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Chapter: Disaster Management

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Solution

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Choose the correct answer:

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1. When a building is likely to be damaged by any hazard it is called (risk/ danger/ **vulnerability**).
2. When an infrastructure is at risk because of its nearness to a hazard, it is called (**physical**/ social/ economic) vulnerability.
3. The extent to which people are affected by a hazard related to poverty is called (social/ economic/ **socio-economic**) vulnerability.
4. A community can also become vulnerable by (living conditions/ poverty/ **both**).
5. The abilities of a community to overcome from a disaster is called (vulnerability/ **capacity**/ risk).
6. Bad living conditions can also be a cause of (political/ **socio-economic**/ social) vulnerability.
7. (Vulnerability/ capacity/ **risk**) is the measure of expected losses due to a hazard.
8. The level of (**risk**/ capacity/ exposure) depends on the nature of the hazard.
9. An area is (favourably/ **adversely**/ both) affected by a hazard.
10. The UNDP is an organisation that comes under (**organisational**/ unorganisational/ community) capacity.
11. Plans and strategies to reduce the adverse effects of a hazard is called (capacity/ **disaster**/ risk) management.
12. The aim of risk management is to (reduce/ avoid/ **both**).
13. Disaster management has (**2**/ 3/ 4) components.
14. Hazard becomes (risk/ **disaster**/ accident) when there is minimum capacity of the people to deal with vulnerability.
15. When all activities, measures, etc. are taken before, during and after a disaster, it is known as (risk/ rapid/ **disaster**) management.