

Drainage System

I. Choose the correct answer

Question 1.

The area drained by a river is

- (a) Watershed
- (b) Basin
- (c) Catchment
- (d) All of them

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Answer: (d) All of them

Question 2.

When the drainage develops similar to branches of a tree, it is called:

- (a) Radial
- (b) Dendritic
- (c) Centripetal
- (d) Trellis

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Answer: (b) Dendritic

Question 3.

Watershed is also known as

- (a) Catchment area
- (b) Dendritic
- (c) Trellis
- (d) Radial

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Answer: (a) Catchment area

Question 4.

Which river consists 77% of the drainage area?

- (a) Ganga
- (b) Brahmaputra
- (c) Mahanadi
- (d) All of them

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Answer: (d) All of them



Question 5.

Major river basin includes

- (a) 16 drainage basin
- (b) 14 drainage basin
- (c) 10 drainage basin
- (d) 15 drainage basin

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Answer: (b) 14 drainage basin

Question 6.

On the basis of regional distribution the Indian drainage system is categorised into:

- (a) two
- (b) four
- (c) three
- (d) five

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Answer: (a) two

Question 7.

Which river flows through the rift valley?

- (a) Narmada
- (b) Tapi
- (c) None of them
- (d) Both of them

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Answer: (d) Both of them

Question 8.

Which river was dismembered into three main drainage systems?

- (a) Ganga
- (b) Brahmaputra
- (c) Indus
- (d) Indo-Brahma

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Answer: (d) Indo-Brahma

Question 9.

The Indus is also known as

- (a) Brahmaputra
- (b) Indobrahm
- (c) Sindhu
- (d) Singi

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Answer: (c) Sindhu

Question 10.

Which river rises from Pir panjal in the south-eastern part of the valley of Kashmir?

- (a) Satluj
- (b) Jhelum
- (c) Indus
- (d) Ravi

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Answer: (b) Jhelum

Question 11.

The largest tributary of Indus is

- (a) Chandra
- (b) Bhaga
- (c) Chenab
- (d) Son

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Answer: (c) Chenab

Question 12.

Which river is also known by the name 'Parushani'?

- (a) Ravi
- (b) Beas
- (c) Chandra
- (d) Bhaga

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Answer: (a) Ravi

Question 13.

The river Beas is also known as

- (a) Parushani
- (b) Iravati
- (c) Vipasa
- (d) Bhaga

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Answer: (c) Vipasa

Question 14.

Which river rises in the Gangotri glacier near Gomukh?



- (A) Yamuna
- (b) Brahmaputra
- (c) Ganga
- (d) Son

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Answer: (c) Ganga

Question 15.

The river Ganga discharges itself into the

- (a) Bay of Bengal
- (b) Arabian Sea
- (c) None of them
- (d) Both of them

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Answer: (a) Bay of Bengal

Question 16.

The antecedent river of Ganga is

- (a) Ghaghra
- (b) Gandak
- (c) Kosi
- (d) Sun Kosi

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Answer: (c) Kosi

Question 17.

In southern Tibet, the Brahmaputra is known as

- (a) Tsangpo
- (b) Rango
- (c) Siang
- (d) Dihang

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Answer: (a) Tsangpo

Question 18.

The length of Brahmaputra is

- (a) 850 km.
- (b) 750 km.
- (c) 800 km.
- (d) 700 km.

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Answer: (b) 750 km.

Question 19.

The major river of Dakshin is

- (a) Ganga
- (b) Godavari
- (c) Narmada
- (d) Jhelum

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Answer: (b) Godavari

Question 20.

The river Godavari rises in

- (a) Gomukh
- (b) Nasik
- (c) Uttarkashi
- (d) Dev prayag

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Answer: (b) Nasik

Question 21.

The largest river of Rajasthan is

- (a) Sabarmati
- (b) Saraswati
- (c) Luni
- (d) Sagarmati

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Answer: (c) Luni

Question 22.

The Ganga has its minimum flow during

- (a) August-September
- (b) January-June
- (c) May-June
- (d) July-August

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Answer: (b) January-June

Question 23.

The Mahanadi flows in

- (a) Andhra Pradesh
- (b) Karnataka



- (c) Orissa
- (d) Maharashtra

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Answer: (c) Orissa

II. Fill up the blanks

Question 1.

..... and are the two examples of consequent rivers.

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Answer: Ganga, Yamuna

Question 2.

The Thar desert is characterised by pattern.

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Answer: centripetal drainage

Question 3.

The flow of water through well-defined channels is called

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Answer: drainage

Question 4.

The rivers flowing through rift valleys are and

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Answer: Narmada, Tapi

Question 5.

..... rivers have the maximum flow in rainy season.

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Answer: The peninsular

Question 6.

The Ganga is an example of a river.

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Answer: consequent river



Question 7.

Due to obstruction caused by the deposited alluvium, the river through the delta bifurcates into several smaller channels called

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Answer: distributaries

Question 8.

Mississippi has with several main branches like the foot of a bird extending into the Gulf of Mexico.

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Answer: Bird's-foot delta

Question 9.

..... pattern has streams diverging or radiating from a central elevated tract.

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Answer: Radial

Question 10.

A results due to weathering while on the other hand, is the result of geological process.

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Answer: gorge, rift valley

