic Sea to North Sea is
  - (a) Neil Canal
  - (b) Kiel Canal
  - (c) Suez Canal
  - (d) Panama Canal
  
4. Which of the following is the smallest ocean of the world?
  - (a) Indian
  - (b) Pacific
  - (c) Atlantic
  - (d) Arctic
  
5. Through which one of the following Straits, does a tunnel connect the United Kingdom and France?
  - (a) Denmark Strait
  - (b) Davis Strait
  - (c) Strait of Dover
  - (d) Strait of Gibraltar
  
6. Which one of the following countries is planning to construct a rival to the Panama Canal to link the Pacific and Atlantic Oceans?
  - (a) Colombia
  - (b) Costa Rica
  - (c) Guatemala
  - (d) Nicaragua
  
7. Sargasso Sea is a part of :
  - (a) North Atlantic ocean
  - (b) North Pacific Ocean
  - (c) North Sea
  - (d) South Atlantic Ocean

8. The Suez Canal connects -

- (a) Mediterranean and Red Seas
- (b) Baltic and Caspian Seas
- (c) Mediterranean and North Seas
- (d) Red Sea and Caspian Sea

9. The sea bed sloping gradually and bordering the continent is known as -

- (a) Coast
- (b) Continental Shelf
- (c) Continental slope
- (d) Continental Platform

10. The oceans cover \_\_\_\_\_ of the surface of the earth.

- (a) 60%
- (b) 50%
- (c) 71%
- (d) 80%

11. Bosphorus Strait links :

- (a) Black Sea and Adriatic Sea
- (b) Mediterranean and Adriatic Sea
- (c) Sea of Marmara and Black Sea
- (d) North Sea and Baltic Sea

12. Which of the following countries does not have a coastline with Arabian Sea?

- (a) Afghanistan
- (b) Pakistan
- (c) Oman
- (d) Iran

13. Suez Canal was nationalized in the year :

- (a) 1954
- (b) 1955
- (c) 1956
- (d) 1957

14. The land near which of the following is considered the lowest point on land on earth?

- (a) Caspian Sea
- (b) Dead Sea
- (c) Salton Sea
- (d) Black Sea

15. Which of the following is referred to as Pirates' Alley because of increased number of pirate activities in it?

- (a) Gulf of Aden
- (b) Gulf of Oman
- (c) Red Sea
- (d) Gulf of Khambat

16. Where is the deepest part of world's ocean located?

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

17. Which of the following oceans has the most coral reefs?

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

18. Which of the following oceans holds almost 50% of total water on the planet?

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

19. Which of the following oceans has the most trenches or deeps?

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

20. A shallow body of water protected from a larger body of water (usually the ocean) by sandbars, barrier islands, or coral reefs is called -

- (a) Gulf
- (b) Strait
- (c) Lagoon
- (d) Bay

21. The much-in-news Guantanamo Bay is located in which of the following countries?

- (a) Mexico
- (b) Cuba
- (c) Guatemala
- (d) Nicaragua

22. Which country has the longest coastline in the world?
- (a) Canada
  - (b) Russia
  - (c) U.S.A.
  - (d) Indonesia
23. Which is the largest gulf in the world?
- (a) Gulf of Thailand
  - (b) Gulf of Oman
  - (c) Gulf of Alaska
  - (d) Gulf of Mexico
24. The busiest ocean from the point of view of trade is
- (a) Indian Ocean
  - (b) Atlantic Ocean
  - (c) Pacific Ocean
  - (d) Arctic Ocean
25. The maximum depth of the Andaman Sea is:
- (a) 12,392 feet
  - (b) 11,900 feet
  - (c) 14,500 feet
  - (d) 15,190 feet
26. Caribbean is a large gulf of western Atlantic, which region is bordered by the Caribbean Sea?
- (a) North America
  - (b) South America
  - (c) Central and North America
  - (d) None of them
27. Identify the famous strait located in the Mediterranean Sea.
- (a) Sinai Strait
  - (b) Bab el-Mandeb Strait
  - (c) Strait of Hormuz
  - (d) Strait of Gibraltar
28. Gulf of Tonkin is situated near \_\_\_\_\_
- (A) Vietnam
  - (B) Thailand
  - (C) China
  - (D) None of these
29. Gulf of Siam is located in \_\_\_\_\_
- (A) Southern Thailand
  - (B) North Russia
  - (C) USA
  - (D) Northern UK

30. Persian Gulf is located in \_\_\_\_\_
- (A) Indian ocean
  - (B) Arabian sea
  - (C) Red sea
  - (D) None of these
31. Baffin Bay is located in \_\_\_\_\_
- (A) Greenland
  - (B) Northern Canada
  - (C) Southern Panama
  - (D) Eastern China
32. Bay of Biscay is situated between
- (A) Northern Morocco and Western France
  - (B) Northern Spain and western France
  - (C) Southern Italy
  - (D) None of these
33. Bay of Riga is present in \_\_\_\_\_
- (A) Red sea
  - (B) Northern Spain
  - (C) Baltic sea
  - (D) None of these
34. Hudson Bay is situated in \_\_\_\_\_
- (A) Northern China
  - (B) Northern USA
  - (C) Northern Canada
  - (D) None of these
35. Which is the largest gulf of the world?
- (A) Gulf of Mexico
  - (B) Gulf of Aden
  - (C) Gulf of Riga
  - (D) Gulf Sian
36. Which is the largest bay of the world?
- (A) Hudson bay
  - (B) Baffin bay
  - (C) Bay of Biscay
  - (D) None of these
37. Shark Bay is present in \_\_\_\_\_
- (A) Canada
  - (B) Western Australia
  - (C) Northern USA
  - (D) None of these

## **Answers key**

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