

REVISION ASSIGNMENT-1

CHAPTER -1 HUMAN GEOGRAPHY-NATURE AND SCOPE

CHAPTER-2 THE WORLD POPULATION (DISTRIBUTION, DENSITY AND GROWTH)

1. 'Nomothetic' refers

- [a] Law making [b] Theorising [c] Both (a) and (b) [d] None of these

2. 'Idiographic' denotes

- [a] Law making [b] Theorising [c] Description [d] All of these

3. Human Geography is study of changing relationship between un resting man and the unstable earth.

- [a] Ratzel [b] Ritter [c] Kant [d] Ellen C. Semple

4.. The idea that all the regions were a part of whole i.e., the earth is under which approaches

- [a] Spatial organization [b] Emergence of humanistic [c] Areal differentiation [d] Regional analysis

CASE STUDY/SOURCE BASED QUESTIONS

Read the Case Study given below and answer the questions that follow:

Winters in the town of Trondheim mean fierce winds and heavy snow. The skies are dark for months. Kari drives to work in the dark at 8 am. She has special tyres for the winter and keeps the headlights of her powerful car switched on. Her office is artificially heated at a comfortable 23 degrees Celsius. The campus of the university she works in is built under a huge glass dome. This dome keeps the snow out in winter and lets in the sunshine in the summer. The temperature is controlled carefully and there is adequate lighting. Even though fresh vegetables and plants don't grow in such harsh weather, Kari keeps an orchid on her desk and enjoys eating tropical fruits like banana and kiwi. These are flown in from warmer areas regularly. With a click of the mouse, Kari can network with colleagues in New Delhi. She frequently takes a morning flight to London and returns in the evening in time to watch her favourite television serial. Though Kari is fifty-eight years old, she is fitter and looks younger than many thirty-year-old in other parts of the world.

5. How human beings are controlling climatic conditions?

- [a] By making glass house [b] By using air conditions
[c] Both A and B [d] None of the above

6. Why Kari looks younger than many thirty-year-olds in other parts of the world though she is fifty-eight years old?

- [a] Because of Medicine [b] Because of surgery
[c] Because of better living standard [d] None of the above

7. Which one of the following things makes possible to change nature by the human beings?

- [a] By organization [b] By rule
[c] By using Technology [d] None of the above

8. What do mean by humanisation of Nature?

- [a] Change in climate [b] Making full control over climate
[c] Modifying nature as per requirements [d] None of the above

9. Which of the following are not components of natural environment?

- I) Farms II) Mountains III) Lakes IV) Roads

Choose the correct option.

- [a] I and II [b] II and III [c] III and IV [d] I and IV

10. Which of these fruits does Kari likes to eat?

- (A) Kiwi (B) Dragon fruit (C) Apple (D) Mango

11. Assertion: Regional analysis was used to study geography.

Reason: Elaborate description of all aspects of region were undertaken.

[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.

12. Assertion: Understanding of friction and heat helped the humans in discovering the fire.

Reason: Technology enables the humans to overcome the limitation imposed by nature.

[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 is not a fact?

[a] Human population increased more than ten times during the past 500 years.

[b] Nearly 80 million people are added to the world population each year.

[c] It took 100 years for the population to rise from five billion to six billion.

[d] Population growth is high in the first stage of demographic transition.

14. Change of population in particular area between two points of time is known as –

[a] Growth of Population

[b] Population Growth Rate

[c] Positive Growth of Population

[d] Negative Growth of Population

15. This happens when the birth rate is more than the death rate between two points of time or when people from other countries migrate permanently to a region.

[a] Natural Growth of Population

[b] Population Growth Rate

[c] Positive Growth of Population

[d] Negative Growth of Population

16. Which one of the following is not a correct pair?

Region	Reason
1. Mediterranean region	Pleasant Climate
2. Ganga Plains	Minerals
3. Osaka Industrial	Region
4. Katanga Zambia	Copper mines

[a] 1

[b] 2

[c] 3

[d] 4

Directions: In the following questions, A statement of Assertion (A) is followed by a statement of Reason (R). Mark the correct choice as:

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(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 and R is true.

17.Assertion (A): The people of a country are its real wealth.

Reason (R): It is they, who are the actual resources and make use of the country's other resources and decide its policies.

18.Assertion (A): The population of the world is unevenly distributed.

Reason (R): Asia has many places where people are few and few place where people are very many.

19.Assertion (A): Each unit of land has limited capacity to support people living on it.

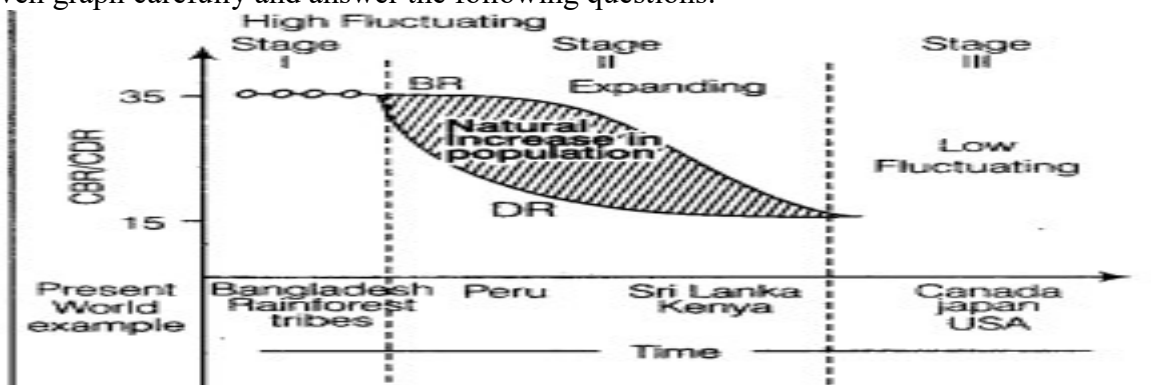
Reason (R): It is necessary to understand the ratio between the numbers of people to the size of land.

20. Assertion (A): Death rate plays an active role in population change.

Reason (R): Population growth occurs not only by increasing births rate but also due to decreasing death rate.

GRAPH/SOURCE BASED QUESTIONS

Study the given graph carefully and answer the following questions:



21. How does the natural increase in population occur, as per the graph?

- [a] Birth Rate – Death Rate
- [b] Death Rate + Birth Rate
- [c] Growth Rate- Birth Rate
- [d] Birth Rate+ Migration

22. What does the transition from high fluctuating stage to low fluctuating stage indicates?

- [a] Shift from Urban Industrial economy to Rural Agrarian economy
- [b] Shift from Rural Agrarian economy to Urban Industrial economy
- [c] Low Birth and Death Rate to High Birth and Death Rate
- [d] Migration from Urban to Rural areas

23. From the given graph, what condition can you infer about the developing countries?

- [a] High Birth Rate and High Death Rate
- [b] Low Birth rate and Low Death rate
- [c] High Birth Rate and Low Birth Rate
- [d] Low Birth Rate and High Death Rate

24. In which stage of Demographic Transition, population explosion takes place?

- [a] Stage I
- [b] Stage II
- [c] Stage III
- [d] Post Stage III

Q25. Discuss the factors influencing the distribution and density of population in the world.

Q26. How does technology loosen the shackles of environment on human beings? Explain with examples.