

Geo : Ch-3 : Drainage

Revision : Extra Q&A : P.T. 3

1. Where term the Brahmaputra originates?  
A. From Tibet

2. In which direction does the Brahmaputra flow?

A. The Brahmaputra flows in eastward direction parallel to the Himalayas.

3. What does the Brahmaputra do in Namcha Barwa?

A. The Brahmaputra reaching Namcha Barwa takes a U-turn & enters India in Arunachal Pradesh.

4. What is a river basin?

A. A river basin is meant by the area which is drained by a single river system. This is also known as drainage basin.

5. Name 2 saltwater lakes on the eastern coast of India.

A.a. The Chilka - in Orissa

b. The Pulicat - in Tamil Nadu

6. In which states does the Brahmaputra

flow in India?  
A.a. Arunachal Pradesh  
b. Assam

7. By which name Brahmaputra is known in Tibet?  
A. Tsangpo

8. Name the city located on the water divide between the Indus & Ganga.  
A. Ambatal

9. By which name the mainstream of Ganga is known in Bangladesh?  
A. Padma

10. When is the Ganga known as Tainuna?  
A. In Bangladesh where the Brahmaputra joins the Ganga, it is known, it is known as Jamuna.

11. Where does the Jhelum fall into the Indus?  
A. A little over Mithankot.

12. What is meant by the dendritic pattern of streams?

A. The dendritic pattern of streams indicates the streams resembling like the branches of a tree.

13. What is meant by the trellis?

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A. Trellis indicates the situation where the tributaries join the mainstream at the right angles.

14. What is meant by island drainage?

A. Island drainage refers to the rivers not reaching a ocean. Instead, they fall into a sea or lake within the land.

15. What is meant by a braided stream?

A. The braided stream is channel of a stream that has large island within it.

16. From which glacier does the Yamuna originate?

A. Yamunotri

17. Name the largest peninsular river of India.

A. Godavari

18. Name the tributaries of the river Krishna.

A.a. The Tungabhadra,

b. The Koyna,

c. The Ghatprabha,

d. The Musi,

e. The Bhima.

19. Name the states which fall into the drainage basin of the Narmada.

A.a. Maharashtra,

b. Karnataka,

c. Andhra Pradesh.

20. Which river originates from the Brahmagir range of the Western Ghats?

A. The Kaveri