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SAUDI ARABIA – THE LAND OF HOT SANDS

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1. Saudi Arabia is a large country situated in the _____.
2. The deserts are covered by small hills of sand called _____.
3. The _____ passes through the middle of Saudi Arabia.
4. _____ is the second largest petroleum producing country after _____.
5. _____ and _____ are two modern cities in Saudi Arabia.
6. The people of Saudi Arabia who follow nomadic lifestyle are called _____.
7. The main occupation of the Bedouins is _____.
8. _____ and _____ in Saudi Arabia are the two important pilgrim centre of Muslims.
9. Saudi Arabia is an _____ state.
- 10 Saudi Arabia has modern cities but the society is _____.

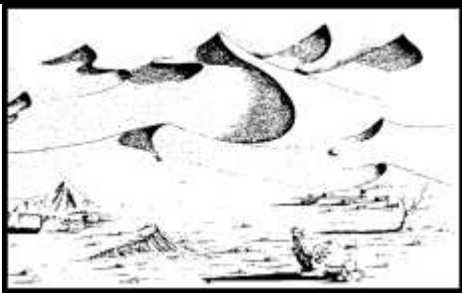


II NAME THE FOLLOWING.

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1. Small hills of sand that keep shifting due to strong winds _____.
2. A piece of land jutting into the sea and surrounded by water on three sides _____.
3. Fertile area in a desert formed by underground water that comes to the surface _____.
4. The traditional loose fitting white robes worn by men in Saudi Arabia _____.
5. The traditional black dress worn by women in Saudi Arabia _____.

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6. The largest oasis in Saudi Arabia _____.
 7. The capital of Saudi Arabia _____.
 8. Any two natural Vegetation of deserts _____.

III ANSWER THE FOLLOWING PICTURE QUESTIONS. 3

1.		These are small hills of sand In the desert called _____.
2.		These pumps are used for _____.
3.		A place in the desert where underground water comes to the surface is called _____.

IV ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IN TWO POINTS.

1. Where is Saudi Arabia located? 2
2. Describe the vegetation and agriculture of Saudi Arabia. 2
3. What are sand dunes? How do they shift from one place to the other? 2

V ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IN THREE POINTS.

4. Discuss in brief the climate of Saudi Arabia. 3

VI ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IN FOUR POINTS.

5. Write a short note on the lifestyle of Bedouins. 4
6. Why is Saudi Arabia a rich country despite being a desert? 4