

## Chapter-1 Resources and Development

### 1. MCQ

- a. In which of the following states terrace cultivation is practiced?
  - i. Punjab
  - ii. Haryana
  - iii. Plains of Uttar Pradesh
  - iv. Uttarakhand
- b. Which of the following determine the creation of a resource?
  - i. Nature and technology
  - ii. Nature human beings and technology
  - iii. Nature and human beings
  - iv. Technology and human beings
- c. In which state will you find predominant black soil?
  - i. Maharashtra
  - ii. Rajasthan
  - iii. Jharkhand
  - iv. Tamilnadu
- d. What type of resource is Iron Ore?
  - i. Renewable
  - ii. Non renewable
  - iii. Biotic
  - iv. Flow

### 2. Give one word for the following-

- a. These resources are composed of Non-living things known as \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Minerals and fossil fuels are example of such resources. \_\_\_\_\_
- c. This is the widely accepted strategy for judicious use of resources. \_\_\_\_\_
- d. These soils are widely spread in Northern part of India. \_\_\_\_\_

### 3. Fill in the blanks.

- a. Black soil is also known as \_\_\_\_\_
- b. First International Earth Summit was held in \_\_\_\_\_
- c. \_\_\_\_\_ is a declaration signed by the world leaders in 1992 at UNCED.
- d. \_\_\_\_\_ wrote 'Small is Beautiful' which aims at Resource Conservation.

### 4. Answer the following questions.

- a. Define sustainable development.
- b. How can the problem of land degradation be solved?
- c. *"India is rich in certain types of resources but deficient in some other resources."* Do you agree with the statement? Support your answer with examples.
- d. Distinguish between Khadar and Bhangar.
- e. What are the problems faced due to indiscriminate use of resources?
- f. Distinguish between Net Sown Area and Gross Cropped area.
- g. Name the soil type which is widely found in Western Rajasthan. Explain two important characteristics of this soil type which makes it unsuitable for cultivation.
- h. *"Conservation of resource is vital for development."* Give one example regarding the statement.