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1 General Knowledge

In which year Greenwich Mean Time (GMT) was established?

- A. 1864
- B. 1880
- C. 1882
- D. 1884 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. GMT was not established in 1864.

B. GMT was not established in 1880.

C. GMT was not established in 1882.

D. Correct: Greenwich Mean Time was established in 1884 (International Meridian Conference).

Question 2 Pakistan Studies

Who is the author of "Struggles for Pakistan?

- A. I.H Qureshi ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Mian Muhammad Waqas Joiya
- C. Arshad Hussain Dogar
- D. Shahid Rafique

A. Correct: 'The Struggle for Pakistan' was written by I.H. Qureshi.

B. Mian Muhammad Waqas Joiya did not write 'The Struggle for Pakistan'.

C. Arshad Hussain Dogar did not write 'The Struggle for Pakistan'.

D. Shahid Rafique did not write 'The Struggle for Pakistan'.

3 General Knowledge

What is Choreography?

- A. Art of dancing ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Art of Music
- C. Art of gardening
- D. Art of fight

A. Correct: choreography is the art of dancing.

B. Choreography is not the art of music.

C. Choreography is not the art of gardening.

D. Choreography is not the art of fighting.

Question 4 General Knowledge

Which is the third founder member of ECO (RCD) except Pakistan and Iran?

- A. Syria
- B. Afghanistan
- C. Turky ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Turkmenistan

A. Syria was not a founder member of ECO (RCD).

B. Afghanistan was not a founder member of ECO (RCD).

C. Correct: Turkey was the third founder member of ECO (RCD), with Pakistan and Iran.

D. Turkmenistan was not a founder member of ECO (RCD).

Question 5 Mathematics

How many Zeros are there is one trillion?

lve ✓ **Correct answer**

- B. Thirteen
- C. Fourteen
- D. Ten

A. Correct: one trillion has twelve zeros (1,000,000,000,000).

B. One trillion does not have thirteen zeros.

C. One trillion does not have fourteen zeros.

D. One trillion does not have ten zeros.

Question 6 General Knowledge

Who was the first Asian to have received the Nobel Prize?

- A. Rabindar NAth Tagore ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Mother Teressa
- C. Abdul Salam
- D. C.V Raman

A. Correct: Rabindranath Tagore was the first Asian to receive the Nobel Prize (1913).

B. Mother Teresa was not the first Asian Nobel laureate.

C. Abdus Salam was not the first Asian Nobel laureate.

D. C.V. Raman was not the first Asian Nobel laureate.

Question 7 Pakistan Studies

Doctrine of necessity was used in the case -------- for the forest time in the history of pakistan.

- A. Maulvi Tamiz-ud-Din vs state case ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Dossai vs state case

- D. Nusrat Bhutto vs state case

A. Correct: the doctrine of necessity was first used in the Maulvi Tamiz-ud-Din case.

B. The doctrine of necessity was not first used in the Dosso case.

C. The doctrine of necessity was not first used in the Asma Jahangir case.

D. The doctrine of necessity was not first used in the Nusrat Bhutto case.

Question 8 General Knowledge

What is the name of the place where World Trade Centre (USA) was located?

- A. Ground Zero ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Paradise point
- C. Golden point
- D. Golden City point

A. Correct: the site of the World Trade Centre in New York is called Ground Zero.

B. Paradise Point is not the name of the World Trade Centre site.

C. Golden Point is not the name of the World Trade Centre site.

D. Golden City Point is not the name of the World Trade Centre site.

Question 9 General Knowledge

AWACS is an abbreviation of;

- A. Airborne Warning and control system ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. AirWarning and control system
- C. Airborne Warning and communication system
- D. Airborne Warning and control survey

WACS stands for Airborne Warning and Control System.

B. Air Warning and Control System is not the expansion of AWACS.

C. Airborne Warning and Communication System is not the expansion of AWACS.

D. Airborne Warning and Control Survey is not the expansion of AWACS.

Question 10 General Knowledge

Coming 10th Conference of ECO will be held in 2009 in;

- A. Iran ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Turky
- C. Egypt
- D. Pakistan

A. Correct: the 10th ECO Summit was held in Tehran, Iran, in 2009.

B. The 10th ECO Summit was not held in Turkey.

C. The 10th ECO Summit was not held in Egypt.

D. The 10th ECO Summit was not held in Pakistan.

Question 11 General Knowledge

What is meant by Amicus Curiae?

- A. A person invited to advise a lower court on a matter of law in case (juris) ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Ambassador who invited to solve the crises between two countries
- C. All that goes to make a break of law
- D. A good friend who solved your economic problems

A. Correct: amicus curiae is a person invited to advise a court on a matter of law.

saaor settling a crisis is not an amicus curiae.

C. Breaking the law is not what amicus curiae means.

D. A friend solving economic problems is not an amicus curiae.

Question 12 General Knowledge

What is 'Nuclear Fission?'

- A. An atom splits into two masses ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Small atoms join each other
- C. Helium broken into proton and electron
- D. All of above

A. Correct: nuclear fission is when an atom splits into two masses.

B. Nuclear fission is not small atoms joining each other (that is fusion).

C. Nuclear fission is not helium breaking into a proton and an electron.

D. Not all of the above are correct.

Question 13 General Knowledge

The Muslim peoples of sinkiang province are called;

- A. Uighur ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Bantu
- C. Hutu
- D. Berber

A. Correct: the Muslim people of Sinkiang (Xinjiang) are the Uighurs.

B. The Bantu are an African people, not the Muslims of Sinkiang.

C. The Hutu are an African people, not the Muslims of Sinkiang.

ers are a North African people, not the Muslims of Sinkiang.

Question 14 General Knowledge

Where is the Golden Gate Situated?

- A. San Francisco (USA) ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. London(Britain)
- C. Tornado(Canada)
- D. Paris (France)

A. Correct: the Golden Gate is situated in San Francisco, USA.

B. The Golden Gate is not in London.

C. The Golden Gate is not in Toronto, Canada.

D. The Golden Gate is not in Paris.

Question 15 General Knowledge

A group of christianity that emphasize the authority of the Bible and the importance of personal salvation through faith is called;

- A. Evangelical ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. protestant
- C. Catholic
- D. None of these

A. Correct: Evangelicals emphasise the authority of the Bible and personal salvation through faith.

B. Protestants is a broader term, not the group described here.

C. Catholics do not fit the description given.

D. The group described is Evangelical, so 'none of these' is wrong.

16 General Knowledge

Litani River is Located in which countries?

- A. Syria
- B. Lebanon ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Turkey
- D. sudan

A. The Litani River is not in Syria.

B. Correct: the Litani River is in Lebanon.

C. The Litani River is not in Turkey.

D. The Litani River is not in Sudan.

Question 17 General Knowledge

A writ direct to the person detaining another and commanding him to produce the body of the prisoner at a certain time and place with the day and causes of his captain and detention is called;

- A. Writ of Quo Warrants
- B. writ of certiorari
- C. Writ of prohibition
- D. Writ of Habeas Corpus ✓ **Correct answer**

A. A writ of quo warranto is not the writ described.

B. A writ of certiorari is not the writ described.

C. A writ of prohibition is not the writ described.

D. Correct: the writ commanding a detainer to produce the prisoner is habeas corpus.

18 General Knowledge

What is 'Ikebana'?

- A. Japanies Art of flower arrangement ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Greek Art of fighting
- C. Art of dancing and music
- D. None of the above

A. Correct: Ikebana is the Japanese art of flower arrangement.

B. Ikebana is not a Greek art of fighting.

C. Ikebana is not an art of dancing and music.

D. Ikebana is the Japanese art of flower arrangement, so 'none of the above' is wrong.

Question 19 General Knowledge

Gestapo was the secret police organization of;

- A. Italy
- B. Russia
- C. Germany ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. USA

A. The Gestapo was not the secret police of Italy.

B. The Gestapo was not the secret police of Russia.

C. Correct: the Gestapo was the secret police of Germany.

D. The Gestapo was not the secret police of the USA.

Question 20 General Knowledge

When the stock market is falling down it is called ;

- B. Bearish ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. falling
- D. crashing

A. A falling market is not called bullish.

B. Correct: a falling stock market is called bearish.

C. A falling market is called bearish, not simply 'falling'.

D. A falling market is called bearish, not 'crashing'.

Question 21 Pakistan Studies

Which flower is the national floral symbol of Pakistan?

- A. Pink Rose
- B. Jasmine(chambeli) ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. White Rose
- D. Motia

A. The pink rose is not Pakistan's national flower.

B. Correct: jasmine (chambeli) is the national floral symbol of Pakistan.

C. The white rose is not Pakistan's national flower.

D. Motia is jasmine, but the option as named is 'Jasmine (chambeli)'.

Question 22 Everyday Science

Diabetes is the disease of;

- A. Liver
- B. Pancrease ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Kidney

A. Diabetes is not a disease of the liver.

B. Correct: diabetes is a disease of the pancreas (insulin).

C. Diabetes is not a disease of the kidney.

D. Diabetes is not a disease of the lungs.

Question 23 Everyday Science

Which of the following colours are primary colours

- A. Red,Blue,Green ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. White, Red ,Black
- C. Black , Red ,Blue
- D. Green , Red ,Black

A. Correct: the primary colours of light are red, blue and green.

B. White, red and black are not the primary colours.

C. Black, red and blue are not the primary colours.

D. Green, red and black are not the primary colours.

Question 24 General Knowledge

Which of the following river crosses the Equator twice?

- A. Amazon
- B. Congo ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Nile
- D. Ganga

A. The Amazon crosses the Equator once, not twice.

The Congo crosses the Equator twice.

C. The Nile crosses the Equator once, not twice.

D. The Ganga does not cross the Equator at all.

Question 25 General Knowledge

The Headquarter of Asian Devolpment Bank (ADB) is located at;

- A. Paris
- B. New york
- C. Manila ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Tokyo

A. The Asian Development Bank is not headquartered in Paris.

B. The Asian Development Bank is not headquartered in New York.

C. Correct: the Asian Development Bank is headquartered in Manila.

D. The Asian Development Bank is not headquartered in Tokyo.

Question 26 General Knowledge

Which of the following wonders of the world is situated in Iraq?

- A. Hanging Gardens ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. colossus of Rhodes
- C. Taj Mahal
- D. The pharos of Alexanandria

A. Correct: the Hanging Gardens were in Iraq (Babylon).

B. The Colossus of Rhodes was in Greece, not Iraq.

C. The Taj Mahal is in India, not Iraq.

...s of Alexandria was in Egypt, not Iraq.

Question 27 Everyday Science

Night blindness is caused by lack of which vitamin?

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

A. Correct: night blindness is caused by lack of vitamin A.

B. Night blindness is not caused by lack of vitamin B.

C. Night blindness is not caused by lack of vitamin C.

D. Night blindness is not caused by lack of vitamin D.

Question 28 Current Affairs

What is the main causes of failures of Pakistan India Iran Gas pipeline project?

- A. Public opinion against the project
- B. Economic and political pressure of USA ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. High price demanded by Iran
- D. Tension between India and Pakistan

A. Public opinion was not the main cause of the IPI pipeline's failure.

B. Correct: economic and political pressure of the USA was the main cause of the failure of the Pakistan-India-Iran gas pipeline project.

C. The high price demanded by Iran was not the main cause.

D. Tension between India and Pakistan was not the main cause.

What is pariah state?

- A. A state which is acceptable in the world
- B. A state which is protected by another strong state
- C. A state which is not acceptable to the world and ios avoided by every country ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of the above

A. A pariah state is not one acceptable in the world.

B. A pariah state is not one protected by another strong state.

C. Correct: a pariah state is one not acceptable to the world and avoided by every country.

D. A pariah state is the one described, so 'none of the above' is wrong.

Question 30 Pakistan Studies

Who is the conqueror of central Asia?

- A. Said Bin Abi Waqas
- B. Qutayba Bin Muslim ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Abu Abaida Bin Jarah
- D. None of the above

A. Said bin Abi Waqas was not the conqueror of Central Asia.

B. Correct: Qutayba bin Muslim was the conqueror of Central Asia.

C. Abu Ubaida bin Jarah was not the conqueror of Central Asia.

D. The conqueror is named, so 'none of the above' is wrong.

31 General Knowledge

The term Track -ll "Diplomacy"is used for;

- A. Maing Relations between two countries using official chances
- B. Maing Relations between two countries using unofficial channels ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Diplomacy by diplomats during war
- D. None of these

A. Track-II diplomacy is not relations through official channels.

B. Correct: Track-II diplomacy means relations between two countries through unofficial channels.

C. Track-II diplomacy is not diplomacy by diplomats during war.

D. Track-II diplomacy is the unofficial channel described, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 32 General Knowledge

Which is the oldest stock exchange of the world?

- A. New york stock exchange
- B. Tokyo stock exchange
- C. Amsterdam stock exchange ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. The New York Stock Exchange is not the oldest in the world.

B. The Tokyo Stock Exchange is not the oldest in the world.

C. Correct: the Amsterdam Stock Exchange (1602) is the oldest in the world.

D. The oldest stock exchange is named, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Pakistan state bank started working on 1st july 1948 with the help of Rs;

- A. twenty millions
- B. thirty millions ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Thirty five millions
- D. None of these

A. The State Bank did not start with twenty million rupees.

B. Correct: the State Bank started working on 1 July 1948 with thirty million rupees.

C. The State Bank did not start with thirty-five million rupees.

D. The State Bank started with thirty million rupees, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 34 General Knowledge

Who is the author of India Wins Freedom?

- A. Maulana Abdul Kalam Azad ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Sir Syed Ahmed Khan
- C. Maulana Muhammad Ali Jauhar
- D. None of the above

A. Correct: 'India Wins Freedom' was written by Maulana Abul Kalam Azad.

B. Sir Syed Ahmed Khan did not write 'India Wins Freedom'.

C. Maulana Muhammad Ali Jauhar did not write 'India Wins Freedom'.

D. The book has a named author, so 'none of the above' is wrong.

Question 35 General Knowledge

Famous book 'A History of God' is written by;

- B. Karen Armstrong ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Sydney Sheldon
- D. none of these

A. Noam Chomsky did not write 'A History of God'.

B. Correct: 'A History of God' was written by Karen Armstrong.

C. Sydney Sheldon did not write 'A History of God'.

D. The book has a named author, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 36 General Knowledge

Which of the following countries is situated below the sea level?

- A. Finland
- B. Holland(Neitherland) ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Switzerland
- D. Swaziland

A. Finland is not below sea level.

B. Correct: Holland (the Netherlands) is situated below sea level.

C. Switzerland is not below sea level.

D. Swaziland is not below sea level.

Question 37 General Knowledge

'The Spirit of Islam'Book was written by;

- A. Sir Syed Ahmed Khan
- B. Syed Ameer Ali ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Maulana Zafar Ali

A. Sir Syed Ahmed Khan did not write 'The Spirit of Islam'.

B. Correct: 'The Spirit of Islam' was written by Syed Ameer Ali.

C. Maulana Zafar Ali Khan did not write 'The Spirit of Islam'.

D. Arifa Ishfaq did not write 'The Spirit of Islam'.

Question 38 Pakistan Studies

Akhori Dam is located in;

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

A. Correct: the Akhori Dam is located in Punjab (Attock District).

B. The Akhori Dam is not in Sindh.

C. The Akhori Dam is not in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

D. The Akhori Dam is not in Balochistan.

Question 39 General Knowledge

Taklamakan Desert is located in;

- A. Mangolia
- B. Russia
- C. Kazakhstan
- D. China ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Taklamakan Desert is not in Mongolia.

nakan Desert is not in Russia.

C. The Taklamakan Desert is not in Kazakhstan.

D. Correct: the Taklamakan Desert is in China (Xinjiang).

Question 40 General Knowledge

Khalil Jibran belonged to

- A. Jordan
- B. Lebanon ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Syria
- D. Turkey

A. Khalil Gibran did not belong to Jordan.

B. Correct: Khalil Gibran belonged to Lebanon.

C. Khalil Gibran did not belong to Syria.

D. Khalil Gibran did not belong to Turkey.

Question 41 General Knowledge

Headquarters of World Economic forum is situated in

- A. Davos(Switzerland)
- B. London (Britain)
- C. Geneva ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. New york

A. The World Economic Forum does not have its headquarters in Davos (Davos hosts the annual meeting).

B. The World Economic Forum is not headquartered in London.

The headquarters of the World Economic Forum is in Geneva.

D. The World Economic Forum is not headquartered in New York.

Question 42 Pakistan Studies

Qutab-ud-Din Aibak ruler of sub-continent died while playing the ;

- A. Polo(chugan) ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Cricket
- C. Hockey
- D. Buzakashi

A. Correct: Qutb-ud-Din Aibak died while playing polo (chaugan).

B. Aibak did not die while playing cricket.

C. Aibak did not die while playing hockey.

D. Aibak did not die while playing buzkashi.

Question 43 Pakistan Studies

Babar'Tomb is situated in;

- A. Agra
- B. Delhi
- C. Kabul ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Lahore

A. Babur's tomb is not in Agra.

B. Babur's tomb is not in Delhi.

C. Correct: Babur's tomb is in Kabul.

D. Babur's tomb is not in Lahore.

option B read "Delhi" (misprint in the source reproduction); corrected to "Delhi" as documented in the reviewed file.

Question 44 Pakistan Studies

Babar came to India originally from;

- A. Farghana ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Khiva
- C. Kabul
- D. Seistan

A. Correct: Babur came to India originally from Farghana.

B. Babur did not come to India originally from Khiva.

C. Babur did not come to India originally from Kabul.

D. Babur did not come to India originally from Seistan.

Question 45 Pakistan Studies

Which of the following king's Tomb is situated in sub-continent?

- A. Jahangir
- B. Akbar
- C. Babar ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Aurangzeb

A. Jahangir's tomb is in Lahore, in the subcontinent.

B. Akbar's tomb is in Agra, in the subcontinent.

C. Correct (PICK-ONE): Babur's tomb is in Kabul, outside the subcontinent — so on the NOT reading Babur is the answer.

D. Aurangzeb's tomb is in Khuldabad, in the subcontinent.

46 General Knowledge

Which is the largest state of india?

- A. Rajasthan ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. madhia perdesh
- C. Utar Perdesh
- D. Madrass

A. Correct: Rajasthan is the largest state of India by area.

B. Madhya Pradesh is smaller than Rajasthan by area.

C. Uttar Pradesh is the largest state by population, not by area.

D. Madras (Tamil Nadu) is smaller than Rajasthan by area.

Question 47 General Knowledge

Which of the following woman Prime Ministers has longest tenure?

- A. Indira Gandhi
- B. Banizir Bhutto
- C. Bandaranaike ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. none of these

A. Indira Gandhi's total tenure (about 16 years) was shorter than Bandaranaike's.

B. Benazir Bhutto's tenure was far shorter than Bandaranaike's.

C. Correct: Sirimavo Bandaranaike had the longest tenure of the women prime ministers listed (about 17-18 years in total).

D. A woman prime minister with the longest tenure is listed, so 'none of these' is wrong.

48 General Knowledge

Harry Potter is the famous character of;

- A. J.K Rowlling ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. J.F Marshal
- C. R.V Menin
- D. none of these

A. Correct: Harry Potter is the famous character of J.K. Rowling.

B. J.F. Marshal did not create Harry Potter.

C. R.V. Menin did not create Harry Potter.

D. Harry Potter has a named creator, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 49 Everyday Science

Chromosomes are ;

- A. Present only in the nucleus of a cell
- B. the biggest in number in human cells
- C. Made up of DNA as a main component ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Visible in all cells at every time

A. Chromosomes are present in the nucleus, but that is not the best description here.

B. Chromosomes are not the biggest in number in human cells.

C. Correct: chromosomes are made up of DNA as a main component.

D. Chromosomes are not visible in all cells at every time.

Question 50 Everyday Science

Which Vitamin is provided by sunlight to the human body?

min A

- B. Vitamin B
- C. Vitamin C
- D. Vitamin D ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Sunlight does not provide vitamin A.

B. Sunlight does not provide vitamin B.

C. Sunlight does not provide vitamin C.

D. Correct: sunlight provides vitamin D to the human body.

Question 51 Everyday Science

Alzheimer's disease in human beings is characterized by the degeneration of;

- A. Kidney cells
- B. Nerve cells ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Liver cells
- D. Bone cells

A. Alzheimer's disease is not characterised by degeneration of kidney cells.

B. Correct: Alzheimer's disease is characterised by degeneration of nerve cells (in the brain).

C. Alzheimer's disease is not characterised by degeneration of liver cells.

D. Alzheimer's disease is not characterised by degeneration of bone cells.

Question 52 General Knowledge

Which of the following civilization are located banks of the Tigris?

- A. Indus civilization
- B. sumerian civilization ✓ **Correct answer**

- D. Greek civilization

A. The Indus civilisation was on the Indus, not the Tigris.

B. Correct: the Sumerian civilisation was located on the banks of the Tigris.

C. The Egyptian civilisation was on the Nile, not the Tigris.

D. The Greek civilisation was not on the Tigris.

Question 53 General Knowledge

USA film industry Hollywood is located in;

- A. Maryland
- B. Virginia
- C. California ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. New york

A. Hollywood is not in Maryland.

B. Hollywood is not in Virginia.

C. Correct: Hollywood is in California.

D. Hollywood is not in New York.

Question 54 Pakistan Studies

Who defeated the Mongols in 14th century?

- A. Khawarzim shah
- B. Rakn-ud-Din-Berber ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Zaheer-ud-Din Babar
- D. none of these

Shah did not defeat the Mongols in the 14th century.

B. Correct: Rukn-ud-Din Baibars (Baibars) defeated the Mongols at Ain Jalut (1260); the paper's '14th century' is loose, but Baibars is the intended answer among the options.

C. Zaheer-ud-Din Babar did not defeat the Mongols in the 14th century.

D. The Mongol-defeater is named among the options, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 55 General Knowledge

What is the meaning of 'Vishnu'?

- A. The preserver ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. the helper
- C. the destroyer
- D. the creator

A. Correct: 'Vishnu' means the preserver.

B. 'Vishnu' does not mean the helper.

C. 'Vishnu' does not mean the destroyer (that is Shiva).

D. 'Vishnu' does not mean the creator (that is Brahma).

Question 56 General Knowledge

Which is the biggest oil field of Iraq

- A. Kirkuk oil field ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. mosal oil field
- C. Barsa oil field
- D. none of these

A. Correct: the Kirkuk oil field is the biggest oil field of Iraq.

l oil field is not the biggest oil field of Iraq.

C. The Basra oil field is not the biggest oil field of Iraq.

D. The biggest oil field is named, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 57 Current Affairs

Who is the current Ambassador of Pakistan to USA?

- A. Mahmood Ali Durani
- B. Jahangir Karamat
- C. Madeeha lodhi
- D. None of the above ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Mahmood Ali Durrani was ambassador to the US 2006-2008, but the paper was set late 2008, after he left.

B. Jahangir Karamat was ambassador 2004-2006, not at the time of the paper.

C. Maleeha Lodhi was ambassador 1999-2002, not at the time of the paper.

D. Correct: none of the above — Husain Haqqani became ambassador on 27 May 2008 and is not among the options.

Note: Note: the paper was set late 2008: Q10 refers to the 10th ECO Conference to be held in 2009, and Durrani left the post on 9 May 2008.

Question 58 General Knowledge

Who was the President of USA during World War l ?

- A. Woodrow wilson ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Theodor Rose wet
- C. Jackson John
- D. Henry Truman

/oodrow Wilson was President of the USA during World War I.

B. Theodore Roosevelt was not President during World War I.

C. Jackson John is not a US President.

D. Harry Truman was President during World War II, not World War I.

Question 59 Pakistan Studies

What will be the total nuclear energy in pakistan after completing the chashma nuclear power plant l l ?

- A. 787 MW ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 807 MW
- C. 907 MW
- D. 805 MW

A. Correct: after CHASNUPP-2 the total nuclear energy in Pakistan would be 787 MW (KANUPP 137 + CHASNUPP-1 325 + CHASNUPP-2 325).

B. 807 MW is not the total.

C. 907 MW is not the total.

D. 805 MW is not the total.

Question 60 General Knowledge

Diet is the name of the Parliament of the country;

- A. China
- B. Thailand
- C. Japan ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Korea

A. The Diet is not the parliament of China.

s not the parliament of Thailand.

C. Correct: the Diet is the parliament of Japan.

D. The Diet is not the parliament of Korea.

Question 61 General Knowledge

In which year Egypt nationalized Suez Canal?

- A. 1950
- B. 1954
- C. 1956 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 1960

A. Egypt did not nationalise the Suez Canal in 1950.

B. Egypt did not nationalise the Suez Canal in 1954.

C. Correct: Egypt nationalised the Suez Canal in 1956.

D. Egypt did not nationalise the Suez Canal in 1960.

Question 62 General Knowledge

Silicon valley is located in which state of USA?

- A. Virginia
- B. Alaska
- C. California ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Maryland

A. Silicon Valley is not in Virginia.

B. Silicon Valley is not in Alaska.

C. Correct: Silicon Valley is in California.

ley is not in Maryland.

Question 63 General Knowledge

What is 'Armageddon'?

- A. A final battle between nations which will end the world ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. A last Day of Universe
- C. A name of film
- D. None of the above

A. Correct: Armageddon is the final battle between nations which will end the world.

B. Armageddon is not the last day of the universe as such.

C. Armageddon is a name of a film too, but the question asks for its meaning.

D. Armageddon has the meaning given, so 'none of the above' is wrong.

Question 64 General Knowledge

Salisbury is the oldest Name of;

- A. New England
- B. Petrograd
- C. Harare ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Bombay

A. New England is not the old name Salisbury refers to.

B. Petrograd is the old name of St Petersburg, not Salisbury.

C. Correct: Salisbury is the old name of Harare (Zimbabwe).

D. Bombay is the old name of Mumbai, not Salisbury.

65 Everyday Science

What is H5N1?

- A. Virus ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Bacteria
- C. Vaccin
- D. Fungi

A. Correct: H5N1 is a virus (bird flu).

B. H5N1 is not a bacterium.

C. H5N1 is not a vaccine.

D. H5N1 is not a fungus.

Question 66 General Knowledge

Which of the following Russian's oil and gas company which provides oil and gas to European countries?

- A. BSGO Company
- B. Gazprom Company ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Gestapo Company
- D. Philips Oil and Gas Company

A. BSGO is not the Russian oil and gas company supplying Europe.

B. Correct: Gazprom is the Russian oil and gas company supplying Europe.

C. Gestapo was a German police organisation, not an oil company.

D. Philips is not the Russian oil and gas company supplying Europe.

67 Everyday Science

Which one of the following planets has the maximum number of satellites?

- A. jupiter ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. saturn
- C. venus
- D. Uranus

A. Correct: Jupiter had the maximum number of satellites in 2006 (63 known moons).

B. Saturn had fewer known moons than Jupiter in 2006.

C. Venus has no moons.

D. Uranus had fewer known moons than Jupiter in 2006.

Question 68 Everyday Science

Which is the largest planet?

- A. Venus
- B. Earth
- C. Jupiter ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Mars

A. Venus is not the largest planet.

B. Earth is not the largest planet.

C. Correct: Jupiter is the largest planet.

D. Mars is not the largest planet.

Question 69 Pakistan Studies

Al-Hilal newspaper is associated with;

- B. Maulana Abdul Kaleem Azad ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Maulana Zafar Ali khan
- D. Maulana Shaukat Ali Johar

A. Maulana Muhammad Ali Jauhar was not associated with Al-Hilal.

B. Correct: Al-Hilal newspaper is associated with Maulana Abul Kalam Azad.

C. Maulana Zafar Ali Khan was not associated with Al-Hilal.

D. Maulana Shaukat Ali Jauhar was not associated with Al-Hilal.

Question 70 General Knowledge

Which is the following country gave the right of monarchy to women by amending the constitution recently?

- A. Nepal
- B. Sweden ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Japan
- D. Canada

A. Nepal did not amend its constitution to give women the right of succession.

B. Correct: Sweden amended its Act of Succession in 1980 to absolute primogeniture, giving women the right of succession.

C. Japan debated succession reform in 2005-06 but never amended its law.

D. Canada did not amend its constitution to give women the right of succession.

Question 71 Current Affairs

What was the main reason of disqualification of Arial Sharon for office of Prime Minister of Israel?

completed two terms

- B. He was impeached
- C. Illness ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Ariel Sharon had not completed two terms.

B. Ariel Sharon was not impeached.

C. Correct: Ariel Sharon was disqualified from office as Prime Minister of Israel because of illness (a stroke in January 2006).

D. Illness was the reason, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 72 Everyday Science

Which of the following vessels of blood carry blood from different parts of the body to heart

- A. Veins ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Arteries
- C. Capillaries
- D. Vessels

A. Correct: veins carry blood from different parts of the body to the heart.

B. Arteries carry blood from the heart to the body, not to the heart.

C. Capillaries connect arteries and veins; they do not carry blood back to the heart.

D. Vessels is a general term; the specific vessels are the veins.

Question 73 General Knowledge

Which of the following inventions is the oldest?

- A. Clock ✓ **Correct answer**

- C. Barometer
- D. cycle

A. Correct: the clock is the oldest of the inventions listed.

B. The microscope is newer than the clock.

C. The barometer is newer than the clock.

D. The bicycle is newer than the clock.

Question 74 General Knowledge

What are the two seats linked by Suez Canal?

- A. The Mediterranean Sea and Baltic sea
- B. The Mediterranean Sea and Red Sea ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. The black sea and baltic sea
- D. The black sea and South china Sea

A. The Suez Canal does not link the Mediterranean and the Baltic Sea.

B. Correct: the Suez Canal links the Mediterranean Sea and the Red Sea.

C. The Suez Canal does not link the Black Sea and the Baltic Sea.

D. The Suez Canal does not link the Black Sea and the South China Sea.

Question 75 General Knowledge

What is Holocaust?

- A. Killing of Jews during World War I
- B. Killing of Jews during World War II ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Killing of Germans during World War II
- D. Killing of Japanese during World War II

aust was not the killing of Jews during World War I.

B. Correct: the Holocaust was the killing of Jews during World War II.

C. The Holocaust was not the killing of Germans during World War II.

D. The Holocaust was not the killing of Japanese during World War II.

Question 76 General Knowledge

Diego Garcia is a:

- A. Famous Airline of Singapore
- B. French surface toSea Missile
- C. United states Military base in indian oceans ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Disputed island between Russia and Japan

A. Diego Garcia is not a famous airline of Singapore.

B. Diego Garcia is not a French surface-to-sea missile.

C. Correct: Diego Garcia is a United States military base in the Indian Ocean.

D. Diego Garcia is not a disputed island between Russia and Japan.

Question 77 Everyday Science

E=mc2 what is C?

- A. Velocity of light ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Electric power of cell
- C. Radius of earth
- D. Velocity of voice

A. Correct: in E=mc2, c is the velocity of light.

B. c is not the electric power of a cell.

e radius of the earth.

D. c is not the velocity of voice.

Question 78 General Knowledge

In which year European rulers capturer palestine from the muslims in Crusade War?

- A. 1095
- B. 1099 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 1115
- D. 1199

A. The Crusaders did not capture Palestine in 1095.

B. Correct: the Crusaders captured Jerusalem (Palestine) in 1099.

C. The Crusaders did not capture Palestine in 1115.

D. The Crusaders did not capture Palestine in 1199.

Question 79 General Knowledge

What is Kremlin?

- A. Offices of Russian Government ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. offices of Sri Lankan Government
- C. Building in Japan used for theatre
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the Kremlin is the offices of the Russian Government in Moscow.

B. The Kremlin is not the offices of the Sri Lankan Government.

C. The Kremlin is not a building in Japan used for theatre.

D. The Kremlin is the offices of the Russian Government, so 'none of these' is wrong.

80 Everyday Science

A mass of ice originating in mountains in snowfields above the snowline is called :

- A. Mountain River
- B. Glaciers ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Lake of water fallls
- D. None of the above

A. A mass of ice in the mountains is not a mountain river.

B. Correct: a mass of ice originating in mountains above the snowline is a glacier.

C. A mass of ice in the mountains is not a lake of waterfalls.

D. The mass of ice is a glacier, so 'none of the above' is wrong.

Question 81 Everyday Science

What is the diameter of earth?

- A. 11756 km
- B. 12756 km ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 13756 km
- D. 14756 km

A. The diameter of the earth is not 11756 km.

B. Correct: the diameter of the earth is about 12756 km.

C. The diameter of the earth is not 13756 km.

D. The diameter of the earth is not 14756 km.

Question 82 Everyday Science

What is the freezing point of heavy water?

- C. ✓ Correct answer
- B. 2.82 C
- C. 1.82 C
- D. 0.82 C

A. Correct: the freezing point of heavy water is 3.82 degrees Celsius.

B. The freezing point of heavy water is not 2.82 degrees Celsius.

C. The freezing point of heavy water is not 1.82 degrees Celsius.

D. The freezing point of heavy water is not 0.82 degrees Celsius.

Question 83 Everyday Science

How many satellites (moons) of saturn planet?

- A. 36
- B. 62 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 45
- D. 23

A. Saturn did not have 36 known moons.

B. Correct: Saturn had 62 known moons (the count reached 62 by 2009, and both reproductions key B).

C. Saturn did not have 45 known moons.

D. Saturn did not have 23 known moons.

Note: Note: the 2006 count of Saturn's moons was 56; the count reached 62 by 2009 and both the PACE and CSSPrepForum reproductions key B.

84 General Knowledge

Which of the following died of natural death?

- A. Indira Gandhi
- B. Mahatma Gandhi
- C. Rajiv Gandhi
- D. None of the above ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Indira Gandhi was assassinated, not a natural death.

B. Mahatma Gandhi was assassinated, not a natural death.

C. Rajiv Gandhi was assassinated, not a natural death.

D. Correct: none of the above died a natural death.

Question 85 General Knowledge

What is Ivy League?

- A. A group of EIght Universties in USA ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. A group of people in Switzerland
- C. A football League tournament
- D. A group of Islands in Atlantic occean

A. Correct: the Ivy League is a group of eight universities in the USA.

B. The Ivy League is not a group of people in Switzerland.

C. The Ivy League is not a football league tournament.

D. The Ivy League is not a group of islands in the Atlantic Ocean.

Question 86 Everyday Science

Every action has reaction which are equal but in opposite direction".This law is called

- B. Newton' second law of motion
- C. Newton' third law of motion ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of the above

A. Every action having a reaction is not Newton's first law.

B. Every action having a reaction is not Newton's second law.

C. Correct: every action has an equal and opposite reaction — Newton's third law of motion.

D. The law is named, so 'none of the above' is wrong.

Question 87 Current Affairs

Who is the current president of France?

- A. Jacques chirac ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. charles coty
- C. vladimir putin
- D. None of these

A. Correct: Jacques Chirac was the President of France in 2006 (1995-2007).

B. Charles de Gaulle was not President of France in 2006.

C. Vladimir Putin was President of Russia, not France.

D. The President of France is named, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 88 Pakistan Studies

First embassador of pakistant to UNO was:

- A. Sir Zaffar Ullah khan
- B. Sardar Abdur Rab Nishtar

- D. None of these

A. Sir Zafarullah Khan was not Pakistan's first ambassador to the UNO.

B. Sardar Abdur Rab Nishtar was not Pakistan's first ambassador to the UNO.

C. Correct: Ahmad Shah Patras Bokhari was the first ambassador of Pakistan to the UNO.

D. The first ambassador is named, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 89 General Knowledge

Which of the following country is not the member of G-8?

- A. China ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Russia
- C. USA
- D. Brain

A. Correct: China is not a member of the G-8.

B. Russia is a member of the G-8.

C. The USA is a member of the G-8.

D. 'Brain' is not a country at all — it is a copy error in the PACE reproduction (borrowed from Q90's options) — so it cannot be the answer.

Note: Note: PACE prints 'Brain' as option D in both the PDF and the web page; it is evidently a copy error from Q90. The answer A is unaffected.

Question 90 Everyday Science

Hepatits is a viral disease of:

- A. Heart

r ✓ Correct answer

- C. Lungs
- D. Brain

A. Hepatitis is not a viral disease of the heart.

B. Correct: hepatitis is a viral disease of the liver.

C. Hepatitis is not a viral disease of the lungs.

D. Hepatitis is not a viral disease of the brain.

Question 91 General Knowledge

Talban's movement was started in 1994 from which city of Afghanistan?

- A. Kabul
- B. Hirat
- C. Kandahar ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. The Taliban movement did not start in Kabul in 1994.

B. The Taliban movement did not start in Herat in 1994.

C. Correct: the Taliban movement started in 1994 from Kandahar, Afghanistan.

D. The Taliban movement started from Kandahar, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 92 General Knowledge

Which cities of Iran and pakistan are linked through railway line?

- A. Quetta-Zahedan ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. chaman-Tehran
- C. Quetta-Sheraz
- D. Peshawar-Sheraz

uetta and Zahedan are linked through the railway line.

B. Chaman and Tehran are not linked by a railway line.

C. Quetta and Shiraz are not linked by a railway line.

D. Peshawar and Shiraz are not linked by a railway line.

Question 93 Everyday Science

Myopia is a defect of vision of the

- A. Close objects
- B. Distant objects ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Cloured objects
- D. None of these

A. Myopia is not a defect of vision of close objects.

B. Correct: myopia is a defect of vision of distant objects.

C. Myopia is not a defect of vision of coloured objects.

D. Myopia is a defect of distant vision, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 94 General Knowledge

Who is called the father of modern psychology?

- A. Sigmund freud ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Ibn-e-Khaldoon
- C. Adam-Smith
- D. Charles Darwin

A. Correct: Sigmund Freud is called the father of modern psychology.

B. Ibn-e-Khaldun is not called the father of modern psychology.

th is not called the father of modern psychology.

D. Charles Darwin is not called the father of modern psychology.

Question 95 Pakistan Studies

Who was the first Chief Minister of Punjab Province?

- A. Abdur Rab Nishtar
- B. Muhammed Hussain
- C. Iftikhar Hussain Memdoot ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Mumtaz Hussain Daultana

A. Abdur Rab Nishtar was not the first Chief Minister of Punjab.

B. Muhammad Hussain was not the first Chief Minister of Punjab.

C. Correct: Iftikhar Hussain Khan Mamdot was the first Chief Minister of Punjab Province.

D. Mumtaz Hussain Daultana was not the first Chief Minister of Punjab.

Question 96 General Knowledge

Haifa is a Seaport of:

- A. Israel ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Lebanon
- C. Egypt
- D. Canada

A. Correct: Haifa is a seaport of Israel.

B. Haifa is not a seaport of Lebanon.

C. Haifa is not a seaport of Egypt.

D. Haifa is not a seaport of Canada.

97 General Knowledge

Head office of UNESCO is located

- A. Paris ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Geneva
- C. London
- D. Washington

A. Correct: the head office of UNESCO is in Paris.

B. The head office of UNESCO is not in Geneva.

C. The head office of UNESCO is not in London.

D. The head office of UNESCO is not in Washington.

Question 98 Everyday Science

What is the main causes of earthquakes?

- A. Volcanic activities
- B. Tectonic plates'movement
- C. Tectoonic dislocation
- D. All of tbove ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Volcanic activity alone is not the main cause of earthquakes.

B. Tectonic plates' movement alone is not the whole answer.

C. Tectonic dislocation alone is not the whole answer.

D. Correct: all of the above are causes of earthquakes.

Question 99 General Knowledge

Digital Divide term is related with:

- B. Socio economic difference techonology era ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Political science
- D. Journalism

A. The Digital Divide is not related to economics alone.

B. Correct: the Digital Divide is related to the socio-economic difference in the technology era.

C. The Digital Divide is not related to political science alone.

D. The Digital Divide is not related to journalism alone.

Question 100 General Knowledge

French Muslim football star Zedane by birth belong to which Muslim country?

- A. Morocco
- B. Cameroon
- C. Senegal
- D. Algeria ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Zinedine Zidane is not Moroccan by birth.

B. Zinedine Zidane is not Cameroonian by birth.

C. Zinedine Zidane is not Senegalese by birth.

D. Correct: Zinedine Zidane is of Algerian origin (born in France to Algerian parents).

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