

The first group to integrate seed agriculture with domestication of herd animals was probably in

- A) western India.
- B) northern China.
- C) Ethiopia.
- D) Southwest Asia. - ANSD. Southwest Asia

The first people to domesticate lentils and olives were in

- A) western India.
- B) northern China.
- C) Ethiopia.
- D) Southwest Asia.
- E) South America. - ANSD. Southwest Asia

The largest proportion of farmers in Asia practice

- A) intensive subsistence.
- B) plantation agriculture.
- C) hunting and gathering.
- D) shifting cultivation.
- E) pastoral nomadism. - ANSA) Intensive subsistence

The most important reason why most farmers in northeast China grow crops other than wet rice is

- A) cultural preference.
- B) tradition.
- C) climate.
- D) soil.
- E) harvesting wet rice requires expensive machinery. - ANSC. climate

The number of farms in the United States declined from about 6 million in 1940 to _____ in 1980.

- A) 2 million
- B) 5.5 million
- C) 10 million
- D) 1 million
- E) 20,000 - ANSA. 2 million

The predominant form of agriculture in the U.S. Southeast is

- A) mixed crop and livestock.
- B) dairy farming.
- C) Mediterranean agriculture.
- D) commercial gardening.

E) plantation farming. - ANSD. commercial gardening

The primary factor in von Thünen's model for choosing commercial farm products is

- A) land price.
- B) market location.
- C) climate.
- D) soil character.
- E) labor cost. - ANSB. market location

The seasonal migration of livestock between mountains and lowland pastures is

- A) pastoral nomadism.
- B) transnomadism.
- C) transhumance.
- D) practiced mostly in the tropics.
- E) livestock ranching. - ANSC. transhumance

The term swidden refers to a plot of land formed by what type of agriculture?
ANSSlash and burn

The type of agriculture practiced near large cities, which includes producing fruits and vegetables, is called

- A) sawah.
- B) truck agriculture.
- C) subsistence agriculture.
- D) truck farming.
- E) truck hybridization. - ANSD. truck farming

The United States had about 60 percent fewer farms and _____ percent fewer farmers in 2000 than in 1900.

- A) 85
- B) 52
- C) 15
- D) 25
- E) 99 - ANSA. 85

To increase crop yields, farmers in South China commonly practice

- A) double cropping.
- B) transhumance.
- C) threshing.
- D) pastoral nomadism.
- E) shifting cultivation. - ANSA. double cropping