Canal Patwari (BS-11), Punjab Irrigation Department, on contract basis for 3 years — 2023 · 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 2023 sitting.

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Question 1 General Knowledge

Warsak dam is situated on river:

- A. Indus
- B. swat
- C. Kabul ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: the Indus carries Tarbela and Diamer-Bhasha, not Warsak.

B. Wrong: the Swat river carries the Munda (Mohmand) dam, not Warsak.

C. Correct: Warsak Dam stands on the Kabul River, about 30 km north-west of Peshawar.

D. Wrong: the Chenab carries Marala, Khanki and Trimmu — not Warsak.

Question 2 Computer Science

Which of the following you can paste selectively using Paste Special Command:

- A. Validation
- B. Format
- C. Formulas
- D. All of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. True but partial: data validation can be pasted selectively — but it is not the whole answer.

B. True but partial: formatting alone can be pasted selectively — but it is not the whole answer.

C. True but partial: formulas alone can be pasted selectively — but it is not the whole answer.

D. Correct: Paste Special lets you paste validation, formats and formulas each on their own, so all three are right.

Question 3 Computer Science

Which one is not a Function in MS Excel:

- A. SUM
- B. AVG ✓ **Correct answer**

- D. MIN

A. Wrong: SUM is a real Excel function (adds a range).

B. Correct: Excel has no AVG function — the average function is AVERAGE, so AVG is the odd one out.

C. Wrong: MAX is a real Excel function (largest value).

D. Wrong: MIN is a real Excel function (smallest value).

Question 4 Computer Science

What are inserted as cross-reference in Word:

- A. Bookmarks
- B. Objects
- C. Placeholders
- D. Word fields ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: a bookmark is a marked place a cross-reference can POINT to — it is not what is inserted.

B. Wrong: objects (pictures, charts) are embedded items, not cross-references.

C. Wrong: placeholders hold space for content; they are not cross-references.

D. Correct: a cross-reference is inserted as a field (a REF field) that updates with the target.

Question 5 Computer Science

Which function is use to display the current date and time in a cell:

- A. Today
- B. Now ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Day

A. Wrong: TODAY() returns the current date only, without the time.

B. Correct: NOW() returns the current date AND time together.

C. Wrong: DAY() extracts the day number from a date; it does not show the current date and time.

D. Wrong: there is no CURRENT function in Excel.

Question 6 Computer Science

By defauld, MS-Word automatically saves any document after every:

- A. 5 mins
- B. 10 Mins ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 15 Mins
- D. 30 Mins

A. Wrong: 5 minutes is a setting you can choose, not the default.

B. Correct: Word's AutoRecover saves by default every 10 minutes.

C. Wrong: 15 minutes is a setting you can choose, not the default.

D. Wrong: 30 minutes is far longer than the default interval.

Question 7 Computer Science

Which of the following is used to capitalize the start word of paragrah:

- A. Enter
- B. Drop Cap ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Ctrl
- D. Tab

nter starts a new paragraph, it does not capitalise anything.

B. Correct: a drop cap makes the first letter of a paragraph large and capitalised, as in books and magazines.

C. Wrong: Ctrl is a modifier key, not a capitalising feature.

D. Wrong: Tab indents the line; it does not capitalise the first word.

Question 8 Computer Science

RJ45 UTP cable has _____cables.

- A. 2 pair
- B. 3 pair
- C. 4 pair ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 5 pair

A. Wrong: two pairs are used by older telephone wiring, not by an RJ45 UTP cable.

B. Wrong: no standard UTP cable has three pairs.

C. Correct: a standard RJ45 UTP cable has four twisted pairs (eight wires).

D. Wrong: five pairs is not a UTP standard.

Question 9 Computer Science

Advance dialogue box is same as

- A. Open
- B. Find
- C. Search ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Replace

A. Wrong: the Open dialog opens files; it is not the Advanced Find dialog.

the single answer: the Advanced Find dialog IS a Find dialog, but the keyed answer is Search, and Find and Search name the same action here.

C. Correct as the intended bank answer: the 'Advanced Find' dialog is Word's search dialog, so Search is what it does.

D. Wrong: Replace is the companion dialog for substituting text, not for finding it. **Pick-one reason:** the stem is vague — 'Advanced Find' is the Find dialog, so B and C both describe it. Decided for C as the printed key and the word the bank uses for the dialog's purpose, with the overlap recorded openly.

Question 10 Computer Science

Which sign is used in the formula to use absolute reference:

- A. @
- B. #
- C. $ ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. *

A. Wrong: @ is the implicit-intersection operator in modern Excel, not the absolute-reference sign.

B. Wrong: # marks error values and spilled ranges, not absolute references.

C. Correct: $ locks a row or column, as in A1 — the absolute-reference sign.

D. Wrong: * is the multiplication operator, not a reference lock.

Question 11 Computer Science

How to insert row in a table quickly in MS Word:

- A. Press Enter
- B. Press Tab ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Press Shift

ne of these

A. Wrong: Enter inside a cell adds a new paragraph inside that cell, not a new row.

B. Correct: pressing Tab in the last cell of a table adds a new row at once.

C. Wrong: Shift alone inserts nothing.

D. Wrong: Tab does the job, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 12 Computer Science

What displays the content of the active cell in Excel?

- A. Name Box
- B. Row headings
- C. Formula bar ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Taskpane

A. Wrong: the Name Box shows the ADDRESS of the active cell, not its content.

B. Wrong: row headings number the rows; they show no cell content.

C. Correct: the Formula bar displays the content (or formula) of the active cell.

D. Wrong: the task pane hosts tools and options, not the active cell's content.

Question 13 Computer Science

Which shortcut key is used to change the font in MS Word

- A. Ctrl+Shift+F ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Alt+Shift+F
- C. Ctrl+F
- D. None of these

A. Correct: Ctrl+Shift+F opens the Font dialog, where the font is changed.

t+Shift+F is not the font shortcut.

C. Wrong: Ctrl+F opens Find, not the Font dialog.

D. Wrong: Ctrl+Shift+F does the job, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 14 Computer Science

What is the storage capacity of a standeard floppy disk:

- A. 1.22 MB
- B. 1.44 MB ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 1.66 MB
- D. 1.88 MB

A. Wrong: 1.22 MB is not a standard floppy capacity.

B. Correct: the standard 3.5-inch high-density floppy holds 1.44 MB.

C. Wrong: 1.66 MB is not a standard floppy capacity.

D. Wrong: 1.88 MB is not a standard floppy capacity.

Question 15 Computer Science

Which type of computers are used in small organization for specific tasks:

- A. Minicomputer ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Microcomputer
- C. Mainframe Computer
- D. None of these

A. Correct as the intended bank answer: the bank's taxonomy assigns mid-range, task-specific machines to minicomputers.

B. Wrong as the single answer: microcomputers (PCs) are the usual small-organisation machines, but the bank keys this item to A.

mainframes serve very large organisations, not small ones.

D. Wrong: the bank intends a named class, so 'None of these' is wrong. **Pick-one reason:** the stem is loose — by modern usage a microcomputer (PC) is the small-organisation machine. Decided for A as the printed key and the bank's intended taxonomy, with the ambiguity recorded openly.

Question 16 Computer Science

The word wrap feature_____.

- A. Automatically moves text to the next line when necessary ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Appears at the bottom of the document
- C. Allows you to type over text
- D. Is the short horizontal line indicating the end of lhe document

A. Correct: word wrap moves text to the next line automatically at the right margin.

B. Wrong: that describes the end mark or status area, not word wrap.

C. Wrong: typing over text is overtype (Insert key), not word wrap.

D. Wrong: the short line at the end is the end-of-document mark, not word wrap.

Question 17 Computer Science

Page Down Keyboard Key is used in Microsoft Word to:

- A. Moves the cursor one line down
- B. Moves the cursor one page down
- C. Moves the cursor one screen down ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Moves the cursor one paragrapgh down

A. Wrong: one line down is the Down Arrow key.

B. Wrong: Page Down moves about one screen, not a whole printed page.

age Down scrolls the view by roughly one screen.

D. Wrong: moving by paragraph is Ctrl+Down Arrow, not Page Down.

Question 18 Computer Science

Which shortcut key is used for print preview:

- A. CTRL+F1
- B. CTRL+F2 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. CTRL+F3
- D. CTRL+F4

A. Wrong: Ctrl+F1 shows or hides the ribbon.

B. Correct: Ctrl+F2 opens Print Preview.

C. Wrong: Ctrl+F3 is not Print Preview.

D. Wrong: Ctrl+F4 closes the current document window.

Question 19 Computer Science

Which toolbar is used to open a MS Word file:

- A. Formula bar
- B. Taskbar
- C. Standard toolbar
- D. Menu Bar ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: the Formula bar belongs to Excel and shows cell contents; it opens no file.

B. Wrong: the Windows Taskbar switches programs; it does not open a Word file.

C. Wrong as the single answer: the Standard toolbar does carry an Open button, but the bank keys this item to D.

s the intended bank answer: File > Open on the Menu Bar is the classic route to open a file. **Pick-one reason:** the stem is vague — the Standard toolbar's Open button also opens files. Decided for D as the printed key and the bank's intended route, with the overlap recorded openly.

Question 20 Computer Science

What is the shortcut key for '' Clear All Formating'' the selected text:

- A. CTRL+Spacebar ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. CTRL+Delete
- C. CTRL+Enter
- D. Shift+F3

A. Correct: Ctrl+Spacebar clears direct character formatting from the selection.

B. Wrong: Ctrl+Delete deletes the word after the cursor.

C. Wrong: Ctrl+Enter inserts a page break.

D. Wrong: Shift+F3 changes the case of the selected text.

Question 21 Computer Science

Turn ON/OFF power button is typically located at:

- A. Front of the device ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Back of the device
- C. Top of the device
- D. side of the device

A. Correct: the power button is placed on the front panel of a computer, monitor or other device so the user can reach it.

B. Wrong: the back carries ports and the mains socket, not the power button; the printed key B is wrong and is corrected here openly.

e top is not the usual place for a power button (a few laptops excepted).

D. Wrong: the side is not the usual place for a power button (a few phones and laptops excepted). **Correction:** the printed key says B (Back of the device). Power buttons are put where the user can reach them — the front — so A is the answer.

Question 22 Computer Science

Ctrl+Space is commonly used to open

- A. Format menu
- B. Start Menu
- C. Taskbar
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: Ctrl+Space does not open the Format menu; the printed key A is wrong and is corrected here openly.

B. Wrong: the Start Menu opens with the Windows key, not Ctrl+Space.

C. Wrong: the Taskbar is not opened by Ctrl+Space.

D. Correct: Ctrl+Spacebar clears character formatting in Word — it opens none of A, B or C. **Correction:** the printed key says A (Format menu). Ctrl+Space opens no menu at all, so D is the answer.

Question 23 Computer Science

Is Ms Word, what is added to the right of paragraph:

- A. Comment ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Note
- C. Header
- D. None of these

A. Correct: a comment is added in the right margin beside the paragraph it refers to.

footnote or endnote sits at the bottom of the page or document, not to the right of a paragraph.

C. Wrong: a header sits at the top of the page, not to the right of a paragraph.

D. Wrong: a comment is added to the right, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 24 Computer Science

Is Ms Word 2016 to exted a selection to one line up, press _____ key from the keyboard?

- A. Alt+Up Arrow
- B. Shift +Up Arrow ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Ctlr+ Up Arrow
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: Alt+Up Arrow does not extend a selection by a line.

B. Correct: Shift+Up Arrow extends the selection one line up.

C. Wrong: Ctrl+Up Arrow moves the cursor to the previous paragraph; it does not extend the selection.

D. Wrong: Shift+Up Arrow does the job, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 25 Computer Science

In MS-Word to highlight text , line or any particular informative paragraph , we use:

- A. Shade ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Background
- C. Font effects
- D. None of these

A. Correct as the intended bank answer: shading colours the background of a paragraph, which is how the bank means 'highlighting' a paragraph.

...ge background is the whole page's colour, not a way to mark one paragraph.

C. Wrong: font effects change the letters themselves (shadow, outline), not the background behind them.

D. Wrong: the bank intends a named mechanism, so 'None of these' is wrong. **Pick-one reason:** strictly, Word's Text Highlight tool highlights text and Shading colours a paragraph — the stem mixes the two. Decided for A as the printed key and the paragraph-level mechanism the stem describes, with the overlap recorded openly.

Question 26 Computer Science

The smallest unit of information about a record In a database is called a:

- A. Cell
- B. Field ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Bit
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: a cell is a single box in a spreadsheet, not the unit of a database record.

B. Correct: a field is one piece of information about a record (one column, such as 'Name').

C. Wrong: a bit is the smallest unit of data overall, but the question asks about a record — that unit is the field.

D. Wrong: the field is the named unit, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 27 Computer Science

A computer cannot boot If it doos not have_____

- A. Operating system ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Mouse
- C. Keyboard
- D. Assembler

ooting loads the operating system; without one there is nothing to run.

B. Wrong: a computer boots perfectly well with no mouse attached.

C. Wrong: a computer boots perfectly well with no keyboard attached.

D. Wrong: an assembler translates assembly language; it is not needed to boot.

Question 28 Computer Science

Which of the following is input device:

- A. Keyboard ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Printer
- C. Speaker
- D. None of these

A. Correct: a keyboard sends data INTO the computer, so it is an input device.

B. Wrong: a printer takes data OUT of the computer, so it is an output device.

C. Wrong: a speaker takes sound OUT of the computer, so it is an output device.

D. Wrong: the keyboard is an input device, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 29 Computer Science

Which of following is not an element of computer spreadsheet interface:

- A. Pencil work ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. active cell
- C. Menu bar
- D. Workbook

A. Correct: 'pencil work' is not a part of a spreadsheet interface at all.

B. Wrong: the active cell is a real element — the cell currently selected.

e menu bar is a real element of the spreadsheet window.

D. Wrong: the workbook is the file itself — a real element of the spreadsheet.

Question 30 Computer Science

In MS-Excel to open an existing workbook, you can click the open button on the _____toolbar.

- A. Drawing
- B. Formating
- C. Data
- D. Standard ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: the Drawing toolbar holds shapes and lines, not the Open button.

B. Wrong: the Formatting toolbar holds fonts and alignment, not the Open button.

C. Wrong: the Data menu holds sorting and filtering, not the Open button.

D. Correct: the Open button sits on the Standard toolbar.

Question 31 Computer Science

In Microsoft Word, Superscript, subscript, strikethrough is known as:

- A. Font Format
- B. Font Effect ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Format style
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: 'font format' is not the name of this group; the group is called Font Effects.

B. Correct: superscript, subscript and strikethrough are listed under Font Effects in the Font dialog.

C. Wrong: a style is a saved set of formatting, not this group of options.

ont Effect is the right name, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 32 Computer Science

Operating system, editors, and debuggers comes under?

- A. Application software
- B. System software ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Utilities
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: application software serves the user (word processors, browsers); operating systems do not.

B. Correct: the operating system, editors and debuggers run and support the computer itself — system software.

C. Wrong: utilities are small helper programs; the operating system is the core system software, not a utility.

D. Wrong: system software is the right class, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 33 Computer Science

CTRL+B is used for:

- A. Cut
- B. Bold ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Paste
- D. Redo

A. Wrong: Cut is Ctrl+X, not Ctrl+B.

B. Correct: Ctrl+B makes the selected text bold.

C. Wrong: Paste is Ctrl+V, not Ctrl+B.

edo is Ctrl+Y, not Ctrl+B.

Question 34 Computer Science

In MS Word, which shortcut key is used for Redo:

- A. CTRL+Z
- B. CTRL+Y ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. CTRL+W
- D. CTRL+O

A. Wrong: Ctrl+Z is Undo, the opposite of Redo.

B. Correct: Ctrl+Y redoes the last undone action.

C. Wrong: Ctrl+W closes the current document.

D. Wrong: Ctrl+O opens a document.

Question 35 Computer Science

What components are found in the CPU:

- A. CU and ALU ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. RAM and ROM
- C. ALU unit
- D. All of these

A. Correct: the CPU is made of the Control Unit and the Arithmetic Logic Unit (plus registers and cache).

B. Wrong: RAM and ROM are memory chips outside the CPU, not components of it.

C. True but partial: the ALU is one CPU component, but the full answer is CU and ALU together.

D. Wrong: 'All of these' would include RAM and ROM, which are not inside the CPU; the

D is wrong and is corrected here openly. **Correction:** the printed key says D (All of these). RAM and ROM are separate memory, not CPU components, so A is the answer.

Question 36 Computer Science

What is gutter margin:

- A. Margin that is added to the left margin when printing
- B. Margin that is added to right marginwhen printing
- C. Margin that is added to the binding side of page when printing ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Margin that is added to the outside of the page when printing

A. Wrong: the gutter is added on the binding side, which is the left only on odd pages.

B. Wrong: the gutter is not a right-margin addition.

C. Correct: the gutter is extra space on the binding side so text is not lost in the binding.

D. Wrong: the outside margin is the opposite of the binding side.

Question 37 Computer Science

In Ms Word, which key is used for spelling check:

- A. F4
- B. F5
- C. F6
- D. F7 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: F4 repeats the last action in Word.

B. Wrong: F5 opens the Go To dialog.

C. Wrong: F6 moves between panes of the Word window.

7 runs the spelling and grammar check.

Question 38 Computer Science

What is the theme in the connect of computer application:

- A. Change the overall color and font ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Change the overall color
- C. Change the overall text
- D. None of these

A. Correct: a theme sets the whole look — colours, fonts and effects together.

B. True but partial: a theme changes colours, but also fonts and effects.

C. Wrong: a theme never changes the text itself.

D. Wrong: a theme does change colour and font, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 39 Computer Science

In MS word the name of default paper size is:

- A. Letter ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Legal
- C. Statement
- D. A4

A. Correct as the printed key: Word's default paper size in a US-locale install is Letter (8.5 × 11 in).

B. Wrong: Legal (8.5 × 14 in) is a size you can choose, not the default.

C. Wrong: Statement (5.5 × 8.5 in) is a size you can choose, not the default.

D. Wrong as the single answer: A4 is the default in UK-locale installs, but the bank keys this item to Letter. **Note:** the default depends on the Word install's locale — letter in

tails, A4 in UK-locale installs — so this answer rests on the printed key and the US-locale convention.

Question 40 Computer Science

The default name of the newly created MS Word file is:

- A. Document1 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Text1
- C. New1
- D. File 1

A. Correct: a new blank Word document is named Document1 until it is saved.

B. Wrong: Text1 is not a Word default name.

C. Wrong: New1 is not a Word default name.

D. Wrong: File 1 is not a Word default name.

Question 41 Computer Science

Desktop computer usually refers to:

- A. Microcomputer ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Macrocomputer
- C. Mainframe computer
- D. None of these

A. Correct: a desktop computer is a microcomputer — a small computer built around a microprocessor.

B. Wrong: there is no 'macrocomputer' class.

C. Wrong: a mainframe is a room-sized computer, not a desktop.

D. Wrong: the microcomputer is the right class, so 'None of these' is wrong.

42 Computer Science

Formulas in Excel start with

- A. = ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. %
- C. +
- D. !

A. Correct: every Excel formula begins with the equals sign.

B. Wrong: % is the percent operator inside a formula, not its start.

C. Wrong: + can begin a formula in old Lotus-style entry, but Excel's standard start is =.

D. Wrong: ! separates a sheet name from a cell reference; it does not start a formula.

Question 43 Computer Science

whereas a computer mouse moves over the table surface., the trackball is:

- A. Stationary ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Dragged
- C. Difficult to move
- D. Moved in small steps

A. Correct: a trackball stays in one place while the user rolls its ball with a finger.

B. Wrong: the trackball itself is not dragged across the table.

C. Wrong: the ball rolls freely; 'difficult to move' describes nothing about a trackball.

D. Wrong: the trackball does not move in steps; it stays put.

Question 44 Computer Science

Which of the following is a way to access secondary memory?

domAccess Memory ✓ **Correct answer**

- B. Action method
- C. Transfer method
- D. Density method

A. Correct as the intended bank answer: 'random access' is the access method — data is reached directly by address rather than in sequence.

B. Wrong: there is no 'action method' of accessing memory.

C. Wrong: transfer describes moving data, not the way memory is accessed.

D. Wrong: density describes how tightly data is packed, not how it is accessed. **Pick-one reason:** the option's wording is a misnomer — RAM is primary memory, not a way to access secondary memory — but 'random access' is the only access method among the options. Decided for A as the printed key, with the misnomer recorded openly.

Question 45 Computer Science

____ and _____ are the smallest and largest font size available in Font Size tool on formatting toolbar in MS-Office.

- A. 8 & 72 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 6 & 64
- C. 4 & 28
- D. None of these

A. Correct: Word's font-size dropdown runs from 8 to 72 points.

B. Wrong: 6 and 64 are not the dropdown's limits.

C. Wrong: 4 and 28 are not the dropdown's limits.

D. Wrong: 8 and 72 are the limits, so 'None of these' is wrong.

46 Computer Science

Which of the following menu item is used to create a chart in MS Excel-2016:

- A. Data
- B. lnsert ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Home
- D. Formula

A. Wrong: the Data tab holds sorting, filtering and validation — not chart creation.

B. Correct: charts are created from the Insert tab (spelled 'Insert' in Excel; the reproduction prints 'lnsert').

C. Wrong: the Home tab holds fonts and alignment — not chart creation.

D. Wrong: the Formulas tab holds functions — not chart creation.

Question 47 Computer Science

You cannot close MS Word application by_____.

- A. Choosing File Menu then Exit submenu
- B. From File Menu choose Close submenu ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Click X button on title bar
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: File > Exit does close the application, so it is a way to close it.

B. Correct: File > Close closes the current document only, not the Word application.

C. Wrong: the X button does close the application.

D. Wrong: Close leaves the application running, so 'None of these' is wrong.

48 Computer Science

Which of the following is not anti-virus Software:

- A. NAV
- B. F-Prot
- C. Oracle ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. McAfee

A. Wrong: Norton AntiVirus (NAV) is an antivirus, so it is not the odd one out.

B. Wrong: F-Prot is an antivirus, so it is not the odd one out.

C. Correct: Oracle is a database company, not an antivirus.

D. Wrong: McAfee is an antivirus, so it is not the odd one out.

Question 49 Computer Science

You can auto fit the width of column by:

- A. Double clicking on the column Name on column header
- B. Double click on the Cell pointer in worksheet
- C. Double clicking on column right border n column header ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Double clicking on the column left border of column header

A. Wrong: double-clicking the column letter selects the column; it does not autofit it.

B. Wrong: double-clicking a cell edits it; it does not autofit the column.

C. Correct: double-clicking the right border of a column heading autofits the column to its widest entry.

D. Wrong: the left border does not trigger autofit.

50 Computer Science

CTRL+U is used for:

- A. Underline ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Italic
- C. Bold
- D. None of these

A. Correct: Ctrl+U underlines the selected text.

B. Wrong: Italic is Ctrl+I, not Ctrl+U.

C. Wrong: Bold is Ctrl+B, not Ctrl+U.

D. Wrong: Ctrl+U does underline, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 51 Everyday Science

Which of the following is used in water purification?

- A. Turgor pressure
- B. Osmosis
- C. Reverse Osmosis ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Cytolysis

A. Wrong: turgor pressure is the pressure inside plant cells; it purifies no water.

B. Wrong: osmosis moves water toward the saltier side — the opposite of purification by pressure.

C. Correct: reverse osmosis forces water through a membrane that blocks salts and impurities — the standard purification method.

D. Wrong: cytolysis is a cell bursting from water intake; it purifies no water.

52 Everyday Science

What type of illness is dengue:

- A. Bactoria
- B. Virus ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Fever
- D. Fungl

A. Wrong: dengue is not caused by bacteria.

B. Correct: dengue is a viral illness, caused by the dengue virus carried by Aedes mosquitoes.

C. Wrong: fever is a SYMPTOM of dengue (the illness is often called 'dengue fever'), not the type of the illness; the printed key C is wrong and is corrected here openly.

D. Wrong: dengue is not a fungal illness. **Correction:** the printed key says C (Fever). Fever is what dengue causes, not what dengue is; the illness is viral, so B is the answer.

Question 53 Everyday Science

Wuhan, city of China was on lockdown for how many days during Covid-19:

- A. 36 days
- B. 56 days
- C. 76 days ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 96 days

A. Wrong: 36 days is far shorter than the Wuhan lockdown.

B. Wrong: 56 days is shorter than the Wuhan lockdown.

C. Correct: Wuhan was locked down from 23 January to 8 April 2020 — 76 days.

D. Wrong: 96 days is longer than the Wuhan lockdown.

54 Everyday Science

What is the cause of 90% cases of lungs cancer:

- A. Tobacco Smoking ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Cold Drinks
- C. Water Pollution
- D. None of these

A. Correct: smoking causes about 90% of lung cancer cases.

B. Wrong: cold drinks do not cause lung cancer.

C. Wrong: water pollution causes other diseases, not lung cancer.

D. Wrong: tobacco smoking is the cause, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 55 Everyday Science

A swimmer reduce friction between their body and _____ to streamline their flow.

- A. Water ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Air
- C. Water and air
- D. None of these

A. Correct: a swimmer moves through water, so streamlining cuts friction with the water.

B. Wrong: a swimmer is in the water, not the air.

C. Wrong: the swimmer's body is in the water; the air above it is not the friction that matters.

D. Wrong: water is the medium, so 'None of these' is wrong.

56 Urdu

کتبہ کس کا افسانہ ہے ؟

Correct answer ✓ A. غلام عباس

B. احمد ندیم قاسمی

C. ڈپٹی نذیر احمد

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Correct: 'کتبہ' (Katba) is a famous short story (afsana) by Ghulam Abbas.

B. Wrong: Ahmad Nadeem Qasmi wrote many afsanas, but 'کتبہ' is not his.

C. Wrong: Deputy Nazir Ahmad is known for novels, not for 'کتبہ'.

D. Wrong: Ghulam Abbas is the author, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 57 Urdu

ٹائیں ٹائیں فش سے کیا مراد ہے ؟

Correct answer ✓ A. بے نتیجہ

B. شورشرابہ

C. تنگ کرنا

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Correct: 'ٹائیں ٹائیں فش' means fruitless effort — something that comes to nothing.

B. Wrong: noise (shor-sharaba) is not what the idiom means.

C. Wrong: troubling someone (tang karna) is not what the idiom means.

D. Wrong: 'بے نتیجہ' is the meaning, so 'none of these' is wrong.

58 Urdu

قواعد کی رو سے قائد اعظم کیا ہے ؟

A. لقب

Correct answer ✓ B. خطاب

C. کنیت

D. عرف

A. Wrong: a laqab is a descriptive title (like 'Sher-e-Punjab'); 'Quaid-e-Azam' is a conferred title, a khitab.

B. Correct: 'Quaid-e-Azam' is a khitab — a title conferred on Muhammad Ali Jinnah.

C. Wrong: a kunniyat names a person by their child (like 'Abu Bakr'); 'Quaid-e-Azam' is not one.

D. Wrong: an urf is a nickname people are known by; 'Quaid-e-Azam' is a formal conferred title.

Question 59 Islamiat

مسجود ملائک

- A. Hazrat Adam ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Hazrat Issa
- C. Hazrat Younis
- D. None

A. Correct: 'Masjood-e-Malaik' (the one the angels prostrated to) is Hazrat Adam (A.S.).

B. Wrong: Hazrat Isa (A.S.) was not the one the angels prostrated to.

C. Wrong: Hazrat Yunus (A.S.) was not the one the angels prostrated to.

azrat Adam is the answer, so 'None' is wrong.

Question 60 Urdu

ریختے کے تمہیں استاد نہیں ہو غالب یہ شعر مرزا غالب نے کس کےلیے کہا؟

A. مومن خان مومن

Correct answer ✓ B. میر تقی میر

C. ابن انشاء

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Wrong: Momin Khan Momin was a contemporary poet, but this verse is not addressed to him.

B. Correct: Ghalib's verse 'Rekhte ke tumhein ustad nahin ho Ghalib' is addressed to Mir Taqi Mir, the master of Rekhta.

C. Wrong: Ibn-e-Insha lived much later than Ghalib.

D. Wrong: Mir Taqi Mir is the answer, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 61 Urdu

عوامی شاعر کے لقب سے کس شاعر کو یاد کیا جاتا ہے ؟

A. مولوی عبدالحق

Correct answer ✓ B. نظیر اکبر آبادی

C. مرزا اسدا لله غالب

D. اکبر الہ آبادی

A. Wrong: Maulvi Abdul Haq is 'Baba-e-Urdu', not the 'Awami Shair'.

B. Correct: Nazeer Akbarabadi is remembered as the 'Awami Shair' — the people's poet.

Ghalib is the great classical poet, not the 'Awami Shair'.

D. Wrong: Akbar Allahabadi is the humorous poet of the age, not the 'Awami Shair'.

Question 62 Urdu

خطوط نگاری میں کونسے شاعر مشہور ہیں؟

A. الطاف حسین حالی

B. فرحت اللہ بیگ

Correct answer ✓ C. مرزا غالب

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Wrong: Hali is known for 'Muqaddama-e-Sher-o-Shairi' and 'Hayat-e-Javed', not for letter-writing.

B. Wrong: Farhatullah Baig is known for his prose sketches, not for letters.

C. Correct: Ghalib's letters (Khutoot-e-Ghalib) made him the most famous letter-writer in Urdu.

D. Wrong: Ghalib is the answer, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 63 Urdu

مشہور نظم 'مدجزر اسلام'کس نے لکھی ہے ؟

A. علامہ اقبال

B. سرسید احمد خان

Correct answer ✓ C. الطاف حسین حالی

D. مرزا غالب

A. Wrong: Iqbal wrote 'Shikwa', 'Jawab-e-Shikwa' and 'Bang-e-Dara' — not 'Madd-o-Jazr-e-

B. Wrong: Sir Syed was a reformer and prose writer, not the author of this poem.

C. Correct: 'Madd-o-Jazr-e-Islam' (the ebb and flow of Islam) is Hali's famous long poem (musaddas).

D. Wrong: Ghalib wrote ghazals, not this musaddas.

Question 64 Urdu

انفال کا کیا مطلب ہے ؟

A. سامان

B. مال غنیمت ✓ **Correct answer**

C. نیکی

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Wrong: 'saman' (goods) is not the meaning of Anfal.

B. Correct: 'Anfal' means the spoils of war — the booty taken in battle (Surah Al-Anfal).

C. Wrong: 'neki' (goodness) is not the meaning of Anfal.

D. Wrong: 'مال غنیمت' is the meaning, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 65 English

I left my shoes under the _Kitche_ table. The underlined word is which part of speach

- A. Noun
- B. Adverb
- C. Adjective ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Pronoun

tchen is a noun by itself, but here it modifies 'table', so it works as an adjective.

B. Wrong: an adverb modifies a verb or adjective — 'kitchen' does neither here.

C. Correct: 'kitchen' describes which table it is, so it functions as an adjective (a noun used attributively).

D. Wrong: a pronoun stands in place of a noun — 'kitchen' does not. **Note:** the reproduction shows '_Kitche_' for 'Kitchen' and no underlining is visible; the underlined word is 'Kitchen' from the sentence.

Question 66 English

To cry wolf means:

- A. To listen eagerly
- B. To turn pale
- C. To give false alarm ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. To keep off starvation

A. Wrong: listening eagerly is 'to be all ears', not 'to cry wolf'.

B. Wrong: turning pale means going white with fear, not crying wolf.

C. Correct: 'to cry wolf' means raising a false alarm, from the fable of the boy who cried wolf.

D. Wrong: keeping off starvation has nothing to do with crying wolf.

Question 67 English

In each of the following questions, select the related word from the given alternatives,

Sick: Doctor::?

- A. Car: Mechanic ✓ **Correct answer**

- C. Patient: Hospital
- D. None of these

A. Correct: a sick person goes to a doctor, just as a faulty car goes to a mechanic.

B. Wrong: a broken thing does not go to a customer for repair.

C. Wrong: a patient goes to a hospital, but the hospital is a place, not the person who treats.

D. Wrong: Car:Mechanic is the matching pair, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 68 English

I am good _____snooker?

- A. of
- B. in
- C. about
- D. at ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: 'good of' is not used with a game.

B. Wrong: 'good in snooker' is not idiomatic English.

C. Wrong: 'good about snooker' is not idiomatic English.

D. Correct: the idiom is 'good at' a game or skill — 'good at snooker'.

Question 69 English

The antonym of Deny is:

- A. Acknowledge ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Challenge
- C. Quash

ne of these

A. Correct: to deny is to say something is not true; to acknowledge is to admit it is true — the opposite.

B. Wrong: to challenge is to question something, not the opposite of denying it.

C. Wrong: to quash is to crush or annul (a conviction), not the opposite of denying.

D. Wrong: 'Acknowledge' is the antonym, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 70 English

Change voice: Please take your seat.

- A. You are requested to take your seat ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Please be seated.
- C. Let your seat be taken
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the standard passive of a polite imperative is 'You are requested to...'.

B. Wrong: this is still an active imperative, not a passive.

C. Wrong: this is a passive form but an unnatural one for this sentence; the textbook passive is A.

D. Wrong: A is the textbook passive, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 71 English

Synonym of Tyrant is:

- A. Victim
- B. Suspicious
- C. Dictator ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

victim suffers under a tyrant — the opposite role, not a synonym.

B. Wrong: suspicious means distrustful; it has nothing to do with tyranny.

C. Correct: a tyrant is a cruel, absolute ruler — a dictator.

D. Wrong: 'Dictator' is the synonym, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 72 English

The idiom a hard nut to crack means:

- A. Someone who needs guidance
- B. A difficult person or problem ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Someone who solve puzzles easily
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: needing guidance is not what the idiom means.

B. Correct: 'a hard nut to crack' is a person or problem that is hard to understand or solve.

C. Wrong: that is the opposite — the idiom means difficult, not easy.

D. Wrong: 'a difficult person or problem' is the meaning, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 73 English

Find the appropriate words for: Make _____while the sun shines.

- A. Hay ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Say
- C. Bay
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the proverb is 'Make hay while the sun shines' — use the good time while it lasts.

lake say while the sun shines' is not a proverb.

C. Wrong: 'Make bay while the sun shines' is not a proverb.

D. Wrong: 'Hay' completes the proverb, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 74 English

Call on means:

- A. pay a visit to someone ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. invite someone
- C. Criticize someone
- D. None of these

A. Correct: 'to call on someone' means to visit them.

B. Wrong: inviting is 'to call someone over' or 'to invite', not 'to call on'.

C. Wrong: criticising is 'to call someone out', not 'to call on'.

D. Wrong: 'pay a visit' is the meaning, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 75 Computer Science

In MS-Excel the chart wizard:

- A. Can place a chart on a new chart sheet or on any sheet in the workbook ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Can only place a chart on new chart sheet
- C. Can only place a chart on a new blank worksheet
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the Chart Wizard asks where to put the chart — a new chart sheet or embedded in any worksheet.

B. Wrong: a chart can also be embedded in an existing sheet.

chart can go on a chart sheet or any sheet, not only a new blank worksheet.

D. Wrong: A is right, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 76 Mathematics

If Y<30 , and X:Y=7:5, then the value of X is:

- A. 21
- B. 31
- C. 41
- D. 51

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer asserted (printed key C)

A. Possible but not determined: 21 is X when k = 3 (Y = 15), but k = 1, 2, 4 or 5 give other values.

B. Wrong: 31 is not a multiple of 7, so it cannot be X when X:Y = 7:5.

C. Wrong: 41 is not a multiple of 7, so it cannot be X; the printed key C is wrong.

D. Wrong: 51 is not a multiple of 7, so it cannot be X.

Question 77 Mathematics

Find the next number in the given number series -1,-5,11-19,-35,_____-65,-131,-196,-197

- A. -67,-131 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 154
- C. 65,131
- D. 155

A. Correct as the intended answer: the gaps double — −1, −5, −11, −19, −35, −67, −131

5, −8, −16, −32, −64), so −67 is the next term.

B. Wrong: 154 is positive and far off the doubling-gap pattern.

C. Wrong: the series is negative and decreasing; positive 65 and 131 do not fit.

D. Wrong: 155 is positive and does not fit the pattern. **Pick-one reason:** the series tail as printed ('-65,-131,-196,-197') is garbled — the true continuation after −67 is −131, and the printed tail mixes signs and values. Decided for A on the doubling-differences pattern, with the garbled tail recorded openly.

Question 78 Mathematics

Express 0.286 as a percentage:

- A. 28.6% ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 2.8%
- C. 0.28%
- D. None of these

A. Correct: 0.286 × 100 = 28.6%.

B. Wrong: 2.8% is 0.028, not 0.286.

C. Wrong: 0.28% is 0.0028, not 0.286.

D. Wrong: 28.6% is right, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 79 Mathematics

Solve for X in the equation: X+3/X+4=5/4

- A. -9
- B. -8 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 9
- D. 8

(−9+3)/(−9+4) = (−6)/(−5) = 6/5, not 5/4.

B. Correct: (−8+3)/(−8+4) = (−5)/(−4) = 5/4. Working: 4(X+3) = 5(X+4) gives 4X+12 = 5X+20, so X = −8.

C. Wrong: (9+3)/(9+4) = 12/13, not 5/4.

D. Wrong: (8+3)/(8+4) = 11/12, not 5/4.

Question 80 Islamiat

Among the following prophets, whose nation was awarded with Mano-Salwa?

- A. Hazrat Isa A.S
- B. Harat Musa A.S ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Harat Yaqoob A.S
- D. Harat Haroon A.S

A. Wrong: Mann-o-Salwa was not sent to the nation of Hazrat Isa (A.S.).

B. Correct: Mann (manna) and Salwa (quails) were sent down for the Bani Israel in the time of Hazrat Musa (A.S.).

C. Wrong: Mann-o-Salwa was not sent to the nation of Hazrat Yaqub (A.S.).

D. Wrong: Hazrat Harun (A.S.) was Musa's brother and helper; the Mann-o-Salwa is tied to Musa's nation.

Question 81 Islamiat

الله پاک سورۃ الانفال کی آیت 17 میں ارشاد فرماتے ہیں سو تم نے انہیں قتل نہیں کیا لیکن..... نے ان کو قتل کیا ۔اور آپ نے خاک کی مٹھی نہیں پھینکی بلکہ الله تعالیٰ نے وہ پھینکی اور تاکہ مسلمانوں کو اپنی طرف سے ان کی محنت کا خوب عوض دے بلاشبہ الله تعالیٰ خوب سننے والا خوب جاننے والا ہے۔

Correct answer ✓ الله تعالیٰ .A•

C. جنوں•

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں•

A. Correct: Surah Al-Anfal, verse 17 says 'you did not kill them, but Allah killed them; and you did not throw when you threw, but Allah threw'.

B. Wrong: the verse attributes the killing and the throwing to Allah, not to the angels.

C. Wrong: the verse attributes the killing and the throwing to Allah, not to the jinn.

D. Wrong: 'الله تعالیٰ' completes the verse, so 'none of these' is wrong.

Question 82 Pakistan Studies

Who was the second Governor-General of Pakistan:

- A. Sardar Abdur Rab Nishtar
- B. Liaqat Ali Khan
- C. Khawaja Nazim ud din ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Muhammad Ali Bogra

A. Wrong: Nishtar was a minister and later Governor of Punjab, never Governor-General.

B. Wrong: Liaquat Ali Khan was the first Prime Minister, not Governor-General.

C. Correct: after Jinnah (1947–48), Khawaja Nazimuddin was the second Governor-General (1948–51).

D. Wrong: Muhammad Ali Bogra was Prime Minister (1953–55), not Governor-General.

Question 83 Pakistan Studies

A Senator is elected in Pakistan for how many years:

- A. 04 years

- C. 07 years
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: 4 years is not a Senator's term.

B. Correct: a Senator is elected for six years (half the Senate retires every three years).

C. Wrong: 7 years is not a Senator's term.

D. Wrong: 6 years is the term, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 84 Pakistan Studies

Jinnah-Gandhi talks were held in_____.

- A. 1942
- B. 1943
- C. 1944 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 1945

A. Wrong: 1942 was the year of the Cripps Mission and Quit India, not the Jinnah–Gandhi talks.

B. Wrong: no Jinnah–Gandhi talks were held in 1943.

C. Correct: the Gandhi–Jinnah talks were held in Bombay in September 1944.

D. Wrong: 1945 was the year of the Simla Conference, not the Jinnah–Gandhi talks.

Question 85 Pakistan Studies

When India annexed Junagadh:

- A. January 1946
- B. January 1947
- C. February 1948 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: in January 1946 Junagadh was still a princely state under its Nawab.

B. Wrong: in January 1947 Junagadh was still a princely state under its Nawab.

C. Correct: after the Nawab's accession to Pakistan and India's takeover in November 1947, the plebiscite of February 1948 confirmed Junagadh's accession to India — the bank's date for the annexation.

D. Wrong: by February 1949 Junagadh had long been under Indian administration.

Question 86 Pakistan Studies

Abdul Qadeer Khan Nuclear Research Laboratories was set up in Kahuta in:

- A. 1975
- B. 1976 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 1977
- D. 1978

A. Wrong: the Kahuta project was set up in 1976, not 1975.

B. Correct: the Engineering Research Laboratories (later KRL) were established at Kahuta in 1976 under Dr A. Q. Khan.

C. Wrong: the laboratories were already running by 1977.

D. Wrong: the laboratories were already running by 1978.

Question 87 Pakistan Studies

Th state religion of Pakistan is:

- A. Islam ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Hinduism
- C. Christianity

A. Correct: Article 2 of the 1973 Constitution declares Islam the state religion of Pakistan.

B. Wrong: Hinduism is a minority religion in Pakistan, not the state religion.

C. Wrong: Christianity is a minority religion in Pakistan, not the state religion.

D. Wrong: Islam is the state religion, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 88 Pakistan Studies

Which is the largest district of FATA by population?

- A. Bajaur ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Khurram
- C. Mohmand
- D. None of these

A. Correct: by the 2017 census Bajaur (about 1.09 million) was the most populous of the former FATA districts.

B. Wrong: Kurram (about 0.62 million in 2017) is smaller than Bajaur.

C. Wrong: Mohmand (about 0.47 million in 2017) is smaller than Bajaur.

D. Wrong: Bajaur is the largest, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 89 Pakistan Studies

Which Pakistani Scientist recently designs world's first Eco-friendly aircraft engine:

- A. Zahida Randhawa
- B. Sara Qureshi ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Zara Bilal
- D. Sonia Memon

Anida Randhawa is not the engineer behind the eco-friendly aircraft engine.

B. Correct: Pakistani aerospace engineer Dr Sara Qureshi designed the world's first eco-friendly aircraft engine (a contrail-free engine).

C. Wrong: Zara Bilal is not the engineer behind the eco-friendly aircraft engine.

D. Wrong: Sonia Memon is not the engineer behind the eco-friendly aircraft engine.

Question 90 Pakistan Studies

Indian Independence Act got Royal Assent on:

- A. 14th August 1947
- B. 15th August 1947
- C. 18th July 1947 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: 14 August 1947 is Pakistan's Independence Day, not the Act's assent date.

B. Wrong: 15 August 1947 is India's Independence Day, not the Act's assent date.

C. Correct: the Indian Independence Act received Royal Assent on 18 July 1947.

D. Wrong: 18 July 1947 is the date, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 91 Islamiat

The first Caliph of Umayyad Who became Caliph in Spain:

- A. Abdul Rehman I
- B. Marwan
- C. Abdul Rehman II
- D. Abdul Rehman 3 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: Abdur Rahman I founded Umayyad rule in Spain as Emir (756), but he never took the title of Caliph; the printed key A is wrong and is corrected here openly.

arwan I was an Umayyad caliph in Damascus, not in Spain.

C. Wrong: Abdur Rahman II was an Emir of Cordoba, not a Caliph.

D. Correct: Abdur Rahman III proclaimed himself Caliph of Cordoba in 929 — the first Umayyad Caliph in Spain. **Correction:** the printed key says A (Abdul Rehman I). He was the first Umayyad ruler in Spain, but as Emir, not Caliph; the first to hold the Caliph's title there was Abdur Rahman III, so D is the answer.

Question 92 General Knowledge

The first woman to climb Mount Everest was:

- A. Valentina Tereshkova
- B. Karolina Mikkelson
- C. Junko Taibe ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: Tereshkova was the first woman in space, not the first woman on Everest.

B. Wrong: Karolina Mikkelson is not an Everest climber.

C. Correct: Junko Tabei of Japan was the first woman to climb Mount Everest (16 May 1975).

D. Wrong: Junko Tabei is the answer, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 93 Current Affairs

When the soviet Union invaded Afghanistan?

- A. 1976
- B. 1977
- C. 1978
- D. 1979 ✓ **Correct answer**

e Soviet invasion was in December 1979, not 1976.

B. Wrong: the Soviet invasion was in December 1979, not 1977.

C. Wrong: 1978 was the Saur Revolution in Afghanistan, not the Soviet invasion.

D. Correct: the Soviet Union invaded Afghanistan in December 1979.

Question 94 Pakistan Studies

Pakistan , Iran & Turkey established RCD in _____.

- A. 1956
- B. 1964 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 1978
- D. 1982

A. Wrong: the RCD (Regional Cooperation for Development) was founded in 1964, not 1956.

B. Correct: Pakistan, Iran and Turkey founded the RCD in 1964 (later the ECO).

C. Wrong: the RCD was already running by 1978.

D. Wrong: the RCD was already running by 1982.

Question 95 Pakistan Studies

Who was the Viceroy in India during the Second World War:

- A. Stafford Cripps
- B. Lord Linlithgow ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Lord Irwin
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: Cripps was a British minister who led the 1942 Cripps Mission, never Viceroy.

ord Linlithgow was Viceroy from 1936 to 1943 — through most of the Second World War (Lord Wavell followed in 1943).

C. Wrong: Lord Irwin was Viceroy from 1926 to 1931, before the war.

D. Wrong: Linlithgow held the office for most of the war, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 96 Pakistan Studies

which country accepted Pakistan first:

- A. Iran ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Iraq
- C. China
- D. Indonesia

A. Correct: Iran was the first country to recognise Pakistan, on 14 August 1947 itself.

B. Wrong: Iraq recognised Pakistan later, not first.

C. Wrong: China recognised Pakistan in 1951, years after independence.

D. Wrong: Indonesia recognised Pakistan later, not first.

Question 97 Pakistan Studies

In which year Iraq withdraw from the Baghdad Pact due to military revolution:

- A. 1956
- B. 1957
- C. 1959 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 1989

A. Wrong: the Baghdad Pact was only signed in 1955; Iraq left after the 1958 revolution.

B. Wrong: Iraq was still in the Pact in 1957.

After the 1958 military revolution, Iraq withdrew from the Baghdad Pact in 1959 (the Pact then became CENTO).

D. Wrong: the Pact had long been wound up by 1989.

Question 98 Current Affairs

In which year Lebanese Doha Agreement concluded:

- A. 2007
- B. 2008 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 2009
- D. 2018

A. Wrong: the Doha Agreement was concluded in May 2008, not 2007.

B. Correct: the Doha Agreement, which ended Lebanon's political crisis, was signed in May 2008.

C. Wrong: the Doha Agreement was concluded in May 2008, not 2009.

D. Wrong: the Doha Agreement was concluded in May 2008, not 2018.

Question 99 General Knowledge

The largest country of Africa by Area is:

- A. Syria
- B. Algeria ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Nigeria
- D. Sudan

A. Wrong: Syria is in Asia, not Africa.

B. Correct: Algeria (about 2.38 million sq km) is the largest country in Africa by area.

C. Wrong: Nigeria is Africa's most populous country, but far smaller in area than Algeria.

udan was Africa's largest before South Sudan's independence in 2011; since then Algeria is larger.

Question 100 International Affairs

Which organization established by UK Australia and New Zealand in 1931:

- A. Common Wealth ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. WHO
- C. Transparency International
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the Statute of Westminster 1931 gave the Dominions (including Australia and New Zealand) their standing in the British Commonwealth — the Commonwealth is the body the stem describes.

B. Wrong: the World Health Organization was founded in 1948 by the United Nations, not in 1931 by the UK, Australia and New Zealand.

C. Wrong: Transparency International was founded in 1993, not 1931.

D. Wrong: the Commonwealth is the intended body, so 'None of these' is wrong.

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