

Airport Security Force (ASF) - ASI Written Test 2022

Model Paper (based on frequently asked questions) • 50 MCQs • Time: 60 minutes

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Q1. The plural of 'Criterion' is:

- (A) Criteria
- ✓ (B) **Criteria**
- (C) Criterias
- (D) Criterion

Q2. Antonio Guterres, the UN Secretary-General, hails from which country?

- ✓ (A) **Portugal**
- (B) Spain
- (C) Brazil
- (D) Italy

Q3. Which Chinese space agency oversees the country's expanding space program, including lunar missions?

- ✓ (A) **China National Space Administration (CNSA)**
- (B) ESA
- (C) NASA
- (D) Roscosmos

Q4. Which of the following countries is governed as a federal parliamentary constitutional monarchy?

- ✓ (A) **United Kingdom**
- (B) France
- (C) Germany
- (D) United States

Q5. She has been living here _____ 2015.

- (A) for
- ✓ (B) **since**
- (C) from
- (D) by

Q6. What is the capital of Tanzania (official capital)?

- (A) Dar es Salaam
- ✓ (B) **Dodoma (official)**
- (C) Zanzibar City
- (D) Arusha

Q7. The idiom 'a white elephant' means:

- (A) A rare animal
- ✓ (B) **A costly but useless possession**
- (C) A great treasure
- (D) A lucky charm

Q8. What is the capital of Kuwait?

- ✓ (A) **Kuwait City**
- (B) Ahmadi
- (C) Hawalli
- (D) Salmiya

Q9. In which year did American colonies declare independence from Britain?

- ✓ (A) 1776
- (B) 1789
- (C) 1812
- (D) 1865

Q10. What is the official currency of Switzerland?

- ✓ (A) Swiss Franc
- (B) Euro
- (C) Krone
- (D) Mark

Q11. The call to prayer is known as:

- (A) Iqamah
- ✓ (B) Azan
- (C) Takbir
- (D) Talbiyah

Q12. Which economic term describes a sustained increase in the general price level of goods and services?

- ✓ (A) Inflation
- (B) Deflation
- (C) Stagnation
- (D) Recession

Q13. Which 1973 war between Israel and a coalition of Arab states is also known as the October War?

- ✓ (A) Yom Kippur War
- (B) Six-Day War
- (C) Suez Crisis
- (D) Gulf War

Q14. What is the capital of Nepal?

- (A) Pokhara
- ✓ (B) Kathmandu
- (C) Lalitpur
- (D) Bhaktapur

Q15. The first mosque of Islam built by the Prophet (PBUH) was:

- (A) Masjid-ul-Haram
- ✓ (B) Masjid-e-Quba
- (C) Masjid-e-Nabwi
- (D) Masjid-e-Aqsa

Q16. They _____ playing cricket now.

- (A) is
- (B) am
- ✓ (C) are
- (D) was

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- ✓ (A) **French Open (Roland Garros)**
- (B) Wimbledon
- (C) US Open
- (D) Australian Open

Q18. Which broad global theme, encompassing regulation debates and rapid technological advances, has been a dominant topic across international summits in 2025-2026?

- ✓ (A) **Artificial Intelligence governance and regulation**
- (B) Only agricultural policy
- (C) Only maritime law
- (D) Only postal service reform

Q19. What is the capital of Poland?

- (A) Krakow
- ✓ (B) **Warsaw**
- (C) Gdansk
- (D) Wroclaw

Q20. The largest ocean in the world is the:

- (A) Atlantic Ocean
- (B) Indian Ocean
- ✓ (C) **Pacific Ocean**
- (D) Arctic Ocean

Q21. Which British monarch preceded King Charles III, reigning for over 70 years?

- ✓ (A) **Queen Elizabeth II**
- (B) Queen Victoria
- (C) King George VI
- (D) King Edward VIII

Q22. Choose the correctly spelled word:

- (A) Accomodate
- (B) Accomodate
- ✓ (C) **Accommodate**
- (D) Acomodate

Q23. The smallest bone in the human body, the stapes, is located in the:

- (A) Nose
- ✓ (B) **Ear**
- (C) Wrist
- (D) Foot

Q24. The Second OIC Summit of 1974 was held at:

- (A) Islamabad
- (B) Jeddah
- ✓ (C) **Lahore**
- (D) Karachi

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- (A) on
- (B) at
- ✓ (C) **in**
- (D) from

Q26. 'She has finished her work.' - this sentence is in:

- (A) Past perfect tense
- ✓ (B) **Present perfect tense**
- (C) Simple past tense
- (D) Present continuous tense

Q27. Which private aerospace company, also led by Elon Musk, develops rockets and spacecraft, including the Falcon and Starship?

- ✓ (A) **SpaceX**
- (B) Blue Origin
- (C) Virgin Galactic
- (D) Boeing

Q28. Which sport, featuring a small hard ball and clubs, is traditionally associated with courses spanning 18 holes?

- ✓ (A) **Golf**
- (B) Cricket
- (C) Baseball
- (D) Tennis

Q29. Which is the smallest continent by land area?

- ✓ (A) **Australia (Oceania)**
- (B) Europe
- (C) Antarctica
- (D) South America

Q30. Which Indian-American astronaut, tragically lost in the 2003 Space Shuttle Columbia disaster, was a notable NASA mission specialist?

- ✓ (A) **Kalpana Chawla**
- (B) Sunita Williams
- (C) Rakesh Sharma
- (D) Sirisha Bandla

Q31. The main source of energy for the Earth is the:

- (A) Moon
- (B) Wind
- ✓ (C) **Sun**
- (D) Ocean

Q32. The Battle of Qadisiyyah was fought against the Persians under which commander?

- (A) Khalid bin Walid (RA)
- ✓ (B) **Saad bin Abi Waqas (RA)**
- (C) Amr bin al-Aas (RA)
- (D) Abu Ubaidah (RA)

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- ✓ **(A) Mongol Empire**
- (B) Roman Empire
- (C) Ottoman Empire
- (D) British Empire

Q34. The Roman numeral 'X' represents:

- (A) 5
- ✓ **(B) 10**
- (C) 50
- (D) 100

Q35. The 1973 Constitution was passed during the government of:

- (A) Ayub Khan
- (B) Yahya Khan
- ✓ **(C) Zulfikar Ali Bhutto**
- (D) Zia-ul-Haq

Q36. How many seconds are in one hour?

- (A) 360
- (B) 600
- ✓ **(C) 3600**
- (D) 6000

Q37. The Bogra Formula of 1953 was a proposal concerning:

- (A) Land reforms
- ✓ **(B) Representation between East and West Pakistan**
- (C) Nationalization of banks
- (D) Provincial languages

Q38. Pakistan's capital was shifted from Karachi to Islamabad during the era of:

- (A) Liaquat Ali Khan
- (B) Iskander Mirza
- ✓ **(C) Ayub Khan**
- (D) Z.A. Bhutto

Q39. A cyclist covers 36 km in 90 minutes. His speed in km/h is:

- (A) 18 km/h
- ✓ **(B) 24 km/h**
- (C) 27 km/h
- (D) 40 km/h

Q40. Which type of memory retains its data when the power is switched off?

- (A) RAM
- (B) Cache
- ✓ **(C) ROM**
- (D) Registers

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Q41. Which technology-related concern has been increasingly linked to global security discussions, including AI chips used in military applications?

- ✓ (A) **The militarization of advanced AI technology**
- (B) Only civilian AI chatbot applications
- (C) Only agricultural technology concerns
- (D) Only educational technology concerns

Q42. The Constitution of 1973 was enforced on:

- (A) 23 March 1973
- ✓ (B) **14 August 1973**
- (C) 6 September 1973
- (D) 1 January 1974

Q43. My brother is older _____ me.

- (A) then
- ✓ (B) **than**
- (C) from
- (D) to

Q44. Blood pressure is measured by a:

- (A) Thermometer
- (B) Stethoscope
- ✓ (C) **Sphygmomanometer**
- (D) Barometer

Q45. Which Surah is named after a metal?

- (A) Al-Fil
- ✓ (B) **Al-Hadid**
- (C) Al-Kahf
- (D) Al-Tin

Q46. The idiom 'piece of cake' means:

- (A) A dessert
- ✓ (B) **Something very easy**
- (C) A small part
- (D) A celebration

Q47. Which prolonged conflict in Southeast Asia, involving the US and Vietnamese forces, ended in 1975?

- ✓ (A) **Vietnam War**
- (B) Korean War
- (C) Gulf War
- (D) Iran-Iraq War

Q48. Water freezes at:

- (A) ?10°C
- ✓ (B) **0°C**
- (C) 4°C
- (D) 10°C

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- ✓ **(A) Yen**
- (B) Won
- (C) Yuan
- (D) Ringgit

Q50. What is the capital of Ukraine?

- ✓ **(B) Kyiv**
- (A) Kharkiv
- (C) Lviv
- (D) Odesa