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(1) The Paithan (Jayakwadi) Hydro-electric project, completed with the help of Japan, is on the river

- [A] Ganga
- [B] Cauvery
- [C] Narmada
- [D] Godavari

Answer : [D]

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(2) The southernmost point of peninsular India, that is, Kanyakumari, is

- [A] north of Tropic of Cancer
- [B] south of the Equator
- [C] south of the Capricorn
- [D] north of the Equator
- Answer : [D]

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(3) The pass located at the southern end of the Nilgiri Hills in south India is called

- [A] the Palghat gap
- [B] the Bhorghat pass
- [C] the Thalgat pass
- [D] the Bolan pass

Answer : [A]

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(4) Which of the following crops needs maximum water per hectare?

- [A] Barley
- [B] Maize
- [C] Sugarcane
- [D] Wheat
- Answer : [C]

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(5) Which of the following groups accounts for over 90 per cent of India's annual coal production?

[A] Bihar, Orissa and West Bengal

[B] Bihar, Orissa and Madhya Pradesh

[C] Orissa, Madhya Pradesh and Tamil Nadu

[D] West Bengal, Madhya Pradesh and Tamil Nadu

Answer : [A]

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(6) The scarcity or crop failure of which of the following can cause a serious edible oil crisis in India?

[A] coconut

[B] Groundnut

[C] Linseed

[D] Mustard

Answer : [B]

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(7) India has largest deposits of _____ in the world.

[A] gold

[B] copper

[C] mica

[D] None of the above

Answer : [C]

Explanation: The British Geological Survey reports that as of 2005, Kodarma district in Jharkhand state in India had the largest deposits of mica in the world.

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(8) South Indian temples have

[A] tall towers with curving sides that taper at the top

[B] gateway towers shaped like trapezoidal pyramids

[C] both are correct

[D] None of the above

Answer : [B]

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(9) Rabindranath Tagore receive Nobel Prize in 1913 in the field of

[A] physics

[B] peace

[C] literature

[D] economy

Answer : [C]

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(10) Oscar Awards are conferred annually by

- [A] Academy of Motion Pictures, arts and sciences, USA
- [B] Government of United States
- [C] Hollywood Foreign Press Association
- [D] None of the above

Answer : [A]

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(11) Photophobia is

- [A] a disease cause by too much sunlight
- [B] abnormal intolerance of light
- [C] the adjustment of the eye for light
- [D] the ability to perceive light

Answer : [B]

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(12) The exhaled air contains

- [A] carbon dioxide only
- [B] a mixture which has more carbon dioxide than oxygen
- [C] a mixture of carbon dioxide, nitrogen and oxygen in which nitrogen has the highest percentage
- [D] a mixture of carbon dioxide and nitrogen

Answer : [C]

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(13) The department of Atomic Energy was established in

- [A] 1948
- [B] 1956
- [C] 1963
- [D] 1971
- Answer: [B]

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(14) The chief of the Army staff is assisted by

- [A] Vice-chief of the Army Staff
- [B] Principal staff officers such as Deputy Chief, Adjutant General, Military Secretary
- [C] both (a) and (b)
- [D] None of the above
- Answer : [C]

(15) What was the purpose of establishing the European Economic Community (EEC)?

[A] To promote a common market and economic prosperity among member countries

- [B] To create a single market for free import and export among
- [C] both (a) and (b)
- [D] None of the above

Answer : [C]

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(16) Which countries from the membership of CACM (Central American Common Market)?

- [A] Costa Rica, EI Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua
- [B] Bogota, EI Salvedor, Honduras
- [C] Washington DC, Bogota, Guatemala
- [D] All of the above
- Answer : [A]

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(17) Which language of India belongs to Dravidian family?

- [A] Languages of Northern India
- [B] Languages of Southern India
- [C] Languages of Eastern India
- [D] Languages of Western India

Answer : [B]

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(18) Which of the following acts as a resistance against in the body?

- [A] Carbohydrates
- [B] Red corpuscles
- [C] Vitamins
- [D] White corpuscles

Answer : [D]

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(19) Which is the sacred text of Hinduism?

- [A] The Vedas
- [B] The Bhagavad Gita
- [C] The epics of the Mahabharata and the Ramayana
- [D] All of the above

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(20) Which is the place of worship for Judoists?

- [A] Synagogue
- [B] First temple
- [C] No church or temple
- [D] Monastery

Answer : [A]

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