

(iii) Time distance is the time taken to travel on a particular route.

(iv) Cost distance is the cost involved in travelling on a route.

5. What is Quaternary Activities.

Ans This is a new category of activities which has come into use only recently. This is a specialised and complex category of activities which is mainly concerned with knowledge such as education, information research and development (R & D). The term quaternary basically refers to the more intellectual occupations, whose task is to think, research and develop ideas. As such, this sector is especially concerned with research and development.

6. What is Quinary activities.

Ans People engaged in highest level decision making or policy making perform quinary activities. These activities are subtly different from quaternary activities.

7 Tertiary and Quaternary Activities

1. Write the Types of Tertiary activities.
As Trade, transport, communication and services are the main types of tertiary activities.

Trade and Commerce

Buying and selling of goods is known as Trade. Places like towns and cities where Trade is carried on are known as trading centres. Trading centres can be rural as well as urban.

(i) Rural Marketing Centres. These centres provide trading services to the nearby ~~and~~ settlements. These are most rudimentary centres where personal and professional services are not well developed.

(ii) Periodic Markets. In certain rural areas where there is no regular market, rural services markets are organised at different intervals of time.

(iii) Urban Marketing Centres. These are set up in urban areas and provide goods and services to the urban people.

2. Write the Retail Trading System.
Ans. This is the type of business in which goods are sold directly to the consumers. It is generally done in fixed establishments and stores which are solely devoted to sale of goods. Street peddling, hand carts, trucks, door-to-door, mail order, telephone, automatic vending machines and internet are examples of non-store retail selling.

3. Write the Wholesale Trading Services.
Ans. It involves bulk business through a number of intermediary merchants and supply houses. It is not concerned with retail stores, wholesale stores including large stores and chain stores are capable of buying directly from the manufacturer.

4. What is Transport?
Ans. Transport is a system in which goods and passengers are carried from one place to another. This is very important segment of economy and the economic growth largely depends on the availability of transport facilities.

1) Kilometer distance is the actual distance of route length in kilometers.