

## **guruEconomic Geography # 1**

1. Name **one** of the two countries that together account for more than half of the world's **export trade** in automobiles.
2. Name the country which is the largest importer of Canadian forest products.
3. What is the term used to describe the kind of trade that is based on the exchange of goods rather than money?
4. The world's largest citrus fruit producing region lies in a South American country with an Atlantic coastline over 7000 kilometers long. Name the country.
5. More than one-third of the farmland in a European country has been reclaimed from the sea. Name the country.
6. Three countries in Southeast Asia produce most of the world's natural rubber. Name one of the three countries.
7. Although Canada and the United States are major producers of aluminum, most of the **ore** to produce this metal must be imported. Name the ore.
8. A desert region of this South American country has the world's largest known reserves of copper. Name the country.
9. The Ruhr valley is the location of Europe's largest industrial complex. In what country is it located?
10. Many companies specializing in computers and other electronic equipment are located in an area of California between San Jose and Palo Alto. What is the popular name for this area?

ANSWERS:

1 **Japan** or **Germany** 2 **United States** 3 **barter** 4 **Brazil** 5 **Netherlands**  
6 **Indonesia** or **Malaysia** or **Thailand** 7 **bauxite** 8 **Chile** 9 **Germany** 10 **Silicon Valley**