## Practice Assignment -2

## Subject – Social Science

Class – 8th

Q1 Human beings are the greatest resource because they can develop and use all other resources present on the Earth. During ancient period, all the works were done manually, so the concept was simple that countries having more population was strong and powerful. But after the industrial revolution and with the advent of the modern technology, the trends changed.

(i)What is meant by population distribution?

(ii)Write only one non physical factor of population distribution.

(iii)The areas with harsh and unbearable climatic conditions are\_\_\_\_\_ populated.

(iv)How is the population of a country broadly divided?

Q2 From the ancient times, agriculture has been practiced by human beings. The term agriculture has its origin in the Latin words ager means field and cultura means culture or to cultivate. This agriculture refers mainly to tilling of fields for growing crops. There are many factors that influence agriculture of a region.

(i)Write any two factors that influence the agricultural.

(ii)Where is shifting cultivation practised?

(iii)In \_\_\_\_\_agriculture, crops are cultivated and livestock are react as the commodity to sell in the market.

(iv)Write only one feature of organic farming.

Q3 Primitive subsistence agriculture includes

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(a)Nomadic herding

(b)Shifting cultivation

(c)Both (a) and (b)

(d)None of the above

Q4 Which one out of the following wildlife species is found in the same region as the snow patrel?

- (a)Reindeer
- (b) Penguins
- (c)Polar Bear
- (d)Velds
- Q5 Answer the following questions:-
- (i)list the different types of forest.
- (ii)Briefly describe any one non conventional sources of energy.
- (iii)What are the main characteristics of minerals?
- (iv) Define Cottage Industry.
- (v) Throw a light on Multinational Corporations.
- (vi) Explain any three qualities of iron and steel industry.
- (vii) What do you understand by information technology?
- Q6 There are two statements marked as Assertion (A) and Reason (R).
- (i)Assertion (A) Bengaluru is the capital of Karnataka in India.

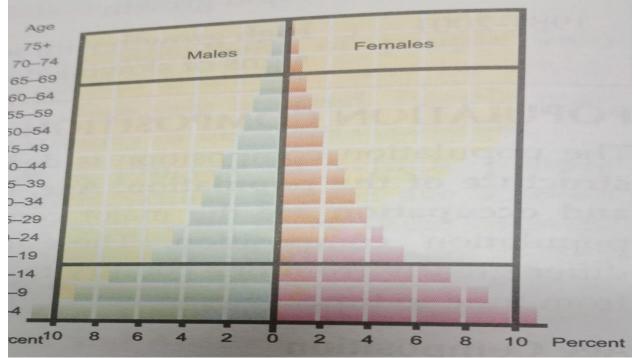
Reason (R) it is also called the Silicon Valley of India.

(ii))Assertion (A) In 1911, TISCO started iron production and in the year 1912, it started production of steel.

Reason (R) Osaka in Japan have extensive plains which is best suited for factories and mills.

(a)Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.

- (b)Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true, but R is false.
- (d)A is false, but R is true.
- Q7 Identify this image.



- (a) Population Pyramid of India
- (b) Population Pyramid of Kenya
- (c) Population Pyramid of Japan
- (d) Population Pyramid of Ladakh