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### Q1.

List I	List II		
(City)	(Industry)		
A. Osaka	1. Shipbuilding		
B. Hamburg	2. Textiles		
C. Detroit	3. Iron & Steel		
D. Pittsburg	4. Automobiles		
Codes: A B C D a) A – 1 ; B – 2 ; C – 3 ; D – 4			
b) A – 2 ; B – 3 ; C – 1 ; D – 4			
c) A – 2 ; B – 1 ; C – 4 ; D – 3			
d) $A - 4$ : $B - 1$ : $C - 2$ : $D - 3$			

# Q2. Match List-I with List-II and select the correct answer from the codes:

List I	List II	
(City)	(River)	
A. St. PaulMinneapolis	1. Danube	
B. Khartoum	2. Mekong	
C. Budapest	3. Mississippi	
D. Phnom Penh	4. Nile	

Codes: A B C D a) 2 4 3 1

b) 4 2 3 1

c) 3 2 1 4

d) 3 4 1 2

**Q3.** Singapore Island is separated from the Malay Peninsula by

- a) Johore strait
- b) Sunda strait
- c) Malacca strait
- d) Molucca strait

Q4. Which one of the following countries has the largest arable land?

- a) Brazil
- b) China
- c) Australia
- d) India

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## Q5.

List I	List II	
(Mineral)	(Leading producer)	
A. Tin	1. Zambia	
B. Thorium	2. India	
C. Uranium	3. Malaysia	
D. Copper	4. Canada	
Codes: A B C	D	

a) 1 2 4 3

**Q6.** Match List-I with List-II and select the **correct** answer from the codes given below:

List I	List II
(Industry)	(Centre)
A. Iron and steel	1. Turin
B. Shipbuilding	2. Taipei
C. Electronics	3. Montreal
D. Automobile	4. Pittsburgh

Codes: A B C D a) 4 3 2 1

- b) 3 4 1 2
- c) 1 2 3 4

d) 2 4 1 3

Q7. Japan is near self - sufficient in

- a) Iron ore
- b) Copper
- c) Bauxite
- d) Zaire

Q8. The largest producer of copper in the world is

- a) Chile
- b) Peru
- c) Australia
- d) U.S.A.

Q9. The largest producer of gold in the world is

- a) Canada
- b) Russia
- c) Australia
- d) South Africa

**Q10.** The **correct** sequence in descending order of the given countries in terms of railway length in the world is

- a) Canada, Germany, U.S.A., India
- b) U.S.A., Russia, China, India
- c) India, U.S.A., Germany, Canada
- d) Germany, U.S.A., Canada, India

## Q11. The leading producer of cotton textiles in the world is

- a) India
- b) U.S.A.
- c) China
- d) Russia

Q12. Which region is called the bread basket of the world?

- a) Savanna grassland
- b) Mediterranean region
- c) Temperate grassland
- d) Mid latitude forest

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**Q13.** 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) Hokaido
- c) Kamchatka
- d) Korea

Q14. What is the rank of India in the world as a fruit producer?

- a) Fourth
- b) First
- c) Third
- d) Second

# Q15. The Canadian Pacific Railway runs between

- a) Montreal and Vancouver
- b) Ottawa and Prince Rupert
- c) Edmonton and Halifax
- d) Halifax and Vancouver

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## Answers to the above questions :

Q1. Answer: (d)

Q2. Answer: (d)

1. Minneapolis–Saint Paul is a major metropolitan area built around the Mississippi, Minnesota and St. Croix rivers in east-central Minnesota. The area is commonly known as the Twin Cities after its two largest cities, Minneapolis, the city with the largest population in the state, and Saint Paul, the state capital.

- 2. Khartoum is the capital and second-largest city of Sudan and the state of Khartoum. It is located at the confluence of the White Nile, flowing north from Lake Victoria, and the Blue Nile, flowing west from Ethiopia.
- 3. Budapest became a single city occupying both banks of the Danube river with the unification of Buda and Óbuda on the west bank, with Pest on the east bank on November 17, 1873. The longest river in Southeast Asia and the 12th longest on earth, the Mekong River journeys over 2700 miles from the Tibetan Plateau to the southeast, through Laos and Thailand to the equatorial flood plains of Cambodia and Vietnam, then finally flows into the South China Sea.

### Q3. Answer: (a)

Johore strait in Southeast Asia Separates Singapore and main land Malaysia.

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### Q4. Answer: (d)

Among the following India has largest arable land. United states in the world has the largest arable land followed by India.

### Q5. Answer: (b)

- 1. Malaysia is the leading producer of tin.
- 2. India is the leading producer of thorium.
- 3. Canada is the leading producer of uranium.
- 4. Zambia is the leading producer of copper.

#### Q6. Answer: (a)

- Iron & Steel Pittsburg
- Ship building Montreal
- Electronics Taipei
- Automobile Turin

#### Q7. Answer: (b)

#### Q8. Answer: (a)

The largest producer of copper in the world is Chile. Copper exports represented 49 percent of the total value of exports.

#### Q9. Answer: (c)

The precious metal of gold is found on all continents except Antarctica, but to date, only about 170,000 tons of gold have been mined.

The 2011 list of countries by gold production in kilograms is:

- 1. China (355,000);
- 2. Australia (270,000);
- 3. United States of America (237,000);
- 4. Russia (200,000); and
- 5. South Africa (190,000).

Since the 1880s, South Africa has been the source for a large proportion of the world's gold supply, with about 50% of all gold ever produced having come from South Africa.

In 2007 China (with 276 tonnes) overtook South Africa as the world's largest gold producer, the first time since 1905 that South Africa had **not** been the largest.

Q10. Answer: (b)

Q11. Answer: (c)

### Q12. Answer: (c)

Temperate grassland is called the 'bread basket' of the world. The roots of perennial grasses usually penetrate far into the soil, and grassland soil tends to be deep and fertile. In North America, the prairies were once inhabited by huge herds of bison and pronghorns, which were hunted by wolves, bears, and other predators.

These herds are almost gone now, and most of the prairies have been converted into the richest agricultural region on earth.

Q13. Answer: (c)

Kamchatka Peninsula.

Q14. Answer: (d)

India ranks second as the largest global fruit producer behind China.

Q15. Answer: (a)

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