Assistant Director Land Records, Board of Revenue — 2014 · Solved Past Paper

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> **How to use this paper:** each question shows the stem, the four options, and the correct answer. Click “Why each option?” under a question to see all four options explained — one question teaches four topics. General Knowledge answers are as of the 2014 sitting.

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Question 1 Pakistan Affairs

The length of Pak-Afghan border (Durand Line) is:

2 Km ✓ Correct answer

- B. 909 Km
- C. 11300 Km
- D. 592 Km

A. Correct: the Durand Line (Pak-Afghan border) is 2,252 km long in the standard textbook figure used by PPSC.

B. 909 km is not the length of the Durand Line.

C. 11,300 km is not the length of the Durand Line.

D. 592 km is not the length of the Durand Line.

Note: Note: Modern measurements give about 2,640 km, but 2,252 km is the textbook figure this paper uses and keys.

Question 2 Pakistan Affairs

Population wise; Pakistan's position in the world is:

- A. 21th
- B. 06th ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 34th
- D. 4thst

A. Pakistan was not 21st in population in 2014.

B. Correct: Pakistan was the 6th most populous country in the world in 2014.

C. Pakistan was not 34th in population in 2014.

D. Pakistan was not 4th in population in 2014.

3 Pakistan Affairs

The number of districts in the Punjab province is:

- A. 24
- B. 31
- C. 36 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 51

A. Punjab did not have 24 districts in 2014.

B. Punjab did not have 31 districts in 2014.

C. Correct: Punjab had 36 districts in 2014.

D. Punjab did not have 51 districts in 2014.

Question 4 Pakistan Affairs

Who was the first non-British Governor of the Punjab?

- A. Sardar Abdur Rab Nishter ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Ibrahim Ismail Chundigar
- C. Nawab Mushtaq Ahmad Guffnani
- D. Mien Amin-ud-Din

A. Correct: Sardar Abdur Rab Nishtar was the first non-British (Pakistani) Governor of the Punjab (1949-1951).

B. Ibrahim Ismail Chundrigar was not the first non-British Governor of the Punjab.

C. Nawab Mushtaq Ahmad Gurmani was not the first non-British Governor of the Punjab.

D. Mian Amin-ud-Din was not the first non-British Governor of the Punjab.

5 Pakistan Affairs

Baluchistan was given the status of province in:

- A. 1947
- B. 1958
- C. 1970 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 1985

A. Balochistan was not given provincial status in 1947.

B. Balochistan was not given provincial status in 1958.

C. Correct: Balochistan was given the status of a province in 1970.

D. Balochistan was not given provincial status in 1985.

Question 6 Pakistan Affairs

Apart from Senate and National Assembly, which one out of the following, is another component of Pakistan's parliament?

- A. Cabinet
- B. Prime Minister
- C. ECC
- D. President ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Cabinet is not a component of Parliament.

B. The Prime Minister is not a component of Parliament.

C. The ECC is not a component of Parliament.

D. Correct: Parliament consists of the Senate, the National Assembly and the President (Article 50).

The number of High Courts in Pakistan is:

- A. 1
- B. 4
- C. 5 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 10

A. There is more than one High Court in Pakistan.

B. Four High Courts was the position before 2010, but the Islamabad High Court was added in 2010.

C. Correct: there are 5 High Courts in Pakistan (Lahore, Sindh, Peshawar, Balochistan and Islamabad).

D. There are not 10 High Courts in Pakistan.

Note: Note: Printed key B (4) corrected to C (5): the Islamabad High Court was established in 2010 under the 18th Amendment, so at the exam date (9 March 2014) there were five High Courts.

Question 8 Pakistan Affairs

The Command and Staff College of Pakistan army Is situated at:

- A. Karachi
- B. Lahore
- C. Quetta ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Abbottabad

A. The Command and Staff College is not at Karachi.

B. The Command and Staff College is not at Lahore.

C. Correct: the Command and Staff College of the Pakistan Army is situated at Quetta.

nand and Staff College is not at Abbottabad.

Question 9 Law

How Many amendments have been made in the Constitution of 1973 up till now?

- A. 6.
- B. 11
- C. 18
- D. 20 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Only 6 amendments had not been made by 2014; there were far more.

B. 11 amendments is not the count up to 2014.

C. 18 amendments is not the count up to 2014 (the 18th was in 2010, but two more followed).

D. Correct: 20 amendments had been made in the 1973 Constitution by the exam date (the 20th Amendment was passed in 2012; the 21st came in December 2014).

Question 10 Geography

Hanna Lake is located in:

- A. FATA
- B. Interior Sind
- C. Indian held Kashmir
- D. Baluchistan ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Hanna Lake is not in FATA.

B. Hanna Lake is not in interior Sindh.

C. Hanna Lake is not in Indian-held Kashmir.

D. Correct: Hanna Lake is located in Balochistan (near Quetta).

11 Pakistan Affairs

The Urban-Rural population ratio in Pakistan Is:

- A. 40:60 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 30:70
- C. 20:80
- D. 10:90

A. Correct (closest): the urban-rural population ratio is given in the textbooks as about 40:60.

B. 30:70 understates the urban share around 2014.

C. 20:80 understates the urban share far more.

D. 10:90 understates the urban share far more.

Question 12 Pakistan Affairs

Which Is the most important mineral of Pakistan; in terms of its reserves?

- A. Natural Gas
- B. Copper
- C. Petroleum
- D. Coal ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Natural gas is valuable, but it is not the most important mineral by reserves.

B. Copper is valuable, but it is not the most important mineral by reserves.

C. Petroleum is valuable, but it is not the most important mineral by reserves.

D. Correct: coal (notably the Thar coalfield, about 175 billion tonnes) is Pakistan's most important mineral by reserves.

13 General Knowledge

Which one out of the following is not a folk dance?

- A. Bhangra
- B. Jhoomer
- C. Luddi
- D. All of them are folk dances ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Bhangra is a folk dance.

B. Jhoomer is a folk dance.

C. Luddi is a folk dance.

D. Correct: all of them are folk dances, so none is 'not a folk dance'.

Question 14 Pakistan Affairs

The most widely spoken language in Pakistan is:

- A. Urdu
- B. Punjabi ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Sindhl
- D. Pushto

A. Urdu is the national language, but it is not the most widely spoken.

B. Correct: Punjabi is the most widely spoken language in Pakistan.

C. Sindhi is spoken by fewer people than Punjabi.

D. Pushto is spoken by fewer people than Punjabi.

Question 15 Pakistan Affairs

Masjid Mahabat Khan is located at:

- B. Peshawar ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Quetta
- D. Hyderabad

A. Masjid Mahabat Khan is not at Multan.

B. Correct: Masjid Mahabat Khan is located at Peshawar.

C. Masjid Mahabat Khan is not at Quetta.

D. Masjid Mahabat Khan is not at Hyderabad.

Question 16 General Knowledge

Which one out of the following is not a ‘daily’?

- A. The News
- B. The Nation
- C. Herald ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Dawn

A. The News is a daily newspaper.

B. The Nation is a daily newspaper.

C. Correct: Herald is a monthly magazine, not a daily.

D. Dawn is a daily newspaper.

Question 17 History

Who Introduced 'Doctrine of Lapse' in India (1848).

- A. Lord Dalhousie ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Lord Canning
- C. Lord Ripon

A. Correct: Lord Dalhousie introduced the Doctrine of Lapse in India (1848).

B. Lord Canning did not introduce the Doctrine of Lapse.

C. Lord Ripon did not introduce the Doctrine of Lapse.

D. Lord Minto did not introduce the Doctrine of Lapse.

Question 18 General Knowledge

Florence Nightingale is renowned for?

- A. acting
- B. nursing ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. painting
- D. poetry

A. Florence Nightingale is not renowned for acting.

B. Correct: Florence Nightingale is renowned for nursing (the founder of modern nursing).

C. Florence Nightingale is not renowned for painting.

D. Florence Nightingale is not renowned for poetry.

Question 19 History

World War-I was fought during:

- A. 1914-18 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1939-45
- C. 1920-24
- D. None of thorn

A. Correct: World War I was fought during 1914-18.

was World War II, not World War I.

C. 1920-24 was after World War I.

D. One of the given options gives the dates, so 'None of them' is wrong.

Question 20 History

Which country became independent on July 4, 1776?

- A. Canada
- B. Australia
- C. America ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Holland

A. Canada did not become independent on 4 July 1776.

B. Australia did not become independent on 4 July 1776.

C. Correct: America (the United States) became independent on 4 July 1776.

D. Holland did not become independent on 4 July 1776.

Question 21 History

Which Mughal king was buried in Kabul?

- A. Akbar
- B. Jahangir
- C. Humayun
- D. Babur ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Akbar was buried at Sikandra (Agra), not Kabul.

B. Jahangir was buried at Lahore, not Kabul.

C. Humayun was buried at Delhi, not Kabul.

abur was buried in Kabul (Bagh-e Babur).

Question 22 General Knowledge

Westminster Abbey; where English Kings and Queens are coroneted, is basically a/an:

- A. church ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. palace
- C. office
- D. auditorium

A. Correct: Westminster Abbey, where English kings and queens are crowned, is basically a church.

B. Westminster Abbey is not a palace.

C. Westminster Abbey is not an office.

D. Westminster Abbey is not an auditorium.

Question 23 Everyday Science

What is the estimated age of the Universe?

- A. 1 billion years
- B. 10 billion years
- C. 13 billion years ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 20 billion years

A. The universe is older than 1 billion years.

B. The universe is older than 10 billion years.

C. Correct: the estimated age of the universe is about 13 billion years (13.8 billion years).

D. The universe is not 20 billion years old.

24 Geography

Which is the second largest Ocean after Pacific?

- A. Atlantic ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Indian
- C. Arctic
- D. None of them

A. Correct: the Atlantic is the second largest ocean after the Pacific.

B. The Indian Ocean is the third largest, not the second.

C. The Arctic is the smallest ocean, not the second largest.

D. One of the given options names it, so 'None of them' is wrong.

Question 25 Geography

In which range, Mount Everest is located?

- A. Karakoram
- B. Himalayas ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Hindu Kush
- D. Pamirs

A. Mount Everest is not in the Karakoram range.

B. Correct: Mount Everest is located in the Himalayas.

C. Mount Everest is not in the Hindu Kush range.

D. Mount Everest is not in the Pamirs.

Question 26 Geography

38 Parallel divides:

th Korea and South Korea ✓ **Correct answer**

- B. USA and Canada
- C. Germany and Poland
- D. India and China

A. Correct: the 38th Parallel divides North Korea and South Korea.

B. The 38th Parallel does not divide the USA and Canada (that is the 49th Parallel).

C. The 38th Parallel does not divide Germany and Poland.

D. The 38th Parallel does not divide India and China.

Question 27 Geography

Tripoli Is the capital of:

- A. Gambia
- B. Mali
- C. Libya ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Mauritius

A. Tripoli is not the capital of Gambia (that is Banjul).

B. Tripoli is not the capital of Mali (that is Bamako).

C. Correct: Tripoli is the capital of Libya.

D. Tripoli is not the capital of Mauritius (that is Port Louis).

Question 28 General Knowledge

'Taka' is the currency of:

- A. Bangladesh ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Bhutan
- C. Nepal

A. Correct: the Taka is the currency of Bangladesh.

B. The Taka is not the currency of Bhutan (that is the ngultrum).

C. The Taka is not the currency of Nepal (that is the rupee).

D. The Taka is not the currency of Sri Lanka (that is the rupee).

Question 29 Geography

Canada is located in:

- A. North America ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. South America
- C. Western Europe
- D. Eastern Europe

A. Correct: Canada is located in North America.

B. Canada is not in South America.

C. Canada is not in Western Europe.

D. Canada is not in Eastern Europe.

Question 30 Geography

Egyptian city Aswan is famous for:

- A. World's largest dam ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. a huge film industry
- C. being birth place of James Abdul Nasir
- D. a historic university

A. Correct: the Egyptian city of Aswan is famous for the Aswan High Dam, one of the

est dams.

B. Aswan is not famous for a huge film industry.

C. Aswan is not the birthplace of Gamal Abdel Nasser (he was born in Alexandria).

D. Aswan is not famous for a historic university.

Question 31 General Knowledge

The headquarters of the League of Nations (LoN) was at

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

A. The League of Nations was not headquartered at New York.

B. The League of Nations was not headquartered at London.

C. The League of Nations was not headquartered at Paris.

D. Correct: the headquarters of the League of Nations was at Geneva.

Question 32 General Knowledge

Which one out of the following is not a principal organ of the U.N.O.?

- A. General Assembly
- B. Secretariat
- C. International Labour Organisation ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Economic and Social Council

A. The General Assembly is a principal organ of the UNO.

B. The Secretariat is a principal organ of the UNO.

The International Labour Organisation is a specialised agency, not a principal organ of the UNO.

D. The Economic and Social Council is a principal organ of the UNO.

Question 33 General Knowledge

The headquarters of European Union is at

- A. Vienna
- B. Brussels ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Paris
- D. Amsterdam

A. The European Union is not headquartered at Vienna.

B. Correct: the headquarters of the European Union is at Brussels.

C. The European Union is not headquartered at Paris.

D. The European Union is not headquartered at Amsterdam.

Question 34 General Knowledge

Dr. Henry Kissinger served as America's Secretary of State during the presidency of:

- A. Richard Nixon
- B. Gerald Ford
- C. Both of them ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. none of them

A. Kissinger did serve under Nixon, but not under Nixon alone.

B. Kissinger did serve under Ford, but not under Ford alone.

C. Correct: Dr Henry Kissinger served as America's Secretary of State under both Richard Nixon and Gerald Ford.

e given options covers it, so 'none of them' is wrong.

Question 35 Everyday Science

'Crust' is earth's

- A. outer layer ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. inner layer
- C. central layer
- D. none of them

A. Correct: the crust is the Earth's outer layer.

B. The crust is not the Earth's inner layer.

C. The crust is not the Earth's central layer.

D. One of the given options describes it, so 'none of them' is wrong.

Question 36 Geography

The coldest place in the world is:

- A. Tibet
- B. Oslo
- C. Siberia
- D. Greenland ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Tibet is cold, but its recorded lows are above Greenland's.

B. Oslo is far warmer than Greenland.

C. Siberia is very cold (Oymyakon about -67.7 C), but Greenland's recorded low is colder.

D. Correct (filed): Greenland is the coldest of the given options.

37 General Knowledge

Who invented "revolver"?

- A. Samuel Colt ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. John M. Browning
- C. John Ericsson
- D. James Watt

A. Correct: Samuel Colt invented the revolver.

B. John M. Browning designed firearms but did not invent the revolver.

C. John Ericsson did not invent the revolver.

D. James Watt did not invent the revolver.

Question 38 Everyday Science

How many bones are there in the body of a new bom baby?

- A. 210
- B. 300 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 351
- D. 403

A. A newborn baby has more than 210 bones.

B. Correct: a newborn baby has about 300 bones (many fuse later into the adult 206).

C. A newborn baby does not have 351 bones.

D. A newborn baby does not have 403 bones.

Question 39 Everyday Science

Which out of the following Is a main organ of sense?

e ✓ **Correct answer**

- B. Nall
- C. Hair
- D. All of them

A. Correct: the nose (smell) is a main organ of sense.

B. The nail is not an organ of sense.

C. Hair is not an organ of sense.

D. Not all of them are organs of sense, so 'All of them' is wrong.

Question 40 Everyday Science

Drugs that calm nervous system and prevent worry, tension etc. are called:

- A. Analgesics
- B. Hormones
- C. Antibiotics
- D. Tranquillizers ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Analgesics relieve pain; they do not calm the nervous system.

B. Hormones are chemical messengers; they are not the drugs named here.

C. Antibiotics fight bacteria; they do not calm the nervous system.

D. Correct: tranquillisers are the drugs that calm the nervous system and prevent worry and tension.

Question 41 Everyday Science

Tooth decay Indicates deficiency of

- A. Chromium
- B. Copper

- orine ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Iron

A. Tooth decay does not indicate a deficiency of chromium.

B. Tooth decay does not indicate a deficiency of copper.

C. Correct: tooth decay indicates a deficiency of fluorine (fluoride protects teeth).

D. Tooth decay does not indicate a deficiency of iron.

Question 42 Everyday Science

Anything that occupies space and possesses weight Is called:

- A. Molecule
- B. Matter ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Element
- D. Atom

A. A molecule is a group of atoms, not the general term for anything occupying space and having weight.

B. Correct: anything that occupies space and possesses weight is called matter.

C. An element is a pure substance, not the general term used here.

D. An atom is the smallest unit of an element, not the general term used here.

Question 43 Everyday Science

To every action there is always an equal and opposite reaction' is Newton's:

- A. 1 st Law of Motion
- B. 2nd Law of Motion
- C. 3rd Law of Motion ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of them

aw of motion is the law of inertia, not action and reaction.

B. The second law of motion relates force, mass and acceleration.

C. Correct: 'to every action there is always an equal and opposite reaction' is Newton's third law of motion.

D. One of the given options states it, so 'None of them' is wrong.

Question 44 Everyday Science

'Study of Insects' is termed as:

- A. Entomology ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Cosmography
- C. Mycology
- D. Astrology

A. Correct: the study of insects is termed entomology.

B. Cosmography is the study of the universe, not insects.

C. Mycology is the study of fungi, not insects.

D. Astrology is the study of supposed star influences, not insects.

Question 45 History

Which of the following was principally responsible for the Communist Revolution of Russia in 1917?

- A. Karl Marx
- B. Lenin ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Stalin
- D. Trotsky

A. Karl Marx provided the theory, but he was not principally responsible for the 1917

self.

B. Correct: Lenin was principally responsible for the Communist Revolution of Russia in 1917 (he led the Bolsheviks).

C. Stalin rose to power after Lenin; he did not lead the 1917 revolution.

D. Trotsky played a major role, but Lenin led the revolution.

Question 46 General Knowledge

Sigmund Freud Is known for his work in the field of:

- A. anthropology
- B. historiography
- C. psychology ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. physics

A. Sigmund Freud is not known for anthropology.

B. Sigmund Freud is not known for historiography.

C. Correct: Sigmund Freud is known for his work in psychology (psychoanalysis).

D. Sigmund Freud is not known for physics.

Note: Note: Numbered Q40 twice in the Atif source; served here as Q46 in paper order.

Question 47 History

The Muslims conquered Palestine during the caliphate of:

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

was not conquered during the caliphate of Hazrat Abu Bakr.

B. Correct: the Muslims conquered Palestine (Jerusalem surrendered in 637 CE) during the caliphate of Hazrat Umar.

C. Palestine was not conquered during the caliphate of Hazrat Usman.

D. Palestine was not conquered during the caliphate of Hazrat Ali.

Note: Note: Printed key C (Usman) corrected to B (Umar): Jerusalem was conquered in 637 CE under Hazrat Umar; the same paper's Q71 keys B for the conquest of Jerusalem.

Question 48 History

Who replaced Lord Mountbatten as Governor General of India?

- A. Abu-al-Kalam Azad
- B. Radha Krishnan
- C. Chakravarti Rajagopalachari ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Kishna Menon

A. Abul Kalam Azad did not replace Mountbatten as Governor-General of India.

B. Radha Krishnan did not replace Mountbatten as Governor-General of India.

C. Correct: Chakravarti Rajagopalachari replaced Lord Mountbatten as Governor-General of India (1948).

D. Krishna Menon did not replace Mountbatten as Governor-General of India.

Question 49 History

During interim government of India, prior to partition, which Muslim League leader served as Finance Minister?

- A. Abdur Rab Nishter
- B. Mushtaq Ahmed Gurmani

- D. Ch. Muhammad Ali

A. Abdur Rab Nishtar was not the Finance Minister in the interim government of India.

B. Mushtaq Ahmed Gurmani was not the Finance Minister in the interim government of India.

C. Correct: Liaquat Ali Khan served as Finance Minister in the interim government of India (1946).

D. Ch. Muhammad Ali was not the Finance Minister in the interim government of India.

Question 50 Pakistan Affairs

After Karachi and Lahore, which is the biggest city of Pakistan, in term of population?

- A. Rawalpindi
- B. Multan
- C. Faisalabad ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Peshawar

A. Rawalpindi is not the third biggest city of Pakistan by population.

B. Multan is not the third biggest city of Pakistan by population.

C. Correct: after Karachi and Lahore, Faisalabad is the biggest city of Pakistan by population.

D. Peshawar is not the third biggest city of Pakistan by population.

Question 51 Pakistan Affairs

Which out of the following is not a Kharif Crop?

- A. Rice
- B. SugarCane

- D. Wheat ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Rice is a Kharif crop.

B. Sugarcane is a Kharif crop.

C. Maize is a Kharif crop.

D. Correct: wheat is a Rabi crop, not a Kharif crop.

Question 52 Economics

Pakistan’s share in global export is:

- A. 2%
- B. 18% ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 11%
- D. 1%

A. 2% is far above Pakistan's actual share of world exports (about 0.1-0.2%).

B. 18% is far above Pakistan's actual share of world exports.

C. 11% is far above Pakistan's actual share of world exports.

D. Correct (closest): 1% is the nearest of the options to Pakistan's actual share of world exports (about 0.1-0.2%).

Question 53 Geography

'Lisbon' Is the capital of:

- A. Romania
- B. Panama
- C. Taiwan
- D. Portugal ✓ **Correct answer**

not the capital of Romania (that is Bucharest).

B. Lisbon is not the capital of Panama (that is Panama City).

C. Lisbon is not the capital of Taiwan (that is Taipei).

D. Correct: Lisbon is the capital of Portugal.

Question 54 Geography

Which Is the largest river In the world?

- A. Amazon ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Ganger
- C. Nile
- D. none of them

A. Correct: the Amazon is the largest river in the world (by volume of water discharged).

B. The Ganges is not the largest river in the world.

C. The Nile is the longest river, but the Amazon is the largest by volume.

D. One of the given options names it, so 'none of them' is wrong.

Question 55 Current Affairs

Who Is the foreign minister of Pakistan?

- A. Mr. SartaJAzIz
- B. Khawala Muhammad Aslf
- C. Mian Muhammad Nawaz Sharif ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Mr. Tariq Fatimi

A. Sartaj Aziz was Adviser to the Prime Minister on Foreign Affairs, not the Foreign Minister.

Muhammad Asif was not the Foreign Minister in 2014.

C. Correct: in 2014 Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif himself held the foreign affairs portfolio, so he was the Foreign Minister.

D. Tariq Fatemi was Special Assistant on Foreign Affairs, not the Foreign Minister.

Question 56 General Knowledge

Theory of Evolution' was presented by:

- A. Euclid
- B. Charles Darwin ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Werner Heisenberg
- D. Simon Bolivar

A. Euclid did not present the Theory of Evolution.

B. Correct: the Theory of Evolution was presented by Charles Darwin.

C. Werner Heisenberg did not present the Theory of Evolution.

D. Simon Bolivar did not present the Theory of Evolution.

Question 57 Political Science

Which philosopher formally put together the basic ideas of constitutional democracy for the 1 st time?

- A. John Lock ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Francis Beacon
- C. Voltaire
- D. Adam Smith

A. Correct: John Locke formally put together the basic ideas of constitutional democracy (natural rights, consent, limited government).

con did not put together the ideas of constitutional democracy.

C. Voltaire championed liberty, but Locke systematised constitutional democracy first.

D. Adam Smith wrote on economics, not constitutional democracy.

Question 58 History

The only twentieth century American President who was assassinated is:

- A. Abraham Lincoln
- B. Jphn F. Kennedy ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Richard Nixon
- D. Ronald Reagan

A. Abraham Lincoln was assassinated in the 19th century (1865), not the 20th.

B. Correct: John F. Kennedy is the only twentieth-century American President who was assassinated (1963).

C. Richard Nixon was not assassinated.

D. Ronald Reagan survived an assassination attempt; he was not assassinated.

Question 59 History

Martin Luther is famous for:

- A. his fiction writing skills
- B. being a politician
- C. his defiance of Roman Catholic Church ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. his useful inventions

A. Martin Luther is not famous for fiction writing.

B. Martin Luther is not famous for being a politician.

Martin Luther is famous for his defiance of the Roman Catholic Church (the Reformation).

D. Martin Luther is not famous for useful inventions.

Question 60 General Knowledge

Pablo Picasso is considered to be a great

- A. musician
- B. writer
- C. actor
- D. painter ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Pablo Picasso is not considered a great musician.

B. Pablo Picasso is not considered a great writer.

C. Pablo Picasso is not considered a great actor.

D. Correct: Pablo Picasso is considered a great painter.

Question 61 General Knowledge

Which prize is awarded annually on December 10 each year for outstanding works in various fields?

- A. Lenin Prize
- B. Pulitzer Prize
- C. Nobel Prize ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Bolivar Prize

A. The Lenin Prize was not awarded annually on 10 December.

B. The Pulitzer Prize is not awarded on 10 December.

C. Correct: the Nobel Prize is awarded annually on 10 December (the anniversary of Alfred

D. The Bolivar Prize is not awarded on 10 December.

Question 62 Geography

The most populous city of the world is:

- A. New York
- B. Tokyo
- C. Shanghai ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Moscow

A. New York is not the most populous city of the world.

B. Tokyo is the largest metropolitan area, but by city proper Shanghai is larger.

C. Correct: Shanghai is the most populous city of the world (by city-proper population, the textbook answer).

D. Moscow is not the most populous city of the world.

Question 63 Everyday Science

The 'sun' is mainly composed of:

- A. Oxygen
- B. Hydrogen ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Carbon Die Oxide
- D. Potassium

A. The Sun is not mainly composed of oxygen.

B. Correct: the Sun is mainly composed of hydrogen (about 71%, with helium about 27%).

C. The Sun is not mainly composed of carbon dioxide.

s not mainly composed of potassium.

Question 64 Everyday Science

Post mortem examination of organs or tissues of a dead body is called:

- A. Philology
- B. Autopsy ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Genealogy
- D. Topography

A. Philology is the study of language, not a post-mortem examination.

B. Correct: a post-mortem examination of the organs or tissues of a dead body is called an autopsy.

C. Genealogy is the study of family history, not a post-mortem examination.

D. Topography is the study of land surfaces, not a post-mortem examination.

Question 65 Economics

'Laissez-Faire' means:

- A. Non-interference of state in economy ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Extra-ordinary political activity
- C. Military operation In troubled areas
- D. Rapid Industrialization of a country.

A. Correct: 'laissez-faire' means non-interference of the state in the economy.

B. Laissez-faire does not mean extraordinary political activity.

C. Laissez-faire does not mean a military operation in troubled areas.

D. Laissez-faire does not mean rapid industrialisation of a country.

66 English Literature

Charles Dickens' was:

- A. an English novelist ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. an American scientist
- C. a German politician
- D. a leading musician of 18th century

A. Correct: Charles Dickens was an English novelist.

B. Charles Dickens was not an American scientist.

C. Charles Dickens was not a German politician.

D. Charles Dickens was not a leading musician of the 18th century.

Question 67 Pakistan Affairs

'Sir Creek' is an Issue between:

- A. Pakistan & India ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. India & China
- C. India & Nepal
- D. Burma & Thailand

A. Correct: Sir Creek is an issue between Pakistan and India.

B. Sir Creek is not an issue between India and China.

C. Sir Creek is not an issue between India and Nepal.

D. Sir Creek is not an issue between Burma and Thailand.

Question 68 History

Before its independence, Singapore was part of:

onesia

- B. China
- C. Malaysia ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Japan

A. Singapore was not part of Indonesia before independence.

B. Singapore was not part of China before independence.

C. Correct: before its independence, Singapore was part of Malaysia (1963-1965).

D. Singapore was not part of Japan before independence.

Question 69 History

Who was the first Muslim King of India?

- A. Qubib-ud-dln Aibak ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Muhammad bin Qasim
- C. Zaheer-ud-din Babur
- D. Mehmud Ghazanvi

A. Correct: Qutb-ud-din Aibak was the first Muslim king of India (founder of the Delhi Sultanate, 1206).

B. Muhammad bin Qasim conquered Sindh, but he was not a king of India.

C. Babur founded the Mughal Empire later (1526), not the first Muslim kingship.

D. Mahmud of Ghazni raided India, but he did not rule as king of India.

Question 70 History

Which was the capital of Umayyad Empire?

- A. Baghdad
- B. Medina

- nascus ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Kofa

A. Baghdad was the capital of the Abbasid Empire, not the Umayyad.

B. Medina was not the capital of the Umayyad Empire.

C. Correct: Damascus was the capital of the Umayyad Empire.

D. Kufa was not the capital of the Umayyad Empire.

Question 71 History

The Muslims conquered 'Jerusholum' during the Khilafat of:

- A. Hazrat Bau Bakr Siddique
- B. Hazrat Umer bin Khattab ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Hazrat Usman Ghani
- D. HazletAlibin Abu Tab

A. Jerusalem was not conquered during the caliphate of Hazrat Abu Bakr.

B. Correct: the Muslims conquered Jerusalem during the caliphate of Hazrat Umar bin Khattab (637 CE).

C. Jerusalem was not conquered during the caliphate of Hazrat Usman.

D. Jerusalem was not conquered during the caliphate of Hazrat Ali.

Question 72 History

Who led Muslim forces during conquest of Egypt?

- A. Hazrat Seed bln Abl Wages
- B. Hazrat Umar bln Aas ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Hazrat Khaild bln Walld
- D. Hazrat All bln Abu Tailb

Abi Waqas did not lead the Muslim forces during the conquest of Egypt.

B. Correct: Hazrat Amr bin al-Aas led the Muslim forces during the conquest of Egypt.

C. Khalid bin Waleed did not lead the conquest of Egypt.

D. Ali bin Abi Talib did not lead the conquest of Egypt.

Question 73 General Knowledge

'Mossad' Is the Intelligence agency of:

- A. Brazil
- B. Israel ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Lebanon
- D. Syria

A. Mossad is not the intelligence agency of Brazil.

B. Correct: Mossad is the intelligence agency of Israel.

C. Mossad is not the intelligence agency of Lebanon.

D. Mossad is not the intelligence agency of Syria.

Question 74 History

Australia was discovered by:

- A. Christopher Columbus
- B. Vasco de Game
- C. Captain James Cook ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Yuri Gagarin

A. Christopher Columbus did not discover Australia.

B. Vasco da Gama did not discover Australia.

Captain James Cook is credited with the (European) discovery of Australia (1770).

D. Yuri Gagarin was a cosmonaut, not the discoverer of Australia.

Question 75 General Knowledge

The UNO was set up ln:-

- A. 1939
- B. 1941
- C. 1949
- D. 1945 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The UNO was not set up in 1939.

B. The UNO was not set up in 1941.

C. The UNO was not set up in 1949.

D. Correct: the UNO was set up in 1945.

Question 76 Land Revenue

A share or portion of an estate held by one land-owner or jointly by two or more land owners is:

- A. property
- B. possession
- C. holding ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. inheritance

A. A holding is not simply property in general.

B. A holding is not simply possession.

C. Correct: a holding is a share or portion of an estate held by one land-owner or jointly by

land-owners (Land Revenue Act, definition).

D. A holding is not an inheritance.

Question 77 Land Revenue

Which of the following is not defined in the Land Revenue Act of 1967?

- A. Assessment
- B. Kanungo ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Boundary mark
- D. Land

A. Assessment is defined in the Land Revenue Act 1967.

B. Correct: Kanungo is not defined in the Land Revenue Act 1967 (the Act defines assessment, boundary mark, land and other terms, but not Kanungo).

C. Boundary mark is defined in the Land Revenue Act 1967.

D. Land is defined in the Land Revenue Act 1967.

Question 78 Land Revenue

There are how many classes of Revenue Officers as per section-7 of Land Revenue Act?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer taught (All four options are blank in the Atif source itself, so the question is unrecoverable and is excluded, not reconstructed.)

A. The options are blank in the source, so no option can be judged.

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C. The options are blank in the source, so no option can be judged.

D. The options are blank in the source, so no option can be judged.

Question 79 Land Revenue

Who can summon persons to give evidence and produce documents?

- A. Commissioner
- B. District Collector
- C. Tehsilder
- D. All of them ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Commissioner can summon persons to give evidence and produce documents.

B. The District Collector can summon persons to give evidence and produce documents.

C. The Tehsildar can summon persons to give evidence and produce documents.

D. Correct (filed): all of them can summon persons, since all three are Revenue Officers under the Act.

Question 80 Land Revenue

Which out of the following is not a 'village officer1?

- A. Patwari
- B. Kanungo
- C. Lambardar
- D. Tehsildar ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Patwari is a village officer.

B. The Kanungo is a village officer.

ardar is a village officer.

D. Correct: the Tehsildar is a Revenue Officer, not a village officer.

Question 81 Land Revenue

Which register/ document is mandatory for a patrol to maintain?

- A. Jamabandi
- B. Khasra Girdwari
- C. Lai Kitab
- D. All of them ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Jamabandi is mandatory for a patwari to maintain, but it is not the only one.

B. The Khasra Girdawari is mandatory for a patwari to maintain, but it is not the only one.

C. The Lal Kitab is mandatory for a patwari to maintain, but it is not the only one.

D. Correct: all of them (Jamabandi, Khasra Girdawari and Lal Kitab) are mandatory for a patwari to maintain.

Question 82 Land Revenue

Who can direct to specially revise the record of rights of an estate?

- A. District Collector
- B. Commissioner ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Board of Revenue
- D. Government

A. The District Collector does not direct the special revision of the record of rights.

B. Correct: the Commissioner can direct the special revision of the record of rights of an estate.

C. The Board of Revenue does not direct the special revision in this provision.

rnment does not direct the special revision in this provision.

Question 83 Land Revenue

The periodical record is prepared:

- A. Every year
- B. After 4years ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. After 5 years
- D. After 10 years

A. The periodical record is not prepared every year.

B. Correct: the periodical record (Jamabandi) is prepared after 4 years.

C. The periodical record is not prepared after 5 years.

D. The periodical record is not prepared after 10 years.

Question 84 Land Revenue

An enquiry or an order regarding mutation shall be made in the:

- A. office of District Collector
- B. Common assembly (Ijlas-i-Aam) in the estate ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. building of the tehsil
- D. resilience of lambardar

A. A mutation enquiry is not made in the office of the District Collector.

B. Correct: an enquiry or an order regarding mutation is made in the common assembly (Ijlas-i-Aam) in the estate.

C. A mutation enquiry is not made in the building of the tehsil.

D. A mutation enquiry is not made at the residence of the Lambardar.

85 Land Revenue

It is mandatory for the Revenue Officer to attest the mutation:

- A. in the Tehsil premises ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. in the Patwar Khana
- C. on the sport
- D. in the revenue branch of DCO office

A. Correct: it is mandatory for the Revenue Officer to attest the mutation in the Tehsil premises.

B. The mutation is not attested in the Patwar Khana.

C. The mutation is not attested merely 'on the spot'.

D. The mutation is not attested in the revenue branch of the DCO office.

Question 86 Land Revenue

Who is empowered to make rules making records and other matters connected therewith?

- A. Board of Revenue
- B. Government
- C. Board of Revenue with prior approval of government ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Provincial assembly

A. The Board of Revenue alone does not make the rules.

B. The Government alone does not make the rules.

C. Correct: the Board of Revenue, with the prior approval of the Government, is empowered to make rules on records and connected matters.

D. The Provincial Assembly does not make these rules.

87 Land Revenue

A mutation fee in respect of any entry shall be payable by the person:

- A. who is transferring the right
- B. in whose favor the entry is made ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. who is certifying the genuity of transaction
- D. none of them

A. The mutation fee is not payable by the person transferring the right.

B. Correct: a mutation fee is payable by the person in whose favour the entry is made.

C. The mutation fee is not payable by the person certifying the genuineness of the transfer.

D. One of the given options states who pays, so 'none of them' is wrong.

Question 88 Land Revenue

The actual defaulter of land revenue or the headman who represents him may be arrested and detained at tehsil office for

- A. 24 hours
- B. 3 days
- C. 10 days ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. one month

A. The defaulter may be detained for longer than 24 hours.

B. The defaulter may be detained for longer than 3 days.

C. Correct: the actual defaulter of land revenue (or the headman representing him) may be arrested and detained at the tehsil for up to 10 days.

D. The defaulter may not be detained for as long as one month under this provision.

89 Land Revenue

Under which section of Land Revenue Act, the Collector may order attachment of defaulter's holding?

- A. 85 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 87
- C. 32
- D. 101

A. Correct: under section 85 of the Land Revenue Act, the Collector may order attachment of a defaulter's holding.

B. Section 87 is not the attachment provision.

C. Section 32 is not the attachment provision.

D. Section 101 is not the attachment provision.

Question 90 Land Revenue

Who is authorized to define the limits of any estate, holding or field for framing any record or making assessment of revenue?

- A. Revenue officer
- B. Sub-divisional Collector
- C. District Collector ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Commissioner

A. A Revenue Officer generally does not define the limits for framing a record.

B. A Sub-Divisional Collector does not define the limits in this provision.

C. Correct: the District Collector is authorised to define the limits of any estate, holding or field for framing a record or making an assessment.

D. The Commissioner does not define the limits in this provision.

A tenant having a right of occupancy in land may sublet the land fully or any part thereof for a period not more than:

- A. two years
- B. three years
- C. one year
- D. seven years ✓ **Correct answer**

A. A tenant with a right of occupancy may sublet for longer than two years.

B. A tenant with a right of occupancy may sublet for longer than three years.

C. A tenant with a right of occupancy may sublet for longer than one year.

D. Correct: a tenant having a right of occupancy may sublet the land for a period not exceeding seven years.

Question 92 Land Revenue

The Land Revenue Rules were framed in:

- A. 1967
- B. 1988
- C. 1911
- D. 1973

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer taught (The Land Revenue Rules are the Punjab Land Revenue Rules, 1968 - and 1968 is not among the options (1967, 1988, 1911, 1973), so no option is correct and the question is excluded, not reconstructed.)

A. 1967 is the year of the Land Revenue Act, not the Rules.

B. 1988 is not the year the Land Revenue Rules were framed.

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D. 1973 is not the year the Land Revenue Rules were framed.

Question 93 Land Revenue

'A person liable for an arrear of land revenue has been homed by ‘Land Revenue Act' as:

- A. Accused
- B. Absconder
- C. Culprit
- D. Defaulter ✓ **Correct answer**

A. A person liable for an arrear of land revenue is not called an accused.

B. A person liable for an arrear of land revenue is not called an absconder.

C. A person liable for an arrear of land revenue is not called a culprit.

D. Correct: a person liable for an arrear of land revenue is called a defaulter under the Land Revenue Act.

Question 94 Land Revenue

The ‘Land Revenue Act' is comprised of how many sections?

- A. 179
- B. 184 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 107
- D. 100

A. The Land Revenue Act is not comprised of 179 sections.

B. Correct: the Land Revenue Act is comprised of 184 sections.

C. The Land Revenue Act is not comprised of 107 sections.

Revenue Act is not comprised of 100 sections.

Question 95 Land Revenue

A charge upon or claim against land arisingout of a private grant or contract is termed as:

- A. Encumbrance ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Limitation
- C. Check
- D. None of them

A. Correct: a charge upon or claim against land arising out of a private grant or contract is termed an encumbrance.

B. It is not termed a limitation.

C. It is not termed a check.

D. One of the given options names it, so 'None of them' is wrong.

Question 96 Land Revenue

Which chapter of ‘Land Revenue Act' deals with the assessment of land revenue?

- A. VI
- B. VII ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. VIII
- D. X

A. Chapter VI does not deal with the assessment of land revenue.

B. Correct: Chapter VII of the Land Revenue Act deals with the assessment of land revenue.

C. Chapter VIII does not deal with the assessment of land revenue.

does not deal with the assessment of land revenue.

Question 97 Land Revenue

Within how many days, a land-owner may present a petition to the Revenue Officer for a reconsideration of the amount, form or conditions of the assessment of revenue?

- A. 7 days
- B. 15 days
- C. 30 days ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 60 days

A. A land-owner may not present the petition within only 7 days.

B. A land-owner may not present the petition within only 15 days.

C. Correct: a land-owner may present a petition to the Revenue Officer for reconsideration of an assessment within 30 days.

D. A land-owner may not present the petition within 60 days.

Question 98 Land Revenue

On which of the following reasons; a Lambardar cannot be dismissed?

- A. Seriously embarrassed by debt
- B. Involved in criminal activities
- C. property dispute with family members ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. incapacitated due to old age

A. A Lambardar can be dismissed for being seriously embarrassed by debt.

B. A Lambardar can be dismissed for involvement in criminal activities.

C. Correct: a Lambardar cannot be dismissed merely for a property dispute with family members.

dar can be dismissed for incapacity due to old age.

Question 99 Land Revenue

Which section of 'Land Revenue Act' deals with preparation of computerized records?

- A. 41 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 70
- C. 130
- D. 19

A. Correct: section 41 of the Land Revenue Act deals with the preparation of computerized records.

B. Section 70 does not deal with computerized records.

C. Section 130 does not deal with computerized records.

D. Section 19 does not deal with computerized records.

Question 100 Land Revenue

Which document out of the following is not part of Periodical Record'?

- A. Shajra Kishhvar of field map
- B. Shajra Nasab or genealogical table ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. list of habitual defaulters
- D. Jamabandi

A. The Shajra Kishtwar (field map) is part of the periodical record.

B. Correct: the Shajra Nasab (genealogical table) is part of the record of rights, not of the periodical record.

C. The list of habitual defaulters is part of the periodical record.

D. The Jamabandi is itself the periodical record.

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