

Unit VI Industrialization and Economic Development
Basic Vocabulary and Concepts

Industrialization

Acid rain

Agglomeration

Agglomeration economies

Air pollution

Aluminum industry (factors of production, location)

Assembly line production/Fordism

Bid rent theory

Break-of-bulk point

Canadian industrial heartland

Carrier efficiency

Comparative advantage

Cumulative causation

Degglomeration

Deindustrialization

Economic sectors

Economies of scale

Ecotourism

Energy resources

Entrepôt

Export processing zone

Fixed costs

Footloose industry

Four Tigers

Greenhouse effect

Growth poles

Heartland/rimland

Industrial location theory

Industrial regions (place, fuel source, characteristics)

Industrial Revolution

Industry (receding, growing)

Infrastructure

International division of labor

Labor-intensive

Least-cost location

Major manufacturing regions

Manufacturing exports

Manufacturing/warehouse location (industrial parks, agglomeration, shared services, zoning, transportation, taxes, environmental considerations)

Maquiladora

Market orientation

Multiplier effect

NAFTA

Outsourcing
Ozone depletion
Plant location (supplies, “just in time” delivery)
Postindustrial
Refrigeration Resource crisis
Resource orientation
Special economic zones (China)
Specialized economic zones
Substitution principle
Threshold/range
Time-space compression
Topocide
Trade (complementarity)
Transnational Corporation
Ubiquitous
Variable costs
Weber, Alfred
Weight-gaining
Weight-losing
World cities

Economic Development

Agricultural labor force
Calorie consumption
Core-periphery model
Cultural convergence
Dependency theory
Development
Energy consumption
Foreign direct investment
Gender
Gross domestic product (GDP)
Gross national product (GNP)
Human Development Index (HDI)
Levels of development
Measures of development
Neocolonialism
Physical Quality of Life Index
Purchasing power parity
Rostow, W. W.
“Stages of Growth” model
Technology gap
Technology transfer
Third World
World Systems Theory