Worksheet: India — Size and Location

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Q1. What is India's latitudinal extent? *[1 mark]*

Q2. What is India's longitudinal extent? *[1 mark]*

Q3. What is the Tropic of Cancer and through which Indian states does it pass? *[1 mark]*

Q4. Why is 82°30' E chosen as the Indian Standard Time meridian? *[1 mark]*

Q5. Name India's land neighbours. *[2 marks]*

Q6. What is India's area and how does it rank globally? *[2 marks]*

Q7. Why is India considered to be in a strategic location in the Indian Ocean? *[3 marks]*

Q8. Calculate the time difference between India and the UK, and India and Japan. *[3 marks]*

Q9. Why does India have such climate diversity despite being on the same latitudinal range as North Africa and parts of the Mediterranean? *[3 marks]*

Q10. Describe India's border with each of its neighbouring countries — direction and length. *[3 marks]*

Q11. What is the significance of India's location for its trade, defence, and cultural development? *[5 marks]*

Q12. If India were located 10 degrees further south (closer to the equator), how would its climate and economy differ? *[4 marks]*