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**Q1.** What is the longest mountain range in the world above sea-level?

- a) Himalayas
  - b) Andes mountains
  - c) Pyrenees mountains
  - d) Alps
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**Q2.** Match List I and List II and mark the **correct** answer.

List I	List II
(Climate type)	(Station)
a. Taiga	1. Jacobabad
b. Monsoon	2. India
c. Alpine	3. Veckhoyansk
d. Desert	4. La Paz

Codes: a b c d

- a) a = 4, b = 2, c = 1, d = 3
  - b) a = 3, b = 2, c = 4, d = 1
  - c) a = 3, b = 4, c = 1, d = 2
  - d) a = 2, b = 4, c = 3, d = 1
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**Q3.** What is the name of the deadly volcano in Indonesia that erupted again in May 2016?

- a) Mount Merapi
- b) Mount Singabung

- c) Mount Agung
  - d) Mount Rinjani
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**Q4.** Consider the following statements :

- In Savanna climate, wet summers alternate with dry winters.
- In China type of climate, winters are very severe and summers are mild and dry.

Which of the statements given above is/are **correct** ?

- a) 2 only
- b) 1 only
- c) Neither 1 nor 2
- d) Both 1 and 2

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**Q5.** Which one among the following is the type of the Comoros Islands, which lie in the Indian Ocean between Northern Madagascar and the African Coast?

- a) Glacial eroded
  - b) Volcanic
  - c) Folded
  - d) Eolian deposited
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**Q6.** The **Savannah** finds its ideal conditions of growth in :

- a) dry summer and wet winter climate
  - b) mild and humid climate
  - c) hot summer and cool winter climate
  - d) hot humid climate with long dry season
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**Q7.** The first three countries in order of iron-steel production in the world are

- a) Japan, USA, China
  - b) USA, China, Germany
  - c) Japan, Germany, China
  - d) Germany, China, USA
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**Q8.** U-shaped valley develops in

- a) Glacial region
  - b) Karst region
  - c) All of these
  - d) Desert region
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**Q9.** Which one of the following is the **correct** sequence of the given towns of Pakistan while moving from the North towards the South?

- a) Peshawar–Gujranwala–Multan–Islamabad
  - b) Islamabad–Gujranwala–Peshawar–Multan
  - c) Islamabad–Multan–Peshawar–Gujranwala
  - d) Peshawar–Islamabad–Gujranwala–Multan
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**Q10.** Which one of the following is the **correct** descending order of countries in terms of per capita availability of arable land?

- a) China - Brazil - India
  - b) India- China - Brazil
  - c) Brazil - India – China
  - d) Brazil - China - India
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**Q11.** The sea of Okhotsk is enclosed by the Kurille Islands, Northern Japan and a long peninsula. What is the name of this peninsula?

- a) Sakhalin
  - b) Kamachotka
  - c) Korea
  - d) Hokaido
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**Q12.** The regions with highest and lowest densities are respectively

- a) Asia and Oceania
- b) Europe and Africa
- c) Europe and Oceania
- d) North America and Africa

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**Q13.** Grand Banks is one of the important producers of

- a) Iron ore
  - b) Nitrate
  - c) Bauxite
  - d) Marine fish
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**Q14.** Turkey is located between

- a) Black Sea and Mediterranean Sea
  - b) Black Sea and Caspian Sea
  - c) Gulf of Aqaba and Dead Sea
  - d) Gulf of Suez and Mediterranean Sea
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**Q15.** Which of the following pairs are **correctly matched** based on River & Countries?

1. Niger — Guinea
2. Orange — S. Africa
3. Karai — Egypt
4. Nile — Mali

Select the **correct** answer using the codes given below: Codes:

- a) 1 and 3
- b) 1 and 2
- c) 2, 3 and 4
- d) 1, 3 and 4

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**Answers to the above questions :**

**Q1. Answer: (b)**

A mountain range, or 'mountain belt', is a geographic area containing numerous geologically related mountains. Above sea level the Andes is usually considered the world's longest mountain system; it is 7,000 kilometres in length. The Himalaya Range contains the highest mountains on the Earth's surface, the highest of which is Mount Everest. The world's longest mountain system is known as Ocean Ridge, which is a chain of mountains that runs on the seafloor of five oceans around the world; it has a length of 65,000 kilometres, and the total length of the system is 80,000 kilometres. The Andes is the world's longest mountain system on the surface of a continent; it is 7,000 kilometres in length. To clarify, the Andes is the world's largest chain of mountains above sea level.

**Q2. Answer: (b)**

- **Taiga:** Verkhoyansk (Siberia);
- **Monsoon:** India;
- **Alpine:** La Paz (Bolivia);
- **Desert:** Jacobabad (Sindh, Pakistan).

**Q3. Answer: (b)**

Mount Sinabung, a stratovolcano, located in North Sumatra, Indonesia, erupted in May 2016. Seven persons were killed in the wake of its eruption.

The 2,460- metre (8,070 foot) tall volcano is one of 129 active volcanoes in Indonesia, which sits on the Pacific Ring of Fire, a belt of seismic activity running around the basin of the Pacific Ocean.

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**Q4. Answer: (b)**

**Q5. Answer: (b)**

The Comoros Islands are an archipelago of four volcanic islands and several islets located in the western Indian Ocean about ten to twelve degrees south of the Equator.

They lie approximately halfway between the island of Madagascar and northern Mozambique at the northern end of the Mozambique Channel.

**Q6. Answer: (d)**

Savanna formations find a favourable growth in form of a hot sub-humid tropical climate, a dry season and a rainy season, with an average annual temperature between 22 °C and 27 °C.

A savanna is a rolling grassland scattered with shrubs and isolated trees, which can be found between a tropical rainforest and a desert biome. not enough rain falls on a savanna to support forests. Savannas are also known as tropical grasslands.

They are found in a wide band on either side of the equator on the edges of tropical rainforests. Savannas have warm temperature year-round. There are actually two very different seasons in a savanna; a very long dry season (winter), and a very wet season (summer).

**Q7. Answer: (a)**

**Q8. Answer: (a)**

U-shaped valley develops in the Glacial region. Ice causes friction on the sides of the valley.

**Q9. Answer: (d)**

While moving from the North to the South of Pakistan, the **correct** sequence of the town is

**Peshwar – Islamabad – Gujranwala – Multan.**

**Q10. Answer: (c)**

**Q11. Answer: (b)**

**Q12. Answer: (c)**

**Q13. Answer: (d)**

**Q14. Answer: (a)**

Turkey's smaller part is in Southeastern Europe and its larger part in Western Asia which is located between Black Sea and Mediterranean

**Q15. Answer: (b)**

The Niger River is the principal river of western Africa, extending about 4,180 km. Its drainage basin is 2,117,700 km<sup>2</sup> in area.

Its source is in the Guinea Highlands in southeastern Guinea. The Orange River, Gariep River, Groote River or Senqu River is the longest river in South Africa. It rises in the Drakensberg mountains in Lesotho, flowing westwards through South Africa to the Atlantic Ocean.

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