

BHARATH COACHING CENTRE

10th CBSE

Minerals and Energy Resources

Total: 50

Social

Time: 1.30 hrs

SECTION – A

6 x 1 = 6

- Which one of the following are the richest minerals belts of India?
a. Himalaya b. Northern Himalaya c. Coastal Himalaya d. Peninsular Plateau
- Kudremukh is an important 'iron ore' mine of :
a. Kerala b. Madhya Pradesh c. Karnataka d. Andhra Pradesh
- Which one of the following the largest producer of copper in India?
a. Jharkhand b. Rajasthan c. Madhya Pradesh d. Orissa
- What is the most important use of mica?
a. It is a light mineral b. It has insulating properly
c. It is used for making wires d. It is strong & malleable
- Identify the popular liquid fuel used for vehicles which is environmental friendly
a. LPG b. CNG c. Petrol d. Diesel
- Decomposition of organic matter fields which of the following?
a. Gas b. Steam c. Heat d. Moisture

SECTION – B

8 x 3 = 24

- What is tidal energy? Which method is used to generate electricity using wind energy? Which areas provide ideal conditions for generating tidal energy in India?
- Give three differences between hydro and thermal electricity which one of the two is better and why?
- What are the major sources of energy in rural household of India? Identify the major problems faced due to these sources. Give suggestion to solve these problems.
- Describe the distribution of mica in India.
- Where does petroleum occur under the earth? Mention the major produce centre of petroleum in India?
- Explain the need for energy from where can't be generated?
- Which are the types of coal formation based on geological ages? Where are they found in India?
- Minerals are indispensable part of our lives. Explain the statement by giving three example.

SECTION – C

5 x 1 = 5

- Explain the development of non – conventional sources of energy in India.
- Why is coal called most important source of energy even today in India? Explain giving three reasons. (Foreign 2001).
- Which is the most abundantly available fossil fuel in India? What are its three major forms? Write main features of each form. (AI 2008).
- What are the four types of coal? Write one main characteristics of each.