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We decided to write yet another series that generations after generations would relish reading. The series revolves around the General Knowledge and the book has been named ***'Objective General Knowledge Geography'***. It has been designed to meet the specific needs of candidates appearing in various competitive exams and entrance exams for jobs as well for higher learning.

This book has been created to remain evergreen. The dynamic variables, facts and figures that alter with time have not been included. The book contains **1000 plus objective questions** on all genres of general awareness on *Geography*. The primary goal is to provide updated questions on general knowledge.

The book is suggested as a guide for various competitive examinations such as:

- Civil Services (Union and State level)
- Staff Selection Commission (SSC)
- Institute of Banking Personnel Selection (IBPS)
- Defence Services – CDSE, NDA and other defence services
- Management Aptitude Test (MAT), Common Admission Test (CAT)
- Railway Recruitment Services and various other examinations

We hope that the book will be of immense help to the readers to upgrade their knowledge on various topics of general knowledge. We wish all aspirants good luck in all their future endeavours.

WORLD GEOGRAPHY

1. Which is the largest existing mangrove forest in the world?
(a) Sunderbans
(b) Alpine forests
(c) African forest
(d) Australian forest

2. Volcanic activity is more common in–
(a) Japan
(b) New Zealand
(c) Colombia
(d) Hawaii

3. In Geography, 'Gulf Stream' refers to –
(a) Strong air current
(b) Stream joining a gulf
(c) The name of a stream
(d) A warm ocean current

4. The equatorial forests of the Amazon Basin in South America are known as –
(a) Pampas (b) Taiga
(c) Selva (d) Tundra

5. The Sunda strait lies between –
(a) Java and Sumatra
(b) Sumatra and Borneo
(c) Sulawest and Java
(d) Java and Borneo

6. The largest freshwater lake in the world is –
(a) Lake Superior
(b) Lake Michigan
(c) Lake Victoria
(d) Lake Balkhash

7. The main reason for deforestation in Asia is –
(a) Excessive soil erosion
(b) Floods
(c) Excessive fuel wood collection
(d) Construction of roads

8. Which one of the following is called 'Ring of Fire'?
(a) Circum Pacific Belt
(b) Indian Ocean Belt
(c) Atlantic Ocean Belt
(d) Mid Continental Belt

9. Which country is the world's largest archipelago?
(a) Greenland (b) Sweden
(c) Indonesia (d) Philippines

10. Where is the Lake Superior, the largest fresh water lake in the world located?
(a) Russia (b) Brazil
(c) USA (d) Canada

11. Where are the most of the earth's active volcanoes concentrated?
(a) Europe
(b) Africa
(c) Pacific Ocean
(d) South America

12. Black forests are found in –
(a) Germany
(b) Rumania
(c) France
(d) Czechoslovakia

13. The Chinese river known as yellow river is –
(a) Sikiang
(b) Hwang-Ho
(c) Mekong
(d) Yang tse-Kiang

14. The world famous 'Serangeti Wildlife Sanctuary is located in–
(a) Uganda (b) Tanzania
(c) Zambia (d) Kenya

15. Through which of the given regions does the equator run?
(a) India (b) Arabia
(c) China (d) Africa

16. The Strait that connects Red Sea and Mediterranean Sea is–
(a) Palk Strait
(b) Bering Strait
(c) Panama Strait
(d) Suez Strait

17. Which of the following country has the longest overland tunnel?
(a) France
(b) Switzerland
(c) Spain
(d) Germany

18. Llanos are the grasslands of –
(a) Argentina
(b) Chile
(c) Guyana Highlands
(d) Brazillian Highlands

19. Which is the hottest place on the earth?
(a) Jacobabad – Pakistan
(b) Atacama – Peru
(c) Death Valley – California
(d) El – Azizia – Libya

20. The longest river of Europe is–
(a) Rhine (b) Volga
(c) Rhone (d) Denube

21. Sahara is located in which part of Africa?
(a) Eastern (b) Southern
(c) Western (d) Northern

22. Which of the following cities is the capital of the desert country Mali?
(a) Bamako (b) Adra
(c) Ankara (d) Damascus

23. Which is the longest mountain chain on Earth?
(a) Himalayan Range
(b) Andes Mountain
(c) Mid-Atlantic Range
(d) Western Cordillera

24. The equal length of day and night on September 23rd in all parts of world is known as –
(a) Winter Equinox
(b) Celestial Equinox
(c) Autumnal Equinox
(d) Vernal Equinox

25. Which one of the following is the highest gravity dam in the world?
(a) Nangal Dam
(b) Bhakra Dam
(c) Hirakud Dam
(d) Beas Dam

26. Which of the following rivers flow in Germany?
(a) Volga (b) Thames
(c) Seine (d) Denube

27. Where is 'Ground Zero'?
(a) New York
(b) Shriharikota
(d) Indira point
(d) Greenwich

28. The river which has a greater flow of water than any other river in the world is –
(a) River Nile
(b) River Amazon
(c) River Hwang-Ho
(d) River Zaire

29. The Victoria Falls are on the river –
(a) Niger (b) Congo
(c) Orange (d) Zambezi

30. Which one of the following is the largest lake in the world?
(a) Lake Victoria
(b) Lake Superior
(c) Caspian Sea
(d) Lake Baikal

31. The canal which links Atlantic Ocean with Pacific Ocean is –
(a) Malacca (b) Panama
(c) Suez (d) Gibralter

32. Source of river Nile is –
(a) Lake Tanganyika
(b) Lake Victoria
(c) Lake Nassir
(d) Lake Chad

33. 'Grand Canyon' is on the river
(a) Columbia (b) Colorado
(c) Mississippi (d) Ohio

34. The longest river in the world is –
(a) Nile
(b) Amazon
(c) Ganga
(d) Brahmaputra

35. Lake formed by Aswan river in Africa is –
(a) Nassar (b) Victoria
(c) Chad (d) Tangenyika

36. Grassland is called 'Pampas' in –
(a) The USA
(b) United Kingdom
(c) South America
(d) Africa

37. The Strait of Gibraltar is situated in the –
(a) Indian Peninsula
(b) Arabian Peninsula
(c) Cape York peninsula
(d) Iberian Peninsula

38. Which of the following volcanoes is situated in Mexico?
(a) Etna (b) Purace
(c) Semeru (d) Colima

39. Dykes are especially constructed in –
(a) Holland
(b) France
(c) Norway
(d) United Kingdom

40. The deepest trench of the world 'The Mariana Trench' is located in the –
(a) Arctic Ocean
(b) Pacific Ocean
(c) Atlantic Ocean
(d) Indian Ocean

41. Where is Normandy beach located?
(a) Belgium
(b) Spain
(c) France
(d) Netherlands'

42. The largest delta of the world is–
(a) Amazon Basin
(b) Greenland
(c) Congo Basin
(d) Sunderbans

43. The world's largest island is –
(a) Ice land
(b) Green land
(c) Madagascar
(d) New Guinea

44. The continent through which the imaginary lines of Tropic of Cancer, Tropic of Capricon and Equator pass is –
(a) Asia (b) Australia
(c) Africa (d) Europe

45. 'Dead Sea' is called so because–
(a) It has no waves
(b) The water is brackish
(c) It is not favourable for navigation
(d) It does not support any aquatic life

46. Fishing grounds of the world are found in areas where?
(a) High stormy wave occurs
(b) Low tides occur
(c) High tides occur
(d) Warm & Cold currents meet

47. The pacific 'Ring of Fire' is –
(a) An area of intense heat in the pacific
(b) A volcanic belt around the Pacific
(c) An area of constant forest fires in the pacific island
(d) Island rich in fuel minerals in the pacific

48. Cape code is located near –
(a) Boston
(b) Florida
(c) Washington
(d) Philadelphia

49. The Malanesian Island group lies in the –
(a) Indian Ocean
(b) Pacific Ocean
(c) Arctic Ocean
(d) Atlantic Ocean

50. Selvas are –
(a) Coniferous forests of Siberia
(b) Huge Canadian forests
(c) Evergreen monsoon forests
(d) Equatorial rain forests of Brazil

51. Colorado in USA is famous for which landform?
(a) Grand Crators
(b) Grand Canyon
(c) Great Valleys
(d) Great Basins

52. Which two countries are connected by an underwater tunnel?
(a) France and England
(b) England and Belgium
(c) Malaysia and Singapore
(d) England and Spain

53. Which one of the following parts of the world does not receive rainfall any time of the year?
(a) Central Europe
(b) Polar regions
(c) Sub - Saharan areas
(d) Central North America

54. The temperate grasslands of North America are known as –
(a) Prairies (b) Down
(c) Steppes (d) Pampas

55. The longest Coral Reef in the world is found near the coast of –
(a) Sri Lanka
(b) Brazil
(c) Cuba
(d) Australia

56. The Coast of Norway is an example of –
(a) Fiord coast
(b) Emerged coast
(c) Ria coast
(d) Dalmatian coast

57. The region famous for many kinds of wine and champagne is –
(a) Western Europe
(b) Glass land
(c) Eastern Europe
(d) Mediterranean

58. The Sunda Trench is in –
(a) Atlantic Ocean
(b) Pacific Ocean
(c) Indian Ocean
(d) Gulf of Mexico

59. Which among the following is an abiotic factor –
(a) Moisture (b) Insects
(c) Rodents (d) Mites

60. Cuba is the largest producer of–
(a) Rice (b) Sugar
(c) Wheat (d) Barley

61. World's largest producer of coffee is –
(a) Brazil (b) India
(c) Peru (d) Argentina

62. Largest producer of Bauxite in the world is –
(a) Jamaica (b) Australia
(c) Chile (d) U. S. A.

63. The leading producer of rice is–
(a) China (b) India
(c) Burma (d) Pakistan

64. The producer of world's Mica is –
(a) U. K. (b) India
(c) U. S. A. (d) Canada

65. The largest producer of wool in the world is –
(a) China
(b) New Zealand
(c) Australia
(d) Argentina

66. The largest producer of gold in the world is –
(a) Canada
(b) Russia
(c) South Africa
(d) Australia

67. The leading producer of aluminum in the world is –
(a) U. S. A. (b) Jamaica
(c) Venezuela (d) Guinea

68. The greatest producer of apples in the world is –
(a) China (b) India
(c) Russia (d) U.S. A.

69. Which country is the largest producer of Timber?
(a) Brazil
(b) Sweden
(c) Nigeria
(d) United States

70. Which of the following is the major copper producer country?
(a) Chile (b) Russia
(c) Sri Lanka (d) Indonesia

71. The world's largest producer of desalinated sea water is –
(a) Iran
(b) Iraq
(c) Kuwait
(d) Saudi Arbia

72. Which one of following countries is the largest producer of Uranium in the world?
(a) U.S. A.
(b) Canada
(c) Namibia
(d) South Africa

73. Which is the largest metals trading centre?
(a) London
(b) Singapore
(c) New York
(d) Johannesburg

74. Birmingham in U. K. is famous for –
(a) Sugar industry
(b) Paper industry
(c) Aluminium industry
(d) Iron and Steel Industry

75. The biggest oil Spill in world history took place in the –
(a) Caspian Sea
(b) Persian Gulf
(c) South China Sea
(d) Mediterranean Sea

76. Which of the following is the world's largest mining port –
(a) Pardon
(b) Hed land
(c) Hamilton
(d) Nhava Sheva

77. Which one of the following countries has no mineral deposits?
(a) Norway
(b) Austria
(c) Sri Lanka
(d) Switzerland

78. Which of the following countries is not exporter of tea?
(a) India
(b) Kenya
(c) Sri Lanka
(d) United Kingdom

79. The most populous and oil-rich country in Africa is –
(a) Kenya (b) Sudan
(c) Nigeria (d) Uganda