PPSC Enforcement Officer | BS-17 — GUESS PAPER 2026 (Set 1 of 2) · Predicted Questions

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Question 1 Economics

In which of these fields has machine learning found its widest early use?

- A. Agriculture
- B. Financial Analytics ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Law only

Why this answer? Financial analytics is one of the widest and earliest uses of machine learning, for fraud detection, credit scoring and trading.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q55 (machine learning widely used in financial analytics)

Question 2 Economics

What does the abbreviation PRA stand for?

- A. Pakistan Revenue Agency
- B. Punjab Registration Authority
- C. Punjab Revenue Authority ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Provincial Revenue Administration

Why this answer? PRA stands for Punjab Revenue Authority, the provincial body that administers sales tax on services in Punjab.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Punjab Revenue Authority: the administering body for sales tax on services in Punjab recurs in this post's papers.

Question 3 Economics

In law, what counts as a company?

- A. A group of friends doing business
- B. A sole trader business
- C. An entity incorporated under any law ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. A government department

Why this answer? A company is an artificial legal person created by incorporation under a law, such as the Companies Act 2017.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-

A-0607 Q57 (a company is an entity incorporated under any law)

Question 4 Economics

In which year was the Punjab Sales Tax on Services Act passed?

- A. 2012 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 2010
- C. 2015
- D. 2017

Why this answer? The Punjab Sales Tax on Services Act was passed in 2012 and governs sales tax on services in Punjab.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Punjab Sales Tax on Services Act 2012: the governing law for this post recurs in every sitting.

Question 5 Economics

A bank holds assets of five-year duration and liabilities of two-year duration; how large is its duration gap?

- A. 1 year
- B. 2 years
- C. 3 years ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 6 years

Why this answer? The duration gap is the difference between the duration of assets and the duration of liabilities: 5 − 2 = 3 years.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q60 (duration gap is 5 years minus 2 years, i.e. 3 years)

6 Economics

What is the standard rate of sales tax on services in Punjab?

- A. 5%
- B. 16% ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 10%
- D. 20%

Why this answer? The standard rate of sales tax on services in Punjab is 16%.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Punjab sales tax on services: rates recur in this post's papers.

Question 7 Economics

Under the OECD principles, which disclosures are expected of institutional investors?

- A. Their voting policies and conflict of interest management ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Their personal income details
- C. Only their trading profits
- D. Their tax returns

Why this answer? The OECD Principles of Corporate Governance require institutional investors to disclose their voting policies and how they manage conflicts of interest.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q62 (OECD principles require disclosure of voting policies and conflict of interest management)

Question 8 Economics

Under the straight-line method, how is depreciation charged each year?

- A. An equal amount every year ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. A falling amount every year

sing amount every year
- D. Only when the asset is sold

Why this answer? Under the straight-line method the same fixed amount of depreciation is charged in every year of the asset's life.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — depreciation methods recur in this post's accounting syllabus.

Question 9 Economics

Under variable costing, what is subtracted from contribution margin to arrive at segment margin?

- A. Sales - Total expenses (variable + fixed)
- B. Contribution margin - Common fixed costs
- C. Sales - Variable costs only
- D. Contribution margin - Traceable fixed costs ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Under variable costing, segment margin = contribution margin minus the fixed costs traceable to that segment.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q64 (segment margin is contribution margin minus traceable fixed costs)

Question 10 Economics

What is goodwill in accounting?

- A. Cash held in the bank
- B. The face value of shares
- C. A short-term loan
- D. The value of a firm's reputation and customer base above its net assets ✓ **Predicted answer**

Answer: Goodwill is the intangible value of a firm's reputation, customer base and market position, above the value of its net assets.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — intangible assets and goodwill recur in this post's accounting syllabus.

Question 11 Economics

Why do businesses use hedging instruments?

- A. To increase profit without risk
- B. To eliminate all financial losses completely
- C. To reduce or manage risk of adverse price movements ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. To avoid paying taxes

Why this answer? Hedging uses derivatives or other instruments to limit exposure to adverse price, rate or currency movements.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q66 (hedging reduces or manages the risk of adverse price movements)

Question 12 Economics

What is the purpose of a trial balance?

- A. To check that total debits equal total credits ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. To calculate profit for the year
- C. To value closing stock
- D. To record cash received

Why this answer? A trial balance lists all ledger balances to check that total debits equal total credits.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — trial balance and ledger checks

post's accounting syllabus.

Question 13 Economics

Which kind of resources provide benefits to a business over the long term?

- A. Fixed Assets ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Current Assets
- C. Liquid Assets
- D. Current Liabilities

Why this answer? Fixed assets, such as land, buildings and machinery, provide benefits over many years.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q68 (resources providing long-term benefits are fixed assets)

Question 14 Economics

What is a dividend?

- A. Interest paid on a loan
- B. Rent paid on a building
- C. A tax on company profits
- D. A share of company profit paid to shareholders ✓ **Predicted answer**

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

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — shares and dividends recur in this post's finance syllabus.

Question 15 Economics

How is contribution margin worked out?

- B. Profit - Expenses
- C. Revenue - Total Cost
- D. Sales - Variable Cost ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Contribution margin = sales revenue minus variable costs, the amount available to cover fixed costs and profit.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q70 (contribution margin is sales minus variable cost)

Question 16 Economics

How does a debenture differ from a share?

- A. A debenture gives voting rights and a share does not
- B. A debenture is short-term and a share is long-term
- C. A debenture is a loan to the company and a share is ownership in it ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. A debenture is issued only by banks

Why this answer? A debenture is borrowed money — the holder is a lender — while a share is a part of the ownership of the company.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — shares, debentures and company finance recur in this post's syllabus.

Question 17 Economics

What does the term treasury stock describe?

- A. Shares issued to public and permanently outstanding
- B. Shares issued only to employees as bonus
- C. Government-owned shares in a company
- D. Shares of a company repurchased and held by the company itself ✓ **Predicted**

Why this answer? Treasury stock is a company's own shares that it has bought back and holds in its treasury.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q72 (treasury stock is shares repurchased and held by the company itself)

Question 18 Economics

How is the current ratio calculated?

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

Why this answer? The current ratio is current assets divided by current liabilities; it measures short-term liquidity.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — liquidity ratios recur in this post's finance syllabus.

Question 19 Economics

Which of these is a source of inherent risk?

- A. Strong internal audit system
- B. External confirmation
- C. Human error ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Audit planning procedures

Why this answer? Human error is a classic source of inherent risk: mistakes happen regardless of controls.

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q74 (human error is a source of inherent risk)

Question 20 Economics

What is inflation?

- A. A fall in the general price level
- B. A rise in the rate of interest
- C. A general rise in prices over time ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. A fall in the value of exports

Why this answer? Inflation is a sustained rise in the general level of prices over time.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — inflation and price levels recur in this post's economics syllabus.

Question 21 Economics

What does the cost of capital mean?

- A. Total profit earned by a business
- B. Required rate of return on investments ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Cost of producing goods only
- D. Dividend paid to shareholders

Why this answer? The cost of capital is the minimum return investors require for providing funds, i.e. the required rate of return.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q76 (cost of capital is the required rate of return on investments)

Question 22 Economics

What does GDP measure?

total exports of a country

- B. The total money in circulation
- C. The total government spending
- D. The total value of goods and services produced in a country in a year ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Gross Domestic Product is the total market value of all goods and services produced within a country in a given period.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — national income and GDP recur in this post's economics syllabus.

Question 23 Economics

What relationship does the Security Market Line (SML) show?

- A. Relationship between risk and return for all possible portfolios
- B. Relationship between systematic risk (beta) and expected return ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Relationship between interest rate and inflation
- D. Relationship between dividend and earnings

Why this answer? The security market line plots expected return against beta (systematic risk) for any security or portfolio.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q78 (SML represents the relationship between systematic risk and expected return)

Question 24 Economics

Which institution is the central bank of Pakistan?

- A. State Bank of Pakistan ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. National Bank of Pakistan

- D. Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan

Why this answer? The State Bank of Pakistan is the country's central bank and conducts monetary policy.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — the State Bank and monetary policy recur in this post's economics syllabus.

Question 25 Economics

Sales tax on services in Punjab is collected by which authority?

- A. Federal Board of Revenue (FBR)
- B. SBP
- C. SECP
- D. PRA ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The Punjab Revenue Authority administers and collects sales tax on services in Punjab under the Punjab Sales Tax on Services Act 2012.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q80 (PRA collects sales tax on services in Punjab)

Question 26 Economics

Which body collects federal taxes such as income tax and customs duty in Pakistan?

- A. State Bank of Pakistan
- B. Punjab Revenue Authority
- C. Federal Board of Revenue ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Pakistan Stock Exchange

Why this answer? The Federal Board of Revenue collects federal taxes, including income tax, sales tax on goods and customs duty.

ted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — federal tax administration recurs in this post's syllabus.

Question 27 Economics

Which concept splits the continuous life of a business into equal periods so performance can be measured?

- A. Going Concern Concept
- B. Accounting Period Concept ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Matching Concept
- D. Cost Concept

Why this answer? The accounting period concept divides the life of the business into equal periods (a month, a quarter, a year) so performance can be measured.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q82 (the accounting period concept divides the life of the business into equal periods)

Question 28 Economics

In which city is the Pakistan Stock Exchange based?

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

Why this answer? The Pakistan Stock Exchange is based in Karachi, the country's financial centre.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — capital markets and the stock exchange recur in this post's syllabus.

29 Economics

On whom does the legal liability to pay sales tax on services fall?

- A. Buyer of services
- B. Service provider ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Government
- D. Exporter only

Why this answer? Section 11(1) of the Punjab Sales Tax on Services Act 2012 places the liability to pay the tax on the registered person providing the service.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q85 (the service provider is liable to pay sales tax on services)

Question 30 Economics

What is a budget deficit?

- A. Government revenue above spending
- B. Exports above imports
- C. Savings above investment
- D. Government spending above revenue ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? A budget deficit arises when a government's spending exceeds its revenue in a given period.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — budgets and deficits recur in this post's economics syllabus.

Question 31 Economics

What do small and medium enterprises mainly contribute to an economy?

- A. Only large-scale exports
- B. Employment and economic growth ✓ **Predicted answer**

- D. Foreign debt increase

Why this answer? Small and medium enterprises are a major source of jobs and a driver of economic growth.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q87 (SMEs contribute to employment and economic growth)

Question 32 Economics

At what point does a business break even?

- A. When profit is at its highest
- B. When fixed costs are zero
- C. When total revenue equals total cost ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. When sales are at their highest

Why this answer? The break-even point is where total revenue equals total cost, so profit is zero.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — cost-volume-profit and break-even recur in this post's syllabus.

Question 33 Economics

Under which head of tax does the tax on salaries fall?

- A. Sales Tax
- B. Excise Duty
- C. Income Tax ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Customs Duty

Why this answer? Salaries are income, so the tax on them is income tax, deducted at source by the employer.

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q89 (tax on salaries is categorized under income tax)

Question 34 Economics

What does the double-entry system require for every transaction?

- A. An equal debit and credit ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Two separate cash payments
- C. Two signatures on every voucher
- D. A debit only, with no credit

Why this answer? Under double entry, every transaction is recorded with an equal debit in one account and credit in another.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — double-entry bookkeeping recurs in this post's accounting syllabus.

Question 35 Economics

What does prime cost consist of?

- A. Direct materials + Direct labour + Direct expenses ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Indirect materials + Indirect labour
- C. Factory overhead only
- D. Selling and distribution cost

Why this answer? Prime cost is the sum of all direct costs: direct materials, direct labour and direct expenses.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q91 (prime cost consists of direct materials, direct labour and direct expenses)

36 Economics

What are retained earnings?

- A. Money owed to suppliers
- B. The face value of issued shares
- C. A loan from the bank
- D. Profits kept in the business instead of being paid out as dividends ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Retained earnings are the profits a company keeps and reinvests rather than distributing as dividends.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — company profits and reserves recur in this post's syllabus.

Question 37 Economics

What does the net profit margin tell us about a business?

- A. Total sales
- B. Profitability ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Cash available
- D. Total assets efficiency

Why this answer? Net profit margin (net profit ÷ sales) measures how profitable a business is from its sales.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q93 (net profit margin indicates profitability)

Question 38 Economics

From 1 July 2026, input-tax adjustment under the Punjab Sales Tax on Services Act is capped at what share of the output tax for the period?

- B. 80% ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 90%
- D. 100%

Why this answer? The 90% cap stood until 30 June 2026; from 1 July 2026 the input-tax adjustment cap is 80% of the output tax for the period.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Punjab Sales Tax on Services Act: input-tax adjustment limits recur in this post's papers.

Question 39 Economics

What is meant by a Value at Risk (VaR) of 5 million rupees at 99% confidence?

- A. Loss will always be 5 million rupees
- B. Profit will be 5 million rupees
- C. Loss is not expected to exceed 5 million rupees with 99% confidence ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Loss will exceed 5 million rupees with 99% confidence

Why this answer? A VaR of 5 million rupees at 99% confidence means there is a 99% chance the loss will not exceed 5 million rupees.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q95 (VaR of 5 million at 99% confidence means the loss is not expected to exceed 5 million with 99% confidence)

Question 40 Economics

What is the main purpose of an audit?

- A. To give an independent opinion on whether financial statements show a true and fair view ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. To prepare the company's tax return

ix the prices of the company's products

- D. To hire the company's staff

Why this answer? An audit independently examines the accounts and gives an opinion on whether the financial statements show a true and fair view.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — audit and assurance recur in this post's syllabus.

Question 41 Economics

What is capital budgeting concerned with?

- A. Day-to-day expense management
- B. Planning and evaluation of long-term investment projects ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Calculation of profit and loss
- D. Management of current assets only

Why this answer? Capital budgeting is the process of planning and appraising long-term investments such as new plants and machinery.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q97 (capital budgeting is planning and evaluation of long-term investment projects)

Question 42 Economics

What does the going concern concept assume?

- A. That the business will close within a year
- B. That all assets are sold at market value
- C. That no profit will be earned
- D. That the business will continue operating for the foreseeable future ✓ **Predicted answer**

swer? The going concern concept assumes the business will carry on indefinitely, so its assets are not valued as if it were closing down.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — accounting concepts recur in this post's syllabus.

Question 43 Economics

What does the payback period measure?

- A. Time required to recover initial investment cost from cash inflows ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Time required to earn profit after tax
- C. Time required to calculate depreciation
- D. Time required to double investment

Why this answer? The payback period is the time a project takes to generate enough cash inflows to recover its initial investment.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q99 (the payback period is the time required to recover the initial investment from cash inflows)

Question 44 Economics

Which of these is an indirect tax?

- A. Income tax on salaries
- B. Tax on company profits
- C. Wealth tax
- D. Sales tax on goods ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Sales tax is an indirect tax because it is collected from the buyer through the seller rather than charged directly on income.

ed [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — direct and indirect taxes recur in this post's syllabus.

Question 45 Economics

Which body regulates companies and the securities market in Pakistan?

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

Why this answer? The Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan regulates companies, the stock market and the corporate sector.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — corporate regulation recurs in this post's syllabus.

Question 46 Economics

What does the matching concept require?

- A. That assets equal liabilities
- B. That all sales are for cash
- C. That tax is paid before profit is calculated
- D. That expenses are recorded in the same period as the revenue they help to earn ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The matching concept pairs each expense with the revenue it helped to generate, in the same accounting period.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — accounting concepts recur in this post's syllabus.

47 General Knowledge

Which city is the capital of South Korea?

- A. Busan
- B. Seoul ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Incheon
- D. Daegu

Why this answer? Seoul is the capital and largest city of South Korea.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q1 (Seoul is the capital of South Korea)

Question 48 General Knowledge

Which is the largest desert in the world?

- A. Sahara ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Gobi
- C. Kalahari
- D. Arabian

Why this answer? The Sahara, at about 9 million square kilometres, is the world's largest hot desert.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — world geography: deserts and landforms recur in this post's papers.

Question 49 General Knowledge

When the All India Muslim League was founded at Dhaka in December 1906, who was the Viceroy of India?

- A. Lord Curzon
- B. Lord Chelmsford

d Minto ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Lord Harding

Why this answer? Lord Minto was Viceroy when the All India Muslim League was founded at Dhaka in December 1906.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q3 (Lord Minto was Viceroy at the founding of the All India Muslim League)

Question 50 General Knowledge

Which river is the longest in the world?

- A. Amazon
- B. Yangtze
- C. Mississippi
- D. Nile ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The Nile, at about 6,650 kilometres, is generally regarded as the world's longest river.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — world geography: rivers recur in this post's papers.

Question 51 General Knowledge

By what name is the Indian military action that annexed Hyderabad in September 1948 known?

- A. Operation Polo ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Operation Gibraltar
- C. Operation Blue Star
- D. Operation Meghdoot

Answer: Operation Polo was the Indian military operation of September 1948 that annexed Hyderabad.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q5 (Operation Polo annexed Hyderabad in 1948)

Question 52 General Knowledge

Which country is home to the Eiffel Tower?

- A. Italy
- B. France ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Spain
- D. Belgium

Why this answer? The Eiffel Tower stands in Paris, the capital of France.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — world geography: famous landmarks recur in this post's papers.

Question 53 General Knowledge

Which of these is a separate Gulf kingdom and not one of the seven emirates of the UAE?

- A. Abu Dhabi
- B. Dubai
- C. Bahrain ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Sharjah

Why this answer? Bahrain is a separate sovereign kingdom in the Gulf, not an emirate of the UAE.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q7 (Bahrain is not a state of the UAE)

54 General Knowledge

In which year was the United Nations founded?

- A. 1919
- B. 1939
- C. 1941
- D. 1945 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The United Nations was founded in 1945, after the Second World War.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — international organisations recur in this post's papers.

Question 55 General Knowledge

Of these European countries, which one never adopted the euro?

- A. Germany
- B. UK ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. France
- D. Italy

Why this answer? The United Kingdom never adopted the euro; it kept the pound sterling.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q9 (the UK does not use the euro)

Question 56 General Knowledge

Which is the smallest continent in the world?

- A. Europe
- B. Antarctica
- C. Australia ✓ **Predicted answer**

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

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — world geography: continents recur in this post's papers.

Question 57 English

Which of these words is a modal auxiliary verb?

- A. Must ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Run
- C. Beautiful
- D. Quickly

Why this answer? "Must" is a modal auxiliary verb, expressing necessity or obligation.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q36 (Must is a modal verb)

Question 58 English

Choose the correctly spelt word.

- A. Recieve
- B. Receive ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Receeve
- D. Receiv

Why this answer? "Receive" follows the "i before e except after c" rule.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English spelling recurs in this post's papers.

59 English

What is the closest synonym of MELD?

- A. Separate
- B. Break
- C. Blend ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Scatter

Why this answer? "Meld" means to merge or blend together into one.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q37 (Meld means blend)

Question 60 English

Fill in the blank: She has lived in Lahore ___ 2015.

- A. for
- B. from
- C. at
- D. since ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? "Since" is used with a point in time, such as 2015.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English prepositions recur in this post's papers.

Question 61 English

Complete the analogy: Moccasin is to Snake as ___ is to Shoe.

- A. Loafer ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Alligator
- C. Asp
- D. Wader

swer? A moccasin is a kind of snake (the water moccasin), and a loafer is a kind of shoe; the pair matches kind to kind.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q38 (Moccasin:Snake :: Loafer:Shoe)

Question 62 English

Which sentence is in the present perfect tense?

- A. She writes a letter.
- B. She has written a letter. ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. She wrote a letter.
- D. She will write a letter.

Why this answer? "She has written a letter" uses has + past participle, the present perfect.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English tenses recur in this post's papers.

Question 63 English

How is the command "Bring the chair in the room" correctly turned into the passive voice?

- A. The chair be brought in the room.
- B. The chair is brought in the room.
- C. Bringing the chair in the room.
- D. Let the chair be brought in the room. ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The correct passive form of the imperative is "Let the chair be brought in the room".

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-

A-0607 Q39 (passive of "Bring the chair in the room" is "Let the chair be brought in the room")

Question 64 English

What is the synonym of "brave"?

- A. Cowardly
- B. Timid
- C. Courageous ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Weak

Why this answer? "Courageous" means brave.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English synonyms recur in this post's papers.

Question 65 English

Which word is the opposite of IRASCIBLE?

- A. Placid ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Angry
- C. Irritable
- D. Moody

Why this answer? "Placid" means calm and peaceful, the opposite of "irascible" (easily angered).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q40 (the opposite of irascible is placid)

Question 66 Everyday Science

Hydrogen has three isotopes; which one is radioactive and finds use in nuclear studies?

- B. Tritium ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Deuterium
- D. Helium-3

Why this answer? Tritium (hydrogen-3) is the radioactive isotope of hydrogen, used in nuclear studies and fusion research.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q20 (tritium is the radioactive isotope of hydrogen)

Question 67 Everyday Science

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 and use it in photosynthesis.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — everyday science: plants and photosynthesis recur in this post's papers.

Question 68 Everyday Science

What is the name of the Earth's outermost solid layer?

- A. Mantle
- B. Core
- C. Inner core
- D. Crust ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The crust is the outermost solid layer of the Earth.

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q22 (the crust is the outer part of the Earth)

Question 69 Everyday Science

What is the chemical symbol of gold?

- A. Ag
- B. Au ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Gd
- D. Go

Why this answer? Au, from the Latin aurum, is the chemical symbol of gold.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — everyday science: elements and symbols recur in this post's papers.

Question 70 Everyday Science

To which blood substance does carbon monoxide bind far more strongly than oxygen does?

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

Why this answer? Carbon monoxide binds haemoglobin about 200–250 times more strongly than oxygen does, forming carboxyhaemoglobin.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q24 (carbon monoxide has a stronger affinity for haemoglobin)

71 Everyday Science

Which organ pumps blood around the human body?

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

Why this answer? The heart pumps blood around the body through the circulatory system.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — everyday science: the human body recurs in this post's papers.

Question 72 Mathematics

Which pair of factors gives $x^2 + 16x + 63$?

- A. $(x + 7)(x + 9)$ ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. $(x + 7)(x + 8)$
- C. $(x + 6)(x + 9)$
- D. $(x + 3)(x + 4)$

Why this answer? $(x + 7)(x + 9) = x^2 + 9x + 7x + 63 = x^2 + 16x + 63$.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q30 ($x^2 + 16x + 63$ factorises as $(x + 7)(x + 9)$)

Question 73 Mathematics

What is 15% of 200?

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

Why this answer? 15% of 200 = 0.15 × 200 = 30.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — percentages recur in this post's mathematics syllabus.

Question 74 Mathematics

30 workers produce 3,000 units in 20 days working 8 hours a day; how many days will 32 workers take to produce 2,000 units working 10 hours a day?

- A. 8 days
- B. 10 days ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 12 days
- D. 15 days

Why this answer? 30 × 20 × 8 = 4,800 worker-hours for 3,000 units, i.e. 1.6 worker-hours per unit; 2,000 units need 3,200 worker-hours, and 32 × 10 = 320 worker-hours a day, so 3,200 ÷ 320 = 10 days.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q32 (32 workers take 10 days to produce 2,000 units)

Question 75 Mathematics

If a train travels 240 km in 3 hours, what is its average speed?

- A. 60 km/h
- B. 70 km/h
- C. 75 km/h
- D. 80 km/h ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Average speed = distance ÷ time = 240 ÷ 3 = 80 km/h.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — speed, distance and time recur

mathematics syllabus.

Question 76 Mathematics

A rectangle measures 58.7 m by 23.2 m; what is its perimeter?

- A. 164 m ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 151 m
- C. 161 m
- D. 189 m

Why this answer? Perimeter = 2 × (58.7 + 23.2) = 2 × 81.9 = 163.8 m, which rounds to 164 m.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q34 (the perimeter of a 58.7 m by 23.2 m rectangle is 164 m)

Question 77 Mathematics

What is the next number in the series 2, 6, 12, 20, 30?

- A. 36
- B. 40
- C. 42 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 44

Why this answer? The differences are 4, 6, 8, 10, so the next difference is 12 and 30 + 12 = 42.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — number series recur in this post's mathematics syllabus.

Question 78 Urdu

زمانے کے لحاظ سے "وہ آیا تھا" کیسا جملہ ہے؟

Predicted answer ✓ B. ماضی بعید

C. ماضی شائع

D. حال

Why this answer? ماضی بعید کی مثال ہے، یعنی وہ کام جو بہت پہلے ہو چکا ہو۔ "وہ آیا تھا"

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q45 (وہ آیا تھا ماضی بعید کی مثال ہے)

Question 79 Urdu

لفظ "محبت" کا متضاد کون سا ہے؟

A. پیار

B. الفت

Predicted answer ✓ C. نفرت

D. چاہت

Why this answer? نفرت محبت کا متضاد ہے۔

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu: opposites recur in this post's papers.

Question 80 Urdu

لفظ "سکونت" کا درست مترادف کون سا ہے؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. قیام

B. سفر

C. حرکت

Why this answer? قیام کا مطلب ہے ٹھہرنا یا رہنا، جو سکونت کا مترادف ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q47 (سکونت کا مترادف قیام ہے)

Question 81 Urdu

اردو زبان میں "علم" کا مترادف کون سا ہے؟

A. جہالت

B. دولت

C. طاقت

Predicted answer ✓ D. دانش

Why this answer? دانش کا مطلب علم ہے۔

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu: synonyms recur in this post's papers.

Question 82 Urdu

محاورہ "آپے سے باہر ہونا" کس حالت کو ظاہر کرتا ہے؟

A. مل جل کر رہنا

Predicted answer ✓ B. سخت غصہ آنا

C. خوش ہونا

D. پیار بڑھانا

Why this answer? "آپے سے باہر ہونا" کا مطلب ہے غصے میں قابو کھو دینا، یعنی سخت غصہ آنا۔

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q49 (آپے سے باہر ہونا کا مطلب سخت غصہ آنا ہے)

Question 83 Urdu

محاورہ "آنکھوں کا تارا ہونا" کا مطلب کیا ہے؟

A. دشمن ہونا

B. دور رہنا

Predicted answer ✓ C. بہت پیارا ہونا

D. غصہ آنا

Why this answer? "آنکھوں کا تارا ہونا" کا مطلب ہے بہت پیارا ہونا۔

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu: idioms recur in this post's papers.

Question 84 Pakistan Studies

Who followed Khawaja Nazimuddin as Prime Minister of Pakistan?

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

Why this answer? Muhammad Ali Bogra was the third Prime Minister of Pakistan (1953–1955), after Liaquat Ali Khan and Khawaja Nazimuddin.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q11 (Muhammad Ali Bogra was the 3rd Prime Minister of Pakistan)

85 Pakistan Studies

In which year did Pakistan come into being?

- A. 1947 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 1948
- C. 1946
- D. 1956

Why this answer? Pakistan came into being on 14 August 1947.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Pakistan Studies: the creation of Pakistan recurs in this post's papers.

Question 86 Pakistan Studies

In which year did Pakistan hold its first census?

- A. 1949
- B. 1951 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 1956
- D. 1961

Why this answer? Pakistan's first census was held in 1951.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q13 (the first census in Pakistan was held in 1951)

Question 87 Pakistan Studies

Who is known as the founder of Pakistan?

- A. Allama Iqbal
- B. Liaquat Ali Khan
- C. Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Sir Syed Ahmad Khan

swer? Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah is the founder of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Pakistan Studies: the founder of Pakistan recurs in this post's papers.

Question 88 Pakistan Studies

Which city is the capital of Pakistan?

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

Why this answer? Islamabad is the capital of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Pakistan Studies: the capital recurs in this post's papers.

Question 89 Current Affairs

On 17 September 2025 Pakistan and Saudi Arabia signed which agreement in Riyadh?

- A. Strategic Mutual Defense Agreement ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Trade Expansion Treaty
- C. Energy Security Agreement
- D. Economic Cooperation Pact

Why this answer? Pakistan and Saudi Arabia signed the Strategic Mutual Defense Agreement on 17 September 2025 in Riyadh.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q16 (Pakistan and Saudi Arabia signed the Strategic Mutual Defense Agreement on 17 September 2025)

90 Current Affairs

In which year did Pakistan become a full member of the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO)?

- A. 2015
- B. 2017 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 2019
- D. 2021

Why this answer? Pakistan became a full member of the SCO in 2017.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — current affairs: Pakistan and international organisations recur in this post's papers.

Question 91 Current Affairs

Which club lifted the UEFA Champions League trophy in the 2024–25 season?

- A. Barcelona
- B. Real Madrid
- C. Inter Milan
- D. PSG ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Paris Saint-Germain won the UEFA Champions League 2024–25, beating Inter Milan 5–0 in the final on 31 May 2025.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q18 (PSG won the UEFA Champions League 2024-25)

Question 92 Current Affairs

The China-Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC) was formally launched in which year?

- A. 2013
- B. 2014

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- D. 2018

Why this answer? CPEC was formally launched in 2015.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — current affairs: CPEC recurs in this post's papers.

Question 93 Computer Science

Caps Lock and Num Lock belong to which category of keys?

- A. Function keys
- B. Toggle keys ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Navigation keys
- D. Control keys

Why this answer? Caps Lock and Num Lock are toggle keys: each press switches a mode on or off.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q26 (Caps Lock and Num Lock are toggle keys)

Question 94 Computer Science

What does CPU stand for?

- A. Central Processing Unit ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Computer Personal Unit
- C. Central Program Utility
- D. Control Processing Unit

Why this answer? CPU stands for Central Processing Unit, the main processor of a computer.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — computer science: basic terms

post's papers.

Question 95 Computer Science

What is the main job of an operating system?

- A. To create documents and spreadsheets
- B. To browse the internet
- C. To design computer programs
- D. To manage hardware and software resources ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The operating system's primary function is to manage the processor, memory, files and devices and to run programs.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q28 (the primary function of an operating system is to manage hardware and software resources)

Question 96 Computer Science

Which device is used to input data into a computer by typing?

- A. Monitor
- B. Printer
- C. Keyboard ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Speaker

Why this answer? A keyboard is the main input device used for typing data into a computer.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — computer science: input and output devices recur in this post's papers.

97 Islamic Studies

Hazrat Hafsa (R.A.) was the daughter of which Caliph?

- A. Hazrat Abu Bakr R.A
- B. Hazrat Umar R.A ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Hazrat Usman R.A
- D. Hazrat Ali R.A

Why this answer? Hazrat Hafsa was the daughter of Hazrat Umar ibn al-Khattab.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q51 (Hazrat Hafsa was the daughter of Hazrat Umar)

Question 98 Islamic Studies

How many pillars does Islam have?

- A. Five ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Four
- C. Six
- D. Seven

Why this answer? Islam has five pillars: Shahadah, prayer, Zakat, fasting and Hajj.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Islamic Studies: the five pillars recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 99 Islamic Studies

At Khyber, Hazrat Ali (R.A.) took which stronghold?

- A. Khyber Fort
- B. Khaybar Fort
- C. Uhud Fort
- D. Qamoos Fort ✓ **Predicted answer**

Answer: Hazrat Ali conquered the fort of Qamoos (al-Qamus) in the Battle of Khyber in 7 AH.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2026-ENFORCEMENT-OFFICER-PRA-0607 Q53 (Hazrat Ali conquered Qamoos Fort in the Battle of Khyber)

Question 100 Islamic Studies

In which month do Muslims fast from dawn to sunset?

- A. Shawwal
- B. Muharram
- C. Ramadan ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Zil Hajj

Why this answer? Muslims fast during the month of Ramadan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Islamic Studies: fasting and Ramadan recur in this post's papers.

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