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# Excise and Taxation Department Past Paper

- Who has recently been selected as the Coach for Pakistan Cricket Team?
  - **Mickey Arthur**
  - (B) Geoff Lawson
  - (C) Bob Woolmer
  - (D) Dave Whitmore
  
- The second (OIC) Islamic Summit Conference was held in Lahore in \_\_\_\_\_?
  - 1972
  - **(B) 1974**
  - (C) 1975
  - (D) 1976
  
- Hazrat Imam Hussain's (A.S) title was \_\_\_\_\_?
  - **Shabbir**
  - (B) Shabbar
  - (C) Saifullah
  - (D) None of these
  
- What was the name of Hazrat Umar's (R. A) daughter who became the fourth wife of the Holy Prophet (PBUH)?

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- **Hazrat Hafsa (RA)**
  - (8) Hazrat Zainab (R.A)
  - (C) Hazrat Safiya (R.A)
  - (D) Hazrat Maimoona (R.A)
  
- **After the succession of East Pakistan to Bangladesh, General Yahya Khan, CMLA, resigned on \_\_\_\_\_?**
  - 17 Dec. 1971
  - (B) 18 Dec. 1971
  - (C) 19 Dec. 1971
  - (D) 20 Dec 1971**
  
- **According to 1973, Constitution Governor of a Province is appointed by?**
  - **President**
  - (B) Prime Minister
  - (C) Provincial Assembly
  - (D) Chief Minister
  
- **If two angles of a triangle are 60 degrees each the what is the value of the third angle?**
  - 45 degrees
  - (B) 50 degrees
  - (C) 60 degrees**
  - (D) 65 degrees

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- **The uncle of the Prophet Muhammad (PBUH), Hazrat Hamza (R.A) embraced Islam in \_\_\_\_\_?**
  - 4th Nabvi
  - **(B) 5th Nabvi**
  - (C) 6th Nabvi
  - (D) 7th Nabvi
  
- **Following devastating floods, Pakistan, on 24 May 2016, dispatched relief goods and a mobile hospital to which country in South Asia?**
  - Maldives
  - **(B) Sri Lanka**
  - (C) Bangladesh
  - (D) Nepal
  
- **Pakistan has recently applied to become a member of the NSG. What does NSG stand for?**
  - **(A) Nuclear Suppliers Group**
  - (B) Nuclear Support Group
  - (C) Nuclear-Strategic Group
  - (D) Non-Nuclear Suppliers Group
  
- **Who has written the famous national song “Sohni Dharti Allah Rakhe”?**
  - Sufi Tabbasum
  - **(B) Jamil-ud-Din Aali**

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(C) Masroor Anwar

(D) Ahmad Faraz

- **What is the common name for Sodium Chloride?**
  - **Salt**
  - (B) Baking Soda
  - (C) Chalk
  - (D) Vinegar
  
- **What is the Antonym of Virtue?**
  - Variable
  - (B) Fraud
  - (C) Crime
  - (D) Vice**
  
- **Who was the first person to be awarded the Nishan-e-Haider?**
  - Maj. Raja Aziz Bhatti
  - (B) Capt. Raja Muhammad Sarwar**
  - (C) Maj. Shabbir Sharif
  - (D) Pilot Officer Rashid Minhas
  
- **The Urdu-Hindi controversy is said to be the forerunner of the Two Nation Theory. When did this controversy begin?**
  - 1857
  - (B) 1860

(C) 1862

**(D) 1867**

- **Sir Sikandar Hayat became Chief Minister of the Punjab in?**

**(A) 1937**

(B) 1929

(C) 1946

(D) 1935

- **The financial year of Pakistan closes on?**

(A) December 31

(B) March 31

**(C) June 30**

(D) September 30

- **3.The normal temperature of the human body as?**

**(A) 98.6 F**

(B) 96.4 F

(C) 93.4 F

(D) 100 F

- **World Population Day is celebrated on?**

**(A) 11th July**

(B) 11th June

(C) 11th May

(D) None of these

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- **What is the common name for sodium chloride?**
  - (A) Acid
  - (B) Qalmi shora
  - (C) Gandhak
  - (D) Salt**
  
- **How many countries are presently members of the Non-Aligned Movement?**
  - (A) 100
  - (B) 120**
  - (C) 125
  - (D) 150
  
- **Secretary-General UNO Ban-ki Moon belongs to \_\_\_\_\_?**
  - (A) South Korea**
  - (B) North Korea
  - (C) Japan
  - (D) China
  
- **Currently there are \_\_\_\_\_ member states of the United Nations ?**
  - (A) 190
  - (B) 193**
  - (C) 196
  - (D) 197
  
- **Currently \_\_\_\_\_ countries hold the status of Observer States in the United Nations ?**
  - (A) 2**
  - (B) 3

(C) 4

(D) 5

- **There are \_\_\_\_\_ members of SAARC.**

(A) 5

(B) 4

(C) 6

(D) 8

- **\_\_\_\_\_ is the largest Island of Pakistan near Karachi ?**

(A) Kemari

(B) Kalachi

(C) Manora

(D) None of these

- **Pakistan shares its borders with \_\_\_\_\_ neighboring countries?**

(A) 6

(B) 4

(C) 3

(D) 2

- **Biman is the airline of?**

(A) Sri Lanka

(B) Bangladesh

(C) Nepal

(D) None of these

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- \_\_\_\_\_ is the nearest planet to Earth?  
(A) Venus  
(B) Mars  
(C) Jupiter  
(D) None of these
- The distance between the Earth and Sun during winter?  
(A) Increases  
(B) decreases  
(C) remains the same  
(D) fluctuates
- If  $2^x = 32$ , what is  $x^2$ ?  
(A) 22  
(B) 25  
(C) 45  
(D) 35
- $100 + 4/7 = ?$   
(A) 176  
(B) 126  
(C) 226  
(D) 146
- If  $x - 4 = 11$ , then what is the value of  $x - 8$ ?  
(A) 3  
(B) 5



(C) 9

(D) 7

- **What is halfway between 103 and 301?**

(A) 199

(B) 200

(C) 201

(D) 202

- **A box of chocolate bars costs Rs. 32 (inclusive of 10% sales tax). and there are 16 bars in one box. What is the price (excluding 10% sales tax) for one chocolate bar?**

(A) Rs.2

(B) Rs.1.8

(C) Rs.1.50

(D) Rs.1.25

- **Which Pakistani prime minister visited China first?**

(A) Liaqat Ali Khan

(B) Hussain Shaheed Suharwardi

(C) Khawaja Nizamuddin

(D) Muhammad Ali Bogra

- **Mullah Do Piazza was a?**

(A) Religious reformist in Shah Jahan's era

(B) Akbar's chief advisor and one of Navratnas

(C) A mystical character of Taslesm Hosharba

(D) None of these

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- **Pakistan recognized China in which year?**
  - (A) 1948
  - (B) 1949
  - (C) 1950
  - (D) 1951
  
- **What is Tilla Jogian?**
  - (A) Is a peak in Sulman Range
  - (B) Finds mention in epic love poem Heer Ranjha of Waris Shah
  - (C) Is the place where Buddha is said to have spent 40 days in quiet seclusion
  - (D) All of the above
  
- **Which bank provided 80 million loans for making the 1<sup>st</sup> budget of Pakistan?**
  - (A) UBL
  - (B) NB
  - (C) MCB
  - (D) Habib Bank
  
- **Who wrote, “Mingling of two Oceans” (Majma-ul-Bahrain)?**
  - (A) Prince Muhammad Dara Shikoh
  - (B) Mujadid-Alf-Saani
  - (C) Sheikh Sirhindi
  - (D) None of the above
  
- **When the banks were nationalized in Pakistan?**
  - (A) 1971
  - (B) 1972

(C) 1973

(D) 1974

- **Where is Kallar Kahar situated?**

(A) Sialkot

**(B) Chakwal**

(C) Murree

(D) Jehlum

- **'Qantas' is the name of the airline of?**

(A) Russia

**(B) Australia**

(C) Malaysia

(D) Germany

- **Which is the longest river in the world?**

**(A) Nile**

(B) Amazon

(C) Volga

(D) Mississippi

- **Portuguese East Africa is the old name of?**

**(A) Mozambique**

(B) Taiwan

(C) Somalia

(D) None of these

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- **Which is the second largest landlocked country in the world?**
  - (A) **Magnolia**
  - (B) Sudan
  - (C) Switzerland
  - (D) Chad
  
- **Which is the brightest planet in the Solar System?**
  - (A) Jupiter
  - (B) Mercury
  - (C) Uranus
  - (D) **Venus**
  
- **Which is the most abundantly found metal on the Earth's surface?**
  - (A) Aluminium
  - (B) Zinc
  - (C) Iron
  - (D) **Silicon**
  
- **What is the total area of FATA?**
  - (A) 28572 sq km
  - (B) **27,220 sq km**
  - (C) 28225 sq km
  - (D) 28925 sq km
  
- **Name the bird having very weak eyesight?**
  - (A) **Kiwi**
  - (B) Ostrich

(C) Seagull

(D) Peacock

- **Behman and Bismillah Airlines belong to which country?**

(A) Bangladesh

(B) France

(C) Germany

(D) England

- **West Virginia is the name of the airline of \_\_\_\_\_?**

(A) USA

(B) France

(C) Germany

(D) England

- **Siachen, Batoro and Chomolungma glaciers are situated in which Mountain range?**

(A) Himalaya

(B) Karakoram

(C) Hindu Kush

(D) Sulaiman

- **The greatest depth of water surface is about 10,900 metres at the Mariana trench. It is located in the \_\_\_\_\_?**

(A) Atlantic Ocean

(B) Pacific Ocean

(C) Indian Ocean

(D) Antarctica Ocean

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- **What is the name of Rome Airport (Italy)?**
  - (A) Subang
  - (B) Leonardo da Vinci**
  - (C) Dorval
  - (D) None of the Above
  
- **Which is the biggest fresh-water lake in the world?**
  - (A) Chilka Lake
  - (B) Caspian Lake
  - (C) Dal Lake
  - (D) Lake Superior**
  
- **The world's busiest inland waterway is \_\_\_\_\_?**
  - (A) St. Lawrence**
  - (B) Suez
  - (C) Rhine
  - (D) Danube
  
- **Which is the largest animal in the world?**
  - (A) Blue Whale**
  - (B) Rhinoceros
  - (C) Hippopotamus
  - (D) Elephant
  
- **Name the youngest elected president of USA?**
  - (A) Henry Truman
  - (B) John F. Kennedy**

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(C) Andrew Jackson

(D) None of these

- **Name the youngest president of USA who was vice president but had to take over after the assassination of President William McKinley?**

(A) Theodore Roosevelt

(B) John F. Kennedy

(C) John Jackson

(D) John Taylor

- **Which mountain range is also known as “Roof of the World”?**

(A) Pamir (Tibet)

(B) Lhasa (Tibet)

(C) Alappuzha (India)

(D) None of the above

- **“Sorrow of China” is the nickname of which river?**

○ Yangtze-Hang

(B) River Hwang Ho

(C) Long Sea

(D) Cling King

- **Knesset is the parliament of which country?**

(A) Ireland

(B) Israel

(C) Mexico

(D) USA

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- **Name the country with the longest defence budget?**
  - (A) Russia
  - (B) China
  - (C) USA
  - (D) UK
  
- **Which is the largest district of Pakistan?**
  - (A) Bahawalpur
  - (B) Lahore
  - (C) Karachi
  - (D) Khuzdar
  
- **Which is the largest jungle in Pakistan?**
  - (A) Changa Manga
  - (B) Junpur
  - (C) Chitral
  - (D) Chichawatni
  
- **“The Myth of Independence” is written by?**
  - (A) Zulfikar Ali Bhutto
  - (B) G Allana
  - (C) GW. Chaudhry
  - (D) K.K Aziz
  
- **“Quaid-e-Azam Jinnah, The Story of a Nation” is written by \_\_\_\_\_?**
  - (A) Chaudhry Muhammad Ali
  - (B) G.W. Chaudhry



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(C) G. Allana

(D) K. Ali

- **“The Last Days of United Pakistan” is written by\_\_\_\_\_?**
  - (A) G.W Chaudhry
  - (B) Ahmad Mushtaq
  - (C) Dr. Waheed Qureshi
  - (D) Chaudhry Muhammad Ahsan
- **In which year Nobel Prize for Peace was awarded to the International Committee of the Red Cross?**
  - (A) 1917
  - (B) 1944
  - (C) 1963
  - (D) All of these
- **Which of the following is the power resource mineral?**
  - (A) Coal
  - (B) Iron
  - (C) Limestone
  - (D) Copper
- **Which of the following places is famous for Bauxite?**
  - (A) Hazara
  - (B) Chitral
  - (C) Potwar plateau
  - (D) None of these

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- **Which is the smallest sea in the world?**
  - (A) Red Sea
  - (B) North Sea
  - (C) Mediterranean Sea
  - (D) **Baltic Sea**
  
- **Which is the hottest planet in our solar system?**
  - (A) **Venus**
  - (B) Neptune
  - (C) Mars
  - (D) None of these
  
- **The last ruler of Bahawalpur State was?**
  - (A) Shahuddin Abbasi
  - (B) **Ameer Sadiq Muhammad V**
  - (C) Sardar Mahmud Khan
  - (D) Nawab Sir Sadiq Muhammad Khan Abbasi IV
  
- **The first Pakistani Prime Minister to visit China was?**
  - (A) Nawabzada Liaqat Ali Khan
  - (B) Khwaja Nazimuddin
  - (C) Chaudhry Muhammad Ali
  - (D) **Hossain Shaheed Suharwardy**
  
- **Which Bank gave a Rs.80 million loan to the Government of Pakistan on the request of Quaid-e-Azam when the Reserve Bank of India failed to deliver Pakistan's share?**
  - (A) National Bank of Pakistan

(B) Habib Bank Limited

(C) United Bank Limited

(D) Muslim Commercial Bank

- **All private banks were nationalized by the Government of Pakistan in?**
  - (A) 1947
  - (B) 1965
  - (C) 1971
  - (D) 1974
- **The foundation stone of the Sikhism's holiest place "Golden Temple" at Amritsar was laid by?**
  - (A) Guru Nanak Devji
  - (B) Khawaja Ghareeb Nawaz
  - (C) Acharya Rakeshprasad Pande
  - (D) Hazrat Mian Mir
- **28th May is celebrated each year as "Yaum-e-Takbeer" because of which Incident?**
  - (A) Kargil conflict between india and Pakistan commended
  - (B) Nuclear tests were conducted by Pakistan
  - (C) Ojhri Camp incident took place at Rawalpindi
  - (D) Uprising erupted in Kashmir against Indian occupation
- **McMahon's Line is the border between?**
  - (A) iran and Uzbekistan
  - (B) Pakistan and China

(C) Pakistan and Afghanistan

(D) India and China

- **The world's longest river is?**

(A) Nile

(B) Amazon

(C) Yangtze

(D) Mississippi

- **The capital of Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region of China is?**

(A) Kashgar

(B) Aksu

(C) Urumqi

(D) Hagan

- **Mullah Do Piazza was?**

(A) a mythical character from the epic "Talism-e-Hoshruba"

(B) one of the nine gems from the court of Emperor Akbar

(C) a leader of a religious movement in East Bengal

(D) the architect who first introduced piazza spaces in front of buildings

- **The main constituent of Sui Gas is?**

(A) Methane

(B) Sulphur

(C) Silver

(D) none of these

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- **Brass is an alloy of copper and?**
  - (A) Iron
  - (B) Street
  - (C) Zinc
  - (D) Silver
  
- **The most famous genetic disease that is associated with Queen Victoria and circulated among European royalty was?**
  - (A) Colour Blindness
  - (B) Haemophilia
  - (C) Austrian lip
  - (D) Down's Syndrome
  
- **Hepatitis C is a leading cause of?**
  - (A) Chronic liver disease
  - (B) HIV
  - (C) AIDS
  - (D) Diabetes
  
- **Whooping cough is caused by?**
  - (A) Fungus
  - (B) Virus
  - (C) Bacteria
  - (D) Protozoa
  
- **$(-8)^4$  ?**
  - (A) 256
  - (B) -32

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(C) -256

(D) 32

- **If  $x=4$ ,  $y=2$ , then  $(x+y)^2 = ?$**

(A) 28

**(B) 36**

(C) 32

(D) 12

- **100/100000 ?**

(A) .002

**(B) .001**

(C) .01

(D) .02

- **Sohail sold his old car for Rs. 45,000. He had earlier bought it for Rs. 80,000. What is his percentage loss?**

(A) 44.5%

(B) 39.3%

(C) 48.4%

**(D) 43.7%**

- **A man makes a late payment of his property tax of Rs. 30,000. He is late by 45 days and on each day he is required to pay an additional amount of 1% as a penalty but up to a maximum penalty of 15%. if the principal amount of property tax is less than Rs. 25,000. What is the total amount of penalty he is required to pay?**

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- (A) 4,500
- (B) 34,500
- (C) 43,500
- (D) 13,500