

# 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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