

Question 1

When did the Soviet Union dissolve as a political entity?

- A) 1927
- B) 1954
- C) 1989
- D) 2001
- E) 1943

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756575>

Question 2

Which of the following sports is a U.S. innovation?

- A) rugby
- B) soccer
- C) baseball
- D) golf
- E) all of the above

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756786>

Question 3

In 2011, women's participation in the labor force ranked the highest in which of the following countries?

- A) Iraq
- B) Qatar
- C) Algeria
- D) Jordan
- E) Sudan

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756660>

Question 4

What is driving Chinese trade efforts in Africa?

- A) raw materials like wood and minerals
- B) access to oil reserves
- C) textile and clothing markets
- D) land
- E) all of the above

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756738>

Question 5

The Russian steppe region is famous for its production of what crop?

- A) beets
- B) corn
- C) soybeans
- D) potatoes
- E) wheat

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756565>

Question 6

What was one of the major centers of trade and culture in East Africa around 1000 C.E.?

- A) Aksum
- B) Timbuktu
- C) Zanzibar
- D) Great Zimbabwe

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756701>

Question 7

Which of the following is not true about the Alps?

- A) older than 500 million years

- B) source of hydroelectric power
- C) substantial agricultural economy
- D) source of limestone, lead and copper
- E) none of the above

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756490>

Question 8

The integration of Middle East and North African states into the global economy generated all of the following results, except:

- A) internal migration to rural areas
- B) cuts to social programs
- C) lowered living standards
- D) international aid money
- E) none of the above

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756645>

Question 9

Which of the following is true about women in rural Africa?

- A) supplement income with crafts
- B) work as subsistence and commercial farmers
- C) experience desertification effects
- D) effective poverty reduction
- E) supplement income with crafts, work as subsistence and commercial farmers, experience desertification effects

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756723>

Question 10

What is "balkanization"?

- A) the combination of territories held together by an authoritarian government
- B) the division of a territory into smaller and often mutually hostile political units
- C) the division of a territory into smaller and often mutually dependent political units
- D) the formation of federations of small political units
- E) none of these

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756518>

Question 11

Which of the following is the largest inland sea in the world?

- A) Black
- B) Mediterranean
- C) Aral
- D) Caspian
- E) none of the above

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756550>

Question 12

Where is Lake Maracaibo located?

- A) Venezuela
- B) Mexico
- C) Peru
- D) Bolivia
- E) Brazil

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756808>

Question 13

Which of the following does not represent the women's movement in the U.S.?

- A) environmental protection
- B) birth control
- C) disarmament
- D) voting rights
- E) working conditions

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756788>

Question 14

What is meze?

- A) spicy, small plates
- B) regional dance
- C) cinema
- D) kinship law
- E) none of the above

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756672>

Question 15

Which of the following disease causes the most deaths in Africa?

- A) Schistosomiasis
- B) Malaria
- C) River Blindness
- D) Ebola
- E) none of the above

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756696>

Question 16

What was the purpose of the South African "Pass Law"?

- A) register non-whites to vote in national elections
- B) eliminate further entry of South Asians into the country
- C) prevent interracial marriage
- D) control public movements of non-whites
- E) none of the above

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756718>

Question 17

Which of the following is true about the Chechen independence movement?

- A) Stalin accused Chechens of being Nazi collaborators
- B) Gorbachev accepted Chechen independence under glasnost
- C) Chechnya has major oil and gas reserves
- D) Stalin accused Chechens of being Nazi collaborators; Chechnya has major oil and gas reserves
- E) All of the above

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756579>

Question 18

Most Muslims in Iran are:

- A) Sunni
- B) Shi'a
- C) Ba'athist
- D) Druse (Druze)
- E) none of the above

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756648>

Question 19

Which one of the following is not a founding member of the Arab League?

- A) Egypt
- B) Oman
- C) Yemen
- D) Lebanon
- E) Iraq

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756664>

Question 20

Which of the following is true about the Syrian Civil War and conflict refugees?

A) Turkey and Iraq have received the most refugees.

B) 1.6 million refugees are children.

C) Refugee camps heal war traumas.

D) The civil war is the only conflict in Syria.

E) none of the above

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=756673>

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