

SAMPLE QUESTION PAPER 2

Class – XII **GEOGRAPHY**

Time allowed: 3hrs

Maximum Marks: 70

General Instructions:

- i. There are 22 general questions.*
- ii. Question nos. 1-7 are very short answer questions carrying 1 mark each .Answer to these questions should not exceed 40 words.*
- iii. Question nos. 8-13 are short answer questions carrying 3 marks each Answer to these questions should not exceed 80-100 words.*
- iv. Question nos. 14 -20 are long answer questions carrying 5 marks each .Answer to these questions should not exceed 150 words.*
- v. Question no. 21-22 are related to identification or locating and labeling of geographical features carrying 5 marks each.*
- vi. Outline maps of the World and India provided to you must be attached within you answer-book.*
- vii. Use of templates or stencils for drawing outline maps is allowed.*
- viii. All questions are compulsory.*

1. How has India emerged as a leading country of Medical Tourism? (1)
2. Give one reason to why the compact settlements are found in parts of Rajasthan? (1)
3. How much journey time is saved by the Orient express way against travelling through sea route? (1)
4. Which are the two manmade navigation canals which serve as gateways of commerce of east and west worlds? (1)
5. Which is the busiest sea route in the world? Why the traffic is largest on this route? Give one reason. (1)
6. Identify this policy and write its name (1)
Government had introduced this policy for cargo in April 1992. Under this policy foreign airlines or associations of exporters can bring any freighters to the country.
7. Which are the two factors responsible for the development of Jhabua? (1)
8. Who introduced the concept of "Stop and Go Determinism"? Mention any two characteristics of this concept. (3)
9. What are two different methods of mining? Explain the factors affecting mining activity in the world. (3)

10. Study the map given below and answer the questions that follow:

(3)

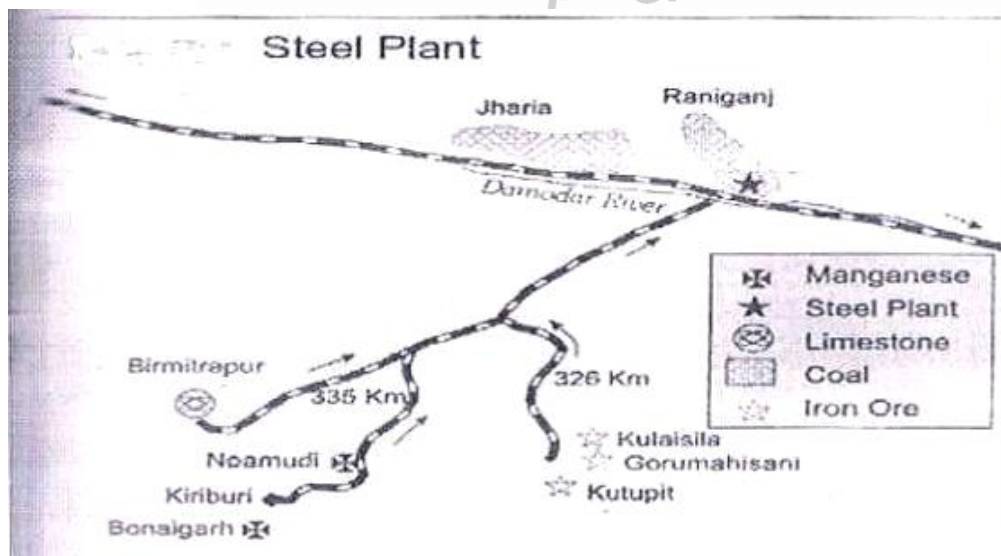


- (i) Name the **railway line** shown in the map
- (ii) Name two ocean coasts which are being connected by this line
- (iii) Write any one significance of this railway line.

11. Classify the Indian towns on the basis of their evolution in different periods. Write one feature of each. (3)

12. What made Ralegan Siddhi in Maharashtra a success story? Explain any two steps taken by the villagers in this success story (3)

13. Study the diagram showing the location of a major steel plant given below and answer the questions that follow: (3)



- (i) identify this Steel plant and write its name.
- (ii) Name the source of limestone for this plant.
- (iii) What are the sources of coal for this plant?

14. The challenges of sustainable development requires integration of quest for economic development with environmental concerns. Traditional methods of resource use result into generating enormous quantity of waste as well as create other environmental problems. Hence, for sustainable development calls for the protection of resources for the future generations. (5)

Read the above paragraph and analyze the following:

- i. What values are associated with the environmental concerns of today in sustainable development?
- ii. Why the traditional methods of use of resources is not fit for today? Explain in terms of human values.

15. What are the three categories of Indian Railway on the basis of width of the track? Write main feature of each category (5)

16. What is density of population? Explain four geographical factors influencing the distribution of population in the World. (5)

17. Classify ports on the basis of their specialised functions into five groups. Write any one main feature of each. (5)

18. Discuss the problems of rural settlements in developing countries. (5)

19. Why do large-scale industries choose different locations? Explain any four factors influencing industrial locations in the world. (5)

20. Read the diagram given below and answer (5)

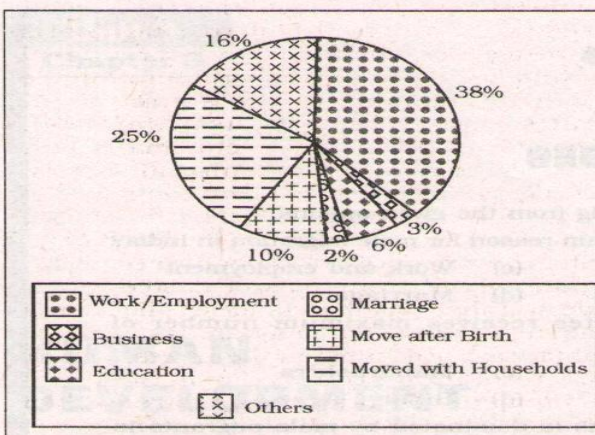


Fig. 2.2 a : Reasons for Male Migration by Last Residence with Duration (0-9 years), India, 2001

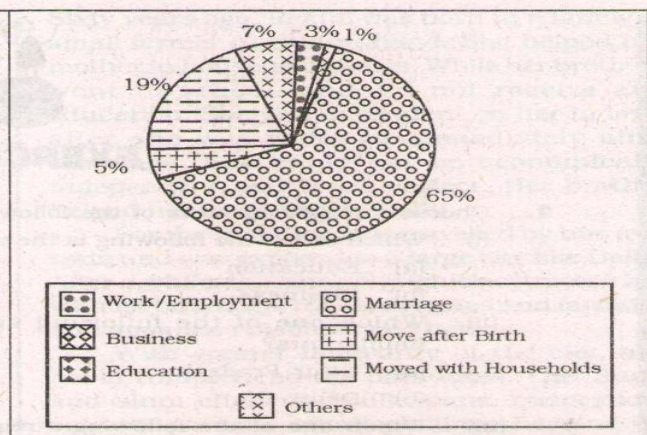
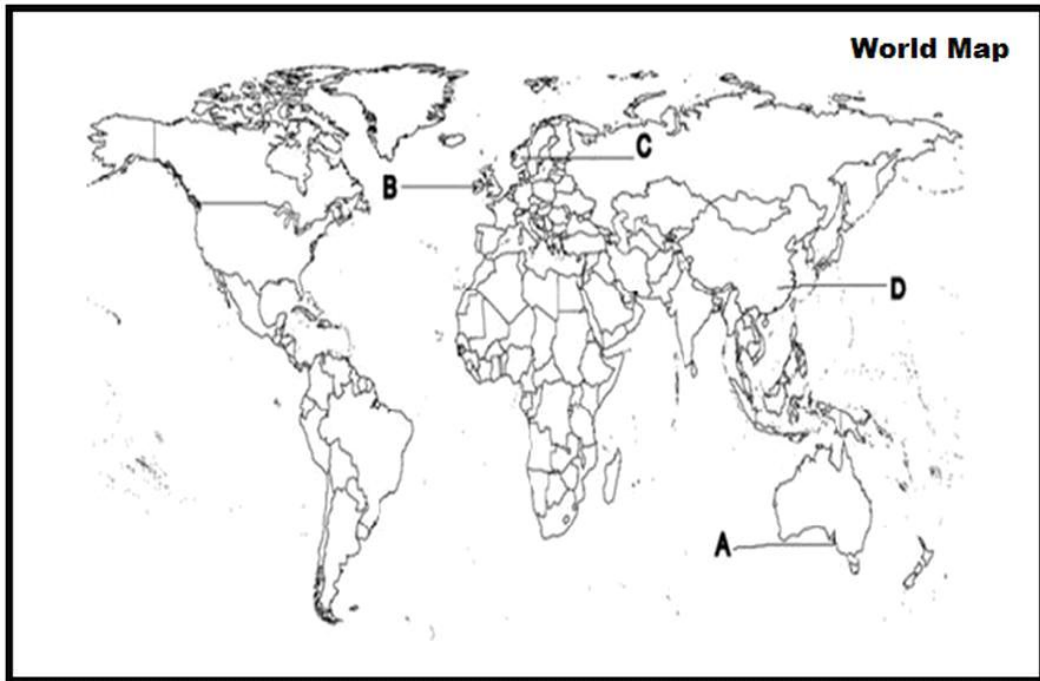


Fig. 2.2 b : Reasons for Female Migration by last Residence with Duration (0-9 years), India, 2001

- i. Which are the two major contributing factors in male and female migration
- ii. Name any one state where reverse female migration is noticed ?
- iii. Explain any three economic consequences of migration in India.

21. In the given political outline map of the world, four features are shown as A, B, C & D. Identify them with the help of the map legend and write their correct names on the line marked on the map. (5)

- A. An area of Extensive Commercial Grain Farming.
- B. A densely populated area in Western Europe.
- C. A country with the highest H. D. I. in the world.
- D. A country with dense rail network in Asia



22. On the given political outline map of India provided to you locate and label the following with appropriate-symbols (5)

- A. The Northern most International Airport.
- B. An Iron-ore mine in Chhattisgarh state.

C. A Software Technology park in North-East Region

