

Time : 2½ Hours

GEOGRAPHY AND ECONOMICS (E)

[For Children With Special Needs]

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Total No. of Questions : 5

(Printed Pages : 16)

Maximum Marks : 65

- INSTRUCTIONS:** (i) All questions are compulsory.
(ii) Answers to be entered on the space provided on the question paper.
(iii) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1. (A) (i) Identify the picture given and answer the following questions :



(a) Name the type of soil you see in the above picture. 1

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(b) Name any *one* state having this type of soil. 1

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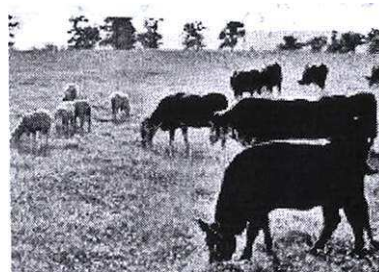
(ii) Match correctly the soils given in Column A with the crops given in Column B and write the correct answer in Column C : 2

Column 'A'	Column 'B'	Column 'C'
(1) Alluvial soil	(a) Cotton	(1)
(2) Laterite soil	(b) Paddy	(2)
	(c) Cashewnuts	

(iii) Name the causes responsible for land degradation based on the picture given below : 2



(a)



(b)


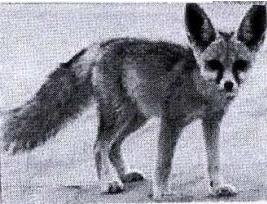
(a)

(b)

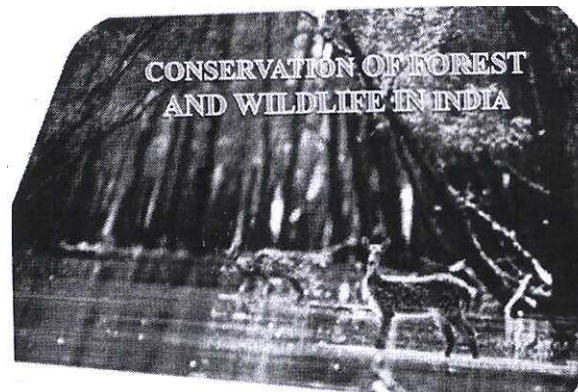
(iv) Choose and write only the correct answer from the given alternatives : The resources that can be renewed by physical, chemical or mechanical processes are called 1

- (a) Renewable resources
- (b) Community resources
- (c) Non-renewable resources.

- (B) (i) Match the following animals from Column A with their category of existence in Column B and write the correct answer in Column C : 2

Column 'A'	Column 'B'	Column 'C'
(i) 	(a) Rare Species	(1)
(ii) 	(b) Vulnerable Species (c) Endemic Species	(2)

- (ii) We need to conserve our forests and wild life.



- (a) What is biodiversity ?

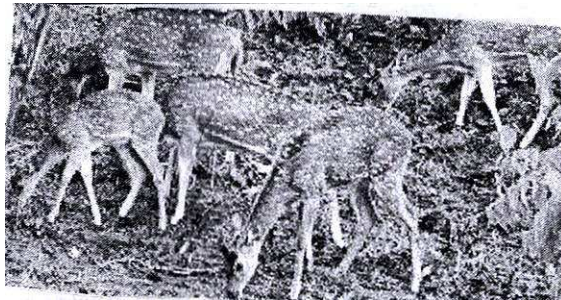
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(b) How are forest useful to man ? Any *one* point. 1

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(iii) Reena loves wildlife. 2



Tell Reena the names of two species of animals that have been given legal protection against hunting and trade in India ?

(a)

(b)

(iv)



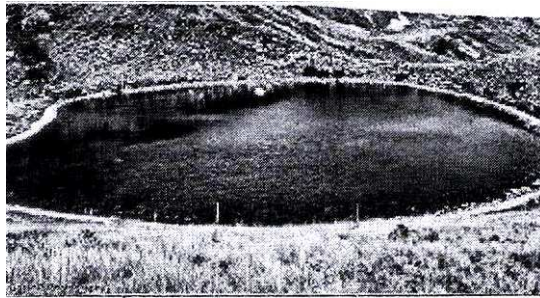
(a) Name any *two* resources collected by the forest dependent communities. 1

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(b) Who has to bear the major responsibility for collection of wood, fodder ? 1

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2. (A) Three-fourth of the earth's surface is covered with water but only a small proportion of it accounts for fresh water.



(i) What are the various sources of fresh water ? 2

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(ii) Match the names of the multipurpose projects in Column 'A' to the beneficiary states in Column 'B' and write the correct answer in Column 'C' : 2

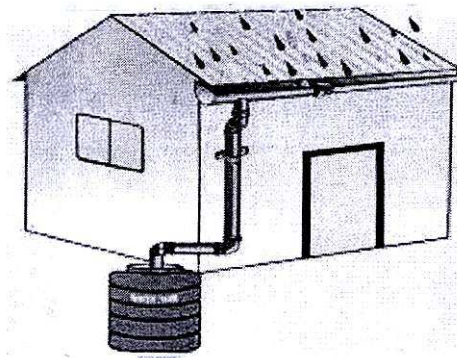
Column 'A'	Column 'B'	Column 'C'
(i) Bhakra-Nangal Project	(a) Bihar	(1)
	(b) Andhra Pradesh	(2)
(ii) Kosi Project	(c) Punjab	

(iii) Choose and write only the correct alternative from those given alternatives. 1

Multipurpose projects have been proclaimed “Temples of Modern India” by

- (a) M.K. Gandhi
- (b) Atal Bihari Vajpayee
- (c) Jawaharlal Nehru

(iv) Tamil Nadu is the first and only state in India which has made it compulsory.



(a) What is above method of storing water called ? 1

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(b) Today in western Rajasthan this practise in on the decline-why. 1

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(B) (i) Tickmark the correct answer from the options given below :

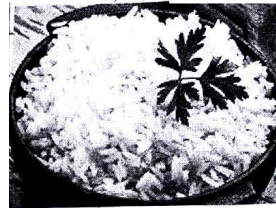
(1) Which one of the following is a beverage crop ? 1

(a)



Tea

(b)



Rice

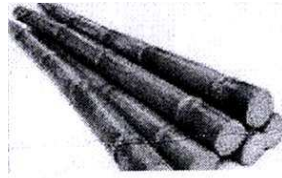
(c)



Wheat

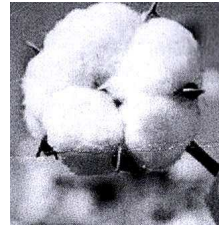
(2) Which one of the following is the only grain food crop. 1

(a)



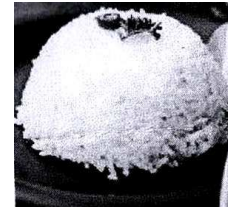
Sugarcane

(b)



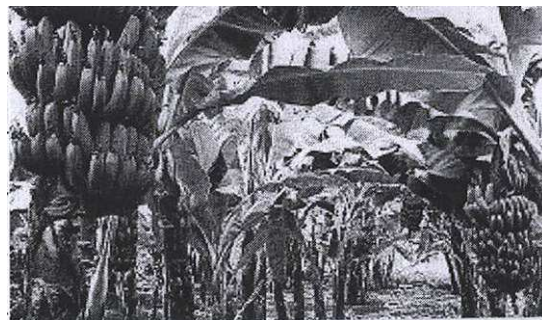
Cotton

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Rice

(ii) It is a large-scale one-crop farming :



(a) Name the type of farming practised in the above picture. 1

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(b) Give one example of this type of farming. 1

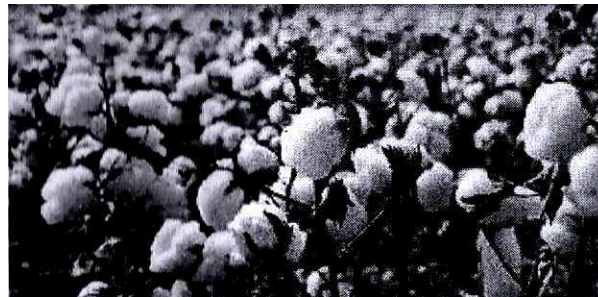
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(iii) Complete the given sentences with the help of the picture given :

India is believed to be the original home of the cotton plant.

(a) The climatic conditions required for growing cotton are. 1

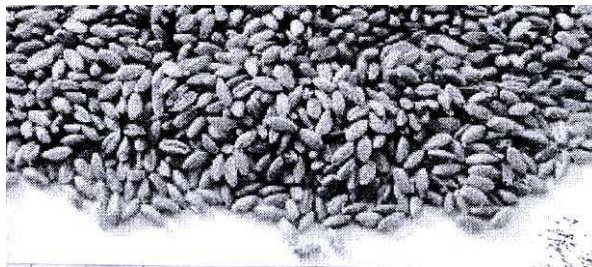
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(b) Any *two* major cotton producing states are. 1

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(iv) Wheat is the second most important cereal crop.



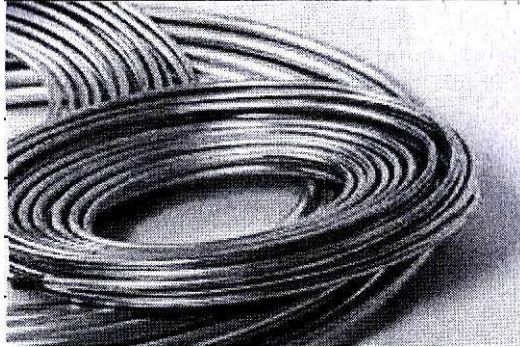
(a) Describe the climatic conditions required for the growth of wheat ? Any *two* points. 2

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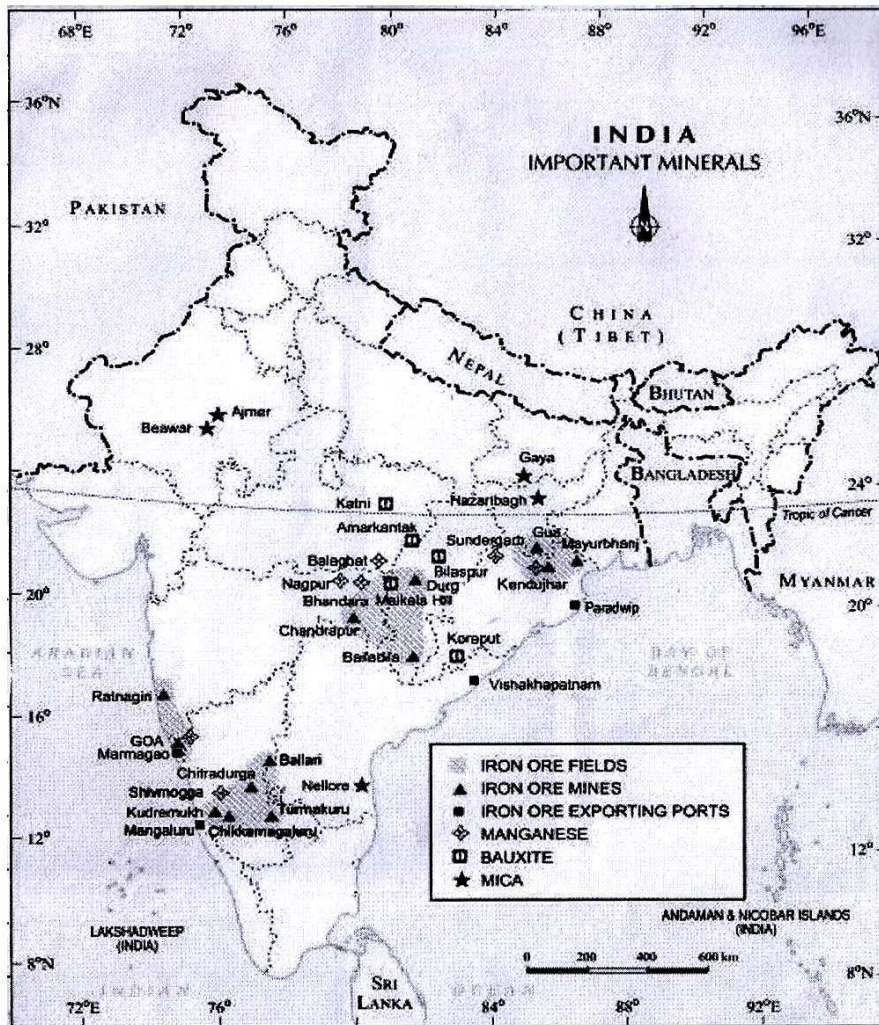
3. (A) (i) Observe the following picture and answer the questions : 2



(a) State any *one* use of copper ?

(b) Name the state which is the largest producer of copper in India.

(ii) Observe the map and answer the following questions :



(a) Name any *one* Iron ore exporting port in India. 1

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(b) Name the Mica mine in Andhra Pradesh. 1

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(c) Name the Bauxite mine in Orissa. 1

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(iii) Choose and write only the correct alternative from those given alternatives :

(1) The low grade coal is 1

(a) Anthracite

(b) Bituminous

(c) Lignite

(2) Which one of the following is softest of all minerals

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(a) Coal

(b) Mica

(c) Talc

(B) (i)



(a) What are the causes of noise pollution ? Any *one*. 1

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(b) State any *one* effect of noise pollution ? 1

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(ii) Choose and write only the correct alternative from the given alternatives.

(1) Which one of the following agencies market steel for the public sector plant. 1

(a) HAIL

(b) SAIL

(c) TATA STEEL

(2) In which place in India was the first cement plant set-up. 1

(a) Mumbai

(b) Chennai

(c) Hyderabad

- (iii) Why is the demand for cement increasing in India ? Give *two* points. 2



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- (iv) (a) Name any *one* sugar cane producing state in India. 1

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- (b) Mention any *one* major challenge faced by the sugar industry in India. 1

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4. (i) Name the following :

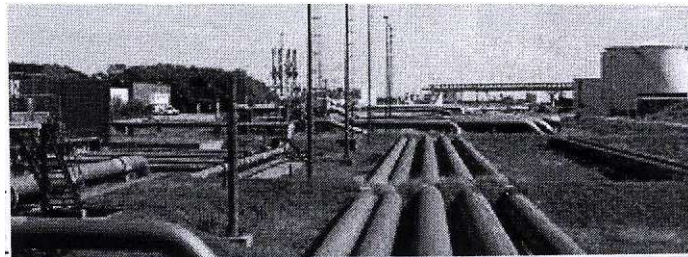
- (a) It is the principal mode of transportation for freight and passengers in India 1

- (b) It is fuel-efficient and environment friendly mode of transport 1

- (ii) India has one of the largest road networks in the world. State any *two* merits of roadways. 2

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- (iii) Pipeline transport network is a new arrival on the transportation map of India.



- What are pipelines used for ? Give two points. 2

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- (iv) Tourism in India has grown substantially over the last decade.

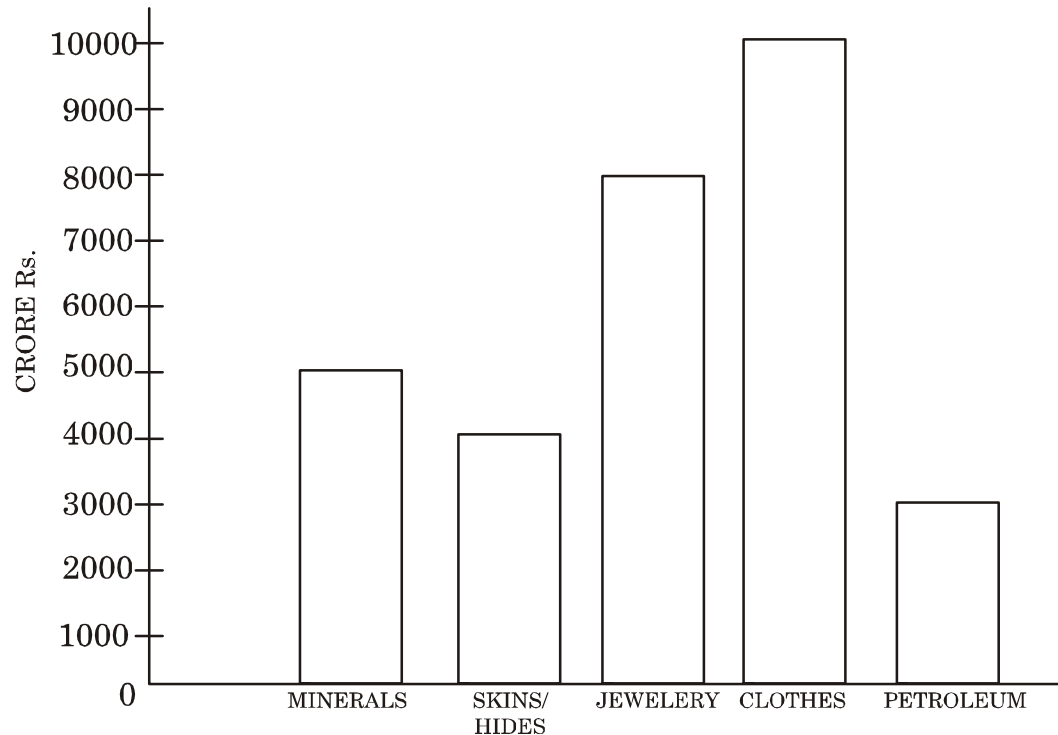
- (a) Name any *two* important destinations of foreign tourists in India. 1

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- (b) List any *two* reasons for foreign tourists visiting India. 1

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- (v) Study the following bar diagram showing India's exports of major commodities during the year 2000-01 and answer the questions given below it.



- (a) From which commodity did India earn the least amount during the year. 1

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- (b) By how much was the export of clothes more than that of minerals during the year. 1

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5. (i) Choose and write only the *correct* alternative from the given alternatives.

- (a) Consumers have the right to against unfair trade practices and exploitation. 1

(i) Seek redressal (ii) Be informed (iii) Choose

(b) is a paper instructing the bank to pay a specific amount from the persons account. 1

(i) Cheque

(ii) Note

(iii) Money order

(ii) Study the following table showing India's global position in terms of socio-demographic parameters and answer the questions given below :

Countries	Infant Mortality Rate (Per 1000 live births)	
	1970	2003
India	127	63
China	85	30
Pakistan	120	81
Srilanka	65	65

(a) Which country had the highest infant mortality rate in the year 1970 ? 1

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(b) By how much has China's infant mortality rate decreased over the last three decades ? 1

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(iii) Write the full form of :

(a) W.T.O. 1

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(b) S.E.Z. 1

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(iv) Fill in the following table stating one point of difference and giving one example.

Organised Sector	Unorganised Sector	
(1).....	1
(2) Example.....	1

(v) (a) Mention any *one* right of the consumer ? 1

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(b) What is money ? 1

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