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Question 1 General Knowledge

Who invented Telephone?

- A. Thomas Edison
- B. Nikola Tesla
- C. Alexander Graham Bell ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

vented the phonograph and the practical light bulb, not the telephone.

B. Tesla worked on alternating current and radio, not the telephone.

C. Correct: Bell patented the telephone in 1876.

D. Wrong: Bell is among the options.

Question 2 Computer Science

1 byte is equal to _____?

- A. 4 bits
- B. 8 bits ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 12 bits
- D. None of these

A. Four bits is a nibble, not a byte.

B. Correct: one byte is eight bits.

C. Twelve bits is not a byte.

D. Wrong: 8 bits is among the options.

Question 3 English Vocabulary

The Synonym of Cogent is?

- A. Compelling
- B. Convincing
- C. Rouse
- D. Both A and B ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Compelling is a synonym of cogent, but it is only one of two.

B. Convincing is a synonym of cogent, but it is only one of two.

ans to wake or stir up, not cogent.

D. Correct: cogent means forceful and convincing, so both A and B are synonyms.

Question 4 Islamiat

Which companion of Prophet (PBUH) was awarded with the title of Saifullah (Sword of Allah)?

- A. Hazrat Umar R.A
- B. Hazrat Ali R.A
- C. Khalid bin Waleed R.A ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Umar (RA) was titled Al-Farooq, not Saifullah.

B. Ali (RA) was titled Asadullah (Lion of Allah), not Saifullah.

C. Correct: Khalid ibn al-Walid (RA) was given the title Saifullah after the Battle of Mu'tah.

D. Wrong: Khalid bin Waleed is among the options.

Question 5 Pakistan Studies

When State Bank of Pakistan (SBP) was inaugurated?

- A. 1st July 1947
- B. 1st August 1947
- C. 1st July 1948 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 1st August 1948

A. Pakistan did not exist on 1 July 1947.

B. The State Bank was not inaugurated in August 1947.

C. Correct: the State Bank of Pakistan was inaugurated by Quaid-e-Azam on 1 July 1948.

uration was a month earlier, on 1 July 1948.

Question 6 Pakistan Studies

Rohtas Fort near Jehlum built by _____?

- A. Akbar
- B. Sher Shah Suri ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Shah Jahan
- D. Baber

A. Akbar built many forts, but not Rohtas.

B. Correct: Sher Shah Suri built Rohtas Fort in the 1540s to guard against the Gakkhars.

C. Shah Jahan built the Red Fort at Delhi, not Rohtas.

D. Babur founded the Mughal Empire but did not build Rohtas Fort.

Question 7 Pakistan Studies

Quaid-e-Azam resigns/left from Indian National Congress in which year?

- A. 1925
- B. 1922
- C. 1920 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 1913

A. Jinnah had left Congress five years earlier.

B. Jinnah had left Congress two years earlier.

C. Correct: Jinnah resigned from Congress at the Nagpur session in December 1920, over the Non-Cooperation Movement.

D. 1913 is the year Jinnah joined the Muslim League, not the year he left Congress.

8 Economics

GDP stands for _____?

- A. Global Petroleum Corporation
- B. Global Demand for Production
- C. Gross Domestic Product ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. No such standard abbreviation exists.

B. Not the expansion of GDP.

C. Correct: GDP is the total value of goods and services produced in a country.

D. Wrong: the correct expansion is among the options.

Question 9 Pakistan Studies

In which District of Punjab Kallar Kahar Lake is situated?

- A. Mianwali
- B. Sargodha
- C. Chakwal ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Jhelum

A. Mianwali is a different district, west of the Salt Range.

B. Sargodha is a different district, south of the Salt Range.

C. Correct: Kallar Kahar Lake is in Chakwal District, in the Salt Range.

D. Jhelum District borders Chakwal but the lake is in Chakwal.

Question 10 Science

Study of earth is known as _____?

ology

- B. Biology
- C. Ethology
- D. Geology ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Ecology is the study of living things and their environment.

B. Biology is the study of life.

C. Ethology is the study of animal behaviour.

D. Correct: geology is the study of the Earth (Greek ge, earth).

Question 11 Pakistan Studies

Who was the last Governor General of Pakistan?

- A. Iskander Mirza ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Liaqiat Ali khan
- C. Khawaja nizam u din
- D. Muhammad ali

A. Correct: Iskander Mirza was the last Governor General (1955–1956) and became the first President.

B. Liaquat Ali Khan was the first Prime Minister, never Governor General.

C. Khawaja Nazimuddin was the second Governor General, not the last.

D. Chaudhry Muhammad Ali was Prime Minister, never Governor General.

Question 12 Islamiat

Which is the second month of Islamic Calendar?

- A. Rabi-ul-Awwal
- B. Rajab

ar ✓ **Correct answer**

- D. None of these

A. Rabi-ul-Awwal is the third month.

B. Rajab is the seventh month.

C. Correct: the Islamic months run Muharram, Safar, Rabi-ul-Awwal, and so on.

D. Wrong: Safar is among the options.

Question 13 English Vocabulary

Antonym: Most motorcyclists are very careful, and drive SLOW.

- A. Prompt
- B. Fast
- C. Fastly
- D. Both A and B ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Prompt means quick and without delay, an opposite of slow, but it is only one of two.

B. Fast means moving quickly, an opposite of slow, but it is only one of two.

C. 'Fastly' is not a standard English word.

D. Correct: both prompt and fast convey quickness, the opposite of slow.

Question 14 General Knowledge

The biggest/largest Islamic country by area is _____?

- A. Sudan
- B. Libya
- C. Kazakhstan ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Egypt

arge (about 1.9 million sq km) but smaller than Kazakhstan.

B. Libya is about 1.76 million sq km, smaller than Kazakhstan.

C. Correct: Kazakhstan, about 2.7 million sq km, is the largest Muslim-majority country by area.

D. Egypt is about 1 million sq km, smaller than Kazakhstan.

Question 15 General Knowledge

Qantas is an airline of which country?

- A. Saudi Arabia
- B. Australia ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. UAE
- D. Malaysia

A. Saudi Arabia's airline is Saudia.

B. Correct: Qantas is the flag carrier of Australia.

C. The UAE's airlines are Emirates and Etihad.

D. Malaysia's airline is Malaysia Airlines.

Question 16 General Knowledge

Mesopotamia was the old name of?

- A. Turkey
- B. Azerbaijan
- C. Iraq ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Afganistan

A. Turkey was Anatolia and Asia Minor, not Mesopotamia.

n was never called Mesopotamia.

C. Correct: Mesopotamia, the land between the Tigris and Euphrates, is modern Iraq.

D. Afghanistan was Bactria and Khorasan, not Mesopotamia.

Question 17 Economics

White goods are?

- A. Cosmetic Good
- B. Durable Consumption Goods ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Basic Raw Materials
- D. None of these

A. Cosmetics are not white goods.

B. Correct: white goods are large household appliances (fridges, washing machines), durable consumer goods.

C. Raw materials are inputs to production, not white goods.

D. Wrong: the correct description is among the options.

Question 18 General Knowledge

Which country is the largest producer of wool in the world?

- A. Australia ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Brazil
- C. Pakistan
- D. India

A. Correct: Australia is the world's largest producer of wool.

B. Brazil is a major producer of coffee and sugar, not the largest wool producer.

D. India produces wool but far less than Australia.

Question 19 Pakistan Studies

Which flower is the National flower of Pakistan?

- A. Rose
- B. Sunflower
- C. Lilly
- D. Jasmine ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The rose is the national flower of several countries, but not Pakistan.

B. The sunflower is the national flower of Ukraine, not Pakistan.

C. The lily is not Pakistan's national flower.

D. Correct: the jasmine (chambeli) is the national flower of Pakistan.

Question 20 Pakistan Studies

How many districts are there in Punjab?

- A. 40
- B. 45
- C. 42
- D. 41

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer taught (Punjab had 36 districts in 2015; 36 is not among the options, and the printed key D (41) is wrong. No answer is asserted.)

A. Wrong: Punjab did not have 40 districts in 2015.

B. Wrong: Punjab did not have 45 districts in 2015.

Punjab did not have 42 districts in 2015.

D. Wrong: Punjab had 36 districts in 2015 (the number later rose with new districts), so 41 is not the 2015 figure.

Question 21 General Knowledge

Where is the headquarters of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) located?

- A. Vienna, Austria ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Kathmandu, Nepal
- C. Islamabad, Pakistan
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the IAEA is headquartered at the Vienna International Centre.

B. Kathmandu hosts SAARC's secretariat, not the IAEA.

C. Islamabad hosts no IAEA headquarters.

D. Wrong: Vienna is among the options.

Question 22 General Knowledge

The headquarter of Asian Development Bank is located in?

- A. Manilia ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Tokyo
- C. Jakarta
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the Asian Development Bank is headquartered in Manila, Philippines (filed as printed, 'Manilia').

B. Tokyo hosts the ADB Institute, not the headquarters.

C. Jakarta hosts ASEAN's secretariat, not the ADB.

anna is among the options.

Question 23 Pakistan Studies

Financial (Fiscal) Year of Pakistan starts from?

- A. 1 July through 30 June ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1 June through 30 July
- C. 1 August through 30 September
- D. None of these

A. Correct: Pakistan's fiscal year runs from 1 July to 30 June.

B. Not Pakistan's fiscal year.

C. Not Pakistan's fiscal year.

D. Wrong: the correct period is among the options.

Question 24 Pakistan Studies

Through which pas, Karakorum highway (Shahrah-e-Resham) connects Pakistan with China?

- A. Khunjerab Pass ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Khyber Pass
- C. Tochi Pass
- D. Gomal Pass

A. Correct: the Karakoram Highway crosses into China at the Khunjerab Pass (4,693 m).

B. The Khyber Pass connects Pakistan with Afghanistan, not China.

C. The Tochi Pass is in Waziristan, not on the China border.

D. The Gomal Pass connects Pakistan with Afghanistan, not China.

25 Urdu Literature

مرزا غالب کب پیدا ہوئے؟

- A. 1897
- B. 1697
- C. 1797 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Ghalib had died 28 years earlier, in 1869.

B. A century too early; Ghalib was born in 1797.

C. Correct: Mirza Ghalib was born in Agra on 27 December 1797.

D. Wrong: 1797 is among the options.

Question 26 Urdu Literature

ابوالکلام آزاد کس معروف اخبار کے بانی اور مدیر تھے؟

A. زمیندار

B. انقلاب

Correct answer ✓ C. الہلال

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Zamindar was edited by Maulana Zafar Ali Khan, not Abul Kalam Azad.

B. Inqilab was not Azad's newspaper.

C. Correct: Abul Kalam Azad founded and edited the Urdu weekly Al-Hilal (1912).

D. Wrong: Al-Hilal is among the options.

27 Pakistan Studies

Blind Dolphins are found in _____ river in Pakistan.

- A. Jhelum
- B. Indus ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Ravi
- D. None of these

A. The blind dolphin is not found in the Jhelum.

B. Correct: the Indus river dolphin, a blind freshwater dolphin, lives in the Indus.

C. The blind dolphin is not found in the Ravi.

D. Wrong: the Indus is among the options.

Question 28 General Knowledge

Who was the first and last woman ruler of India (Delhi)?

- A. Chand BiBi
- B. Maryam Noor
- C. Mumtaz Mahal
- D. Razia Sultana ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Chand Bibi defended Ahmadnagar; she never ruled Delhi.

B. No such ruler of Delhi exists.

C. Mumtaz Mahal was Shah Jahan's wife; she never ruled.

D. Correct: Razia Sultana (1236–1240) was the first and only woman to rule the Delhi Sultanate.

IMF stands for _____?

- A. Iraq Monetary Fund
- B. Indonesia Monetary Fund
- C. Iran Monetary Fund
- D. International Monetary Fund ✓ **Correct answer**

A. No such body exists.

B. No such body exists.

C. No such body exists.

D. Correct: the IMF was founded at Bretton Woods in 1944.

Question 30 Science

Oncology is the Study of _____?

- A. Onions
- B. Origins
- C. Diseases
- D. Cancer ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Onions are a vegetable; the word only sounds like oncology.

B. The study of origins is aetiology or cosmogony, not oncology.

C. The study of disease in general is pathology, not oncology.

D. Correct: oncology is the study and treatment of cancer (Greek onkos, tumour).

Question 31 Computer Science

Which of the following is an example of hardcopy output device? Speaker, Printer,

- A. Keyboard
- B. Printer ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Mouse
- D. None of the above

A. A keyboard is an input device, not an output device.

B. Correct: a printer produces hard copy (paper output).

C. A mouse is an input device, not an output device.

D. Wrong: the printer is among the options.

Question 32 Mathematics

The graph of 2x - 4y + 8 = 0 crosses the x-axis at?

- A. -8
- B. +4
- C. +8
- D. -4 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Setting y = 0 gives 2x + 8 = 0, not x = -8.

B. Setting y = 0 gives x = -4, not +4.

C. Setting y = 0 gives x = -4, not +8.

D. Correct: on the x-axis y = 0, so 2x + 8 = 0 and x = -4.

Question 33 Pakistan Studies

Nehru report was preparedic in the chairmanship of

- A. Motilal Nehru ✓ **Correct answer**

- C. Jawahar lal Nehru
- D. None

A. Correct: the Nehru Report (1928) was prepared by a committee chaired by Motilal Nehru.

B. Gandhi did not chair the Nehru Report committee.

C. Jawaharlal Nehru was a member of the committee, not its chairman.

D. Wrong: Motilal Nehru is among the options.

Question 34 Urdu Literature

بابائے اردو کس شخصیت کو کہا جاتا ہے؟

A. احمد ندیم قاسمی

B. غلام عباس

Correct answer ✓ C. مولوی عبدالحق

D. ان میں سے کوئی بھی نہیں

A. Ahmad Nadeem Qasmi was a leading writer, not Baba-e-Urdu.

B. Ghulam Abbas was a short-story writer, not Baba-e-Urdu.

C. Correct: Maulvi Abdul Haq is called Baba-e-Urdu (Father of Urdu).

D. Wrong: Abdul Haq is among the options.

Question 35 General Knowledge

Economic Cooperation Organization (ECO) established in _____?

- A. 1985 ✓ **Correct answer**

- C. 1988
- D. 1999

A. Correct: the RCD (Pakistan, Iran, Turkey) was renamed the ECO in 1985.

B. The ECO was not established in 1987.

C. The ECO was not established in 1988.

D. The ECO was not established in 1999.

Question 36 General Knowledge

The Greenwich is located near which country?

- A. London ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Switzerland
- C. Belgium
- D. None

A. Correct in the paper's sense: Greenwich is in London, England (the stem asks after a country but the filed answer is the city, London).

B. Greenwich is not in Switzerland.

C. Greenwich is not in Belgium.

D. Wrong: the intended answer is among the options.

Question 37 Pakistan Studies

One Unit was established in West Pakistan in _____?

- A. September 20, 1955
- B. September 10, 1955
- C. September 01, 1955

tember 30, 1955 ✓ Correct answer

A. The One Unit bill was not passed on 20 September 1955.

B. The One Unit bill was not passed on 10 September 1955.

C. The One Unit bill was not passed on 1 September 1955.

D. Correct: the One Unit bill was passed on 30 September 1955 (effective 14 October 1955), merging West Pakistan's provinces into one unit.

Question 38 Pakistan Studies

The first Prime Minister of Pakistan was:

- A. Quaid e Azam
- B. Allama Iqbal
- C. Liaqat Ali Khan
- D. Fatima Jinnah

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer taught (The source prints a fifth option, E. Skindar Mirza, a real distractor, so the item cannot be reduced to the paper's 4-option form without choosing which distractor to drop. No answer is asserted.)

A. Jinnah was Governor General, not the first Prime Minister.

B. Iqbal was a poet-philosopher, never Prime Minister.

C. Liaquat Ali Khan was in fact the first Prime Minister (1947–1951), but the item as printed has five options and cannot be filed as a 4-option MCQ.

D. Fatima Jinnah never held the office of Prime Minister.

39 General Knowledge

What is the capital of Saudi Arabia?

- A. Riyadh ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Jaddah
- C. Makkah
- D. Tabook

A. Correct: Riyadh is the capital of Saudi Arabia.

B. Jeddah is a port city, not the capital.

C. Makkah is the holy city, not the capital.

D. Tabuk is a city in the north-west, not the capital.

Question 40 General Knowledge

Which city hosted the 2012 Summer Olympics?

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

A. New York has never hosted the Summer Olympics.

B. Paris hosted in 1900 and 1924, and again in 2024, but not in 2012.

C. Correct: London hosted the 2012 Summer Olympics.

D. Islamabad has never hosted the Olympics.

Question 41 Urdu Literature

مسجد قرطبہ کس کی نظم ہے؟

swer ✓ علامہ اقبال .A•

حالی .B•

غالب .C•

ان میں سے کوئی نہیں .D•

A. Correct: 'Masjid-e-Qurtuba' is Iqbal's famous poem on the Cordoba Mosque, written in 1933.

B. Hali wrote the Musaddas, not Masjid-e-Qurtuba.

C. Ghalib died in 1869, long before this poem.

D. Wrong: Iqbal is among the options.

Question 42 Mathematics

Ali ran around a 1/4 kilometer jogging track 17 times. How many kilometers did he run?

- A. 4 1/2 km
- B. 4 1/4 km ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 4 3/4km
- D. None of these

A. 17 quarters is 4 and 1/4, not 4 and 1/2.

B. Correct: 17 × 1/4 = 17/4 = 4 1/4 km.

C. 17 quarters is 4 and 1/4, not 4 and 3/4.

D. Wrong: 4 1/4 km is among the options.

Question 43 General Knowledge

Who is Albert Einstein?

- A. Physicists ✓ **Correct answer**

hematician

- C. Philosopher
- D. All of these

A. Correct: Einstein is known first and foremost as a physicist (filed as printed, 'Physicists').

B. Einstein used mathematics deeply, but he is not classified as a mathematician.

C. Einstein wrote on philosophy of science, but he is not classified as a philosopher.

D. Wrong: the paper's filed answer is physicist, his primary identity.

Question 44 Sports

Who was the first Captain of Pakistan Cricket Team?

- A. Wazir Ali
- B. Abdul Hafeez Kardar ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Hanif Muhammad
- D. Fazl Mehmood

A. Wazir Ali played in Pakistan's first Test but did not captain it.

B. Correct: Kardar captained Pakistan in its first Test match, against India at Delhi in 1952.

C. Hanif Muhammad captained Pakistan later, not first.

D. Fazal Mahmood was a great fast bowler, not the first captain.

Question 45 Science

Lack of _____ causes diabetes.

- A. Sugar
- B. Insulin ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Calcium
- D. Vitamins

gar in the blood is a symptom of diabetes, not its cause.

B. Correct: diabetes is caused by lack of insulin (or the body's failure to use it).

C. Lack of calcium causes weak bones, not diabetes.

D. Lack of vitamins causes deficiency diseases, not diabetes.

Question 46 English Vocabulary

The Antonym of Clean is?

- A. Washed
- B. Cleaned
- C. Dirty ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Unsoiled

A. Washed means cleaned, a synonym of clean.

B. Cleaned is a synonym of clean.

C. Correct: dirty is the opposite of clean.

D. Unsoiled means clean, a synonym.

Question 47 Islamiat

?_____ was born in the month of ﷺ The Holy Prophet

- A. Rabi us Sani
- B. Rabi ul Awwal ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Ramzan
- D. None of these

A. Rabi-us-Sani is the fourth month, not the month of the Prophet's birth.

B. Correct: the Prophet (PBUH) was born on 12 Rabi-ul-Awwal, 571 CE.

the ninth month, the month of fasting.

D. Wrong: Rabi-ul-Awwal is among the options.

Question 48 English Vocabulary

The Synonym of PERPETUAL is?

- A. Garrulous
- B. Never ending
- C. Everlasting
- D. Both B and C ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Garrulous means talkative, not perpetual.

B. Never ending is a synonym of perpetual, but it is only one of two.

C. Everlasting is a synonym of perpetual, but it is only one of two.

D. Correct: perpetual means never ending and everlasting.

Question 49 English Spelling

Choose the correctly spelt word? Committee, Comittee, Commitee, Comitee.

- A. Commettee
- B. Commitee
- C. Committe
- D. Committee ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong spelling: the double 'm' comes before the double 't'.

B. Wrong spelling: it lacks the second 't'.

C. Wrong spelling: it lacks the final 'e'.

D. Correct: C-O-M-M-I-T-T-E-E is the correct spelling.

50 Science

How many bones are found in the human skull in total?

- A. 20
- B. 21
- C. 22 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 23

A. The skull has more than 20 bones.

B. The skull has one more than 21 bones.

C. Correct: the human skull has 22 bones (8 cranial + 14 facial).

D. The skull has one fewer than 23 bones.

Question 51 Science

Dialysis is a medical treatment used for _____?

- A. Respiratory Failure
- B. Nervous Failure
- C. Renal Failure ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Liver Failure

A. Respiratory failure is treated with ventilation, not dialysis.

B. There is no such treatment as dialysis for the nervous system.

C. Correct: dialysis cleans the blood when the kidneys (renal system) fail.

D. Liver failure is treated by transplant or support, not dialysis.

Question 52 Science

Fear of lightning and thunder is known as _____?

aphobia

- B. Trypanophobia
- C. Astraphobia ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Glossophobia

A. Aquaphobia is fear of water.

B. Trypanophobia is fear of needles.

C. Correct: astraphobia is fear of thunder and lightning (Greek astrape, lightning).

D. Glossophobia is fear of public speaking.

Question 53 Pakistan Studies

Rachna doab is between _____?

- A. Chenab and Jhelum
- B. Indus and chenab
- C. Sutlj and ravi
- D. Ravi and Chenab ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The land between the Chenab and the Jhelum is the Chaj doab.

B. No doab of that name lies between the Indus and the Chenab.

C. The land between the Sutlej and the Ravi is the Bari doab.

D. Correct: the Rachna doab lies between the Ravi and the Chenab.

Question 54 Pakistan Studies

The Mangla dam is a multipurpose dam on the river Jhelum in the _____?

- A. Mirpur District, AJ&K ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Haripur District, Pakistan
- C. Muzaffarabad District, AJ&K

A. Correct: Mangla Dam stands on the Jhelum at Mirpur in Azad Jammu and Kashmir.

B. Haripur is in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, on the Haro, not the Mangla site.

C. Muzaffarabad is the capital of AJ&K, but the dam is at Mirpur.

D. Wrong: Mirpur District is among the options.

Question 55 English Vocabulary

The Antonym of INTENTIONAL is?

- A. Accidental ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Deliberate
- C. Coincidental
- D. Quick

A. Correct: accidental means happening by chance, the opposite of intentional.

B. Deliberate is a synonym of intentional.

C. Coincidental means happening by coincidence, close to accidental, but 'accidental' is the direct antonym of intentional.

D. Quick has nothing to do with intention.

Question 56 General Knowledge

What is the capital of Morocco?

- A. Paris
- B. Istanbul
- C. Rabat ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Delhi

e capital of France.

B. Istanbul is a city in Turkey, not a capital.

C. Correct: Rabat is the capital of Morocco.

D. Delhi is the capital of India.

Question 57 General Knowledge

Margalla Hills, a hill range, is a part of which mountain range?

- A. Karakoram
- B. Himalayas ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Toba Kakkar
- D. Suleman range

A. The Karakoram lies far to the north, in Gilgit-Baltistan.

B. Correct: the Margalla Hills are part of the Himalayan foothills, north of Islamabad.

C. The Toba Kakar range is in Balochistan.

D. The Sulaiman range runs along the Balochistan–Punjab border, not at Islamabad.

Question 58 Pakistan Studies

Which day Pakistani celebrate on 5th February?

- A. Quaid-e-Azam Day
- B. Kashmir Solidarity Day ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Union Parishad Polls
- D. Defense Day

A. Quaid-e-Azam Day is 25 December.

B. Correct: 5 February is observed as Kashmir Solidarity Day in Pakistan.

ishad polls are a Bangladesh matter, not a Pakistani day.

D. Defence Day is 6 September.

Question 59 Science

1 metric ton is equal to ___?

- A. 100 Kilograms
- B. 500 Kilograms
- C. 1000 Kilograms ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 10000 Kilograms

A. 100 kg is one quintal, not a metric ton.

B. 500 kg is half a metric ton.

C. Correct: one metric ton (tonne) is 1,000 kg.

D. 10,000 kg is ten metric tons.

Question 60 General Knowledge

ITAR-TASS is the news agency of which country?

- A. Russia
- B. China
- C. Ukraine
- D. Romania

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer taught (The source prints a fifth option, E. Taiwan, a real distractor, so the item cannot be reduced to the paper's 4-option form without choosing which distractor to drop. No answer is asserted.)

A. ITAR-TASS is in fact the Russian news agency, but the item as printed has five options

be filed as a 4-option MCQ.

B. China's news agency is Xinhua.

C. Ukraine's news agency is Ukrinform.

D. Romania's news agency is Agerpres.

Question 61 General Knowledge

Who was the Secretary-General of United Nation at the time of invasion of Iraq in 2003?

- A. Ban Ki-moon
- B. Kofi Annan ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Boutros
- D. Antonio Guterres

A. Ban Ki-moon became Secretary-General in 2007, after the invasion.

B. Correct: Kofi Annan was Secretary-General (1997–2006) when Iraq was invaded in March 2003.

C. Boutros Boutros-Ghali was Secretary-General until 1996, before the invasion.

D. Guterres became Secretary-General in 2017, long after the invasion.

Question 62 Islamiat

Hazrat Umar R.A embraced Islam, influenced by which Surah of Holy Quran?

- A. Surah Fateh
- B. Surah Yaseen
- C. Surah Taha ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Surah Almaedah

A. Surah Al-Fath is not the surah Umar heard before embracing Islam.

in is not the surah Umar heard.

C. Correct: Umar (RA) heard verses of Surah Taha being recited at his sister's house and embraced Islam.

D. Surah Al-Ma'idah is not the surah Umar heard.

Question 63 Urdu Literature

یادوں کی بارات کس نے لکھی ہے؟

Correct answer ✓ A. جوش ملیح آبادی

B. علامہ اقبال

C. مرزاعالب

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Correct: 'Yaadon ki Baraat' is the autobiography of Josh Malihabadi.

B. Iqbal wrote no autobiography of this name.

C. Ghalib wrote no autobiography of this name.

D. Wrong: Josh Malihabadi is among the options.

Question 64 Pakistan Studies

Who was the ruler of Kashmir at the time of partition?

- A. Gureet Singh
- B. Gulab Singh
- C. Hari Singh ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Ranjeet Singh

A. No such ruler of Kashmir exists.

gh founded the Dogra state in 1846, a century before partition.

C. Correct: Maharaja Hari Singh ruled Jammu and Kashmir in 1947.

D. Ranjit Singh ruled the Punjab, not Kashmir in 1947.

Question 65 General Knowledge

Which is the national game of Japan?

- A. Judo
- B. Cricket
- C. Football
- D. Hockey

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer taught (The source prints a fifth option, E. Badminton, a real distractor, so the item cannot be reduced to the paper's 4-option form without choosing which distractor to drop. No answer is asserted.)

A. Judo is in fact the national game of Japan in the textbooks, but the item as printed has five options and cannot be filed as a 4-option MCQ.

B. Cricket is the national game of no country in this list; it is popular in England and the subcontinent.

C. Football is the national game of many countries, but not Japan.

D. Hockey is the national game of Pakistan and India, not Japan.

Question 66 Islamiat

Hazrat Amina mother of Muhammad (PBUH) was buried in _____?

- A. Makkah
- B. Madina

- D. None of these

A. Amina (RA) did not die in Makkah.

B. Amina (RA) did not die in Madinah.

C. Correct: Amina bint Wahb died at Abwa, on the road between Makkah and Madinah, when the Prophet (PBUH) was six.

D. Wrong: Abwa is among the options.

Question 67 Islamiat

At what occasion all the six kalimahs are recited by the Muslims?

- A. Birth
- B. Nikah ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Death
- D. Migration

A. The Adhan is given at birth, not the six kalimas.

B. Correct: in the Pakistani tradition the six kalimas are recited at the Nikah ceremony.

C. At death the Kalima Tayyaba is recited, not all six kalimas.

D. No kalima recitation is tied to migration.

Question 68 General Knowledge

Boundary between India and China is called _____?

- A. McMahon Line ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 17th Parallel line
- C. Curzon Une
- D. Green Line

The McMahon Line (1914) is the boundary between India and China in the east.

B. The 17th parallel divided North and South Vietnam, not India and China.

C. The Curzon Line was the Poland–Russia frontier, not India–China.

D. The Green Line divides Cyprus, not India and China.

Question 69 Pakistan Studies

The Objective Resolution was passed on March 12th _____?

- A. 1951
- B. 1956
- C. 1949 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. The Objectives Resolution was passed two years earlier.

B. 1956 is the year of the first Constitution, not the Resolution.

C. Correct: the Objectives Resolution was passed by the Constituent Assembly on 12 March 1949.

D. Wrong: 1949 is among the options.

Question 70 General Knowledge

Wimbledon (London) is famous for?

- A. Beauty Contest
- B. Cricket
- C. Tennis Tournament ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Football

A. Wimbledon is not a beauty contest.

olayed at Lord's, not Wimbledon.

C. Correct: Wimbledon hosts the famous grass-court tennis championship.

D. Football is played at Wembley, not Wimbledon.

Question 71 Commerce

A Voucher is a ?

- A. Dispatch Receipt
- B. Receipt issued to a customer for cash
- C. Invoice received from suppliers
- D. Document is support of an entry made in books of accounts ✓ **Correct answer**

A. A dispatch receipt proves goods were sent, not a voucher.

B. That is a cash receipt, not a voucher.

C. An invoice is a bill, not a voucher.

D. Correct: a voucher is the documentary evidence supporting an entry in the books of accounts. (The source key says A; the key is wrong and is corrected here.)

Question 72 General Knowledge

"Justice delayed is justice denied" was stated by _____?

- A. Shakespeare
- B. Disraeli
- C. Emerson
- D. Gladstone ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Shakespeare wrote no such line.

B. Disraeli is not the author of this saying.

s not the author of this saying.

D. Correct: the saying is attributed to William Ewart Gladstone, British Prime Minister.

Question 73 Psychology

The ability to think in novel an unusual ways is called?

- A. Positive Thinking
- B. Problem Solving
- C. Intelligence
- D. Creativity ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Positive thinking is an optimistic outlook, not novel thinking.

B. Problem solving is finding answers, not necessarily novel thinking.

C. Intelligence is general mental ability, not specifically novel thinking.

D. Correct: creativity is the ability to think in novel and unusual ways.

Question 74 Urdu Literature

وہ کون سے شاعر تھے جو 1911 میں پاک سیالکوٹ میں پیدا ہوئے اور لاہور میں وفات پائی ؟

A. احمد ندیم قاسمی

Correct answer ✓ B. فیض احمد فیض

C. صوفی تبسم

D. قتیل شفائی

A. Ahmad Nadeem Qasmi was born in 1916 in Anga, not 1911 in Sialkot.

B. Correct: Faiz Ahmad Faiz was born in Sialkot in 1911 and died in Lahore in 1984.

C. Sufi Tabassum was born in 1899 in Amritsar, not 1911 in Sialkot.

ifal was born in 1919 in Haripur, not 1911 in Sialkot.

Question 75 Urdu Literature

مصنفین کے نام لکھیں خاک اور خون کشف مجب آب حیات

- A. see the answer in the detail

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer taught (The stem is a garbled Urdu fragment mixing several book titles, and the sole option reads 'see the answer in the detail'; the item is unrecoverable. No answer is asserted.)

A. No answer is given: the option is a pointer to a detail section that does not exist in the source, so the item cannot be marked.

Question 76 Computer Science

The function of microprocessor in computer?

- A. arithmetic and logic operations
- B. provides temporary memory storage
- C. regulates all elements of the computer system
- D. All of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The microprocessor does arithmetic and logic, but that is only one of its functions.

B. The microprocessor's registers provide temporary storage, but that is only one of its functions.

C. The microprocessor controls the system, but that is only one of its functions.

D. Correct: the microprocessor performs arithmetic and logic, holds data temporarily in registers, and controls the computer system.

77 Pakistan Studies

Who was the head of Pakistan?

- A. president ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. governor
- C. prime minister
- D. none

A. Correct: the President is the head of state of Pakistan (the Prime Minister heads the government).

B. A governor heads a province, not the country.

C. The Prime Minister is the head of government, not the head of state.

D. Wrong: the President is among the options.

Question 78 English Vocabulary

Choose the opposite meaning of PROUD:

- A. arrogant
- B. regard
- C. sensible
- D. humble ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Arrogant is a synonym of proud.

B. Regard means respect, not the opposite of proud.

C. Sensible means reasonable, not the opposite of proud.

D. Correct: humble means modest, the opposite of proud.

79 Pakistan Studies

Feroz Khan Noon Airport is the new name of which airport?

- A. Benazir Bhutto International Airport
- B. Quaid-e-Azam international airport
- C. Gwadar International Airport
- D. None of these

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer taught (Anachronistic: no airport was called Feroz Khan Noon Airport in 2015; the renaming of Gwadar airport was only a National Assembly resolution on 1 August 2023. No listed option was correct at the exam date. No answer is asserted.)

A. Islamabad's airport was never renamed after Feroz Khan Noon.

B. Karachi's airport was never renamed after Feroz Khan Noon.

C. Gwadar airport was only proposed for renaming in 2023, eight years after this exam.

D. The item is excluded as anachronistic rather than filed under 'none of these', because the question itself could not have had an answer in 2015.

Question 80 English Spelling

Select the correct spelt word. Alliviete, Aleviate, Alliviate, Alleviate

- A. Alliviete
- B. Aleviate
- C. Alliviate
- D. Alleviate ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong spelling: the second syllable is 'lev', not 'liv', and the ending is 'ate'.

B. Wrong spelling: it lacks the double 'l'.

C. Wrong spelling: the second syllable is 'lev', not 'liv'.

-L-E-E-V-I-A-T-E is the correct spelling.

Question 81 Islamiat

In what surah the first verse in the Holy Quran revealed?

- A. Al-Muddaththir
- B. Al-Muzzammil
- C. Al-Fatiha
- D. Al-Alaq ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Al-Muddaththir was revealed early, but after Al-Alaq.

B. Al-Muzzammil was revealed early, but after Al-Alaq.

C. Al-Fatiha is the opening surah of the Quran, but not the first revealed.

D. Correct: the first five verses of Surah Al-Alaq ('Iqra bismi rabbik') were the first revelation.

Question 82 English Grammar

Identify the correct sentence: his silence tantamount to refusal, his silence is tantamount to refusal, his silence is tantmouting to refusal, his silence tantamounted to resusal

- A. his silence tantamount to refusal
- B. his silence is tantamount to refusal ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. his silence is tantmouting to refusal
- D. his silence tantamounted to resusal

A. Wrong: 'tantamount' is an adjective and needs the verb 'is'.

B. Correct: 'is tantamount to' means 'is equivalent to'.

C. Wrong: 'tantmouting' is not a word.

D. Wrong: 'tantamounted' is not a word, and 'resusal' is misspelt.

83 Islamiat

Zun-Noorain is the title of Hazrat Usman (RA). Zun-Noorain means:

- A. Compiler of Quran
- B. Possessor of Two Trees
- C. Possessor of Two Lights ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Usman (RA) did commission the standard compilation, but that is not what Zun-Noorain means.

B. No such meaning: 'noor' is light, not trees.

C. Correct: Usman (RA) married two daughters of the Prophet (PBUH), Ruqayya and Umm Kulthum, so he is the Possessor of Two Lights.

D. Wrong: the correct meaning is among the options.

Question 84 English Vocabulary

A person who is unable to pay his debts is called?

- A. Bale
- B. Brood
- C. Caucus
- D. Insolvent ✓ **Correct answer**

A. A bale is a bundle of goods, not a debtor.

B. A brood is a family of young animals, not a debtor.

C. A caucus is a political meeting, not a debtor.

D. Correct: an insolvent person cannot pay his debts.

85 Islamiat

The first Kalima consists of how many dots _____?

- A. 2
- B. 1
- C. Zero ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 3

A. The first Kalima has no dotted letters.

B. The first Kalima has no dotted letters.

C. Correct: the first Kalima (Tayyaba) — 'La ilaha illallah Muhammadur Rasulullah' — contains no dotted Arabic letters.

D. The first Kalima has no dotted letters.

Question 86 English Vocabulary

Economise synonym

- A. Save ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. impress
- C. spendthrift
- D. None

A. Correct: to economise is to save, to spend carefully.

B. Impress means to make an impression, not to economise.

C. A spendthrift wastes money, the opposite of economising.

D. Wrong: 'save' is among the options.

87 Urdu Literature

آخری آدمی کس کا ناول ھے؟

- A. انتظار حسین ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. نزیر احمد
- C. سر سید
- D. محمد ھنیف

A. Correct: 'Aakhri Aadmi' is a novel by Intizar Hussain.

B. Deputy Nazir Ahmad wrote 'Mirat-ul-Uroos', not this novel.

C. Sir Syed wrote essays and histories, not this novel.

D. Mohammed Hanif wrote 'A Case of Exploding Mangoes', not this novel.

Question 88 English Grammar

He heard train___ coming.

- A. Is
- B. were
- C. will
- D. was ✓ **Correct answer**

A. 'Is' is present tense; the sentence is in the past ('heard').

B. 'Were' is plural; 'train' is singular.

C. 'Will' is future tense; the sentence is in the past.

D. Correct: 'He heard the train was coming' uses the past tense to match 'heard'.

89 Computer Science

Which one is an INPUT device? Floppy Disk Mouse Monitor Speakers

- A. Floppy Disk
- B. Mouse ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Monitor
- D. Speakers

A. A floppy disk is a storage medium, not an input device.

B. Correct: a mouse is an input device.

C. A monitor is an output device.

D. Speakers are output devices.

Question 90 English Grammar

Are you coming to ____ Party

- A. A
- B. An
- C. The ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Towards

A. 'A party' would be indefinite; the sentence refers to a particular party.

B. 'An' is used before vowel sounds; 'party' begins with a consonant.

C. Correct: 'Are you coming to the party?' refers to a definite party.

D. 'Towards' is a preposition, not an article.

Question 91 English Vocabulary

Synonym of rescind

- B. cancel
- C. repeal
- D. All ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Revoke is a synonym of rescind, but it is only one of three.

B. Cancel is a synonym of rescind, but it is only one of three.

C. Repeal is a synonym of rescind, but it is only one of three.

D. Correct: to rescind is to revoke, cancel or repeal.

Question 92 Science

Arteries become hard due to the deposition of ----in them.

- A. cholesterol
- B. fats
- C. both A and B ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. none of them

A. Cholesterol does deposit in arteries, but it is only one of two.

B. Fats do deposit in arteries, but they are only one of two.

C. Correct: arteries harden (atherosclerosis) from deposits of cholesterol and fats.

D. Wrong: both cholesterol and fats deposit in arteries.

Question 93 Pakistan Studies

The last Kalhoro ruler of Sindh was:

- A. Janni Baig
- B. Mian Ali Wardi Khan
- C. Ghulam Shah Kalhoro ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Jani Baig was a Tarkhan ruler of Sindh, not a Kalhoro.

B. Mian Ali Wardi is not recorded as a Kalhoro ruler.

C. Correct: Ghulam Shah Kalhoro (ruled 1757–1772) was the last Kalhoro ruler of Sindh.

D. Mian Sarfaraz Khan was a Kalhoro, but not the last ruler.

Question 94 English Vocabulary

Antonym of word is talent

- A. Ungrateful
- B. Silent
- C. Show
- D. Inability ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Ungrateful means not thankful, not the opposite of talent.

B. Silent means quiet, not the opposite of talent.

C. Show means to display, not the opposite of talent.

D. Correct: inability (lack of ability) is the opposite of talent.

Question 95 Pakistan Studies

In Pakistan the sale of cigarettes is prohibited under the age of

- A. 18 years ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 12 years
- C. 14 years
- D. None

A. Correct: the sale of cigarettes to persons under 18 is prohibited in Pakistan.

bition age is not 12.

C. The prohibition age is not 14.

D. Wrong: 18 years is among the options.

Question 96 English Spelling

Choose the word wrongly spelt

- A. Embezzlement
- B. Enervate
- C. Effigy
- D. Euganic ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Correctly spelt: E-M-B-E-Z-Z-L-E-M-E-N-T.

B. Correctly spelt: E-N-E-R-V-A-T-E.

C. Correctly spelt: E-F-F-I-G-Y.

D. Correct: wrongly spelt; the word is 'eugenic' (E-U-G-E-N-I-C), relating to eugenics.

Question 97 Pakistan Studies

زمیندار اخبار کے آخری ایڈیٹر کانام بتائیے

Correct answer ✓ A. اختر علی خان

B. منشی سجاد حسین

C. مولانا ظفر علی خان

D. الطاف حسین حالی

A. Correct: Akhtar Ali Khan, son of Zafar Ali Khan, was the last editor of Zamindar.

B. Munshi Sajjad Hussain was an early editor, not the last.

han founded and long edited Zamindar, but his son succeeded him as last editor.

D. Altaf Hussain Hali was a poet and writer, not an editor of Zamindar.

Question 98 General Knowledge

Gulf cooperation council was originally formed by_____?

- A. Bahrain, Kuwait,
- B. Oman, Qatar
- C. Saudi Arabia, UAE
- D. All of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Bahrain and Kuwait were founding members, but only two of six.

B. Oman and Qatar were founding members, but only two of six.

C. Saudi Arabia and the UAE were founding members, but only two of six.

D. Correct: the Gulf Cooperation Council was founded in 1981 by all six: Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia and the UAE.

Question 99 English Vocabulary

Synonym of. Entice is:

- A. Draw
- B. Lure ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Repulse
- D. None of the above

A. Draw can mean to attract, but 'lure' is the closer synonym of entice.

B. Correct: to entice is to lure, to tempt with a bait.

C. Repulse means to drive away, the opposite of entice.

ıre" is among the options.

Question 100

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