

## Commercial Geography (English Medium) - ICOM Part 2 Commercial Geography Chapter 4 Short Questions Preparation

Q1. Write down number of Camel in the world and which country ranks at the top in Camel rearing ?

**Ans 1:** According to 2015, estimates 27.78 million Camels were counted and continent of Africa out rank all continents and Somalia (7.15 million) ranks at top position.

Q2. Name out most important animal among all domesticated animals of the world ?

**Ans 1:** Rearing cattle is most important among all animals. The cow has prominent position among all animals.

Q3. In which continent, buffalo has more importance ?

**Ans 1:** In the continents of Asia and Africa, buffalo has more importance, while in the continent of Asia its homeland is Indo-Pakistan, sub-continent.

Q4. What type of animal keeping is done in backward countries of the world ?

**Ans 1:** In backward countries of the world unorganized of nomadic herding is done for subsistence purpose.

Q5. In how many countries rearing of cow is being good ?

**Ans 1:** Cattle rearing is practice in 145 countries of the world for draft and food purpose.

Q6. In the world, why livestock is so different in Savanna and temperate grasslands ?

**Ans 1:** The livestock farming in Savanna and temperate grasslands is quite different. The reason is this that in both types of grass, soil, climate, living, economic conditions types of animals is quite different. Besides in Savanna people live at subsistence level and they depend upon animals earnings.

Q7. In developed countries how many percentage of diet is obtained from domesticated animals ?

**Ans 1:** It has been computed that, the developed countries people derive nearly 20 to 30 percent of their caloric requirements from animals they domesticate.

Q8. When commercial livestock farming started in the world ?

**Ans 1:** Commercial livestock farming started in the world, after industrial revolution. Temperate grasslands became in central place for commercial livestock framing.

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Q9. Write down economic importance of goats ?

**Ans 1:** Goats are reared for mutton, milk and skins. But Angora and Kashmiri goats are world famous for their silky woo, for manufacturing high quality products.

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Q10. When did domestication of cow started in the world ?

**Ans 1:** European cattle were first domesticated in south eastern Europe about 8,500 years ago. While brahman cattle were also domesticated at the same time in southern Asia or little later – in Indus valley.

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