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Q1. Consider the following statements:

- Either of the two belts over the oceans at about $30^{\circ}$ to $35^{\circ} \mathrm{N}$ and S latitudes is known as Horse Latitude.
- Horse latitude are low pressure belts.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
a) Neither 1 nor 2
b) Both 1 and 2
c) 1 only
d) 2 only

Q2. McMahon Line is
a) India-Bangladesh Border
b) India-Pakistan Border
c) India-China Border
d) India-Nepal Border

Q3. What is the correct sequence of the following cities in South-East Asia as one proceeds from South to North?

- Bangkok
- Hanoi
- Jakarta
- Singapore

Select the correct answer using the code given below.
a) $4,3,2,1$
b) $3,4,1$, 2
c) $4,2,1,3$
d) $3,2,4,1$

Q4. The continent through which both the tropic of cancer and the Tropic of capricorn pass is
a) Europe
b) Africa
c) North America
d) Asia

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Q5. Which of the following statements is true about South Sudan?

- It is a land-locked country.
- It's capital is located in Akoba.
- Its main river is White Nile.
- Its main religion is Islam.

Use the code given below for the correct answer.
a) 2 and 4
b) 1 and 3
c) 1 and 2
d) 2 and 3

Q6. Which of the following city is known by the name of the city of smoke?
a) Lanzhou
b) London
c) Kolkata
d) Chicago

Q7. International Date line is
a) $180^{\circ}$ east-west longitude
b) $90^{\circ}$ east longitude
c) equator
d) $0^{\circ}$ longitude

Q8. Which one of the following pairs (Nations and Capitals) is not correctly matched?
a) Ethiopia - Addis Ababa
b) North Korea - Seoul
c) Chile - Santiago
d) Argentina - Buenos Aires

Q9. Which one of the following is not correctly matched?
a) Russia - Moscow
b) Australia - Camberra
c) China - Shanghai
d) Canada - Ottawa

Q10. Match List-I with List-II and select the correct answer using the code given below the lists.

| List I | List II |
| :--- | :--- |
| (Old Name) | (New Name) |
| A. Siam | 1. Taiwan |
| B. Formosa | 2. Myanmar |
| C. Mesopotamia | 3. Thailand |
| D. Burma | 4. Iraq |

Codes: A B C D
a) 3142
b) 1324
c) 2134
d) 4213

Q11. Which of the following cities is called 'Manchester of East'?
a) Osaka
b) Sendai
c) Nagoya
d) Tokyo

Q12. Match column I with column II and select the correct answer using the code given below the columns:

| List I | List II |
| :--- | :---: |
| A. Tropic of cancer | $1 . \$ 23\{1 / 2\} \$^{\circ} \mathrm{N}$ |
| B. Tropic of Capricorn | $2 . \$ 23\{1 / 2\} \$^{\circ} \mathrm{S}$ |
| C. Arctic circle | $3 . \$ 66\{1 / 2\} \$^{\circ} \mathrm{N}$ |
| D. Antarctic circle | 4. $\$ 66\{1 / 2\} \$^{\circ} \mathrm{S}$ |

Codes: A B C D
a) A-ii, B-i, C-iv, D-iii
b) A-iv, B-i, C-iii, D-ii
c) A-i, B-ii, C-iii, D-iv
d) A-ii, B-iii, C-iv, D-i

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Q13. Match List-I with List-II and select the correct answer using the code given below the lists.

| List I | List II |
| :--- | :--- |
| A. Australia | 1. Dodoma |
| B. Tajikistan | 2. Bern |
| C. Tanzania | 3. Dushanbe |
| D. Switzerland | 4. Canberra |

Codes: A B C D
a) 4231
b) 4312
c) 1234
d) 3412

Q14. Which one of the following is a land-locked country in Africa?
a) Senegal
b) Kenya
c) Angola
d) Chad

Q15. Which one of the following countries is known as the "Land of Thunderbolt?
a) Bolivia
b) Bhutan
c) Belgium
d) Nepal

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## Answers to the above questions :

## Q1. Answer: (c)

Horse latitudes or subtropical highs are subtropical latitudes between 30 and 35 degrees both north and south where Earth's atmosphere is dominated by the subtropical high, an area of high pressure, which suppresses precipitation and cloud formation, and has variable winds mixed with calm winds.

Q2. Answer: (c)

Q3. Answer: (b)

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## Q4. Answer: (b)

Tropic of cancer, Tropic of Capricorn as well as equator pass through the Africa.

Q5. Answer: (b)

Q6. Answer: (d)

## Q7. Answer: (a)

The international data line is located about $180^{\circ} \mathrm{E}$ (or $180^{\circ} \mathrm{W}$ ) of Greenwich.

Q8. Answer: (b)

Q9. Answer: (c)

Q10. Answer: (a)

## Q11. Answer: (a)

Q12. Answer: (c)

- The Tropic of Cancer, also referred to as the Northern Tropic is $23^{\circ} 26^{\prime} 13.4^{\prime \prime}$ north of the Equator. It is the most northerly circle of latitude on the Earth at which the Sun can be directly overhead.
- The Tropic of Capricorn, or Southern tropic, is one of the five major circles of latitude of a map of the Earth. It is $23^{\circ} 26^{\prime} 22^{\prime \prime}$ south of the Equator. It marks the most southerly latitude at which the sun can appear directly overhead.
- The Arctic Circle is the parallel of latitude that runs $66^{\circ} 33^{\prime} 39^{\prime \prime}$ (or $66.56083^{\circ}$ ) north of the Equator and is one of the five major circles of latitude that mark maps of the Earth. Everything north of this circle is known as the Arctic, and the zone just to the south of this circle is the Northern Temperate Zone.
- Antarctic Circle: $66^{\circ} 33^{\prime} 39^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{S}$. The Antarctic Circle is the parallel of latitude that runs $66^{\circ} 33^{\prime} 39^{\prime \prime}$ (or $66.56083^{\circ}$ ) south of the Equator and is one of the five major circles of latitude that mark maps of the Earth.

Q13. Answer: (b)

## Q14. Answer: (d)

Q15. Answer: (b)
Bhutan is a country located up in the mountain ranges and thus, experiences thunderbolts on a regular basis. Thunder and lightning are frequent there in the mountains.

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