Commercial Geography (English Medium) - ICOM Part 2 Commercial Geography Chapter 5 Short Questions Preparation

Q1. In which continent world's high birth rate, and high death rates takes place ?

Ans 1: The continent of Africa is least developed, therefore food deficiency, lack of medical facilities, and lack of education is the common feature is most of the African countries. In the continent high birth rate and high death rate is common characteristics in most of the countries.

Q2. China and India contribute, how much population of the world ?

Ans 1: Population of China and India is 36.5 percent of the total population of the world.

Q3. Write down expected world population in 2018 A.D.

Ans 1: According to United Nations population wing estimate in 2018 A.D world population will be 7.508 billion people.

Q4. Write down population growth rate of least and less developed countries of the world ?

Ans 1: According to latest (2016) estimates of world population growth rate is 1.5% and 2.5 percent in least and less-developed countries of the world.

Q5. Write down factors responsible for unequal distribution of population in the world ?

Ans 1: Human settlements are in the areas, where agriculture activity is common and enough food is available for human beings. Therefore most of the world population is living over 10 percent cultivated land of the earth and after industrial Revolution, due to industrialization these region has become more populated. In general, location, physical features, altitude, climate, soil type, natural vegetation, minerals and energy resources are such factors, which affect the distribution of population over the earth planet.

Q6. How many percent of world population is living in the Northern Hemisphere ?

Ans 1: About 90 percent of the world population is living in the Northern Hemisphere.

Q7. Write down, how many people were living in this world, 10 thousand years before.

Ans 1: Ten thousand years before, world's population was 50 to 80 lakhs people - 5 to 8 million people.

Q8. Write down characteristics of very thinly populated regions of the world and write their density of population ?

Ans 1: World's very thinly populated areas has only less than 10 persons per sq mile (less than 4 persons/sq km) population density. A vast area of the Earth surface is very thinly populated, which is more than 40 percent. The Arctic, the Antarctic and Tundra region experiences very low temperature and snow cover almost throughout the year. The desert areas - Sahara, Kalahari of Africa, the Atacama of Chile and Peru, the Great Australian Desert, Arabian Peninsula and Mongolian inner land is very thinly populated. The equatorial rain forests of the Amazon Basin, Congo basin and inner forests of the Indonesian archipelago are also very sparely populated.

Q9. According to population experts, when did man inhabited this earth planet ?

Ans 1: According to population experts, man is living on this earth planet since 20 to 50 lakh years 2to 5 million years.

Q10. Write down main characteristics of stationary population growth stage ?

Ans 1: A country reaches stage four of the demographic transition when the crude birthrate decline to the point where it equals the crude death rate. The natural increase rate approaches zero and is known as condition of Zero population Growth. Most of the European countries are passing through this stage.
