

## CHAPTER-1 | India – Size and Location

QUIZ  
PART-03

1. The Tropic of Cancer does not pass through which of the following states?

A. Rajasthan  
B. Chhattisgarh  
C. Odisha  
D. Tripura (C)

**Explanation:** The Tropic of Cancer does not pass through Odisha.

2. What is the easternmost longitude of India?

A.  $97^{\circ}25'E$   
B.  $77^{\circ}6'E$   
C.  $68^{\circ}7'E$   
D.  $82^{\circ}32'E$  (A)

**Explanation:** The easternmost longitude of India is  $97^{\circ}25'E$ .

3. Uttarakhand, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, West Bengal and Sikkim share common frontiers with which country?

A. China  
B. Nepal  
C. Bhutan  
D. Myanmar (B)

**Explanation:** These states share their borders with Nepal.

4. Kavaratti is located in which Union Territory?

A. Puducherry  
B. Andaman and Nicobar  
C. Lakshadweep  
D. Daman and Diu (C)

**Explanation:** Kavaratti is the capital of Lakshadweep.

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

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

**Explanation:** Tajikistan does not share a land boundary with India.

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

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

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

7. Which island group of India lies to its south-east?

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

**Explanation:** The Andaman and Nicobar Islands lie to the south-east of mainland India.

8. Which countries are larger than India in area?

A. Russia, Canada, China, Australia, Brazil, USA  
B. Russia, Canada, USA, China, Brazil, Australia  
C. Russia, USA, Brazil, China, Canada, Australia  
D. Russia, China, Brazil, USA, Canada, Australia (B)

**Explanation:** Countries larger than India are Russia, Canada, USA, China, Brazil, and Australia.

9. Which island countries are India's southern neighbours?

A. Maldives and Indonesia  
B. Sri Lanka and Indonesia  
C. Sri Lanka and Maldives  
D. Maldives and Mauritius (C)

**Explanation:** Sri Lanka and Maldives are India's southern neighbours.

10. Why does the sun rise two hours earlier in Arunachal Pradesh than in Gujarat, but watches show the same time?

A. Because Gujarat is at higher altitude  
B. Because Arunachal Pradesh follows its own time zone  
C. Because the Standard Meridian of India is used for uniform time  
D. Because Arunachal Pradesh is on the Equator (C)

**Explanation:** The Standard Meridian of India ( $82^{\circ}30'E$ ) is used as the standard time for the entire country despite longitudinal differences.