

Indian Industries

1. Four alternatives are given for each of the following questions / incomplete statements. Only one of them is correct or most appropriate. Choose the correct alternative and write the complete answer along with its letter of alphabet.

1. First cotton industry started in 1854 at

- a) **Mumbai** b) Ahmadabad c) Kochi d) Varanasi

2. Manchester of India

- a) Ahmadabad b) Davanagere c) Mysore **d) Mumbai**

3. The conversion of raw materials into usable products is known as

- a) Forest based industry b) Agro industries
c) **Manufacturing industries** d) Mineral based industry

4. Modern iron and steel industry in India was started in 1874 at

- a) Serampore **b) Kulti West Bengal** c) Mumbai d) Karwar

5. Silicon valley of India

- a) Bangalore** b) Mysore c) Dharwad d) Mumbai

6. It require intellectual capabilities rather than physical inputs

- a) Agro industries b) Forest based industry
c) Mineral based industry **d) Knowledge base industry**

7. Software Technology parks was established in

- a) 2021 **b) 1995** c) 1998 d) 1994

8. Raw materials used in this industry are softwood like bamboo, cellulosic pulp, grass, straw of paddy.

- a) Paper industry** b) Sugar industry c) Iron and steel industry d) Aluminium industry

9. This is not required for the localisation of industry

- a) Capital b) Labour c) Water **d) Fertile soil**

10. It is used in Aeroplanes, automobiles, railways, ships, and household appliances

- a) Iron **b) Aluminium** c) Gold d) Manganese

I. Fill in the blanks with suitable answers.

1. Jindal Vijayanagar Steel Ltd is located in _____ state. (Karnataka)
2. Bauxite is the main raw material for _____ industry. (Aluminium)
3. The Paper industry is a _____ based industry. (Forest)
4. The first modern paper mill was set up in 1932 at _____. (Serampur)

II. Answer the following questions in one sentence each:

1. What is manufacturing industries?

The conversion of raw materials into usable products is known as “manufacturing industries”

2. Which is best example for the art of smelting iron ore?

Iron Pillar in Delhi

3. Where is the modern iron and steel industry in India was started?

The modern iron and steel industry in India was started at Kulti

4. Where is the first modern paper mill was set up?

The first modern paper mill was set up at Serampur

5. What is Knowledge-based Industries?

The term “Knowledge based industries” usually refer to those industries which are relatively intensive in their inputs of technology and human education.

6. Bengaluru is called “Silicon Valley of India”. Why?

Bengaluru is the most important centre for Indian software industry and it is called “Silicon Valley of India”.

7. Mumbai is known as “Cottonopolis of India” and Manchester of India. Why?

Mumbai is the most popular centre for cotton textile industry. It is known as “Cottonopolis of India” and Manchester of India.

III. Match the following.

| A | B | |
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| 1. Bengaluru | a. VISL | (3) |
| 2. Mumbai | b. Cottonopolis of India | (2) |
| 3. Bhadravathi | c. Aluminium industry | (4) |
| 4. Renukoot | d. Silicon Valley of India | (1) |