

Geography Worksheet

Grade: 7

Chapter 6: Fishing Industry of Pakistan

Part A: Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs)

1. Which of the following is a common inland fish species in Pakistan?

- a) Tuna b) Pomfret c) Rohu d) Sardine

2. Which of these is not a method of fishing used in Pakistan?

- a) Gill nets b) Dynamite fishing c) Trawling d) Line fishing

3. Which coastal city is a major fishing harbor in Pakistan?

- a) Peshawar b) Lahore c) Karachi d) Faisalabad

4. Fish farming is also known as:

- a) Irrigation b) Cultivation c) Aquaculture d) Filtration

Part B: Objective Questions on Sindh and Makran Coast

1. The Sindh coast lies in the _____ part of Pakistan.

2. The Makran coast is located in the province of _____.

3. Major fishing towns along the Sindh coast include _____ and _____.

4. The port city of _____ is located on the Makran coast.

5. The coastline of Pakistan is approximately:

- a) 250 km b) 600 km c) 990 km d) 1,560 km

Part C: Subsistence vs Commercial Fishing

Match the following features with Subsistence (S) or Commercial (C) Fishing:

Feature	S / C
Fishing for local consumption	
Use of trawlers and mechanized boats	
Traditional methods like nets & hooks	
Contributes to national exports	
Usually done on a small scale	
Aimed at profit and mass sales	

Part D: Short Answer Questions

1. Differentiate between marine and inland fishing with examples.
2. List three marine fish species and three inland fish species.
3. Name and explain two traditional and two modern fishing methods.
4. Describe the coastline of Pakistan and its significance to fisheries.
5. Identify four major fishing areas in Pakistan.
6. Define subsistence fishing and give one example from Pakistan.
7. Define commercial fishing and mention one area where it is practiced in Pakistan.
8. Name two methods used in subsistence fishing and two used in commercial fishing.
9. How do these two types of fishing differ in tools, scale, and purpose?

Part E: Socio-Economic Aspects

1. List three economic benefits of fish farming.
2. How does the fishing industry create employment?
3. How does aquaculture help improve rural livelihoods and food security?
4. Explain the importance of fishing to Pakistan's export economy.

Part F: Problems and Sustainability

1. State three major problems faced by Pakistan's fishing industry.
2. Define overfishing and explain its consequences.
3. Suggest three sustainable practices for fisheries in Pakistan.
4. Explain how pollution and climate change affect the fishing sector.

Part G: Map Work

Use the provided map to label the following:

- Arabian Sea
- Karachi
- Gwadar
- Pasni
- Ormara
- Jiwani
- Indus River
- Sindh Coast
- Makran Coast



Part H: Structured / Long Questions

1. Describe the natural factors that support fishing in Pakistan (coastline, currents, etc.).
2. Discuss the importance of inland fish farming and aquaculture in Pakistan.
3. Evaluate the role of fish farming in poverty reduction and rural development.
4. Suggest strategies to modernize and sustain the fishing industry in Pakistan.
