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Q1. Stem of ginger which grows in the soil and stores food is called

- a) Bulb
 - b) Rhizophora
 - c) Rhizome
 - d) Corn
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Q2. Which of the following is the chief characteristic of 'mixed farming'?

- a) Cultivation of both cash crops and food crops
 - b) Rearing of animals and cultivation of crops together
 - c) Cultivation of two or more crops in the same field
 - d) None of the above
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Q3. The largest Jute producing state in India is

- a) Andhra Pradesh
 - b) Tamil Nadu
 - c) Bihar
 - d) West Bengal
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Q4. Which one of the following is a 'Rabi' crop?

- a) Cotton
- b) Arhar
- c) Maize

d) Mustard

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Q5. India's contribution in the worlds fruit production is

- a) 20%
- b) 10%
- c) 25%
- d) 15%

Q6. Which Indian State is **not** known to produce tea ?

- a) Assam
- b) West Bengal
- c) Kerala
- d) Chhattisgarh

Q7. Which one of the following statements is **not correct** regarding tank irrigation in peninsular India?

- a) Percolation of rainwater is less due to hard rock.
- b) Underground water level is higher
- c) Most of the rivers are seasonal and dry up in summer reason.
- d) Rainwater can be easily stored by constructing tanks.

Q8. Which is the most suitable crop for dry land farming?

- a) Sugarcane
- b) Wheat

- c) Jute
 - d) Groundnut
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Q9. Agriculture in India is considered as

- a) A means of livelihood
 - b) A trade
 - c) A profession
 - d) An industry
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Q10. "The lower Gangetic plain is characterized by humid climate with high temperature throughout the year."

Which one among the following pairs of crops is **most suitable** for this region?

- a) Paddy and Cotton
 - b) Paddy and Jute
 - c) Wheat and Jute
 - d) Wheat and Cotton
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Q11. The main aim of watershed management strategy of India is

- a) promoting silviculture
 - b) arid land management
 - c) hillslope management
 - d) soil conservation
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Q12. Pusa Sugandha-5 is an aromatic variety of

- a) Maize
- b) Rice
- c) Red gram
- d) Sugarcane

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Q13. Consider the following statements and choose the **correct** code to answer.

Assertion (A):

Punjab is a major exporter of Rice.

Reason (R):

This state leads in Rice production.

- a) Both (A) and (R) are **true** and (R) is the **correct** explanation of (A)
- b) (A) is true, but (R) is false
- c) Both (A) and (R) are true, but (R) is **not** the **correct** explanation of (A)
- d) (A) is false, but (R) is true

Q14. Endosulfan spray on cashew crop resulted in the pollution to the tune of tragedy in :

- a) Kerala
- b) Karnataka
- c) Andhra Pradesh
- d) Tamil Nadu

Q15. The largest producer of Lac in India is

- a) Chhattisgarh
- b) West Bengal
- c) Jharkhand
- d) Gujarat

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Answers to the above questions :

Q1. Answer: (c)

Q2. Answer: (b)

Q3. Answer: (d)

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Q4. Answer: (d)

Q5. Answer: (d)

Q6. Answer: (d)

The tea producing areas of India are: Assam, West Bengal, Tamil Nadu, Kerala and Karnataka. The Largest state with area under Tea Plantations in India is Assam, followed by West Bengal and Tamil Nadu.

Q7. Answer: (b)

The underground water level is less in the peninsular region of India and high in the North region of India.

Q8. Answer: (d)

Q9. Answer: (a)

Q10. Answer: (b)

Q11. Answer: (d)

The main objectives of the watershed management strategy of India are to restore the ecological balance by harnessing, conserving and developing degraded natural resources such as soil, vegetative cover and water.

Q12. Answer: (b)

Q13. Answer: (b)

Q14. Answer: (a)

Kasargod, a northern district of Kerala, has recently been ill-famous for Endosulfan spray on cashew crop. The spray of this banned chemical was reported to have led congenital abnormalities, mental retardness and cancer in the local population.

Q15. Answer: (c)

The leading producer of lac is Jharkhand, followed by the Chhattisgarh, West Bengal, and Maharashtra. Lac is the scarlet resinous secretion of a number of species of lac insects, of which the most commonly cultivated species is *Kerria lacca*.

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