

## Chapter- 1

# India- Size and Location

**QUESTION BANK**

## India-Size and Location Very Short Questions:

Question 1.

The total length of the coastline of the mainland including Andaman and Nicobar and Lakshadweep is \_\_\_\_\_ .

Question 2.

The neighbouring countries that share their boundaries with India are \_\_\_\_\_ .

Question 3.

What is the longitudinal extent of India ?

Question 4.

What is the latitudinal extent of India ?

Question 5.

Which is the smallest state in India ?

Question 6.

The north-south extent of India is about \_\_\_\_\_ .

Question 7.

Which states does not share any international boundary ?

Question 8.

Which canal has reduced India's distance from Europe by 7,000 km ?

Question 9.

What influences the duration of the day and night as one moves from south to north ?

Question 10.

Which ocean has been named after a country ?

Question 11.

What is a strait ?

Question 12.

China is the \_\_\_\_\_ largest country in the world ?

Question 13.

From Gujarat to Arunachal Pradesh, the time lag is \_\_\_\_\_ .

Question 14.

The southernmost point of Indian mainland is \_\_\_\_\_ .

Question 15.

Suez Canal was opened in fke year.

Question 16.

India's total area account for about of the total geographical area of the world.

Question 17.

Which neighbouring country of India is an island ?

Question 18.

Name any two states of India that shares international boundaries.

Question 19.

State the types of states India had before 1947.

Question 20.

Which is the largest state (area-wise) of India ?

Question 21.

Name the Indian states which are situated on the eastern coast of India.

Question 22.

Name the Indian states which are situated on the western coast of India.

Question 23.

In which year did the Indira Point get submerged under the sea water ?

Question 24.

Name the state that share border with Myanmar.

Question 25.

Which meridian has been selected as the Standard Meridian of India ?

## India-Size and Location Questions Short

Question 1.

How does India occupy an important strategic position in South Asia ?

Question 2.

What is the name of the southernmost point of India ? Why is it not visible today ?

Question 3.

What is latitude? What is the latitudinal extent of India?

Question 4.

Which ocean is named after India ? Give two reasons as to why it was named after India.

Question 5.

Why is India called a subcontinent?

Question 6.

How have been mountain passes been helpful in India since historic times? Explain.

Question 7.

What is the latitudinal extent of India? How is the latitudinal spread in India advantageous to her?

Question 8.

Why do the days and nights are almost of equal duration at Kanniyakumari?

Question 9.

Why is the knowledge of latitude and longitude important for people?

Question 10.

What do you know about the neighbours of India?

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### Questions Long Answer Type Questions

Question 1.

How has the long coastline been beneficial to India?

Question 2.

What was the contribution of land routes to India in ancient times? Explain.

Question 3.

Write a note on the location and size of India.

## India-Size and Location –

**Map Skill: -**

1. In a political map of India locate 28 states and 8 union territories of India.
2. In a political map of India locate capitals of states of India and show neighboring countries of India.

**Identify and locate the following on the Physical Map of India: -**

3. The island groups of India lying in the Arabian Sea and the Bay of Bengal
4. The countries of Indian Subcontinent.
5. The states through which the Tropic of Cancer passes.
6. The northernmost latitude in degrees.
7. The southernmost latitude of the Indian mainland in degrees.
8. The eastern and the western-most longitude in degrees.
9. The place situated on the three seas.
10. The strait separating Sri Lanka from India.
11. The Gulfs of India