



BOARD QUESTION PAPER: JULY 2024

GEOGRAPHY

Time: 2 Hours**Max. Marks: 40****Important instructions:**

- (1) All questions/activities are compulsory.
- (2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- (3) For Q.N. 4 (A) use supplied outline map of Brazil and tie it to your answer book.
- (4) For Q.N. 6 (A) use the graph paper supplied to you and attach it to the main answer book.
- (5) Use of stencil is allowed for drawing map.
- (6) Draw neat diagrams and sketches wherever necessary.
- (7) Answers should be written in Black or Blue ink only.
- (8) Use of Pencil/Colour Pencil is allowed for drawing diagrams, sketches and map work.
- (9) Answers written with pencil will not be considered.

Q.1. Complete the following sentences by choosing the appropriate alternatives from those given and rewrite the sentences in your answer-book : [4]

1. Visiting a given place and gaining first hand information is known as _____.
(i) Field visit (ii) Health tourism
(iii) Census (iv) House visit
2. India is famous for _____ all over the world.
(i) Oilseeds (ii) Coffee
(iii) Cocoa (iv) Spices
3. Brazil is the most populated country in the _____ continent.
(i) North America (ii) Asia
(iii) South America (iv) Australia
4. The Indian Standard Time is ahead by _____ from the Greenwich Meridian Time.
(i) 5 Hours 15 Minutes (ii) 5 Hours 30 Minutes
(iii) 5 Hours 45 Minutes (iv) 6 Hours 30 Minutes

Q.2. Identify the wrong pair: [4]

1. (i) Amazon river basin – North of Brazil
(ii) Puraguaco river basin – West of Brazil
(iii) Sao Francisco river basin – East of Brazil
(iv) Paraguay and Parana river basin – South-West of Brazil
2. (i) Climate of India – Monsoon
(ii) North of Brazil – Equator
(iii) Centre of India – Tropic of Capricorn
(iv) East of Brazil – Atlantic Ocean
3. (i) Country with low sex ratio – India
(ii) Country with higher literacy – Brazil
(iii) Country with higher proportion of youth – Brazil
(iv) The country with lower proportion of the old age people – India



4. (i) Gateway of India – Mumbai
- (ii) Ajanta Caves – Aurangabad
- (iii) Taj Mahal – New Delhi
- (iv) Kolkata – Major port of India

Q.3. Write short notes (any two):

[4]

1. India-location and extent.
2. Escarpment.
3. Importance of Indian Ocean.

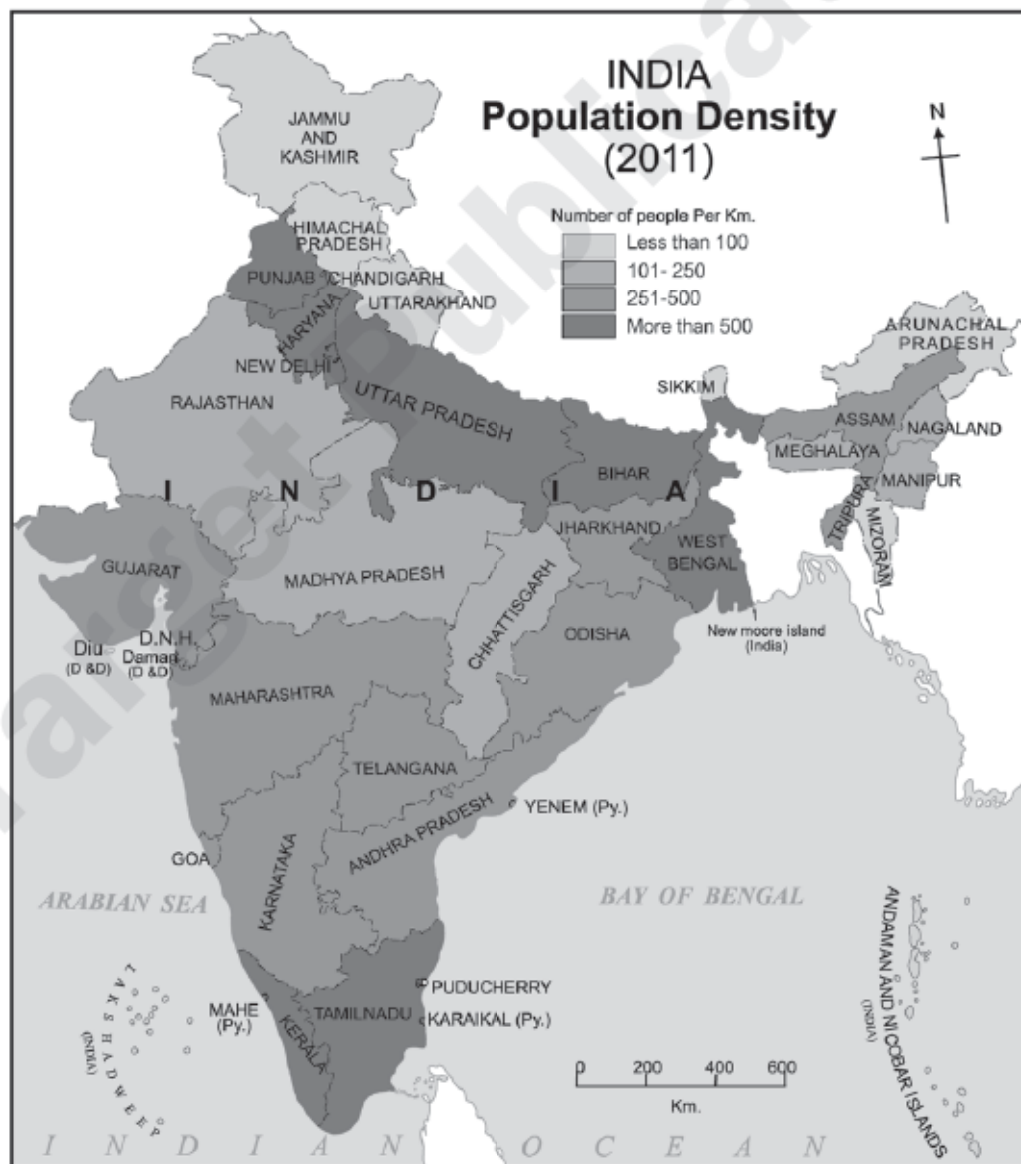
Q.4 (A) Mark the following in the outline map of Brazil supplied to you, write the names and give index (any four):

[4]

1. Rio Grande Airport
2. Manaus Port
3. Grasslands of Pampas
4. Caatinga
5. Marajo Island
6. North Atlantic Ocean.

(B) Observe the given map and answer the question given below it (any four):

[4]



Questions:

1. What does the map show?
2. Name any *two* states with less than 100 people per sq. km.
3. Write the population density of Madhya Pradesh.
4. Name any *two* Southern states with more than 500 people per sq. km.
5. Write the density of Mizoram state.

Q.5. Give geographical reasons for the following (any *two*):

[6]

1. India is a major trading partner for other countries of the world.
2. Brazil does not receive snowfall.
3. Settlements are sparse in North-Eastern Brazil.
4. Telecom industry has become one of the fastest growing sector in India.

Q.6 (A) With the help of given statistical data, prepare a simple bar graph and answer the following questions :

[6]

India-Trend of Urbanisation

Years	Trend of Urbanisation %
1961	18.0
1971	18.2
1981	23.3
1991	25.7
2001	27.8
2011	31.2

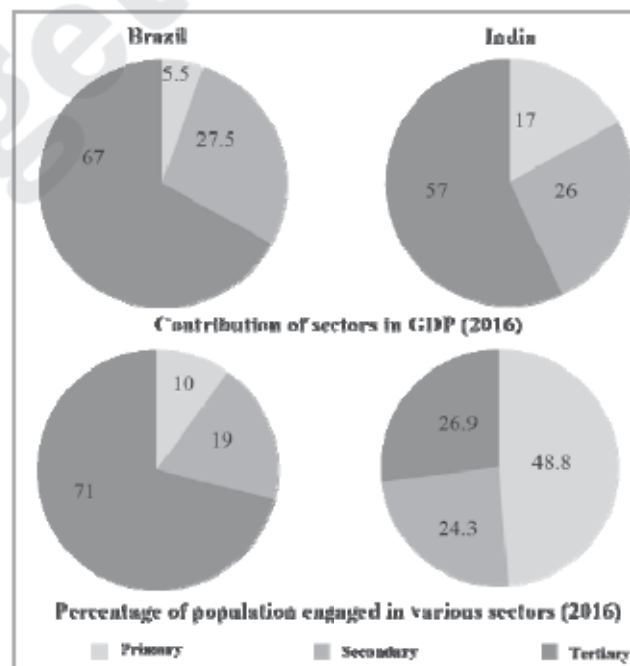
Questions:

1. In which decade was urbanisation the highest?
2. By how much percentage did urbanisation increase between 1981 to 1991?
3. In which decade was the growth of urbanisation lowest?

OR

(B) Observe the following figures and answer the questions given below them :

[6]



**Questions:**

1. Which country has a higher percentage of population engaged in primary activities?
2. In which country is the contribution of tertiary sector greater in GDP?
3. In which country is the share of secondary activities more in the G.D.P?
4. What is the contribution of secondary sector in India's G.D.P.?
5. By how much percent is the tertiary sector of Brazil higher than India in its G.D.P.?
6. Name the sector of India which contributes less in GDP but more in population.

Q.7. Answer the following questions in detail (any two):**[8]**

1. What is field visit? What precautions you will take when you visit a sea coast?
2. Write detailed information on Himalayan Mountains.
3. What are the major causes of degradation of forest in Brazil and India?

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