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Q1. Which one amongst the following is the oldest refinery in India?

- a) Mathura
 - b) Digboi
 - c) Haldia
 - d) Koyali
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Q2. In the world, India tops in the production of

- a) Manganese
 - b) Uranium
 - c) Nickel
 - d) Mica
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Q3. Which of the following oilfields is situated in the North-eastern region of India?

- a) Digboi
 - b) Ankaleshwar
 - c) Kalol
 - d) Mehsana
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Q4. Which one of the following states has higher potentials for solar energy?

- a) Odisha
- b) Tamil Nadu
- c) Kerala

d) Rajasthan

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Q5. The **correct** sequence in descending order of the following state in terms of the proved coal reserves is

- a) Jharkhand, Odisha, Chhattisgarh, West Bengal
- b) Odisha, Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Jharkhand
- c) Chhattisgarh, Odisha, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh
- d) Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh, Odisha, Madhya Pradesh

Q6. Recently in which part of India, Reliance Industries Limited has explored a huge amount of natural gas?

- a) Coastal Andhra region
- b) Bombay high region
- c) Badmer region
- d) Andaman and Nicobar region

Q7. In which one of the following district, have large reserves of diamond-bearing kimberlite been discovered in the recent past?

- a) Warangal
- b) Raipur
- c) Hoshangabad
- d) Sambalpur

Q8. In which of the following states of India, silver is not found?

- a) Jharkhand

- b) Andhra Pradesh
 - c) Odisha
 - d) Gujarat
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Q9. Growth of Chhotanagpur industrial region is linked with the discovery of

- a) Manganese
 - b) Coal
 - c) Bauxite
 - d) Iron-ore
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Q10. Which is not fossil fuel?

- a) Petrol
 - b) Wood
 - c) Coal
 - d) Diesel
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Q11. What is chiefly found at Jharia in Jharkhand?

- a) Coal
 - b) Silk
 - c) Thorium
 - d) Gold
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Q12. Match List-I with List-II and select the **correct** answer using the code given below the lists.

List I	List II
(Minerals)	(Location)
A. Coal	1. Giridih
B. Copper	2. Jayamkondam

C. Manganese	3. Alwar
D. Lignite	4. Dharwar

Codes: A B C D

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

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Q13. The oldest oil field in India is

- a) Digboi, Assam
- b) Ankleshwar, Gujarat
- c) Bombay High, Maharashtra
- d) Navgam, Gujarat

Q14. Consider the following statements.

1. Balaghat is known for its manganese deposits.
2. Majhgawan is known for its diamond mines.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

Q15. In which one of the following states are Namchik-Namphuk coal field located?

- a) Manipur

- b) Meghalaya
- c) Arunachal Pradesh
- d) Mizoram

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Answers to the above questions :

Q1. Answer: (b)

Q2. Answer: (d)

Mica is produced in huge proportion in India. In fact, India is one of the leading suppliers of mica to the world. India alone accounts for a major portion of the world's export of block mica and mica splitting.

India produces approximately 90 % of the world's mica. It is an indispensable component of the electrical industry. India accounts for 60 % of mica embarking on international trade.

Q3. Answer: (a)

Digboi is a town and a town area committee in Tinsukia district in the north-eastern part of the state of Assam. It has the distinction of being India's oldest continuously producing oilfield.

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Q4. Answer: (d)

Rajasthan is blessed with two critical resources that are essential to solar power production: high level of solar radiation per square inch and large amounts of contiguous, relatively flat, undeveloped land.

Q5. Answer: (a)

Q6. Answer: (a)

Q7. Answer: (b)

Q8. Answer: (d)

Q9. Answer: (b)

Q10. Answer: (b)

Q11. Answer: (a)

Q12. Answer: (d)

Q13. Answer: (a)

Q14. Answer: (d)

Q15. Answer: (c)

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