PPSC Accounts Officer | BS-17 — GUESS PAPER 2026 (Set 2 of 2) · Predicted Questions

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Question 1 Accounting And Finance

A system of bookkeeping that records only one aspect of a transaction is called what?

- A. Single-entry system ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Double-entry system
- C. Triple-entry system

Why this answer? The single-entry system records only one aspect of each transaction, unlike double-entry bookkeeping.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: single-entry system recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 2 Accounting And Finance

When goods are bought for cash, which account is debited?

- A. Purchases account ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Cash account
- C. Sales account
- D. Capital account

Why this answer? When goods are bought for cash, the purchases account is debited and the cash account is credited.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: journal entries recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 3 Accounting And Finance

When goods are sold on credit, which account is debited?

- A. Sales account
- B. Cash account
- C. Purchases account
- D. Debtors account ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? When goods are sold on credit, the debtor's (customer's) account is debited and the sales account is credited.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: journal entries

ry sitting of this post.

Question 4 Accounting And Finance

Closing stock is shown in which of the following?

- A. Trial balance only
- B. Profit and loss account only
- C. Trading account and balance sheet ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Cash book only

Why this answer? Closing stock is credited to the trading account and shown as a current asset in the balance sheet.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: final accounts recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 5 Accounting And Finance

Under the diminishing balance method, depreciation is charged on which value?

- A. The written-down value of the asset ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. The original cost of the asset
- C. The scrap value of the asset
- D. The market value of the asset

Why this answer? Under the diminishing balance method depreciation is charged on the written-down value of the asset each year.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: depreciation methods recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 6 Accounting And Finance

A provision is created to meet which of the following?

nown liability whose amount cannot be fixed exactly ✓ **Predicted answer**

- B. A future profit
- C. A general risk
- D. A tax refund

Why this answer? A provision is created for a known liability whose amount cannot be determined exactly.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: provisions recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 7 Accounting And Finance

A reserve is created out of which of the following?

- A. Capital
- B. Loans
- C. Profits ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Sales

Why this answer? A reserve is created out of the profits (retained earnings) of a business.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: provisions and reserves recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 8 Accounting And Finance

The extra value of a business over its net assets, due to its reputation, is called what?

- A. Capital
- B. Goodwill ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Reserve
- D. Premium

Why this answer? Goodwill is the value of a business over and above its net assets,

its reputation and customer base.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: goodwill recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 9 Accounting And Finance

A share is a unit of what?

- A. The debt of a company
- B. The profit of a company
- C. The capital of a company ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. The assets of a company

Why this answer? A share is a unit of the share capital of a company.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: company accounts recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 10 Accounting And Finance

A debenture is a written acknowledgement of what?

- A. A share in a company
- B. A dividend paid by a company
- C. A bonus given by a company
- D. A loan taken by a company ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? A debenture is a written acknowledgement of a loan taken by a company, on which interest is paid.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: company accounts recurs in every sitting of this post.

11 Accounting And Finance

The part of a company's profit paid to its shareholders is called what?

- A. Dividend ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Interest
- C. Bonus
- D. Commission

Why this answer? A dividend is the part of a company's profit distributed to its shareholders.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: company accounts recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 12 Accounting And Finance

The written agreement between partners is called what?

- A. Memorandum of association
- B. Prospectus
- C. Articles of association
- D. Partnership deed ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The partnership deed is the written agreement between the partners of a firm.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: partnership accounts recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 13 Accounting And Finance

In a partnership with fixed capitals, drawings and interest are recorded in the partner's which account?

- A. Current account ✓ **Predicted answer**

- C. Loan account
- D. Suspense account

Why this answer? With fixed capitals, a partner's drawings and interest are recorded in the partner's current account.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: partnership accounts recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 14 Accounting And Finance

Final accounts of a business consist of which of the following?

- A. Journal and ledger
- B. Trading and profit and loss account and balance sheet ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Trial balance and cash book
- D. Bank statement and ledger

Why this answer? Final accounts consist of the trading and profit and loss account and the balance sheet.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: final accounts recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 15 Accounting And Finance

Gross profit ratio is gross profit expressed as a percentage of what?

- A. Purchases
- B. Capital
- C. Assets
- D. Sales ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The gross profit ratio is gross profit expressed as a percentage of net

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: accounting ratios recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 16 Accounting And Finance

Net profit ratio is net profit expressed as a percentage of what?

- A. Purchases
- B. Sales ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Capital
- D. Stock

Why this answer? The net profit ratio is net profit expressed as a percentage of net sales.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: accounting ratios recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 17 Accounting And Finance

Return on capital employed measures what?

- A. Profit earned on the capital invested in the business ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Sales per employee
- C. Stock turnover
- D. Debt collection period

Why this answer? Return on capital employed measures the profit earned on the capital invested in the business.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: accounting ratios recurs in every sitting of this post.

18 Accounting And Finance

The stock turnover ratio shows what?

- A. How much stock is damaged
- B. How much stock is old
- C. How much stock is insured
- D. How quickly stock is sold and replaced ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The stock turnover ratio shows how quickly a business sells and replaces its stock.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: accounting ratios recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 19 Accounting And Finance

The liquid (acid-test) ratio is calculated as which of the following?

- A. Current assets divided by current liabilities
- B. Total assets divided by total liabilities
- C. Stock divided by sales
- D. Liquid assets divided by current liabilities ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The liquid ratio is liquid assets (current assets less stock) divided by current liabilities.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: accounting ratios recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 20 Accounting And Finance

The cash book serves as both a journal and what else?

- A. A trial balance
- B. A balance sheet

- D. A ledger ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The cash book is both a book of original entry and a ledger account for cash and bank.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: cash book recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 21 Accounting And Finance

Small day-to-day expenses of a business are paid from which fund?

- A. Bank overdraft
- B. Capital
- C. Petty cash ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Reserve fund

Why this answer? Small day-to-day expenses are paid from the petty cash fund.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: cash book recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 22 Accounting And Finance

Under the imprest system, the petty cashier is reimbursed in which way?

- A. In full every month
- B. For the amount spent, to restore the fixed sum ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. In full every year
- D. Never, the sum is fixed for good

Why this answer? Under the imprest system the petty cashier is reimbursed for the amount spent, restoring the fixed imprest sum.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: cash book recurs

ng of this post.

Question 23 Accounting And Finance

Expenses that are due but not yet paid at the year end are called what?

- A. Outstanding expenses ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Prepaid expenses
- C. Accrued income
- D. Unearned income

Why this answer? Outstanding expenses are expenses that are due but have not yet been paid at the year end.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: adjustments recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 24 Accounting And Finance

Expenses paid in advance for the next year are called what?

- A. Outstanding expenses
- B. Accrued expenses
- C. Prepaid expenses ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Bad debts

Why this answer? Prepaid expenses are expenses paid in advance for a future period.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: adjustments recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 25 Accounting And Finance

Income earned but not yet received is called what?

- A. Unearned income

- C. Prepaid income
- D. Bad income

Why this answer? Accrued income is income earned but not yet received at the year end.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: adjustments recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 26 Accounting And Finance

Income received in advance for services not yet given is called what?

- A. Accrued income
- B. Outstanding income
- C. Earned income
- D. Unearned income ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Unearned income is income received in advance for services not yet rendered.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: adjustments recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 27 Accounting And Finance

Money received from selling a fixed asset is what kind of receipt?

- A. Revenue receipt
- B. Personal receipt
- C. Deferred receipt
- D. Capital receipt ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Money from selling a fixed asset is a capital receipt, because it comes from a non-recurring source.

ed [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: capital and revenue receipts recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 28 Accounting And Finance

Money received from the sale of goods is what kind of receipt?

- A. Revenue receipt ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Capital receipt
- C. Loan receipt
- D. Gift receipt

Why this answer? Money from the sale of goods is a revenue receipt, because it comes from the normal trading of the business.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: capital and revenue receipts recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 29 Accounting And Finance

The prudence (conservatism) concept says that a business should do what?

- A. Anticipate profits but not losses
- B. Ignore both profits and losses
- C. Record profits and losses equally
- D. Anticipate losses but not profits ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The prudence concept says a business should anticipate losses but not profits.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: accounting concepts recurs in every sitting of this post.

30 Accounting And Finance

The business entity concept treats the business as what?

- A. The same as its owner
- B. Part of the government
- C. Separate from its owner ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. A charity

Why this answer? The business entity concept treats the business as a separate entity from its owner.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Accounting: accounting concepts recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 31 Auditing And Taxation

An audit required by law is called what?

- A. Voluntary audit
- B. Internal audit
- C. Statutory audit ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Private audit

Why this answer? A statutory audit is an audit that must be carried out because the law requires it.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Auditing: types of audit recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 32 Auditing And Taxation

An audit of the cost records of a business is called what?

- A. Financial audit
- B. Cost audit ✓ **Predicted answer**

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- D. Management audit

Why this answer? A cost audit is an examination of the cost records of a business.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Auditing: types of audit recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 33 Auditing And Taxation

An audit that reviews the efficiency of management is called what?

- A. Management audit ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Cost audit
- C. Tax audit
- D. Statutory audit

Why this answer? A management audit reviews how efficiently the management of an organisation is working.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Auditing: types of audit recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 34 Auditing And Taxation

In Pakistan, the auditor of a company must be a member of which body?

- A. Securities and Exchange Commission
- B. Federal Board of Revenue
- C. Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. State Bank of Pakistan

Why this answer? In Pakistan a company auditor must be a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (ICAP).

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Auditing: auditors in Pakistan

ry sitting of this post.

Question 35 Auditing And Taxation

When the auditor disagrees with some items in the accounts, he gives what kind of opinion?

- A. Unqualified opinion
- B. Adverse opinion
- C. Qualified opinion ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Clean opinion

Why this answer? An auditor who disagrees with some items in the accounts gives a qualified opinion.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Auditing: audit report recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 36 Auditing And Taxation

When the auditor finds the accounts misleading as a whole, he gives what kind of opinion?

- A. Qualified opinion
- B. Unqualified opinion
- C. Disclaimer of opinion
- D. Adverse opinion ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? When the accounts are misleading as a whole, the auditor gives an adverse opinion.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Auditing: audit report recurs in every sitting of this post.

37 Auditing And Taxation

When the auditor cannot form an opinion because evidence is missing, he issues what?

- A. A clean report
- B. An adverse opinion
- C. A disclaimer of opinion ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. A qualified opinion

Why this answer? When the auditor cannot obtain enough evidence to form an opinion, he issues a disclaimer of opinion.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Auditing: audit report recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 38 Auditing And Taxation

The information an auditor uses to support his opinion is called what?

- A. Audit risk
- B. Audit fee
- C. Audit evidence ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Audit plan

Why this answer? Audit evidence is the information the auditor gathers to support the opinion in the audit report.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Auditing: audit evidence recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 39 Auditing And Taxation

In Pakistan, income tax is charged on the income of whom?

- A. Only companies
- B. Only individuals

viduals and companies ✓ **Predicted answer**

- D. Only the government

Why this answer? Income tax in Pakistan is charged on the income of individuals as well as companies.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Taxation: income tax recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 40 Auditing And Taxation

Customs duty is charged on which of the following?

- A. Income earned in a year
- B. Property owned by a person
- C. Services used by a person
- D. Goods imported into or exported from a country ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Customs duty is a tax on goods imported into or exported from a country.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Taxation: customs duty recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 41 Auditing And Taxation

Excise duty is a tax on which of the following?

- A. Goods imported from abroad
- B. Income earned by a person
- C. Goods manufactured within a country ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Land owned by a person

Why this answer? Excise duty is a tax on goods manufactured within a country.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Taxation: excise duty recurs in

of this post.

Question 42 Auditing And Taxation

Deliberately not paying tax by illegal means is called what?

- A. Tax avoidance
- B. Tax planning
- C. Tax evasion ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Tax exemption

Why this answer? Tax evasion is the illegal practice of deliberately not paying tax.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Taxation: tax evasion and avoidance recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 43 Economics

Price elasticity of demand measures what?

- A. How much supply changes when tax changes
- B. How much quantity demanded changes when price changes ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. How much income changes when price changes
- D. How much tax changes when income changes

Why this answer? Price elasticity of demand measures how much the quantity demanded changes when the price changes.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Economics: elasticity of demand recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 44 Economics

Gross National Product differs from Gross Domestic Product because it includes what?

- B. Exports
- C. Taxes
- D. Net income from abroad ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Gross National Product equals GDP plus net income from abroad.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Economics: national income recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 45 Economics

Per capita income is calculated as which of the following?

- A. GDP divided by exports
- B. Population divided by national income
- C. Exports divided by population
- D. National income divided by population ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Per capita income is national income divided by the total population.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Economics: national income recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 46 Economics

A general fall in the prices of goods and services is called what?

- A. Inflation
- B. Stagflation
- C. Deflation ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Recession

Why this answer? Deflation is a general fall in the prices of goods and services.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Economics: inflation recurs in

of this post.

Question 47 Economics

A period of falling economic activity and rising unemployment is called what?

- A. Boom
- B. Inflation
- C. Recession ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Recovery

Why this answer? A recession is a period of falling economic activity, falling output and rising unemployment.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Economics: business cycle recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 48 Economics

The price paid for the use of borrowed money is called what?

- A. Rent
- B. Interest ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Profit
- D. Dividend

Why this answer? Interest is the price paid for the use of borrowed money.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Economics: interest recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 49 Economics

The price of one currency in terms of another is called what?

- A. Interest rate

hange rate ✓ **Predicted answer**

- C. Inflation rate
- D. Tax rate

Why this answer? The exchange rate is the price of one currency expressed in terms of another currency.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Economics: exchange rate recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 50 Economics

A market with only a few large sellers is called what?

- A. Monopoly
- B. Oligopoly ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Monopsony
- D. Perfect competition

Why this answer? An oligopoly is a market dominated by a few large sellers.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Economics: market structures recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 51 Economics

The total income earned by all factors of production in a country is called what?

- A. Personal income
- B. Disposable income
- C. National income ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Per capita income

Why this answer? National income is the total income earned by all the factors of production in a country.

ed [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Economics: national income recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 52 Economics

When government spending is more than its revenue, the difference is called what?

- A. Budget surplus
- B. Public debt
- C. Trade deficit
- D. Budget deficit ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? A budget deficit is the amount by which government spending exceeds government revenue.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Economics: government budget recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 53 English

The sentence 'I know why people are making noise' belongs to which type of sentence?

- A. Simple sentence
- B. Compound sentence
- C. Complex sentence ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Compound complex sentence

Why this answer? This is a complex sentence: 'I know' is the main clause and 'why people are making noise' is the subordinate clause.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2024-ACCOUNTS-OFFICER-BS17-18J2024-TRANSPORT Q14 (verified item — correct answer: Complex sentence).

54 English

Choose the correct indirect form of this order: The Captain said to his man, 'Stand at ease'.

- A. The Captain told his men that they should stand at ease
- B. The Captain wanted his man to stand at ease
- C. The Captain commanded his men to stand at ease ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. The Captain urged his men to stand at ease

Why this answer? The Captain commanded his men to stand at ease is the correct reported form of the imperative 'Stand at ease'.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2024-ACCOUNTS-OFFICER-BS17-18J2024-TRANSPORT Q15 (verified item — correct answer: The Captain commanded his men to stand at ease).

Question 55 English

Which phrasal verb correctly completes this sentence: 'The police are ___ the incident'?

- A. looking for
- B. looking on
- C. looking at
- D. looking into ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? 'Looking into' means investigating, which is what the police do with an incident.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2024-ACCOUNTS-OFFICER-BS17-18J2024-TRANSPORT Q16 (verified item — correct answer: Looking into).

Question 56 English

Choose the synonym of 'brave'.

- B. Courageous ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Weak
- D. Afraid

Why this answer? 'Courageous' means the same as 'brave'.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English: synonyms recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 57 English

Choose the antonym of 'rich'.

- A. Wealthy
- B. Affluent
- C. Prosperous
- D. Poor ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? 'Poor' is the opposite of 'rich'.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English: antonyms recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 58 English

What is the plural of 'man'?

- A. Mans
- B. Men ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Mens
- D. Manes

Why this answer? The plural of 'man' is 'men'.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English: plurals recurs in every

s post.

Question 59 English

Choose the word that is spelt correctly.

- A. Ocurrence
- B. Occurrance
- C. Occurence
- D. Occurrence ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? 'Occurrence' is the correct spelling.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English: spelling recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 60 English

A person who can use both hands equally well is called what?

- A. Versatile
- B. Ambidextrous ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Bilingual
- D. Skilful

Why this answer? An ambidextrous person can use both hands equally well.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English: one-word substitution recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 61 English

The idiom 'to break the ice' means what?

- A. To break something cold
- B. To start a conversation ✓ **Predicted answer**

- slip on ice
- D. To feel cold

Why this answer? The idiom 'to break the ice' means to start a conversation and ease social tension.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English: idioms recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 62 English

Choose the correct preposition: She is fond ___ music.

- A. in
- B. on
- C. at
- D. of ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The correct preposition is 'of': she is fond of music.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English: prepositions recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 63 Mathematics

Which number does not belong in this series: 140, 340, 540, 730, 940, 1140?

- A. 730 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 340
- C. 950
- D. 1140

Why this answer? The series rises by 200 each time (140, 340, 540, 740, 940, 1140), so 730, which should be 740, is the wrong number.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2024-ACCOUNTS-OFFICER-

4-TRANSPORT Q17 (verified item — correct answer: 730).

Question 64 Mathematics

Umar paid 7,895 as Ushr at the rate of 10%. What was the total amount on which the Ushr was charged?

- A. 78,950 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 59,850
- C. 6,585
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Ushr at 10% means the amount is 7,895 x 10 = 78,950, since 10% of 78,950 is 7,895.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2024-ACCOUNTS-OFFICER-BS17-18J2024-TRANSPORT Q18 (verified item — correct answer: 78950).

Question 65 Mathematics

What is 15 percent of 300?

- A. 30
- B. 60
- C. 45 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 15

Why this answer? 15 percent of 300 is 45.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Mathematics: percentages recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 66 Mathematics

If 3x = 27, what is the value of x?

- B. 9 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 24
- D. 30

Why this answer? If 3x = 27, then x = 27 divided by 3 = 9.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Mathematics: simple equations recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 67 Mathematics

What is 7 multiplied by 8?

- A. 54
- B. 48
- C. 64
- D. 56 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? 7 multiplied by 8 is 56.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Mathematics: multiplication recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 68 Mathematics

What is the average of 10, 20 and 30?

- A. 15
- B. 25
- C. 30
- D. 20 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The average of 10, 20 and 30 is (10 + 20 + 30) divided by 3 = 20.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Mathematics: averages recurs

ng of this post.

Question 69 Mathematics

What is the next number in the series 5, 10, 20, 40?

- A. 80 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 50
- C. 60
- D. 70

Why this answer? Each number doubles, so the next number after 40 is 80.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Mathematics: number series recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 70 Mathematics

What is 100 divided by 4?

- A. 20
- B. 30
- C. 25 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 40

Why this answer? 100 divided by 4 is 25.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Mathematics: division recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 71 Pakistan Studies

Near which town in Sindh does the historic Makli necropolis lie?

- A. Thatta ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Jacobabad

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- D. Larkana

Why this answer? Makli graveyard is located near Thatta, in Sindh.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2024-ACCOUNTS-OFFICER-BS17-18J2024-TRANSPORT Q13 (verified item — correct answer: Thatta).

Question 72 Pakistan Studies

Who was the first Governor-General of Pakistan?

- A. Muhammad Ali Jinnah ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Liaquat Ali Khan
- C. Khawaja Nazimuddin
- D. Ghulam Muhammad

Why this answer? Muhammad Ali Jinnah was the first Governor-General of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Pakistan Studies: first office holders recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 73 Pakistan Studies

When was the Lahore Resolution passed?

- A. 23 March 1947
- B. 14 August 1947
- C. 3 June 1947
- D. 23 March 1940 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The Lahore Resolution was passed on 23 March 1940.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Pakistan Studies: Pakistan Movement recurs in every sitting of this post.

74 Pakistan Studies

Which city is called the City of Gardens in Pakistan?

- A. Karachi
- B. Lahore ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Islamabad
- D. Murree

Why this answer? Lahore is called the City of Gardens.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Pakistan Studies: cities of Pakistan recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 75 Pakistan Studies

What is the national animal of Pakistan?

- A. Lion
- B. Markhor ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Tiger
- D. Deer

Why this answer? The markhor is the national animal of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Pakistan Studies: national symbols recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 76 Pakistan Studies

Which is the national sport of Pakistan?

- A. Field hockey ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Cricket
- C. Football
- D. Squash

swer: Field hockey is the national sport of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Pakistan Studies: national symbols recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 77 Pakistan Studies

The Khyber Pass connects Pakistan with which country?

- A. India
- B. Iran
- C. Afghanistan ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. China

Why this answer? The Khyber Pass connects Pakistan with Afghanistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Pakistan Studies: geography of Pakistan recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 78 General Knowledge

By what real name was the Pakistani film actor known on screen as Santosh Kumar?

- A. Syed Ali Raza
- B. Haroon Musa
- C. Syed Musa Raza ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Syed Yousaf Raza

Why this answer? The real name of Pakistani actor Santosh Kumar was Syed Musa Raza.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2024-ACCOUNTS-OFFICER-BS17-18J2024-TRANSPORT Q12 (verified item — correct answer: Syed Musa Raza).

Question 79 General Knowledge

Which is the smallest continent in the world?

tralia ✓ **Predicted answer**

- B. Europe
- C. Antarctica
- D. Africa

Why this answer? Australia is the smallest continent in the world.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — General Knowledge: continents recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 80 General Knowledge

What is the capital of China?

- A. Beijing ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Shanghai
- C. Tokyo
- D. Seoul

Why this answer? Beijing is the capital of China.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — General Knowledge: capitals of the world recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 81 General Knowledge

Who wrote the play 'Romeo and Juliet'?

- A. Charles Dickens
- B. William Shakespeare ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. John Milton
- D. Jane Austen

Why this answer? William Shakespeare wrote the play 'Romeo and Juliet'.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — General Knowledge: world

Question 82 General Knowledge

Which gas do plants absorb from the air for photosynthesis?

- A. Carbon dioxide ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Oxygen
- C. Nitrogen
- D. Hydrogen

Why this answer? Plants absorb carbon dioxide from the air for photosynthesis.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — General Knowledge: science recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 83 General Knowledge

How many days are there in a leap year?

- A. 365
- B. 366 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 364
- D. 367

Why this answer? A leap year has 366 days.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — General Knowledge: calendar recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 84 Urdu

خواجہ حسن نظامی کی کتاب 'سِی پارہ دل' میں شامل مضامین کس موضوع پر ہیں؟

A. جنگِ آزادی کے اسباب

B. بزرگا

C. مضامین کا ترجمہ

Predicted answer ✓ D. تصوف کے مضامین کا ذکر

Why this answer? Seeparah-e-Dil, the essay collection of Khwaja Hasan Nizami — a Chishti Sufi litterateur — contains essays on Sufi (tasawwuf) topics.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2024-ACCOUNTS-OFFICER-BS17-18J2024-TRANSPORT Q19 (verified item — correct answer: تصوف کے مضامین کا ذکر).

Question 85 Urdu

ادبی مجلہ 'فنون' کس ادیب کی ادارت میں شائع ہوتا تھا؟

A. عطا اللہ شاہ

B. پریم چند

Predicted answer ✓ C. احمد ندیم قاسمی

D. عطا الحق قاسمی

Why this answer? The literary magazine Funoon was published under the editorship of Ahmad Nadeem Qasmi.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2024-ACCOUNTS-OFFICER-BS17-18J2024-TRANSPORT Q20 (verified item — correct answer: احمد ندیم قاسمی).

Question 86 Urdu

'خودی' کا تصور کس شاعر سے وابستہ ہے؟

A. میر تقی میر

B. مرزا غالب

C. فیض احمد فیض

nswer ✓ علامہ اقبال .D•

Why this answer ?'خودی' کا تصور علامہ اقبال کی شاعری سے وابستہ ہے۔

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu: Urdu literature recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 87 Urdu

'بانگِ درا' کس شاعر کی تصنیف ہے؟

A. مرزا غالب•

Predicted answer ✓ B. علامہ اقبال•

C. میر تقی میر•

D. احمد فراز•

Why this answer ?'بانگِ درا' علامہ اقبال کی تصنیف ہے۔

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu: Urdu literature recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 88 Urdu

اردو کا پہلا ناول کسے کہا جاتا ہے؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. مراۃ العروس•

B. امراؤ جان ادا•

C. خدا کی بستی•

D. آگ کا دریا•

Why this answer ?ڈپٹی نذیر احمد کے ناول 'مراۃ العروس' کو اردو کا پہلا ناول کہا جاتا ہے۔

ed [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu: Urdu literature recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 89 Urdu

'امراؤ جان ادا' کے مصنف کون ہیں؟

A. ڈپٹی نذیر احمد

B. پریم چند

Predicted answer ✓ C. مرزا محمد ہادی رسوا

D. احمد ندیم قاسمی

Why this answer? 'امراؤ جان ادا' کے مصنف مرزا محمد ہادی رسوا ہیں۔

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu: Urdu literature recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 90 Computer Science

What does 'www' stand for in a web address?

- A. World Wide Window
- B. World Wide Web ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Wide World Web
- D. World Web Wide

Why this answer? 'WWW' stands for World Wide Web.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Computer Science: internet recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 91 Computer Science

Which device is used to input text into a computer?

- B. Monitor
- C. Printer
- D. Speaker

Why this answer? The keyboard is used to input text into a computer.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Computer Science: computer hardware recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 92 Computer Science

Which of the following is an output device?

- A. Keyboard
- B. Printer ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Mouse
- D. Scanner

Why this answer? A printer is an output device, because it produces output from the computer.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Computer Science: computer hardware recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 93 Computer Science

What is the full form of 'USB'?

- A. Universal Serial Bus ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. United Serial Bus
- C. Universal System Bus
- D. Unified Serial Bus

Why this answer? 'USB' stands for Universal Serial Bus.

ed [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Computer Science: computer hardware recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 94 Computer Science

Which software is used to browse the internet?

- A. Web browser ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Word processor
- C. Spreadsheet
- D. Media player

Why this answer? A web browser is the software used to browse the internet.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Computer Science: computer software recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 95 Everyday Science

Which vitamin is produced in the skin by sunlight?

- A. Vitamin A
- B. Vitamin D ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Vitamin B
- D. Vitamin C

Why this answer? Vitamin D is produced in the skin when it is exposed to sunlight.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Everyday Science: vitamins recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 96 Everyday Science

What is the chemical symbol for gold?

- A. Ag

- C. Gd
- D. Go

Why this answer? The chemical symbol for gold is Au.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Everyday Science: chemical symbols recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 97 Everyday Science

Which organ pumps blood around the human body?

- A. Heart ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Liver
- C. Kidney
- D. Lung

Why this answer? The heart pumps blood around the human body.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Everyday Science: human body recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 98 Everyday Science

At what temperature does water freeze?

- A. 10 degrees Celsius
- B. 0 degrees Celsius ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Minus 10 degrees Celsius
- D. 5 degrees Celsius

Why this answer? Water freezes at 0 degrees Celsius.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Everyday Science: heat and temperature recurs in every sitting of this post.

99 Geography

Which is the longest river of Pakistan?

- A. Jhelum
- B. Chenab
- C. Ravi
- D. Indus ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The Indus is the longest river of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Geography: rivers of Pakistan recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 100 Geography

The Thar Desert is mainly located in which province of Pakistan?

- A. Sindh ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Punjab
- C. Balochistan
- D. Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

Why this answer? The Thar Desert is mainly located in Sindh.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Geography: deserts of Pakistan recurs in every sitting of this post.

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