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Number of:

1. States: 28

2. UTs: 9

Which of the following planets is called the 'Swift planet'?

A. Venus

B. Mars

C. Uranus

D. Mercury

Points to Know (PTN):

Venus: Morning star/Evening star

Earth: Blue Planet

Mars: Red Planet

Saturn: Ringed Planet

Uranus/Neptune: Ice giant



Which of the following is the highest mountain peak in India?

A. Mount Everest

B. Nanda Devi

C. Kangchenjunga

D. Kamet

PTN:

The peak of Mount Everest is 8,848 meters (29,035 feet) above sea level.

Mt. Godwin Austen or K2 is world's 2nd highest Mt. peak. (8611 meters)

Kangchenjunga is 3rd (8586 meters)



Which of the following continents has the highest number of countries in the world?

A. Asia

B. Africa

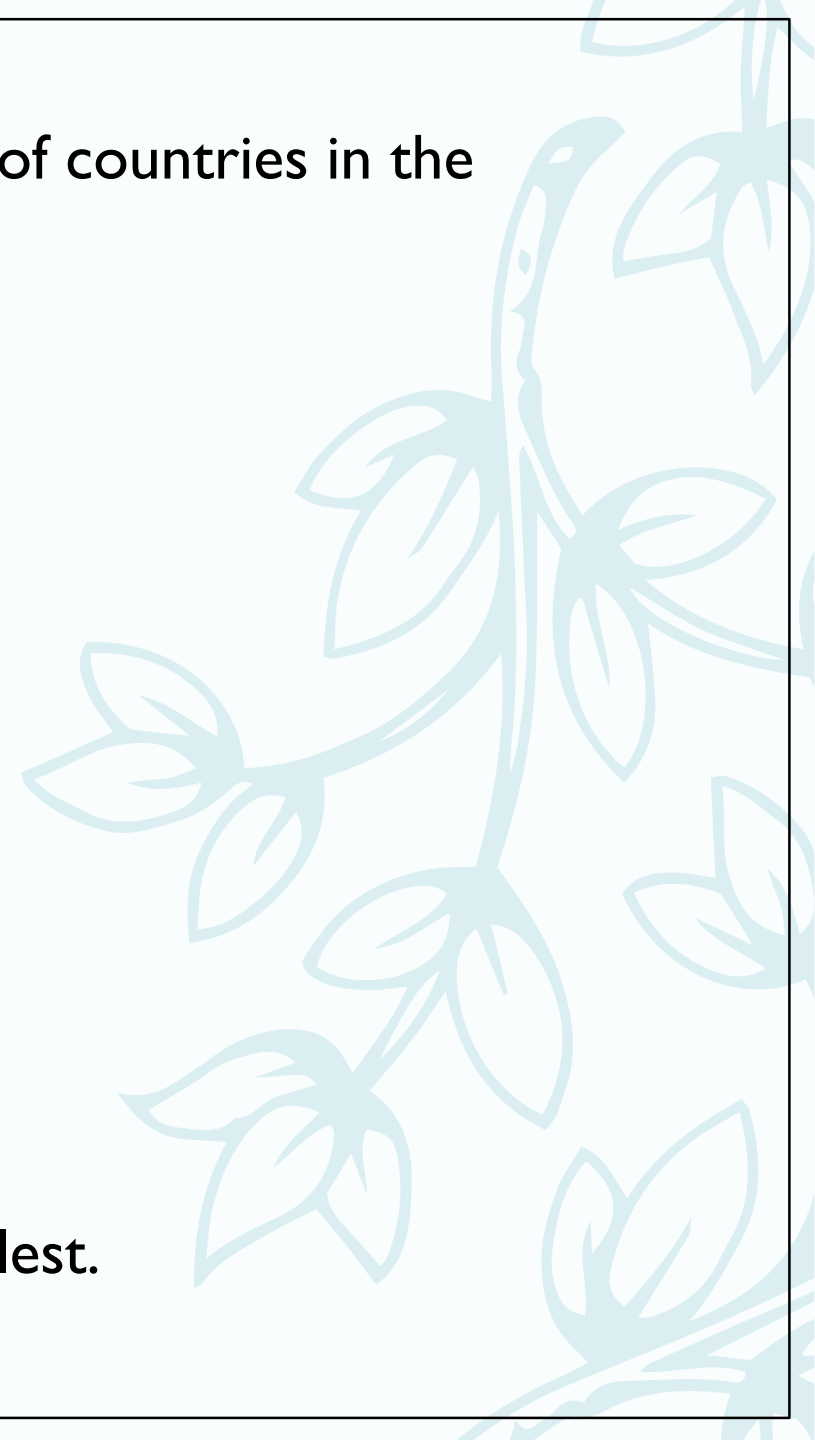
C. Europe

D. North America

PTN:

Africa has the most countries with a total of 54.

By area, Asia is the largest continent and Australia, the smallest.



_____ is the term used for a body of land which is surrounded by water on three sides?

A. Gulf

B. Strait

C. Peninsula

D. Island

PTN:

Island – water on all sides.

A strait is a naturally formed, narrow, typically navigable waterway that connects two larger bodies of water.



Which of the following imaginary lines divide India into two almost equal north and south halves?

- A. Tropic of Cancer
- B. Tropic of Capricorn
- C. Equator
- D. Durand Line

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It passes through 8 states. (Find?)

The Durand Line is an international border between Afghanistan and Pakistan.

The McMahon Line is the effective boundary between China and India.

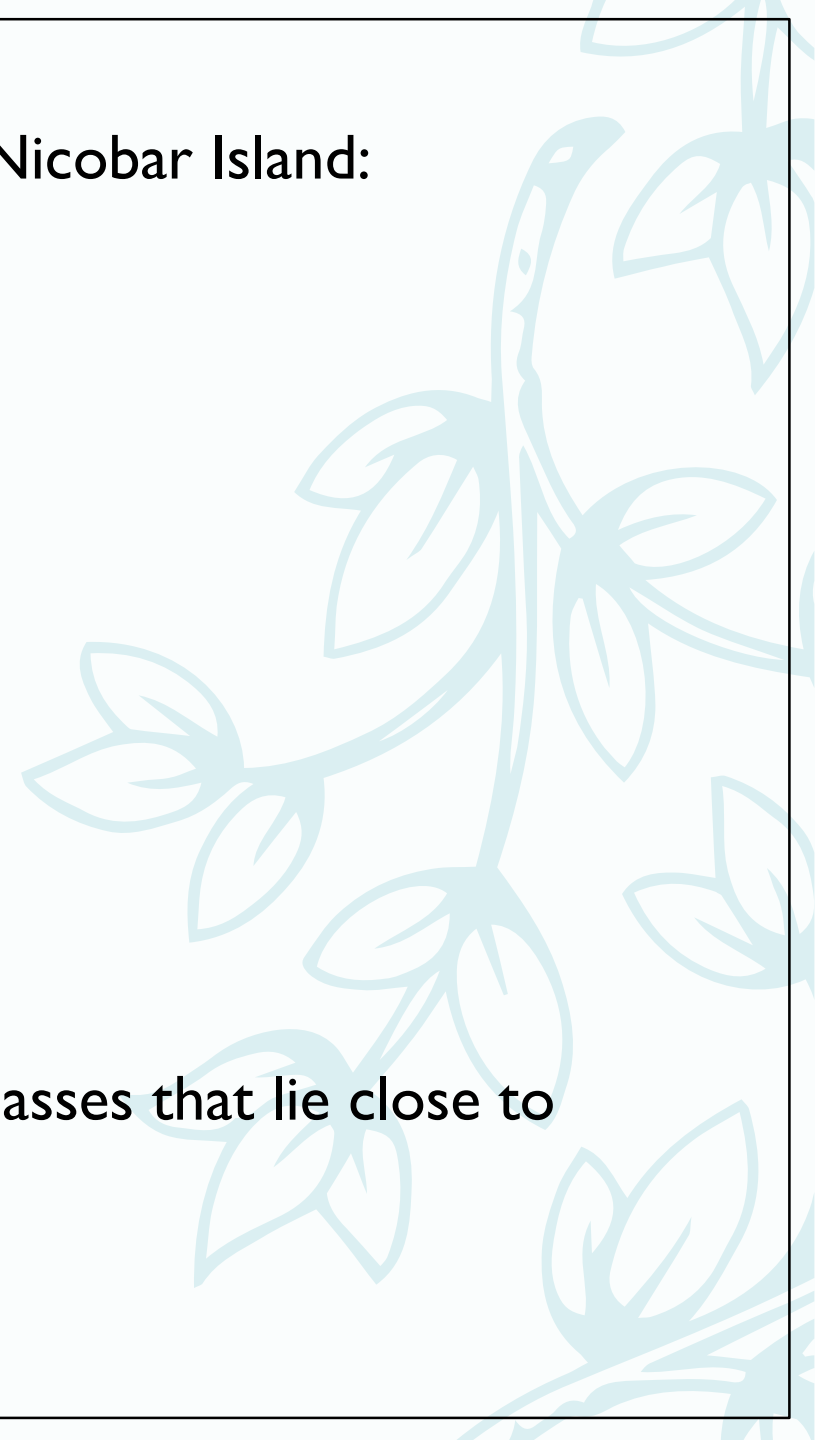
The Radcliffe Line, the geopolitical border that divides India and Pakistan.

The name of the water body that separates Andaman and Nicobar Island:

- A. Ten Degree Channel
- B. Eleven Degree Channel
- C. Red Sea
- D. Gulf of Mannar

PTN:

A channel is a wide strait or waterway between two landmasses that lie close to each other.



Punjab is the 'land of five rivers', which of the following is not a river attributed to the name?

A. The Narmada

B. The Ravi

C. The Chenab

D. The Jhelum

PTN:

5 rivers: Jhelum, Chenab, Ravi, Sutlej, and Beas.



Which of the following places receives the highest rainfall in the world?

A. Cherrapunji

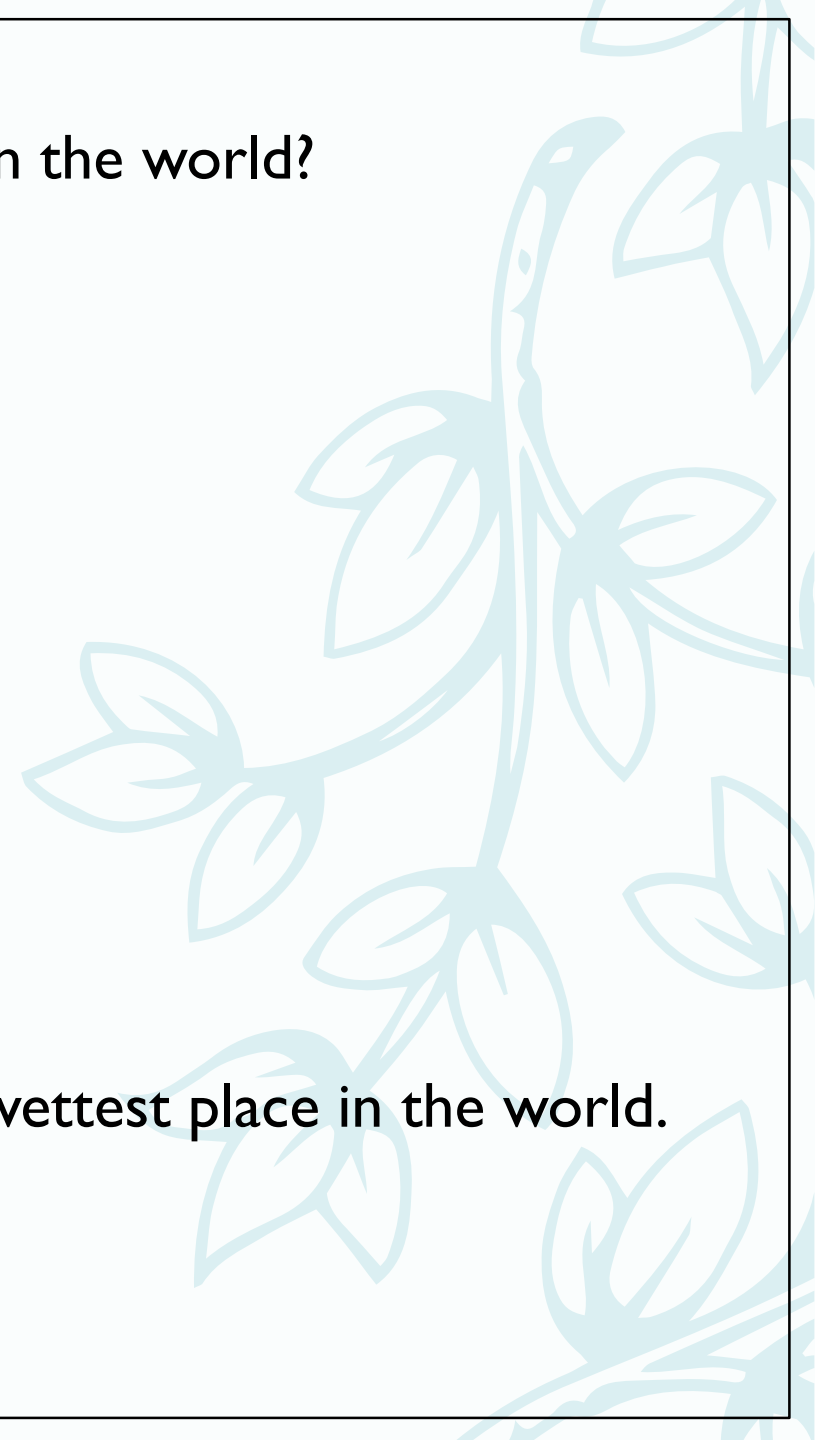
B. Mawsynram

C. Tutendo

D. Big Bog

PTN:

Mawsynram, located in the Meghalaya State in India, is the wettest place in the world. It receives an annual rainfall of 11,871 millimeters.



Wular Lake is situated in which of the following states/UTs?

- A. Karnataka
- B. Tamil Nadu
- C. Uttarakhand
- D. Jammu & Kashmir

PTN:

Largest natural fresh water lake of India is Wular lake (260 Sq Km).

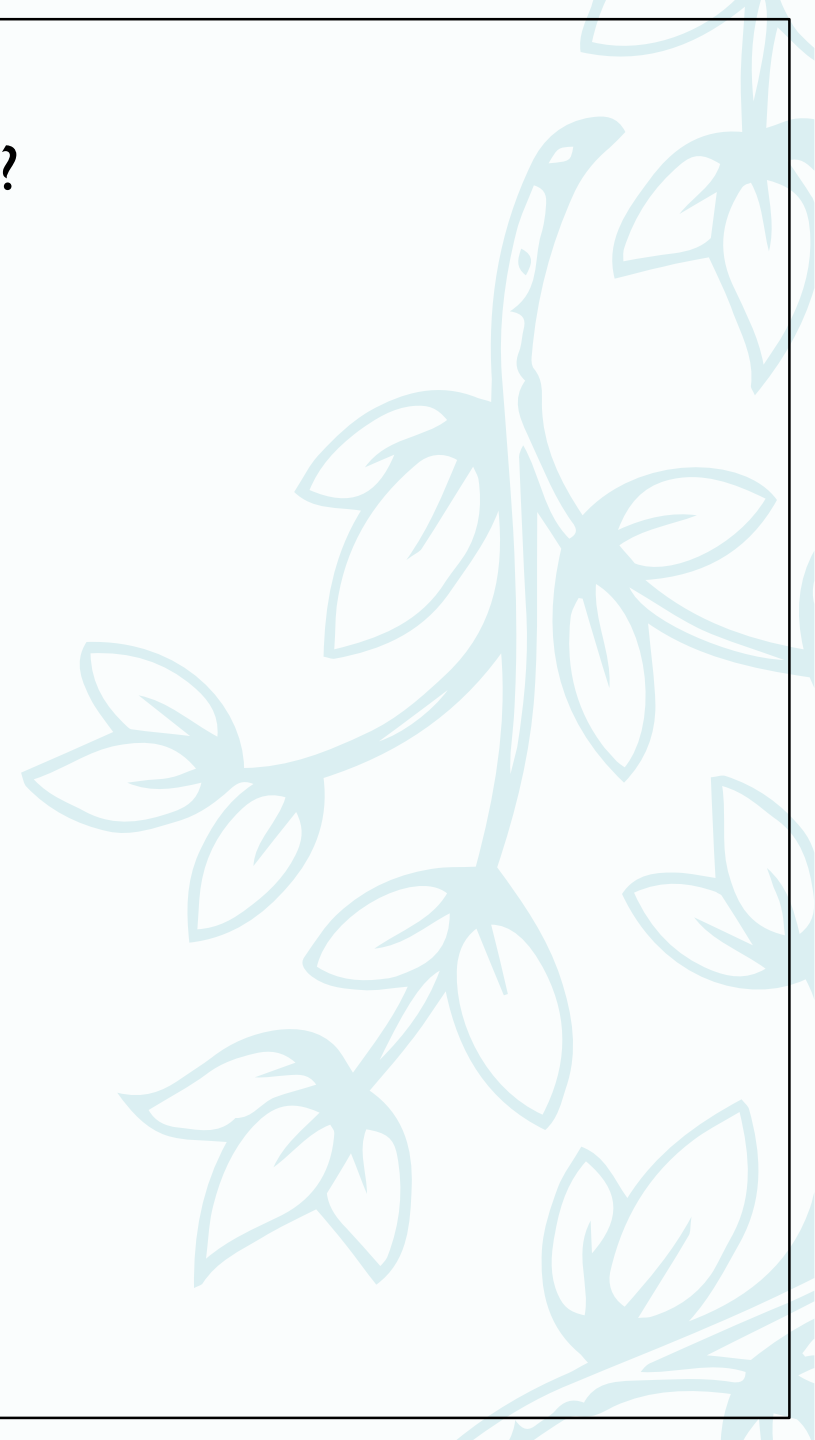
Dal Lake: Srinagar, J&K

Chilika Lake: Odisha

Loktak Lake: Manipur

Vembanad Lake: Kerala

Gurudongmar Lake: Sikkim



Which of the following rivers originate from Amarkantak, a town in Madhya Pradesh?

- A. The Betwa
- B. The Shipra
- C. The Narmada
- D. The Chambal

PTN:

Ganga: Gaumukh set in Gangotri Glacier (Bhagirathi), Uttarakhand.

Yamuna: Yamunotri Glacier, Uttarakhand

Brahmaputra: Himalayan Glacier in Tibet, but enters India in Arunachal Pradesh.

India shares its land borders with how many countries?

A. 7

B. 5

C. 9

D. 4

PTN:

India shares land borders with seven countries including Bhutan, Bangladesh (4,096.7 kms), China (3,488 kms), Afghanistan, Myanmar, Nepal, and Pakistan (3,323kms).

India has 15,106.7 Km of land border and a coastline of 7,516.6 Km including island territories.

Which Indian state shares borders with the highest number of states?

A. Madhya Pradesh

B. Uttar Pradesh

C. Maharashtra

D. Gujarat

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Uttar Pradesh share borders with 9 different states. (Which?)
Gujarat has the longest coastline in India.

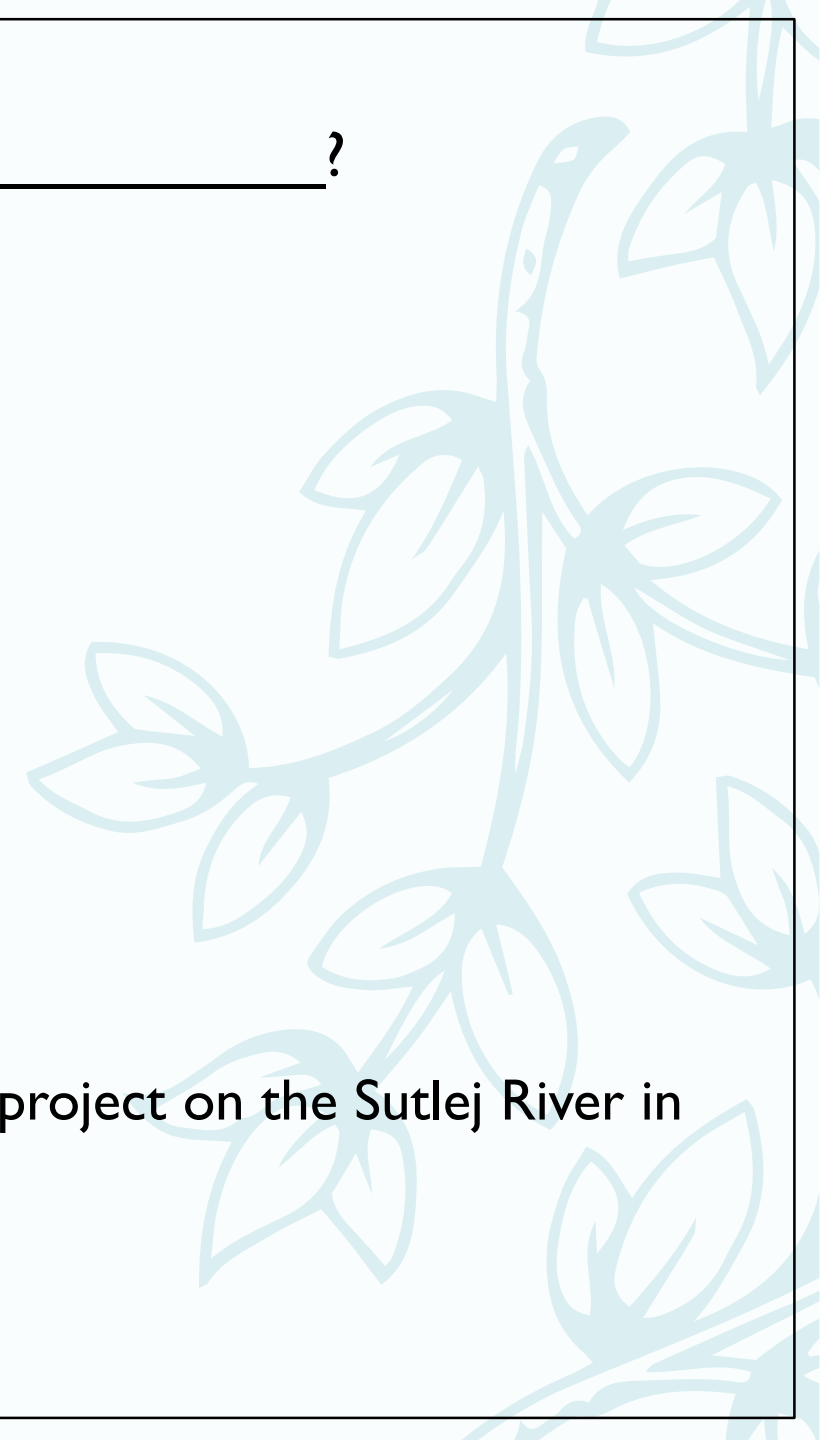


Nathpa Jhakri is a hydropower project in the state of _____?

- A. Telangana
- B. Gujarat
- C. Rajasthan
- D. Himachal Pradesh

PTN:

At 1,500 MW capacity, Nathpa Jhakri is the largest hydropower project on the Sutlej River in the state of Himachal Pradesh in northern India.



Which of these countries is called “Land of the Rising Sun”?

A. New Zealand

B. Japan

C. USA

D. India

PTN:

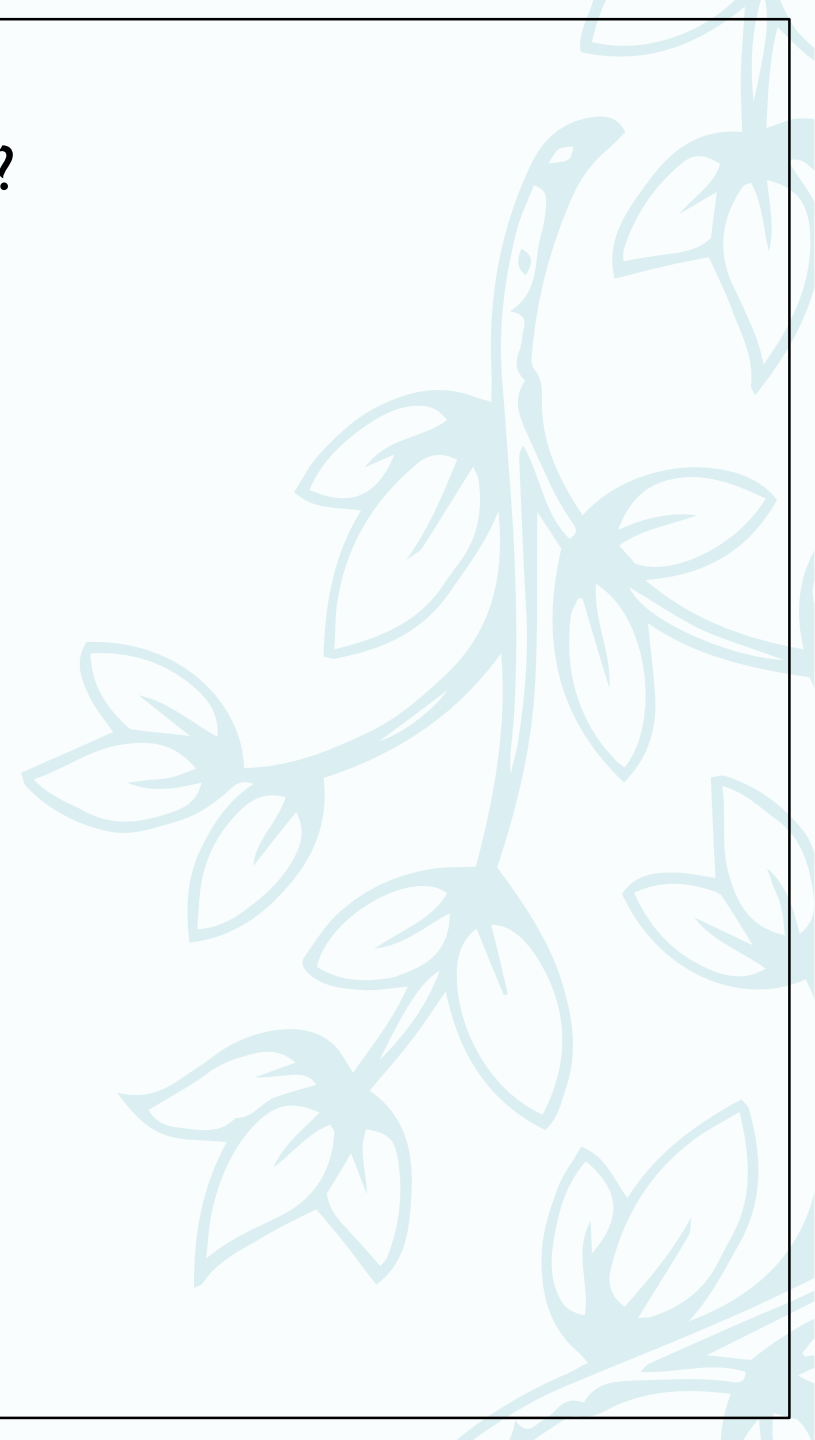
Land of Thousand Lakes: Finland

Land of The Thunder Dragon: Bhutan

Land of White Elephants: Thailand

Gifts of the Nile: Egypt

Playground of Europe: Switzerland



Which of the following is the smallest ocean on Earth?

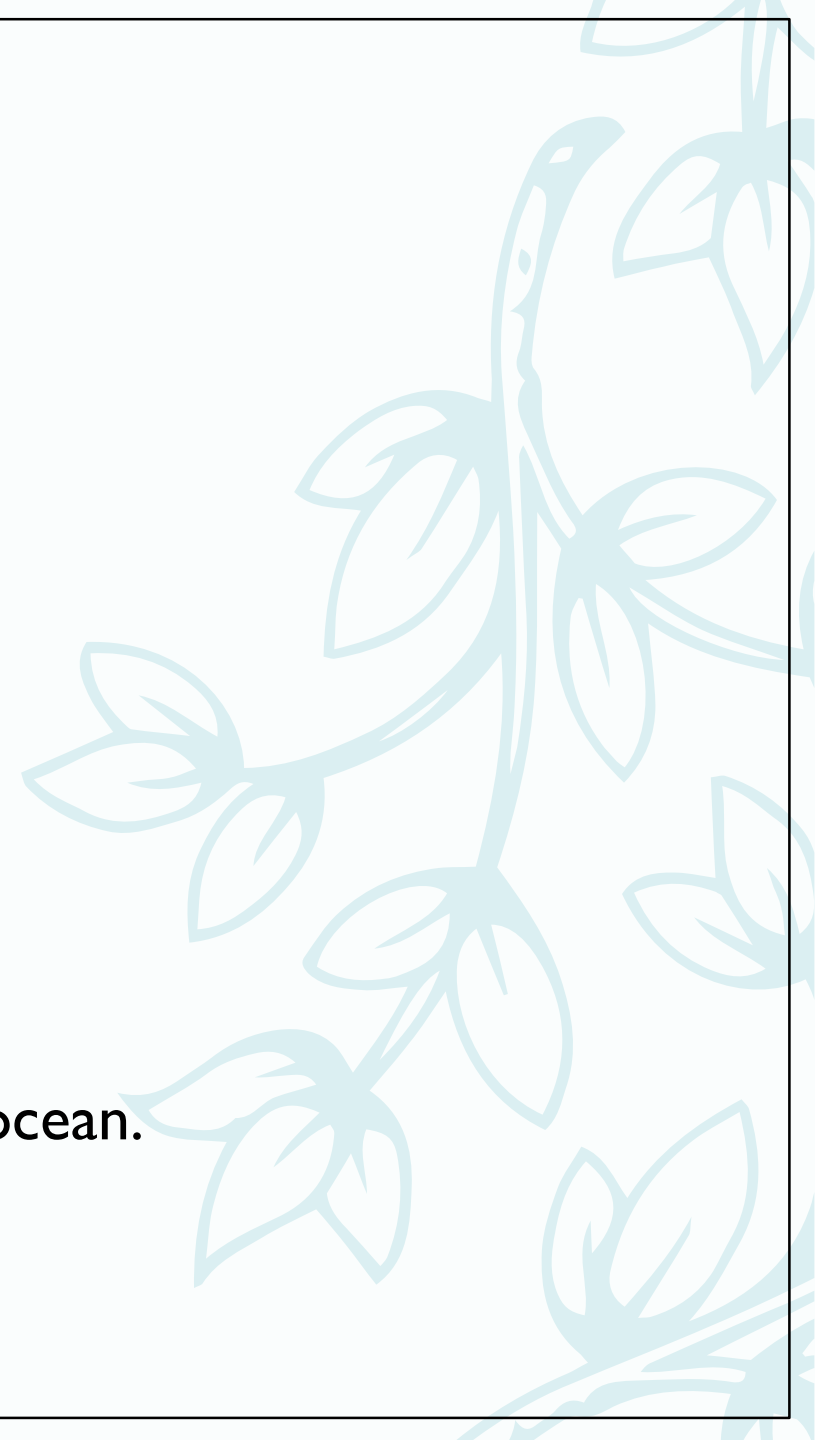
- A. Pacific Ocean
- B. Indian Ocean
- C. Arctic Ocean
- D. Atlantic Ocean

PTN:

The Pacific Ocean is the largest and deepest of the world ocean.

Longest river in the world: The Nile

The Amazon River is the world's largest river by volume.



Which one of the following minerals has another name called 'brown diamond'?

A. Iron

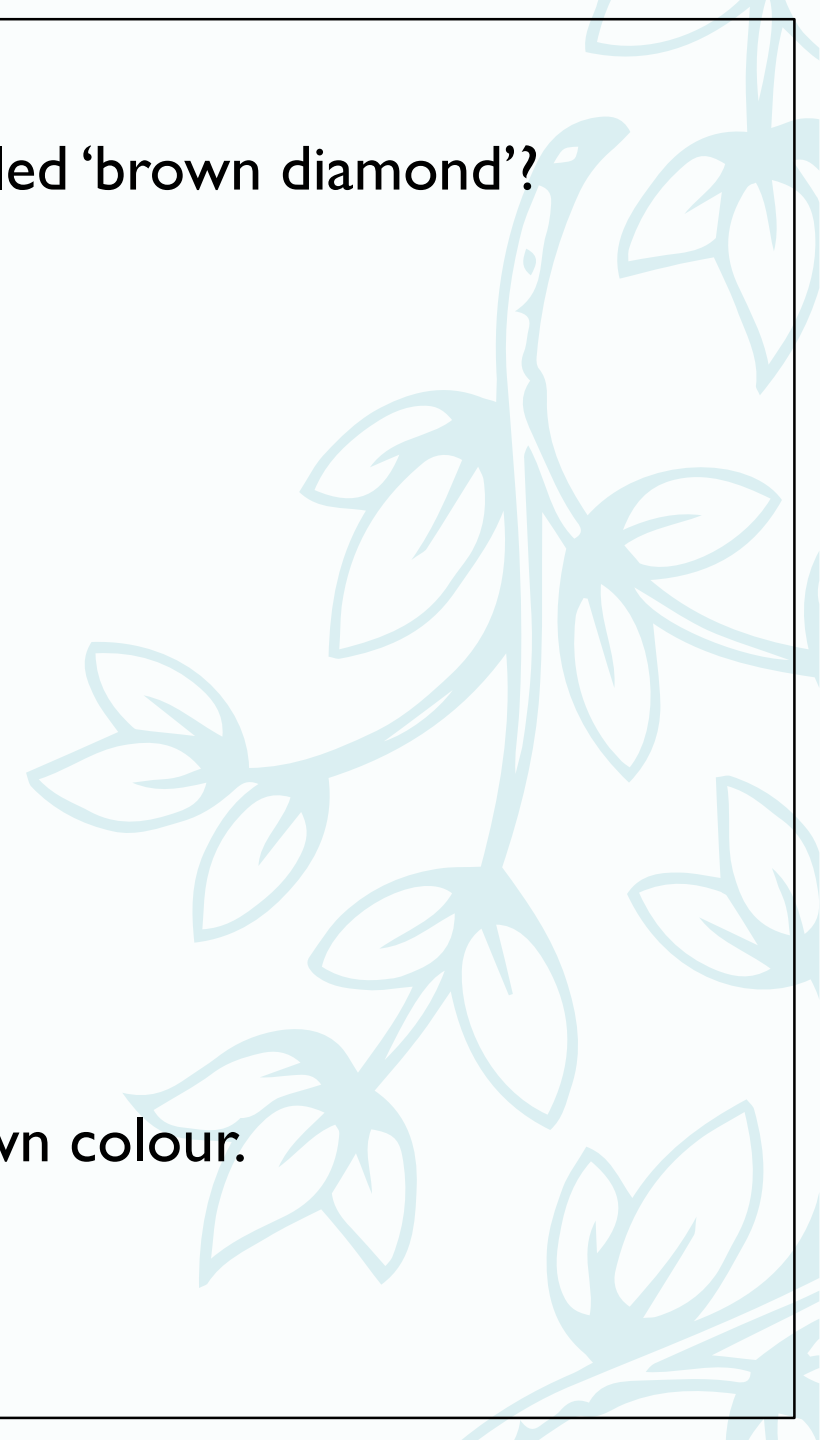
B. Bromine

C. Aluminium

D. Lignite

PTN:

Lignite is known as 'brown diamond' since it is coal in brown colour.



Pick the correct order of earth's atmospheric layers from bottom to top?

A. Stratosphere, Mesosphere, Troposphere, Thermosphere, Exosphere.

B. Stratosphere, Troposphere, Mesosphere, Thermosphere, Exosphere.

C. Troposphere, Mesosphere, Stratosphere, Thermosphere, Exosphere.

D. Troposphere, Stratosphere, Mesosphere, Thermosphere, Exosphere.

PTN:

The Stratosphere contains much of the ozone in the atmosphere.

The power (or magnitude) of Earthquake is measured by:

- A. Seismic scale
- B. Richter scale
- C. Temblor scale
- D. None

PTN:

Charles Richter developed the Richter Scale in 1935.



Sentinelese tribes are found in which among the following state/Union Territory of India?

A. Lakshadweep

B. Kerala

C. Andaman & Nicobar Islands

D. Chhattisgarh

PTN:

John Allen Chau, an American Tourist, was allegedly killed by the Sentinelese tribes, one of the world's last uncontacted people.

As a protected island, even the Indian Navy isn't allowed to interact with its inhabitants. Andaman and Nicobar islands are home to several protected tribes.

Rama's Bridge or Rama Setu is located in which among the following straits?

A. Malacca Strait

B. Bering Strait

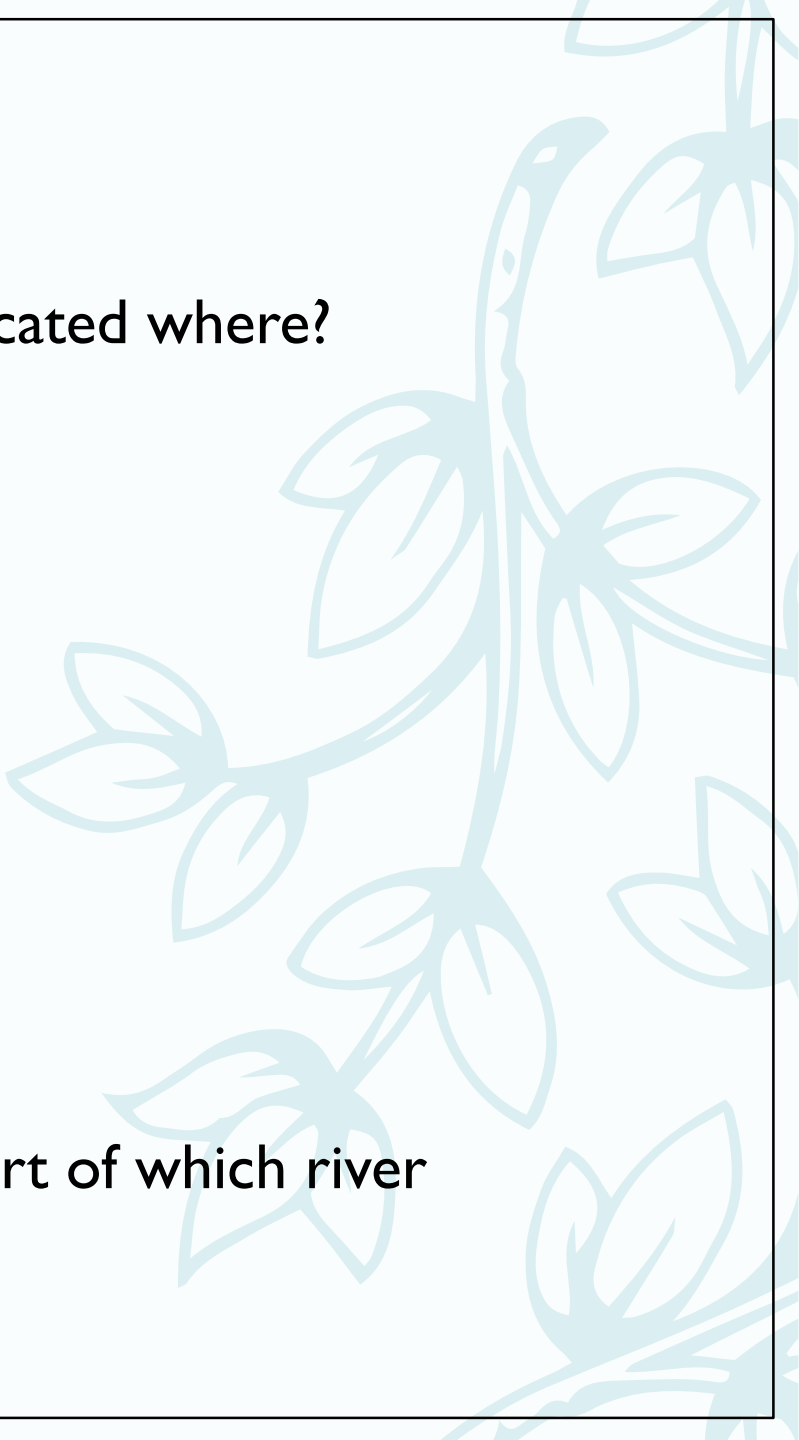
C. Palk Strait

D. Strait of Gibraltar

PTN:

Palk Strait is studded at its southern end with a chain of low islands and reef shoals that are collectively called Adam's Bridge, it has historically been known in Hindu Mythology as "Ram Setu" i.e. The Bridge of Rama.

Assignments:

1. Name the largest river island in the world and in it is located where?
 2. The Kandaleru Dam is located in which Indian state?
 3. Which Indian state is the largest producer of:
 - Cotton
 - Sugarcane
 - Iron ore
 - Bauxite
 - Gold
 4. The Arun River, Barun River, and Tamur River make the part of which river system?
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