

Demographic Dynamics and Global Trends

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1. Which country currently holds the record for the lowest total fertility rate in the world as of 2023?

- A) South Korea
- B) Japan
- C) Italy
- D) Singapore

2. In the Demographic Transition Model, which stage is characterized by high birth rates and high death rates resulting in slow population growth?

- A) Stage 2
- B) Stage 1
- C) Stage 4
- D) Stage 5

3. What is the term for the number of live births per 1,000 women aged 15-49 in a given year?

- A) Crude Birth Rate
- B) Total Fertility Rate
- C) Age-Specific Fertility Rate
- D) General Fertility Rate

4. Which demographic indicator measures the number of dependents aged 0-14 and over 65 compared to the total working-age population?

- A) Dependency Ratio
- B) Replacement Level
- C) Net Migration Rate
- D) Population Momentum

5. What does the 'Malthusian Theory' primarily argue regarding population growth?

- A) Resources grow exponentially while population grows linearly
- B) Population grows exponentially while food production grows linearly
- C) Population and food production grow at the same rate
- D) Technological advancement negates the need for birth control

6. Which continent is projected to contribute the largest share of the world's population growth between now and 2050?

- A) Asia
- B) Africa
- C) South America
- D) North America

7. What is the 'replacement-level fertility' rate required for a population to remain stable without immigration?

- A) 1.5
- B) 2.1
- C) 2.5
- D) 3.0

8. In demographic terms, what does a 'population pyramid' with a very wide base and a narrow top indicate?

- A) Declining population
- B) Stable population
- C) Rapidly growing population
- D) High migration rate

9. Which country is currently the most populous in the world as of mid-2023?

- A) China
- B) United States
- C) India
- D) Indonesia

10. The term 'net migration' is calculated by subtracting which of the following?

- A) Emigrants from immigrants
- B) Immigrants from emigrants
- C) Crude birth rate from crude death rate
- D) Total population from dependency ratio

11. What is 'population momentum'?

- A) The tendency for population growth to continue despite falling fertility rates
- B) The rapid movement of people into cities
- C) The increase in life expectancy in aging societies
- D) The acceleration of migration due to economic shifts

12. Which country implemented the 'One Child Policy' from 1979 to 2015?

- A) Vietnam
- B) China
- C) India
- D) Thailand