

Q1. The Khunjerab Pass connects Pakistan with:

- (A) Afghanistan
- (B) Iran
- (C) India

✓ (D) **China**

Q2. Two trains moving towards each other at 60 km/h and 40 km/h have a relative speed of:

- (A) 20 km/h
- (B) 50 km/h

✓ (C) **100 km/h**

(D) 2,400 km/h

Q3. The circling of the Kaaba is called:

- (A) Sa'i

✓ (B) **Tawaf**

- (C) Rami
- (D) Qurbani

Q4. What is the capital of Libya?

- (A) Benghazi

✓ (B) **Tripoli**

- (C) Misrata
- (D) Sabha

Q5. The smallest unit of life is the:

- (A) Atom

✓ (B) **Cell**

- (C) Molecule
- (D) Tissue

Q6. Which type of memory retains its data when the power is switched off?

- (A) RAM
- (B) Cache

✓ (C) **ROM**

- (D) Registers

Q7. Indirect speech of: He said, 'I am tired.'

- (A) He said that he is tired.

✓ (B) **He said that he was tired.**

- (C) He says he was tired.
- (D) He said that I am tired.

Q8. The Gandhara civilization flourished mainly in which present-day region?

- (A) Southern Sindh

✓ (B) **Peshawar valley and Taxila**

- (C) Cholistan desert
- (D) Makran coast

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Q9. Which body administers the Nobel Prizes, based in Sweden (with the Peace Prize awarded separately in Norway)?

- ✓ **(A) The Nobel Foundation (Sweden), with the Peace Prize administered in Norway**
- (B) United Nations
- (C) European Union
- (D) World Economic Forum

Q10. 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

Q11. Which of these vitamins is water-soluble?

- (A) Vitamin A
- (B) Vitamin D
- ✓ **(C) Vitamin C**
- (D) Vitamin K

Q12. The capital of Australia is:

- (A) Sydney
- (B) Melbourne
- ✓ **(C) Canberra**
- (D) Perth

Q13. The Treaty of Versailles ended which war?

- (A) World War II
- ✓ **(B) World War I**
- (C) Crimean War
- (D) Cold War

Q14. The 'Land of Pure' refers to:

- (A) Iran
- ✓ **(B) Pakistan**
- (C) Saudi Arabia
- (D) Turkey

Q15. Who is the current Prime Minister of India?

- ✓ **(A) Narendra Modi**
- (B) Rahul Gandhi
- (C) Manmohan Singh
- (D) Amit Shah

Q16. Which German Chancellor preceded the 2025 change in leadership, serving from 2021 to 2025?

- ✓ **(A) Olaf Scholz**
- (B) Angela Merkel
- (C) Friedrich Merz
- (D) Gerhard Schroder

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Q17. The Roman numeral 'L' represents:

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

Q18. Choose the synonym of 'Vacant':

- (A) Full
- ✓ (B) **Empty**
- (C) Busy
- (D) Crowded

Q19. The shortcut key to paste is:

- (A) Ctrl + C
- (B) Ctrl + X
- ✓ (C) **Ctrl + V**
- (D) Ctrl + Z

Q20. What is the capital of Yemen (recognized capital)?

- (A) Aden
- ✓ (B) **Sana'a**
- (C) Taiz
- (D) Hodeidah

Q21. Eid-ul-Azha is celebrated on which date of Zil-Hajj?

- (A) 1st
- (B) 9th
- ✓ (C) **10th**
- (D) 12th

Q22. Which French military and political leader rose to power after the French Revolution and later became Emperor?

- ✓ (A) **Napoleon Bonaparte**
- (B) Louis XVI
- (C) Charles de Gaulle
- (D) Robespierre

Q23. The headquarters of OPEC is located in:

- (A) Riyadh
- (B) Doha
- ✓ (C) **Vienna**
- (D) Kuwait City

Q24. A car covers a distance in 3 hours at 80 km/h. To cover it in 2 hours, the speed must be:

- (A) 100 km/h
- (B) 110 km/h
- ✓ (C) **120 km/h**
- (D) 140 km/h

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Q25. Which cryptocurrency, launched in 2009, is widely regarded as the first and most prominent decentralized digital currency?

- ✓ (A) **Bitcoin**
- (B) Ethereum
- (C) Litecoin
- (D) Dogecoin

Q26. Which is the largest desert in the world overall, including cold deserts?

- ✓ (A) **Antarctic Desert**
- (B) Sahara Desert
- (C) Gobi Desert
- (D) Arabian Desert

Q27. Which orbiting research facility, a collaborative project among multiple countries, has hosted astronauts continuously for decades?

- ✓ (A) **International Space Station (ISS)**
- (B) Tiangong Space Station (China's separate station)
- (C) Mir Space Station (an earlier Soviet/Russian station)
- (D) Skylab (an earlier US station)

Q28. In a star topology, all computers are connected to a:

- (A) Ring of cables
- ✓ (B) **Central hub or switch**
- (C) Single long cable
- (D) Satellite link

Q29. Which tennis Grand Slam tournament is held annually in Melbourne?

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

Q30. Where is the headquarters of the United Nations located?

- ✓ (A) **New York City**
- (B) Geneva
- (C) Vienna
- (D) Brussels

Q31. The first President of Pakistan was:

- (A) Ayub Khan
- ✓ (B) **Iskander Mirza**
- (C) Yahya Khan
- (D) Ghulam Muhammad

Q32. 'Asadullah' (Lion of Allah) is the title of:

- (A) Hazrat Umar (RA)
- (B) Hazrat Hamza (RA)
- ✓ (C) **Hazrat Ali (RA)**
- (D) Hazrat Khalid bin Waleed (RA)

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Q33. Which Indian cricketer is widely regarded as one of the greatest batsmen in history, holding numerous international records?

- ✓ (A) **Sachin Tendulkar**
- (B) Virat Kohli
- (C) MS Dhoni
- (D) Sunil Gavaskar

Q34. The Indian Independence Act was passed by the British Parliament in:

- (A) June 1947
- ✓ (B) **July 1947**
- (C) August 1947
- (D) March 1947

Q35. The All-India Muslim League was founded in:

- (A) 1885
- ✓ (B) **1906**
- (C) 1916
- (D) 1930

Q36. The abbreviation 'etc.' stands for:

- ✓ (A) **Etcetera**
- (B) End of the chapter
- (C) Extra terms considered
- (D) Et cetera only in Latin

Q37. The next number in the series 5, 10, 15, 20, ... is:

- (A) 22
- (B) 24
- ✓ (C) **25**
- (D) 30

Q38. Mazar-e-Quaid, the mausoleum of Quaid-e-Azam, is located in:

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

Q39. The first Foreign Minister of Pakistan was:

- (A) Liaquat Ali Khan
- ✓ (B) **Sir Zafarullah Khan**
- (C) Ghulam Muhammad
- (D) Firoz Khan Noon

Q40. Which company, founded by Jeff Bezos, is a major aerospace company alongside its e-commerce origins?

- ✓ (A) **Blue Origin (Bezos's aerospace venture)**
- (B) SpaceX
- (C) Virgin Galactic
- (D) Boeing

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Q41. The Second Islamic Summit Conference (1974) was held in which Pakistani city?

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

Q42. Which company operates the world's most widely used internet search engine?

- ✓ (A) **Google**
- (B) Microsoft (Bing)
- (C) Yahoo
- (D) Apple

Q43. Which country has the largest natural gas reserves?

- (A) Saudi Arabia
- (B) USA
- ✓ (C) **Russia**
- (D) Qatar

Q44. Which historic sporting achievement did Pakistani athlete Arshad Nadeem accomplish at the 2024 Paris Olympics, drawing global attention?

- ✓ (A) **Winning gold in the javelin throw**
- (B) Winning gold in the 100m sprint
- (C) Winning gold in swimming
- (D) Winning gold in wrestling

Q45. The 1973 Constitution was passed during the government of:

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

Q46. The Windows operating system was developed by:

- (A) Apple
- (B) Google
- (C) IBM
- ✓ (D) **Microsoft**

Q47. The word 'alumni' is the plural of:

- ✓ (A) **Alumnus**
- (B) Alumna
- (C) Alumnae
- (D) Alum

Q48. The Pakistan Peoples Party (PPP) was founded by Zulfikar Ali Bhutto in:

- (A) 1965
- ✓ (B) **1967**
- (C) 1970
- (D) 1973

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Q49. The sun rises in the:

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

Q50. 'Down Under' is a nickname for:

- (A) New Zealand
- (B) South Africa
- ✓ **(C) Australia**
- (D) Argentina