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Activity

Quiz: Farming and food

This quiz is marked out of 10. It could be used as a quick review before teaching the topic to see what students already know. Alternatively, it could be a short team quiz, used for fun but as a way of opening up a discussion of these issues. Answers are available to download as a separate document from *GeographyReviewExtras*.

1 Which of these food crops covers the largest area of farmland? (1 mark)

- A Wheat
- B Maize
- C Rice
- D Potatoes

2 What percentage of the world's freshwater use is used in farming? (1 mark)

- A 7%
- B 50%
- C 70%
- D 15%

3 What percentage of world population calorie intake come from eating wheat, rice and maize (corn)?

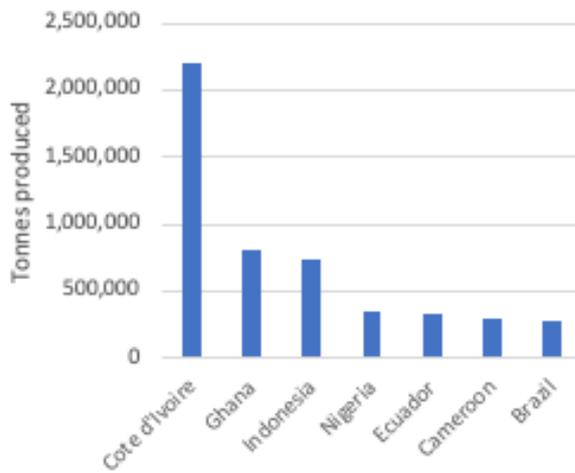
- A 31%
- B 21%
- C 61%
- D 51%

- 4** Which country was the largest net exporter of food in 2020? (1 mark)
- A USA
 - B China
 - C Brazil
 - D France
- 5** What percentage of the world's fish is farmed (aquaculture) rather than caught in the wild in oceans and rivers? (1 mark)
- A 50%
 - B 15%
 - C 25%
 - D 5%
- 6** Which of these farm products has the highest carbon footprint? (1 mark)
- A Apples
 - B Beef
 - C Coffee
 - D Eggs
- 7** Farm livestock include cattle, sheep, goats and pigs. In 2021 were there more people in the world, or more farm cattle, sheep, goats and pigs combined? (1 mark)
- A More people
 - B More livestock
 - C About the same of each

8 In 2021 a United Nations report estimated that what percentage of global food production is wasted i.e. not eaten? (1 mark)

- A 7%
- B 17%
- C 27%
- D 1.7%

9 Which food crop does the graph below show the global annual production of in 2020? (1 mark)



- A Coffee beans
- B Avocados
- C Cocoa beans
- D Peanuts

10 Most prawns (shrimp) are farmed in China, Thailand, Indonesia, India and Vietnam. How far, roughly, have prawns bought in the UK travelled? (1 mark)

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| A | 800–1,000 km | <input type="radio"/> |
| B | 4,000–5,000 km | <input type="radio"/> |
| C | 8,000–10,000 km | <input type="radio"/> |
| D | 6,000–8,000 km | <input type="radio"/> |

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