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Ans. Animals like monkeys, sloth, ant-eating tapirs, crocodiles, snakes, pythons, anaconda, boa and flesh eating piranha fish are found here.

Q2. What are the main features of Ganga Brahmaputra basin?

Ans. The plains of the Ganga and the Brahmaputra, the mountains and the foothills of the Himalayas and the Sundarbans delta are the main features of this basin.

Q3. What are the crops grown in Ganga Brahmaputra basin?

Ans. The main crop is paddy. Wheat, maize, sorghum, gram and millets are the other crops that are grown. Cash crops like sugarcane and jute are also grown.

Q4. Why paddy is grown in the Ganga-Brahmaputra plains?

Ans. Since cultivation of paddy requires sufficient water, it is grown in the areas where the amount of rainfall is high. Ganga-Brahmaputra basin is good for cultivation of paddy as it receives good amount of rainfall.

Q5. What is Susu? What does its presence indicate?

Ans. In the fresh waters of River Ganga and River Brahmaputra, a variety of dolphin locally called Susu (also called blind dolphin) is found. The presence of Susu is an indication of the health of the river. The untreated industrial and urban wastes with high amount of chemicals are killing this species.