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**Q1.** Ratzel's work was based on the concept

- a) Physical environment controlled human activities
  - b) There is a dichotomy between physical and cultural aspects of geography
  - c) Geography is a scientific discipline
  - d) Geography is necessarily descriptive
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**Q2.** The study of earth's structure and the rocks that make up the earth is called

- a) Hydrology
  - b) Geology
  - c) Glaciology
  - d) Geomorphology
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**Q3.** Huntington is noted for describing

- a) the effects of climate on human life
  - b) man as a product of the earth's surface
  - c) the evolution of landforms
  - d) the historical-ecological study of the cultural landscape
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**Q4.** Who invented the Isotherms?

- a) Aristotle
- b) Pythagoras
- c) Homboldt

d) Herodotus

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**Q5.** Oceanography is the branch of

- a) Hydrology
- b) Geomorphology
- c) Geology
- d) Pedology

**Q6.** Consider the following statements:

- Human Geography covers all those aspects of Geography which are not directly concerned with Physical Geography.
- Human Geography is the study of interrelationship between human beings and their environment.
- Human Geography deals with the description and explanation of human phenomena around the variable earth surface.
- Human Geography does not cover technical matters of Cartography.

Which of the above statements are **correct**?

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

**Q7.** Who advocated the opposite theory of determinism?

- a) Ptolemy
- b) Vidal de la Blache
- c) Huntington
- d) None of these

**Q8.** General geography was written by

- a) Blanche
  - b) Bernhardus Varenius
  - c) Ptolemy
  - d) None of these
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**Q9. Assertion (A):**

In contemporary geography, there is an increasing awareness of the need for an interdisciplinary approach to the regional problems.

**Reason (R):**

Groups of scholars with diverse backgrounds and skills focus on specific sets of regional problems more comprehensively and scientifically.

- a) A is true but R is false
  - b) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A
  - c) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
  - d) A is false but R is true
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**Q10.** The study of soil science is called

- a) Pedology
  - b) Climatology
  - c) Geology
  - d) Biogeography
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**Q11.** Consider the following rivers :

- Barak
- Lohit
- Subansiri

Which of the above flows/flow through Arunachal Pradesh?

- a) 1 and 3 only
- b) 1 only

c) 2 and 3 only

d) 1, 2 and 3

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**Q12.** Which one of the following scholars was the first to divide the world landmass into three continents : Europe, Asia and Libya (Africa) ? :

a) Herodotus

b) Anaximander

c) Hecataeus

d) Eratosthenes

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**Q13.** Who was the first man to discuss about geography?

a) Aristotle

b) Pythagoras

c) Eratosthenes

d) None of these

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**Q14.** Which of these was great astronomer?

a) Ptolemy

b) Hipparchus

c) Herodotus

d) Carl Ritter

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**Q15.** The study of earthquakes and their bearings on the internal structure of the Earth is called

- a) Geology
- b) Glaciology
- c) Seismology
- d) None of these

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### Answers to the above questions :

Q1. Answer: (a)

Q2. Answer: (d)

Q3. Answer: (a)

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**Q4. Answer: (c)**

**Q5. Answer: (a)**

**Q6. Answer: (a)**

**Q7. Answer: (b)**

**Q8. Answer: (b)**

**Q9. Answer: (b)**

**Q10. Answer: (a)**

**Q11. Answer: (c)**

Rivers Lohit and Subansiri flow through Arunachal Pradesh. River Barak flows in south Assam.

**Q12. Answer: (a)**

**Q13. Answer: (c)**

**Q14. Answer: (c)**

**Q15. Answer: (c)**

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