

## CHAPTER-6 | Manufacturing Industries

QUIZ  
PART-01

1. Which of the following activities is classified as a secondary activity?

- A. Growing crops                      B. Manufacturing cars  
C. Fishing                                D. Mining bauxite                      (B)

**Explanation:** Manufacturing involves transforming raw materials into finished goods, which is a secondary activity.

2. What is the main role of Basic or Key Industries?

- A. Produce goods for direct consumer use  
B. Supply raw materials to manufacture other goods  
C. Export finished goods  
D. Provide financial services                      (B)

**Explanation:** Basic or Key Industries supply their products as raw materials to other industries.

3. Which of the following is NOT considered an agro-based industry?

- A. Cotton textile                      B. Rubber  
C. Iron & Steel                      D. Sugar                      (C)

**Explanation:** Iron & Steel is a mineral-based industry, not agro-based.

4. Which of the following industries is an example of a heavy industry?

- A. Textile industry  
B. Sugar industry  
C. Electrical goods industry  
D. Iron and steel industry                      (D)

**Explanation:** Heavy industries involve large and heavy raw materials and products, such as iron and steel.

5. What is the capital investment limit for a small-scale industry?

- A. Less than Rs. 50 lakhs  
B. Less than Rs. 1 crore  
C. Rs. 1 crore to Rs. 5 crores  
D. More than Rs. 10 crores                      (B)

**Explanation:** Small-scale industries have a capital investment limit of up to Rs. 1 crore.

6. Which sector involves industries owned and operated by government agencies?

- A. Private Sector                      B. Joint Sector  
C. Public Sector                      D. Cooperative Sector (C)

**Explanation:** Public sector industries are owned and run by the government, such as BHEL and SAIL.

7. What kind of raw materials do light industries typically use?

- A. Heavy minerals  
B. Raw metals  
C. Light raw materials  
D. Radioactive elements                      (C)

**Explanation:** Light industries use lightweight raw materials to produce goods like electronics.

8. Which industry is commonly found in the cooperative sector in Kerala?

- A. Cement industry  
B. Iron & steel industry  
C. Coir industry  
D. Oil refinery                      (C)

**Explanation:** The coir industry in Kerala is operated under the cooperative sector by local producers.

9. What is a key reason manufacturing is considered the backbone of economic development?

- A. It increases exports only  
B. It helps modernize agriculture and generate jobs  
C. It only supports urban development  
D. It increases inflation                      (B)

**Explanation:** Manufacturing modernizes agriculture, reduces dependency on it, and creates employment in other sectors.

10. Which of the following is an example of a mineral-based industry?

- A. Sugar                      B. Cotton textile  
C. Tea                      D. Cement                      (D)

**Explanation:** Cement is produced using mineral inputs and is classified as a mineral-based industry.