

WAPDA / Power Distribution - Assistant Lineman (ALM) Written Test 2020

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

The correct option for every question is bolded and marked with a check.

Q1. An item bought for Rs. 200 is sold for Rs. 250. The profit percentage is:

- (A) 20%
- ✓ (B) **25%**
- (C) 30%
- (D) 50%

Q2. Which boxer, known for the phrase 'float like a butterfly, sting like a bee', became a global icon in the sport?

- ✓ (A) **Muhammad Ali**
- (B) Mike Tyson
- (C) Floyd Mayweather
- (D) George Foreman

Q3. Choose the antonym of 'Ascend':

- (A) Climb
- (B) Rise
- ✓ (C) **Descend**
- (D) Mount

Q4. Which entrepreneur founded Amazon and later founded the aerospace company Blue Origin?

- ✓ (A) **Jeff Bezos**
- (B) Elon Musk
- (C) Bill Gates
- (D) Mark Zuckerberg

Q5. Which annual UN climate conference brings together countries to negotiate global climate action?

- ✓ (A) **Conference of the Parties (COP)**
- (B) G7 Summit
- (C) G20 Summit
- (D) Davos Forum

Q6. The average of 5, 10, 15, 20 is:

- (A) 10
- ✓ (B) **12.5**
- (C) 15
- (D) 17.5

Q7. If she had studied hard, she _____ the examination.

- (A) will pass
- (B) would pass
- ✓ (C) **would have passed**
- (D) passed

Q8. A 100 m long train moving at 36 km/h crosses a pole in:

- (A) 5 seconds
- (B) 8 seconds
- ✓ (C) **10 seconds**
- (D) 12 seconds

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Q9. Which Winter Olympics host city hosted the 2022 Games?

- ✓ (A) **Beijing, China**
- (B) Pyeongchang, South Korea
- (C) Sochi, Russia
- (D) Vancouver, Canada

Q10. Which strait separates Spain from Morocco?

- (A) Strait of Hormuz
- (B) Bosphorus
- ✓ (C) **Strait of Gibraltar**
- (D) Strait of Malacca

Q11. 1 KB (kilobyte) equals:

- (A) 100 bytes
- (B) 1000 bits
- ✓ (C) **1024 bytes**
- (D) 1024 bits

Q12. A scientist who studies earthquakes is called a:

- (A) Meteorologist
- (B) Geographer
- ✓ (C) **Seismologist**
- (D) Astronomer

Q13. Which UK political figure, a former Greater Manchester Mayor, emerged as the frontrunner to succeed Keir Starmer in 2026?

- ✓ (A) **Andy Burnham**
- (B) Rachel Reeves
- (C) David Lammy
- (D) Wes Streeting

Q14. The capital of Sri Lanka is:

- (A) Kandy
- ✓ (B) **Colombo**
- (C) Galle
- (D) Jaffna

Q15. Which organization, headquartered in Basel, coordinates cooperation among central banks worldwide?

- ✓ (A) **Bank for International Settlements (BIS)**
- (B) IMF
- (C) World Bank
- (D) WTO

Q16. Which companion was titled 'Sword of Allah' (Saifullah)?

- (A) Hazrat Hamza (RA)
- ✓ (B) **Hazrat Khalid bin Walid (RA)**
- (C) Hazrat Saad bin Abi Waqas (RA)
- (D) Hazrat Zubair (RA)

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- ✓ (A) **Muhammad Yunus**
- (B) Sheikh Hasina
- (C) Khaleda Zia
- (D) Ziaur Rahman

Q18. 'Phishing' is:

- (A) A hardware fault
- ✓ (B) **Tricking users into revealing sensitive information**
- (C) A type of firewall
- (D) Data compression

Q19. The Lahore Resolution was passed in:

- (A) 1930
- (B) 1935
- ✓ (C) **1940**
- (D) 1947

Q20. Iron deficiency in blood causes:

- (A) Goitre
- ✓ (B) **Anemia**
- (C) Diabetes
- (D) Asthma

Q21. $144 \div 12 = ?$

- (A) 10
- (B) 11
- ✓ (C) **12**
- (D) 14

Q22. Which gas do humans breathe out in the largest amount compared to inhaled air?

- (A) Oxygen
- ✓ (B) **Carbon dioxide**
- (C) Nitrogen
- (D) Hydrogen

Q23. The 8th Amendment, giving the President power to dissolve the Assembly (58-2b), was passed in:

- (A) 1977
- ✓ (B) **1985**
- (C) 1988
- (D) 1991

Q24. What is the capital of Ireland?

- (A) Cork
- ✓ (B) **Dublin**
- (C) Galway
- (D) Limerick

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- (A) Hazrat Umar (RA)
- ✓ (B) **Hazrat Abu Bakr (RA)**
- (C) Hazrat Usman (RA)
- (D) Hazrat Ali (RA)

Q26. A father is three times his son's age. In 12 years he will be twice. The son is now:

- (A) 10
- ✓ (B) **12**
- (C) 14
- (D) 16

Q27. Which country's 2022 full-scale invasion of a neighboring state significantly reshaped European security discussions?

- ✓ (A) **Russia's invasion of Ukraine**
- (B) China's actions toward Taiwan
- (C) Iran's actions toward Iraq
- (D) Turkey's actions toward Syria

Q28. The first man in space was:

- (A) Neil Armstrong
- ✓ (B) **Yuri Gagarin**
- (C) Buzz Aldrin
- (D) Alan Shepard

Q29. Neither Ali _____ Ahmed was present.

- (A) or
- ✓ (B) **nor**
- (C) and
- (D) but

Q30. The normal blood pressure of a healthy adult is about:

- (A) 80/60
- ✓ (B) **120/80**
- (C) 150/100
- (D) 180/120

Q31. How many sides does a hexagon have?

- (A) 5
- ✓ (B) **6**
- (C) 7
- (D) 8

Q32. Pakistan won the T20 Cricket World Cup in:

- (A) 2007
- ✓ (B) **2009**
- (C) 2010
- (D) 2012

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Q33. The historic Badshahi Mosque is located in:

- (A) Karachi
- (B) Multan
- ✓ (C) **Lahore**
- (D) Thatta

Q34. The Khilafat Movement formally began in:

- (A) 1918
- ✓ (B) **1919**
- (C) 1920
- (D) 1922

Q35. Which body sets global standards and regulations for civil aviation among member states?

- ✓ (A) **International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)**
- (B) World Trade Organization
- (C) IMF
- (D) WHO

Q36. Which is the smallest prime number?

- (A) 0
- (B) 1
- ✓ (C) **2**
- (D) 3

Q37. Which swimmer holds the record for the most Olympic gold medals won by any athlete in history?

- ✓ (A) **Michael Phelps**
- (B) Mark Spitz
- (C) Katie Ledecky
- (D) Ian Thorpe

Q38. Light from the Sun reaches Earth in about:

- (A) 8 seconds
- ✓ (B) **8 minutes**
- (C) 8 hours
- (D) 80 minutes

Q39. This is _____ university.

- ✓ (A) **a**
- (B) an
- (C) the
- (D) no article

Q40. The capital of Bangladesh is:

- (A) Chittagong
- (B) Khulna
- ✓ (C) **Dhaka**
- (D) Sylhet

Q41. The square root of 225 is:

- (A) 13
- (B) 14
- ✓ (C) **15**
- (D) 16

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Q42. The sun rises in the:

- (A) West
- (B) North
- ✓ (C) **East**
- (D) South

Q43. Who is credited with developing the theory of evolution by natural selection?

- ✓ (A) **Charles Darwin**
- (B) Gregor Mendel
- (C) Louis Pasteur
- (D) Alfred Russel Wallace (independently proposed similar ideas)

Q44. A right angle measures:

- (A) 45°
- (B) 60°
- ✓ (C) **90°**
- (D) 180°

Q45. The Pakistani flag's green color represents:

- (A) Agriculture
- ✓ (B) **The Muslim majority**
- (C) Prosperity
- (D) The Army

Q46. The Battle of Yarmouk was fought against the:

- (A) Persians
- ✓ (B) **Romans (Byzantines)**
- (C) Mongols
- (D) Quraysh

Q47. Choose the correctly spelled word:

- (A) Definately
- ✓ (B) **Definitely**
- (C) Definitly
- (D) Defenitely

Q48. Table salt is chemically:

- (A) Potassium chloride
- ✓ (B) **Sodium chloride**
- (C) Calcium carbonate
- (D) Sodium bicarbonate

Q49. Which country's parliament is known as the 'Duma' (specifically its lower house)?

- ✓ (A) **Russia**
- (B) Ukraine
- (C) Belarus
- (D) Kazakhstan

Q50. Choose the antonym of 'Victory':

- (A) Success
- ✓ (B) **Defeat**
- (C) Win
- (D) Triumph