

Commercial Geography (English Medium) - ICOM Part 2 Commercial Geography Chapter 30 Short Questions Preparation

Q1. Write down area of Pakistan according to Govt of Pakistan statistics ?

Ans 1: Pakistan covers an area of about 3,10,403 sq miles 7,96096 sq Km, making it nearly four times as large as Great Britain, or one fourth of the size of India. About (84000 sq Km/33000 sq miles) of "Gilgit-Baltistan" and Azad Kashmir administered by Pakistan since 1949, is not included in total area of Pakistan.

Q2. At the time of independence, how many Muslims were in the sub-continent ?

Ans 1: At the time of independence, there were 100 million Muslims in the sub-continent.

Q3. Write down about success achieved by Muslims of Sub-continent in 1908 ?

Ans 1: The year 1908 is milestone in the history of sub-continent. In this year separate electorate was accepted for Muslims on the Minto-Marlay agreement.

Q4. Write down length of border line common with Iran ?

Ans 1: Pakistan is bordered in the west with Iran, which is about 520 miles (823 km) long and was demarcated on 24th September 1872 A.D by captain Lovett.

Q5. Which province of Pakistan possesses largest area and mention percentage area of total area of Pakistan ?

Ans 1: Baluchistan province possesses 44.5 percent of the total area of Pakistan, ranking at the top among all the provinces of Pakistan.

Q6. Write down length of border of Pakistan with China ?

Ans 1: The Chinese territory of Sinkiang is situated in the north and northeast of (Gilgit) Pakistan. Its length is 370 miles (592 km). This border was demarcated in 1960.

Q7. Pakistan's southern border is common with whom and write down its length ?

Ans 1: The Arabian Sea lies in the south of our country. The southern coast is 600 miles (1000 km) long. Which is shared by the provinces of Sindh (300 km long) and Baluchistan (700 km).

Q8. Who demarcated Pakistan-India border & what is its length ?

Ans 1: In the East, Pakistan is bordered with India, this border was demarcated by "Sir Cyril Redcliffe". It is 1000 miles (1600km) long.

Q9. When did Pakistan-Afghanistan border was demarcated. Write down name and length of this border ?

Ans 1: In west, low lying dry hills separate Pakistan from Afghanistan. This border was demarcated in 1897 A.D (during British rule), it is 1400 miles (2240 km) long known as 'Durand line'.

Q10. According to 1998 census, what was population of Pakistan and which province was ranked at the top ?

Ans 1: According to 1998 census population of Pakistan was 13 crore 5 lakh and 80 thousand peoples, while today Pakistan's population is more than 160 million people. Punjab province ranks at the top in population and possesses 55.6 percent population of Pakistan.