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### Unit 5 Study Guide

The Unit 5 Test will cover chapters 15, 16, and 17 in the book. The test will also cover everything discussed in class as well as some map skill based questions. Please review the following vocabulary terms.

#### Part 1. Vocabulary

1. Ural Mountains =
2. Caucasus Mountains =
3. Chernozem =
4. Volga River =
5. Lake Baikal =
6. Siberia =
7. Continentality =
  
8. Permafrost =
9. Turan Plain =
10. Thermal Pollution =
11. Ivan the Great =
12. Russian Revolution =
13. Mikhail Gorbachev =
14. Command Economy =
  
15. Transcaucasia =
  
16. The Silk Road =
17. Nomads =
  
18. Distance Decay =

#### Part 2. Questions

1. What type of vegetation would NOT be found in Russia?
2. Which sea was damaged in order provide water for irrigation?
  
3. How many time zones does Russia cross?

4. What is one reason the Northern European Plain can produce an abundance of crops?
5. Which forest gives Russia and the Republics the resources to produce 1/5 of the world's timber?
6. What caused the environmental problems of the Aral Sea?
7. What has happened to the people living around the Aral Sea?
8. Why do people living in Siberia have to build their houses on stilts?
9. What countries are known as the "Baltic Republics?"
10. What was the Soviet military called after the Russian Revolution?
11. Why are some countries concerned if the Caspian is a Sea or a Lake?
12. What is one reason for so many conflicts in the Caucasus region?
13. What are some examples of small republic's in the Caucasus region?
14. Which event led to the beginning of ethnic and regional conflicts in the Caucasus?
15. What process was used to move the Russian economy from a command based economy to a capitalist based economy?
16. What criminal organization threatens Russia's economy?
17. What mountainous region has caused conflict between Armenia and Azerbaijan?
18. Why do Russian leaders want to store and treat the world's nuclear waste?
19. What is a major concern of the United States about Russia's nuclear legacy?
20. What contributed to Russia's economic crash in 1998?