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Class Xth

Subject geography

Ch:Lifeline of Indian Economy

Read the following question and answer throughly and try to understand and Write down in your H.W.Copy :

Question-11

Name the places, which will be connected by golden quadrilateral Expressway highways.

Solution:

Golden Quadrilateral, connecting Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai, Kolkata and Delhi, will have a length of 5846 km.

Question-12

Write the advantages of pipeline transportation for petroleum and natural gas.

Solution:

Pipelines are now used for transportation of crude oil, petroleum products and natural gas from oil and natural gas fields to refineries, fertilizer factories and big thermal power plants. Such thermal power plants can now be constructed in a much shorter time and very close to their markets.

Question-13

Name any four international airports of India.

Solution:

Chennai, Kolkata, Delhi and Bombay

Question-14

Name two inland waterways of India.

Solution:

1. The Ganga river,between Allahabad and Haldia (1620 km).
- 2.The Brahmaputra river, between Sadiya
3. Dhubri (891 km).
4. The West-coast canal, between Kollam and Kottayam (168 km).

Question-15

Name the major ports on the east coast of India

Solution:

Kolkata/Haldia, Paradip, Vishakhapatnam, Chennai, Ennore and Tuticorin are the major ports located on the east coast of India.

Question-16

Name the states where Mormugao, New Mangalore, Paradip and Tuticorin ports are located.

Solution:

Mormugao – Goa

New Mangalore – Karnataka

Paradip – Andhra Pradesh

Tuticorin – Tamil Nadu

Question-17

Name three means of mass communication.

Solution:

Books, magazines and newspapers are the three means of communication.

Question-18

What is meant by favourable balance of trade? Whether India's foreign trade is favourable?

Solution:

If the value of exports is more than the value of imports, it is called a favourable balance of trade.

Question-19

Distinguish between Personal Communication and Mass Communication.

Solution:

Personal Communication is the means of communication between individuals.

Mass Communication is the means of communication reaching up to the masses, including doordarshan, radio, press, films, etc. Mass communication plays a vital role in creating awareness among the people about various national programmes and policies.

Question-20

Describe the importance of communication in modern days.

Solution:

Modern life is so complex that one has to depend on others. The same is true of the countries as well. No country today can prosper without the co-operation and assistance of others. This requires movement of goods and materials between countries. Trade provides us with our necessities and also adds to amenities and comfort of life

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