

## CHAPTER-3 | Drainage

QUIZ  
PART-05

1. In which state is Wular Lake located?

- A. Rajasthan
- B. Uttar Pradesh
- C. Punjab
- D. Jammu and Kashmir (D)

**Explanation:** Wular Lake is situated in Jammu and Kashmir and is the largest freshwater lake in India.

2. The Narmada River originates from which region?

- A. Satpura
- B. Brahmagiri
- C. Amarkantak
- D. Western Ghats (C)

**Explanation:** The Narmada has its source in the Amarkantak hills of Madhya Pradesh.

3. Which one of the following is a saltwater lake?

- A. Sambhar
- B. Dal
- C. Wular
- D. Gobind Sagar (A)

**Explanation:** Sambhar Lake in Rajasthan is a saltwater lake, famous for salt production.

4. Which is the longest river of Peninsular India?

- A. Narmada
- B. Krishna
- C. Godavari
- D. Mahanadi (C)

**Explanation:** The Godavari is the longest river of Peninsular India and is also called Dakshin Ganga.

5. Which one of the following rivers flows through a rift valley?

- A. Mahanadi
- B. Tungabhadra
- C. Krishna
- D. Tapi (D)

**Explanation:** Both the Narmada and Tapi rivers flow through rift valleys in the Peninsular Plateau.

6. What is meant by a water divide?

- A. A region where lakes are formed
- B. An elevated area separating two drainage basins
- C. A delta formed by rivers
- D. A river that flows in two directions (B)

**Explanation:** A water divide is an upland or mountain area that separates two drainage basins; Ambala is an example.

7. Where does the Ganga originate from?

- A. Mansarowar Lake
- B. Yamunotri Glacier
- C. Gangotri Glacier
- D. Narmada Hills (C)

**Explanation:** The Ganga originates from the Gangotri Glacier in Uttarakhand, with the Bhagirathi as its headstream.

8. Which two rivers flow through troughs in the Peninsular Plateau?

- A. Godavari and Krishna
- B. Narmada and Tapi
- C. Mahanadi and Kaveri
- D. Damodar and Subarnarekha (B)

**Explanation:** The Narmada and Tapi rivers flow through rift valleys or troughs.

9. Which lake is an artificial one created by human beings?

- A. Dal Lake
- B. Loktak Lake
- C. Bhimtal Lake
- D. Gobind Sagar (D)

**Explanation:** Gobind Sagar is an artificial lake created by the Bhakra Nangal Project.

10. Which rivers are examples of east-flowing rivers of the Peninsular Plateau?

- A. Narmada and Tapi
- B. Godavari, Krishna, Kaveri
- C. Sabarmati and Mahi
- D. Periyar and Mandovi (B)

**Explanation:** East-flowing rivers such as the Godavari, Krishna, and Kaveri flow into the Bay of Bengal and form deltas.