

19 February

(Set-A)

Pratap Public School, Karnal
TERM-II Practice Test-1
Class-XII
Subject - GEOGRAPHY (029)

Max. Marks 35

Time: 2 Hrs.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS-

- I. Question paper is divided into 5 sections A, B, C, D & E
- II. In section A Question Number 1 to 3 are Very Short Answer type questions. Attempt any 3 questions.
- III. In section B Question Number 4 is Source based question.
- IV. In section C Question Number 5 & 6 are Short Answer based questions.
- V. In section D Question Number 7 to 9 are Long Answer based questions.
- VI. In section E Question Number 10 is a Map based question.

(SECTION-A)

Attempt all questions

(2x3=6)

Q.1. Describe two factors affecting transport.

(2)

OR

What is tourism? Mention its role in the economy of any country.

Q.2 Write a short note on High-tech industry.

(2)

Q.3. Differentiate between Retail Trading Services and Wholesale Trading Services.

(2)

(SECTION-B)

Q.4. 'Manufacturing Industry'

(3x1=3)

Manufacturing literally means 'to make by hand'. However, now it includes goods 'made by machines'. It is essentially a process which involves transforming raw materials into finished goods of higher value for sale in local or distant markets. Conceptually, an industry is a geographically located manufacturing unit maintaining books of accounts and records under a management system. As the term industry is comprehensive, it is also used as synonymous with 'manufacturing'. When one uses terms like 'steel industry' and 'chemical industry', one thinks of factories and processes. But there are many secondary activities which are not carried on in factories such as what is now called the 'entertainment industry' and 'Tourism industry', etc. So for clarity, the longer expression 'manufacturing industry' is used.

Attempt all questions

4.1 "Manufacturing involves value addition." Explain with any one suitable example.

4.2. What do you understand by the term Manufacturing?

4.3. Name two industries which provide services rather than production of goods.

(SECTION-C)

(2x3=6)

Q.5. "Satellites and computers have brought revolutionary changes in the present life of the people",

(3)

Elaborate the statement with three suitable examples.

OR

Discuss three disadvantages of pipeline transport.

Q.6. "There are limited air services between 10-35 latitudes in the Southern hemisphere".

(3)

Support this statement with three suitable arguments.

(SECTION-D)

(3x5=15)

Q.7. How is the use of plastic bags harmful for environmental degradation? Evaluate it by citing suitable reasons.

(5)

OR

Suggest five measures for reduction of land degradation.

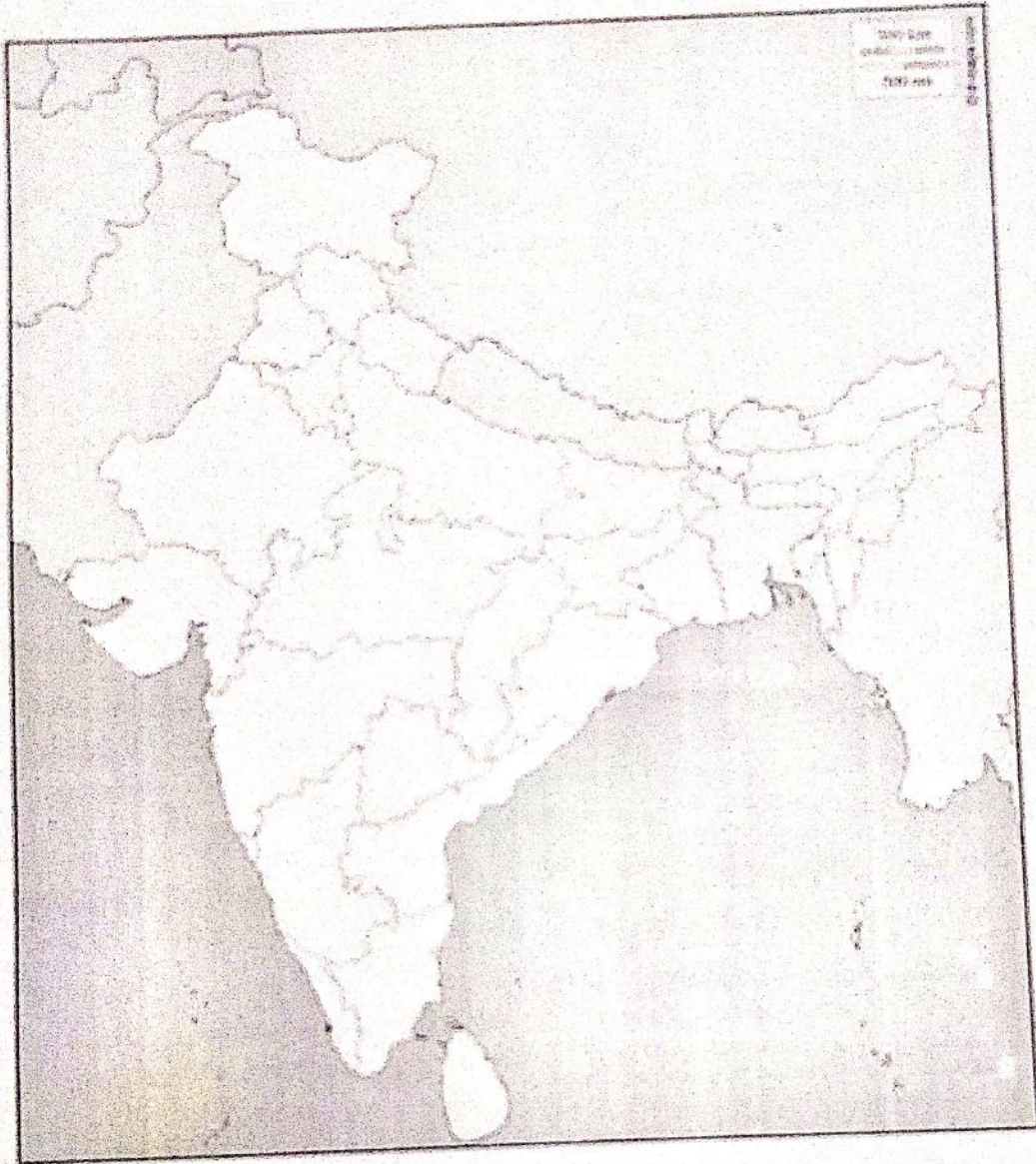
Q.8. Write short note on drought prone area programme and agro-climatic planning. How do these program help in the development of dryland agriculture in India? (5)

Q.9. How do Quaternary services differ from Tertiary services? Give three reasons why the service sector in developing and developed countries is growing faster than the manufacturing sector? (5)

SECTION-E (MAP)

Q. 10. On the outline map of India indicate and mark the following features (Attempt any 5). 1x5=5

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- 4.1. What do you understand by the term Manufacturing?
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(SECTION-C)

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