

CHAPTER-1 | India – Size And Location

QUIZ-01

1. What is the longitudinal extent of India?

- A. $68^{\circ}7'N$ to $97^{\circ}25'N$
- B. $68^{\circ}7'E$ to $97^{\circ}25'E$
- C. $8^{\circ}4'N$ to $37^{\circ}6'N$
- D. $82^{\circ}30'E$ to $97^{\circ}25'E$ (B)

Explanation: India's longitudinal extent ranges from $68^{\circ}7'E$ to $97^{\circ}25'E$.

2. The Tropic of Cancer passes through which of the following states?

- A. Odisha
- B. Tripura
- C. Punjab
- D. Kerala (B)

Explanation: The Tropic of Cancer passes through Tripura, not through Odisha, Punjab, or Kerala.

3. What is the total area of India?

- A. 2.4 million square km
- B. 3.28 million square km
- C. 5.12 million square km
- D. 4.6 million square km (B)

Explanation: The landmass of India covers 3.28 million square kilometers.

4. What is the time lag between Arunachal Pradesh and Gujarat?

- A. One hour
- B. Three hours
- C. Two hours
- D. Four hours (C)

Explanation: There is a two-hour time difference due to the longitudinal spread from east to west.

5. Which group of islands lies in the Arabian Sea?

- A. Andaman and Nicobar
- B. Lakshadweep
- C. Maldives
- D. Sri Lanka (B)

Explanation: The Lakshadweep Islands are located in the Arabian Sea.

6. Which point in India got submerged in the 2004 tsunami?

- A. Kanyakumari
- B. Indira Point
- C. Lakshadweep
- D. Port Blair (B)

Explanation: Indira Point, the southernmost tip of India, submerged during the 2004 tsunami.

7. Which of the following countries does not share a land boundary with India?

- A. Bangladesh
- B. Nepal
- C. Bhutan
- D. Tajikistan (D)

Explanation: Tajikistan does not share a land boundary with India, unlike the other three.

8. Which country lies to the south of Lakshadweep Islands?

- A. Myanmar
- B. Maldives
- C. Indonesia
- D. Sri Lanka (B)

Explanation: The Maldives lies to the south of the Lakshadweep Islands.

9. Which states share a boundary with China?

- A. Punjab and Haryana
- B. Sikkim and Arunachal Pradesh
- C. Madhya Pradesh and Odisha
- D. Goa and Kerala (B)

Explanation: States like Sikkim and Arunachal Pradesh share international borders with China.

10. What feature gives India a central location between East and West Asia?

- A. The Deccan Plateau
- B. The Indian Ocean
- C. The Himalayas
- D. The Ganges River (B)

Explanation: India's location in the Indian Ocean between East and West Asia gives it a central position in trade routes.