# Worksheet: Physical Features of India

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**Q1.** Name the six physiographic divisions of India. *[1 mark]*

**Q2.** Name the three parallel ranges of the Himalayas. *[1 mark]*

**Q3.** What is the difference between Bhabar and Tarai? *[2 marks]*

**Q4.** What is the difference between the Central Highlands and the Deccan Plateau? *[2 marks]*

**Q5.** Where do the Western and Eastern Ghats meet? *[1 mark]*

**Q6.** Why is the Himalayan range still rising today? *[3 marks]*

**Q7.** Why are the Northern Plains so important economically and demographically? *[3 marks]*

**Q8.** Why is the Peninsular Plateau rich in minerals? *[3 marks]*

**Q9.** Why is the Thar Desert located where it is, despite India's tropical climate? *[3 marks]*

**Q10.** Compare the Western and Eastern Coastal Plains of India. *[3 marks]*

**Q11.** Compare the Himalayas with the Peninsular Plateau on geological age, formation, mineral resources, and current activity. *[5 marks]*