



### MORE QUESTIONS SOLVED

Question 1. Choose the correct option.

- (i) Which of these is not a resource?
  - (a) the Indian Prime Minister
  - (b) your Geography book
  - (c) a small piece of paper
  - (d) none of these
- (ii) Which of these does not have economic worth but is valuable?
  - (a) shoes
  - (b) mountains
  - (c) coal
  - (d) none of these
- (iii) The types of resources on basis of stock are
  - (a) ubiquitous and localised
  - (b) actual and potential
  - (c) renewable and non-renewable
  - (d) abiotic and biotic
- (iv) Which of the following is a non-renewable resource?
  - (a) solar energy
  - (b) water
  - (c) soil
  - (d) natural gas
- (v) Which of these is an example of sustainable development?
  - (a) ignoring the lights when they are switched on but not required
  - (b) not wasting paper
  - (c) using coal and petroleum deposits at a fast pace
  - (d) none of these

Answer. (i) (d), (ii) (b), (iii) (c), (iv) (d), (v) (b).

Question 2. Fill in the blank spaces given to complete each sentence.

- (i) A substance becomes a resource if it has .....
- (ii) ..... and ..... are two important factors which make a substance a resource.
- (iii) On the basis of level of development, resources are classified into ..... and .....
- (iv) An actual resource to crazy might have been a ..... resource some time ago.
- (v) Windmills generate .....energy which is a resource because it will never end up.
- (vi) Although renewable resources can be replenished, we should be ..... regarding their use.
- (vii) Coal and petroleum are examples of ..... resources.
- (viii) Air is a ubiquitous resource since it is found .....
- (ix) Physical factors affecting the presence of a localised resource are ..... , ..... and .....
- (x) Using resources carefully and giving them time to get renewed is called .....

Answer:

- (i) utility
- (ii) time, technology
- (iii) actual, potential
- (iv) potential
- (v) wind, renewable

- (vi) careful
- (vii) non-renewable
- (viii) everywhere
- (ix) terrain, altitude, climate
- (x) resource conservation.

Question 3. State whether each of the following statements is true (T) or false (F).

- (i) We should waste water since it is a renewable resource and we do not need to be careful in its use.
- (ii) A resource always has the same economic value.
- (iii) With respect to electricity, water was a potential resource until few years back.
- (iv) All natural sources of energy are renewable.
- (v) A farmer is a human resource.
- (vi) Resources need to be conserved for the future generations.
- (vii) Sustainable development is a way to use resources carefully as well as saving them for future.

Answer:

- (i) False
- (ii) False
- (iii) True
- (iv) False
- (v) True
- (vi) True
- (vii) True.

Question 4. Match the items given in Column I correctly with those given in Column II.

| <b>Column I</b>               | <b>Column II</b>                        |
|-------------------------------|---|
| (i) <i>Resource</i>           | (a) <i>A renewable source of energy</i> |
| (ii) <i>Windmill</i>          | (b) <i>Human-made resource</i>          |
| (iii) <i>Plants and trees</i> | (c) <i>Abiotic resources</i>            |
| (iv) <i>A vehicle</i>         | (d) <i>Utility</i>                      |
| (v) <i>Rocks and minerals</i> | (e) <i>Biotic resources</i>             |

Answer: (i) (d), (ii) (a), (iii) (e), (iv) (b), (v) (c).

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