

**Indian Population QUESTIONS**

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1) In which one of the following places is the Shompen tribe Found ?

- > Nilgiri Hills
- > Nicobar Islands
- > Spiti Valley
- > Lakshadweep Islands

**Answer:**

- > Nicobar Islands
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2) Consider the following statements-

1. Between Census 1951 and Census 2001, the density of the population of India has increased more than three times.

2. Between Census 1951 and Census, 2001 the annual growth rate (exponential) of the population of India has doubled

Which of the statements given above is/are correct ?

- > 1 only
- > 2 only
- > Both 1 and 2
- > Neither 1 nor 2

**Answer:**

- > Neither 1 nor 2
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3) In terms of billionaire population. Mumbai ranks at world level ?

- > Sixth
- > Fifth
- > Fourth
- > Seventh

**Answer:**

- > Seventh
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4) Assertion (A): Physiological density is preferable to arithmetic density as an index of population density.

Reason (R) : Physiological density is based on arableland while arithmetic density is based on total area.

- >Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A
- >Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
- >A is true but R is false
- >A is false but R is true

**Answer:**

- >A is false but R is true
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5) What percentage of India Population is below the official poverty line ?

- >Below 30%
- >30% to 35%
- >Above 35% but below 40%
- >Between 40% and 45%

**Answer:**

- >Below 30%
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6) The infant mortality rate of Bihar State is-

- >More than Jharkhand
- >Equal to Jharkhand
- >Less than Jharkhand
- >Equal to all India

**Answer:**

- >Less than Jharkhand
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7) Name the State Where density of population is the lowest:

- >Maghalaya
- >Mizoramq
- >Arunachal Pradesh
- >Sikkim

**Answer:**

- >Arunachal Pradesh
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8) Which State of India has recorded the highest rate of population growth in the last census (2001)?

- >Gujarat
- >Manipur
- >Nagaland
- >Haryana

**Answer:**  
>Nagaland

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9) What is the correct rank order of towns on the basis of population (2001) size ?

- >Greater Mumbai, Delhi, Kolkata, Bangalore, Chennai
- >Greater Mumbai, Delhi, Kolkata, Chennai; Bangalore
- >Kolkata, Greater Mumbai, Delhi, Chennai, Hyderabad
- >Delhi, Greater Mumbai, Kolkata, Chennai, Hyderabad

**Answer:**  
>Greater Mumbai, Delhi, Kolkata, Chennai; Bangalore

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10) Identify the Indian State which has the lowest sex ratio:

- >Haryana
- >Punjab
- >Uttar Pradesh
- >Arunachal Pradesh

**Answer:**  
>Haryana

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11) In India according to 2001 census, the general literacy rate is:

- >65.38%
- >52.21%
- >43.57%
- >34.45

**Answer:**  
>65.38%

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12) About one third of India's cattle population is found in three states. They are-----

- >Bihar, Maharashtra and Uttar Pradesh
- >Madhya Pradesh, West Bengal and Uttar Pradesh
- >Punjab, orissa and Rajasthan
- >Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka and Rajasthan

**Answer:**  
>Madhya Pradesh, West Bengal and Uttar Pradesh

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13) The largest tribal group of India is ?

- > Bhils
- > Gonds
- > Santhals
- > Tharus

**Answer:**

- > Gonds
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14) Which of the following tribes of India practice polyandry ?

1. Gonds 2. Nagas 3. Jainsaris 4. Todas

Select the correct answer from the codes given below:

- > 1 and 2
- > 2 and 3
- > 3 and 4
- > 1 and 4

**Answer:**

- > 3 and 4
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15) Which one of the following years is known as the Year of the Great Divide with regard to population, after which there has been a continuous and rapid growth in India's population ?

- > 1911
- > 1921
- > 1941
- > 1951

**Answer:**

- > 1921
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16) Among the following 4 cities (Principal Corporation ) which one has the least population as per 2001 census ?

- > Kanpur
- > Lucknow
- > Agra
- > Varanasi

**Answer:**

- > Varanasi
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17) Which of the following conditions determine an area as urban as given in the

**Census report of 2001? 1. Its minimum population will have to be 5,000.2. The minimum percentage of its working male population, engaged in non-agricultural work, will have to be 75.**

3. The density of its population will have to be at least 400 persons for sq. km.

4. It will have to have a minimum area of 10 sq. km.

Select the correct answer from the codes given below:

- > 1 and 2
- >1,2 and 3
- >2,3 and 4
- >All the four Statements

**Answer:**

- >1,2 and 3
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18)The percentage of urban population in India according to Census 2001, is?

- >20.8
- >25.7
- >27.3
- >27.8

**Answer:**

- >27.8
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19)Which one of the following Union Territories in India has the Sex ratio (number of females per 1000 males) above 1000 ?

- >Puducherry
- >Delhi
- >Chandigarh
- >Lakshadweep

**Answer:**

- >Puducherry
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20)Given below are two statements-

Assertion (A) : The dividing line between village and town begins to be passed with the presence of traders and manufacturers.

Reason(R): The traders and manufacturers wholly depend on village resources in the context of the above which one the following is correct ?

- >Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A)
- >Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A
- >A is True but R is false
- >A is false, but R is true

**Answer:**

>A is false, but R is true

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