

Commercial Geography (English Medium) - ICOM Part 2 Commercial Geography Chapter 6 Short Questions Preparation

Q1. Write down, where U.S.A's oldest and great industrial region is located.

Ans 1: North-eastern region of U.S.A is oldest and biggest industrial region in United States.

Q2. Industrial manufacturing is what type of man's activity ?

Ans 1: Industrial manufacturing is secondary economic activity of man.

Q3. In which country and continent, the Rhine-Ruhr valley industrial region located ?

Ans 1: The Rhine-Ruhr valley industrial area is located in the western part of Europe which extends from France-Belgium's border to the Ruhr district of western Germany.

Q4. Write down importance of energy resources for development of Industries ?

Ans 1: Fuel is one of the pre-requisites is manufacturing units. Therefore, one cannot think about industries establishment without the availability of any power source-coal, petroleum, natural gas, hydel power, nuclear power etc.

Q5. Write down different types of Industries ?

Ans 1: Industries are very vast sector of manufacturing therefore these are divided into following different types (I) Cottage Industry (II) Community / local industries (III) Primary or Simple Industries (IV) Heavy Industries.

Q6. Define manufacturing industry and explain in with examples ?

Ans 1: Manufacturing is secondary activity, which involve transforming raw materials in to usable products, giving them from utility. In manufacturing process, utility of product increases and at least some amount of value is added to the raw material used. Producing machines from iron is one type of manufacturing

Q7. Define Cottage Industries, and explain it with examples ?

Ans 1: In Cottage industries or handicrafts are usually manufactured at house level often with hand with the help of house members. But in this modern industrial world, due to increasing demand in the world market, machines running with power are used in cottage industries. Cottage industries are in all countries of the world and millions people are associated with them.

Q8. Describe some important characteristics of heavy industries ?

Ans 1: In heavy industries products are manufactured at large scale, using heavy machines running with energy resources, to meet the demand of the international market. In heavy industries, hundreds, and thousands men work-skilled and un-skilled. Heavy amounts are required for establishing these industries. Iron and steel industry, petrol-chemical industry, textile industry are included in heavy industries. World's big industrial powers produce more than 80 to 90% manufacturing of the world.

Q9. Write down raw material used in cotton textile Industry ?

Ans 1: Cotton link is used in cotton textile industry, Today synthetic fiber is also being used.

Q10. In the world, at the beginning of Industrial Revolution, what was basic source of energy ?

Ans 1: At the beginning of Industrial Revolution, Coal was basic and big energy source in the world.
