***Human Geography, 13e* (Bjelland)**

**Chapter 1 Introduction: Some Background Basics**

1) Spatial systems can be the basis for defining a region.

Answer: TRUE

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2) Who reputedly coined the term "geography"?

A) Hipparchus

B) Strabo

C) Ptolemy

D) Eratosthenes

Answer: D

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3) The Muslim scholar Idrisi compiled a major geographic treatise for Roger II, the Christian king of Sicily. That such interaction could take place reflects in part what locational attribute of 12th century Sicily?

A) site

B) situation

C) absolute distance

D) hierarchical diffusion

Answer: B

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4) The cardinal direction of north is this type of direction:

A) absolute

B) relative

C) multi-directional

D) culturally dependent

Answer: A

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5) Two stores are equally spaced in linear distance from your residence. However, you choose to shop at the store that it takes less time to reach. Your decision reflects using a temporal measure of distance that also can be called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) absolute distance

B) relative distance

C) travel distance

D) geographic distance

Answer: B

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6) There are two routes between your residence and the library that are equal in both mileage and in the time it takes to cover that distance. One route, however, is perceived as being less safe than the other one and is avoided by you. Such a decision demonstrates what type of transformation of distance?

A) linear

B) relative

C) psychological

D) imagined

Answer: B

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7) Scale is not important within the study of human geography.

Answer: FALSE

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8) Overcoming the friction of distance between two places exemplifies dealing with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) location

B) distance

C) connectivity

D) accessibility

Answer: A

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9) A network of places implies the existence of connectivity.

Answer: TRUE

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10) Density is the same as dispersion when analyzing a spatial distribution.

Answer: FALSE

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11) Stating that a county has 100 persons per square mile is a measure of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) pattern

B) dispersion

C) concentration

D) density

Answer: D

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12) A geographic distribution's pattern that emphasizes items agglomerated around a single node is said to be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) linear

B) clustered

C) centralized

D) random

E) clustered and centralized

Answer: E

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13) A region is characterized by which of these attributes?

A) location

B) spatial extent

C) boundaries

D) hierarchical arrangement

E) all of these

Answer: E

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14) Using a spatial system's interconnections and network as criteria results in what type of region?

A) functional

B) vernacular

C) uniform

D) formal

Answer: A

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15) The larger the scale of a map, the smaller an area is covered and generally with greater detail.

Answer: TRUE

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16) A highway map is what type of map?

A) thematic

B) general purpose

C) cartogram

D) all of these

Answer: B

Section: 1.3 Maps

Topic: Maps

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17) A map that identifies the average value of a variable being identified over the preexisting areal unit is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ map.

A) graduated circle

B) spatial averaging

C) dot

D) choropleth

Answer: D

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18) Can you lie with maps?

A) Yes

B) No

Answer: A

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19) A Geographic Information System (GIS) is the same as computer-assisted cartography.

Answer: FALSE

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20) Your ability to navigate from your residence to your campus and from building to building on your campus is part of your internalized mental map.

Answer: TRUE

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21) Mathematical location is also known as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) relative location

B) physical location

C) absolute location

D) vernacular location

Answer: C

Section: 1.2 Core Geographic Concepts

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22) What does the term globalization refer to?

A) the gradual population of the earth by humans

B) the increasing interconnection of people in all parts of the world

C) the spread of geographic literacy

D) the period of European expansion from the 15th to 19th centuries

Answer: B

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23) Which of the following is an example of remote sensing?

A) photos taken from balloons and kites

B) aerial photography

C) radar scans

D) all of these

Answer: D

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24) A map that presents data such that the largest areal unit on the map indicates the largest occurrence of the variable is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) isochrone

B) choropleth

C) isobar

D) cartogram

Answer: D

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25) If you were able to read *Roger's Book*, you would be reading about \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) the philosophical narrative arguing for the existence of geography

B) Idrisi's collection of information collected for the first world map

C) the process of creating the lines of longitude and latitude for the first map of the world

D) the recreation of the Egyptian Ptolemy's geographical work

Answer: B

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26) Businesses located along an elongated strip, such as in Las Vegas, Myrtle Beach, Niagara Falls, or Sevierville/Pigeon Forge, TN (Smokey Mountains) create a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) centralized pattern

B) centralized concentration

C) scattered dispersion

D) linear pattern

Answer: D

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27) Data presented as an average on a pre-existing areal unit (average income by zip code, for example) is presented as a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) graduated circle map

B) dot distribution map

C) isopleth map

D) choropleth map

Answer: D

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28) The cultural landscape is determined by the language in use in the area.

Answer: FALSE

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29) Which of the following pairs is incorrect?

A) social geography and languages

B) behavioral geography and economics

C) cultural geography and sociology

D) political geography and psychology

Answer: D

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30) As one travels from airport to airport, a person experiences the same fast food restaurants, newsstands, and clothing stores. This produces the sense of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) placelessness

B) ubiquity

C) deglobalization

D) corporatization

Answer: A

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31) A(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ region is created by law, treaty, or regulation.

A) thematic

B) administrative

C) functional

D) perceptional

Answer: B

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32) The Prime Meridian \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) is otherwise known as the International deadline

B) is used to measure the distance from the zero degrees latitude

C) rotates every quarter of a century around the world

D) runs through Greenwich, England and aids in locating places on an east-west scale

Answer: D

Section: 1.3 Maps

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33) Maps are a type of model, representing reality in an idealized form to make certain aspects more clear.

Answer: TRUE

Section: 1.5 Systems, Maps, and Models

Topic: Maps

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Subtopic: Mapping Techniques

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34) The contents of areas are interrelated and constitute a(n):

A) mental map.

B) spatial system.

C) absolute distance.

D) connectivity.

Answer: B

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Topic: Maps

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Subtopic: Mapping Systems

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35) Which type of geography deals with the world as it is and with the world as it might be made to be?

A) physical geography

B) human geography

C) cultural geography

D) systematic geography

Answer: B

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36) Virtually every human activity leaves its imprint on an area's soils, water, vegetation, animal life, and other resources. The visible expression of that human activity is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) cultural landscape

B) physical environment

C) spatial interaction

D) distance decay

Answer: A

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Topic: Geographic Concepts

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37) At dinner you were talking with your friend about how many shops and restaurants have opened in your neighborhood this year. You are talking about \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) distribution

B) dispersion

C) pattern

D) density

Answer: D

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38) Detecting the nature of an object and the content of an area from a distance is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) vector approach

B) GIS

C) remote sensing

D) mental mapping

Answer: C

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Topic: Maps

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39) A GIS is both an integrated software package and a computer database.

Answer: TRUE

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Topic: Maps

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40) In the course of your day, you head to your favorite coffee shop and then get to work on time. On your lunch break you run a couple of errands to stores that you always go to. On your way home, you take the longer route by the river because it is so pretty. You do all of this using \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) mental maps

B) spatial landscapes

C) models

D) statistics

Answer: A

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