

CLASS X, GEOGRAPHY, CHAPTER-5
MINERALS AND ENERGY RESOURCES
WORKSHEET

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1. Distinguish between ferrous and non-ferrous minerals.
2. What are the three properties of mica?
3. Why is conservation of mineral resources essential? Explain any three methods to conserve them.
4. What are the uses of copper?
5. What is bauxite? What are the chief characteristics of bauxite?
6. What are the hazards of mining? What are the measures?
7. "Minerals are indispensable part of our lives" Explain it.
8. Which mineral is contained in the Monazite sand?
9. How are minerals formed in igneous and metamorphic rocks?
10. Explain the formation of Bauxite and name the metal obtained from it?
11. What are the uses of limestone? Mention names of two states of India which are major producers of limestone.
12. How mining activities are injuries to the health of the miners and the environment?
13. India is fairly rich in mineral resources; however its distribution is uneven. Comment.
14. Which is the most abundantly available fossil fuel in India? Assess the importance of its different forms.
15. Differentiate between metallic and non-metallic minerals with examples?
16. Explain the importance of conservation of minerals. Highlight any three measures to conserve them?
17. Why Chhotanagpur plateau is called 'storehouse of minerals'?
18. Give an account of the major iron ore belts in India?