

Ans. (c)

Q.24. How many states and Union Territories are there in India?

- (a) 28 states and 8 Union Territories including Delhi
- (b) 23 States and 12 Union Territories
- (c) 26 states and 9 Union Territories
- (d) 30 States and 5 Union Territories

Ans. (a)

Q.25. Which of the following ports of India is closest to the Suez Canal route?

- (a) Kolkata (b) Chennai (c) Kochi (d) Mumbai

Ans. (d)

Q.26. Which of the following is the oldest route of contact between India and other countries of the world?

- (a) Ocean routes (b) Maritime contact (c) Land routes (d) Air routes

Ans. (c)

Q.27. Due to which of the following reasons is the Indian Ocean named after India?

- (a) India has a strategic location along the trans-Indian Ocean routes
- (b) No other country has a long coastline on the Indian Ocean as India
- (c) India is centrally located at the head of the Indian Ocean
- (d) All the above Ans. (d)

Q.28. Which of the following longitudes is selected as the Standard Meridian for India? (CBSE 2010)

- (a)  $68^{\circ}7'E$  (b)  $82^{\circ}30'E$  (c)  $97^{\circ}25'E$  (d)  $23^{\circ}30'N$

Ans. (b)

Q.29. In which of the following places, would you find the least difference in the duration between day time and night time?

- (a) Kanniyakumari (b) Leh (c) Srinagar (d) Itanagar

Ans. (a)

Q.30. Tropic of Cancer passes through which of these states [2010 (T-1)]

- (a) Orissa (b) Tripura (c) Bihar (d) Punjab

Ans. (b)

Q.31. Which one of the following is the southern-most Latitude of India? [2010 (T-1)]

- (a)  $8^{\circ} 4'$  North (b)  $8^{\circ} 4'$  South (c)  $6^{\circ} 4'$  South (d)  $6^{\circ} 4'$  North

Ans. (c)

Q.32. The latitudinal extent of India lies between [2010 (T-1)]

- (a)  $7^{\circ} 5' N$  and  $26^{\circ} 5' N$  (b)  $8^{\circ} 4' N$  and  $37^{\circ} 6' N$
- (c)  $12^{\circ} 5' N$  and  $27^{\circ} 5' N$  (d)  $12^{\circ} 5' N$  and  $37^{\circ} 6' N$

Ans. (b)

Q.33. The Tropic of Cancer does not pass through [2010 (T-1)]