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Chapter 22 Test on Central Asia

Part 1 - Multiple Choice (14 pts.) – Read the following statements carefully. Select and circle the **most correct** choice from among the choices provided.

1.   Which physical feature is **not** a dominant one of Central Asia?
      A. deserts
      B. forests
      C. mountains
      D. steppes

2.   Which product is **not** obtained from the nomadic herds of Central Asia?
      A. clothing
      B. meat
      C. milk
      D. silk

3.   For what type of livestock breeding is Central Asia well known?
      A. cattle
      B. goats
      C. horses
      D. sheep

4.   Which metallic ore is found in **all** countries of Central Asia?
      A. copper
      B. gold
      C. iron ore
      D. uranium

5.   What is the white gold of Uzbekistan?
      A. cotton
      B. milk
      C. silk
      D. gold that is white in color

6.   Which country of Central Asia has **no** railroads?
      A. Afghanistan
      B. Kyrgyzstan
      C. Tajikistan
      D. Uzbekistan

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7. In terms of land area, which is the **largest** country in Central Asia?
   A. Afghanistan
   B. Kazakhstan
   C. Turkmenistan
   D. Uzbekistan

8. What is the **most important primary** industry of Kazakhstan?
   A. clothing
   B. herding
   C. mining
   D. textiles

9. What are the **most important secondary** industries in Central Asia?
   A. electronics and sheep products
   B. machinery and cattle products
   C. pharmaceuticals and chemicals
   D. textiles and carpet making

10. Which natural feature is freshwater in Central Asia?
    A. Aral Sea
    B. Black Sea
    C. Caspian Sea
    D. Mediterranean Sea

11. Which country has the world's **largest** gold mine?
    A. Afghanistan
    B. Kazakhstan
    C. Tajikistan
    D. Uzbekistan

12. In regards to transportation, which statement **best** describes Central Asia?
    A. The region has an excellent road network.
    B. Ships are able to transport products from this regions many ports.
    C. There are few paved roads in the region.
    D. This region has a good road and railroad network.

13. Which statement **most accurately** describes farming in Central Asia?
    A. Farming is highly mechanized.
    B. A very small percent of land is suitable for growing crops.
    C. The region receives plenty of rain for growing crops.
    D. This region has almost no farming of any kind.

14. The world's **longest** irrigation waterway is known as the
    A. Aral Sea
    B. Caspian Sea
    C. Karakum Canal
    D. Suez Canal

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Part 2 – Fill-in-the-Blanks (12 pts.) Below are statements about Central Asia. Use words from the word box to fill in the blanks with the correct answer for each statement. **Four choices in the word box will not be used.** Note: Cross off words that you have used.

Afghanistan	cotton	forests	fossil fuels
hydroelectricity	irrigation	Kazakhstan	Kyrgyzstan
nomadic herding	rice	silk	steppes
Tajikistan	textiles	Turkmenistan	Uzbekistan

1. The **chief** crop grown among several countries is?   _____

2. A space control center is located in what country?   _____

3. What product is obtained from a worm?   _____

4. Which country has the **weakest** economy in the region?   _____

5. Another name for treeless plains is?   _____

6. Which country consists **mostly** of desert?   _____

7. The **best** way to raise crops in a desert is through?   _____

8. An **important secondary** industry in most countries is?   _____

9. The region of Central Asia has huge reserves of?   _____

10. The **only** country to produce aircraft is?   _____

11. Many people earn a living through?   _____

12. Kyrgyzstan has fast flowing rivers that produce?   _____

Part 3 – Writing (4 pts.)

1. Explain why the Caspian Sea **cannot** be used for irrigation. (2 pts.)

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2. Explain why the Aral Sea is becoming smaller. (2 pts.)

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Part 4A - Labeling (6 pts.) Use the terms below to label the countries of Central Asia on the map **on the next page**. Check or cross off each item as you complete it.

Countries

Afghanistan	Kazakhstan	Kyrgyzstan	Tajikistan
Turkmenistan	Uzbekistan		

Turn the page for the map.

Part 4B - Labeling (6 pts.)   Use the **same map** on the next page to label each capital city with its corresponding country. **Note: The capitals in the word list do not correspond to their correct country.**

Capitals

Ashgabat	Astana	Bishkek	Dushanbe
Kabul	Tashkent		

Part4C - Labeling (7 pts.) Use the following terms below to label the physical features of South Asia. In some cases, you will need to draw arrows from your words that identify specific locations on the map. Check or cross off each item as you complete it.
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Physical Features

Aral Sea	Caspian Sea	desert region	Hindi Kush Mountains
Pamir Mountains	steppes region	Tien Shan Mountains	

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