Union Public Service Commission

National Defence Academy And Naval Academy Exam

August 2007 Question Paper (Fully Solved)

GENERAL ABILITY TEST

General Knowledge

1. Among the following sedimentary rocks, which one is of organic origin ?
(a) Gypsum (b) Limestone
(c) Nitre (d) Rock salt

2. In which one of the following areas is monsoon climate found ?
(a) Pacific Coast of Colombia
(b) South-Eastern United States
(c) Southern Part of South Africa
(d) Central California

3. In which of the following Hills is tea cultivated ?
(a) Maikala Hills
(b) Nallamalai Hills
(c) Nilgiri Hills
(d) Shivalik Hills

4. Injurious ultraviolet radiations are mostly prevented from reaching the land surface as these are absorbed mostly by which one of the following ?
(a) Stratosphere (b) Troposphere
(c) Ionosphere (d) Mesosphere

5. The Tropic of Cancer passes through which one of the following ?
(a) Assam (b) Manipur
(c) Mizoram (d) Nagaland

6. Haridwar is well-known for which one of the following industries ?
(a) Fertilisers (b) Cement
(c) Heavy Electricals
(d) Silk Textiles

7. From West to East, which one of the following is the correct sequence of Hills ?
(a) Mahadeo Hills-Maikala Hills - Garhjat Hills
(b) Mahadeo Hills-Garhjat Hills - Maikala Hills
(c) Maikala Hills-Mahadeo Hills - Garhjat Hills
(d) Maikala Hills-Garhjat Hills - Mahadeo Hills

8. Which one among the following peaks is the highest ?
(a) Dhaula Giri
(b) Namcha Barwa
(c) Nanda Devi
(d) Nanga Parvat

9. Which National Highway connects Delhi and Mumbai?
(a) NH 6 (b) NH 8
(c) NH 10 (d) NH 12

10. Consider the following statements:
1. Alamatti Dam is on the Cauvery river.
2. Mettur Dam is on the Krishna river.
3. Gandhi Sagar Reservoir is on the Chambal river.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
(a) 1 and 2 only (b) 2 only
(c) 1 and 3 only (d) 3 only