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1. Which of following is/ are known as city of Temples?
i. Varanasi ii. Jamshedpur
iii. Orissa iv. Tamil Nadu
A. Both i & ii B. Only iv
C. I, iii & iv D. Both i & iii
2. Which river forms the largest river basin?
A. Indus B. Ganga
C. Narmada D. Brahmaputra
3. The Sargasso sea is situated in the :
A. Atlantic Ocean B. Pacific Ocean
C. Indian Ocean D. Arctic Ocean
4. Which hill stations name means place of the thunderbolt?
A. Gangtok B. Shillong
C. Darjeeling D. Ootacamand
5. Ports of the Baltic Sea remain open for trade even in winter because
A. It lies in the tropical belt.
B. North Atlantic Drift, a warm ocean current flows in the region.
C. Local winds keep it warm.
D. Western disturbances cause abrupt rise in the temperature
6. The leading producer of aluminum in the world is
A. China B. Australia
C. U.S.A. D. Norway
7. Granite, quartzite areas have upstanding look because
A. these rocks are not easily eroded
B. these rocks are resistant to all kinds of erosion
C. not easily worn down
D. mechanically weathered faster
8. Plantation of trees on a large scale to check soil erosion are called:
A. Shelter belts B. Contour ploughing
C. Strip cropping D. Afforestation
9. Border roads are built solely with the purpose of maintaining
A. trade ties with neighbouring countries
B. tourism
C. security of the country
D. religious ties with other countries
10. India has several major dams almost in all states. Which of the following was/were the reasons for which these dams were built?
(A) Flood control and water supply
(B) Relocate the population
(C) Power generation
(D) Irrigation facilities
A. Only C and D B. Only A, C and D
C. Only B, C and D D. None of these
11. The method of soil conservation in which different crops are grown in alternate rows and are sown at different times to protect the soil from rain wash is called?
A. Mulching B. Intercropping
C. Rock dam D. Terrace farming
12. The oceanic crust mainly consists of silica and _____.
A. magnesium B. iron
C. manganese D. sulphur
13. How many Indian states share their boundaries with Nepal?
A. 3 B. 4
C. 8 D. 5
14. Sidereal time is time measured with respect to the apparent motion of the 'fixed' stars in the sky. How long is a Sideral day?
A. 23 hours 58 minutes
B. 23 hours 56 minutes
C. 24 hours 04 minutes
D. 24 hours 06 minutes
15. Where was India's first iron and steel plant set up?
A. Jharkhand and Bihar
B. West Bengal and Jharkhand
C. Orissa and West Bengal
D. Madhya Pradesh and Orissa
16. Amazon river flows through which of the following country?
A. USA B. France
C. Brazil D. Canada
17. What is the symbol of Delhi state ?
A. Nilgai
B. Butterfly fish
C. Indian palm squirrel
D. Indian grey mongoose





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