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SAMPLE TEST PAPER

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PART - I

VOCABULARY

No. of Questions: 15
Maximum Marks: 15

Time Allowed: 15 Minutes
Negative Marking: 1/3

- 1- REplete
a) full b) empty c) abolished d) lacking
- 2- AFFLUENT
a) prosperous b) loveable c) lovely d) rich
- 3- SECULAR
a) daring b) stubborn c) hateful d) undaring
- 4- BENEVOLENT
a) kind b) cruel c) kingly d) helpful
- 5- DYNAMIC
a) forceful b) noisy c) static d) magnetic
- 6- ABHOR
a) to hate b) to criticize c) love d) to make fun of
- 7- STAMINA
a) vigour b) vigorous c) hesitation d) incentive
- 8- SPECULATIVE
a) theorizing b) intuitive c) conjectural d) imaginative
- 9- NAUTICAL
a) disgusting b) naval c) perverse d) unaffected
- 10-PANORAMA
a) ancient Greece b) programe c) broadscene d) temple
- 11-DISDAIN
a) hate b) hatred c) courage d) memory
- 12-PERMEABLE
a) allowing b) penetrable c) durable d) soluble
- 13-INDEED
a) surprising b) actually c) mainly d) sadly

14-HARASS

- a) to create trouble b) to go round c) to inspire d) to speak ill

15-BOUND

- a) tired b) fastened c) protected d) certain

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PART - II

SENTENCE FORMATION

No. of Questions: 10
Maximum Marks: 10

Time Allowed: 10 minutes
Negative Marking: 1/3

- 1- It is too difficult _____
a) problem for me b) problem to me c) a problem for me d) the problem to me
- 2- I am sure the clerk is preparing _____
a) arrear bill b) the arrear bill c) arrears bill d) the arrears bill
- 3- These days my house is under _____
a) repairs b) repair c) the repairs d) the repair
- 4- Full many _____ born to blush unseen
a) flowers is b) a flowers is c) a flower are d) a flower is
- 5- If I _____ I would have helped you.
a) was him b) was he c) were him d) were he
- 6- He _____ his skill as a painter.
a) prides upon b) prides c) prides himself in d) prides himself upon
- 7- I enjoyed _____ the holidays.
a) during b) myself of c) myself during d) myself by
- 8- It depends on _____ on time.
a) they coming b) them coming c) their coming d) them to come
- 9- You will have to contact _____
a) the concerned clerk b) the connected clerk c) the clerk concerned d) the clerk connected
- 10-I _____ for the insult.
a) avenged b) avenged myself c) revenged d) revenged myself

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PART - III

READING COMPREHENSION

The death toll from a tsunami and a volcano rose to nearly 350 as more victims of Indonesia's double disasters were found and an official said a warning system installed after a deadly ocean wave in 2004 had broken from a lack of maintenance.

Hundreds were still missing after Monday's tsunami struck the remote Mentawi islands off western Sumatra, where officials were only beginning to chart the scope of the devastation. At least 311 people died as the huge wave, triggered by an undersea earthquake, washed away wooden and bamboo homes, displacing more than 20,000 people.

About 800 miles to the east in central Java, the Mount Merapi volcano was mostly quiet but still a threat after Tuesday's eruption that sent searing ash clouds into the air, killing at least 30 people and injuring 17. Among the dead was a revered elder who had refused to leave his ceremonial post as caretaker of the mountain's spirits.

President Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono rushed home from a state visit to Vietnam to deal with the catastrophes, which struck within 24 hours along different points of the Pacific "Ring of Fire," a series of fault lines prone to earthquakes and volcanic activity.

The first cargo plane loaded with tents, medicine, food and clothes landed Wednesday in the tsunami-hit area, said disaster official Ade Edward.

Huge swaths of land were underwater and homes were torn apart by the 10-foot (3-meter) wave that hit Pagai Utara island in the Indian Ocean south of Sumatra. One house lay tilted, resting on the edge of its red roof, with tires and slabs of concrete piled up on the surrounding sand.

Hundreds of homes were washed away in about 20 villages, displacing more than 20,000 people, Edward said. Many were seeking shelter in makeshift emergency camps or with family and friends. Vice President Boediono toured devastated villages on Pagai Utara and met with survivors and local officials, his office said. At one point, he paused solemnly in front of several corpses in body bags. The charity SurfAid International is getting "grim news" from village contacts, said Andrew Judge, head of the group founded by surfers who have been helping deliver aid. He said he is hearing of "more death, large numbers of deaths in some villages."

With the arrival of help, Edward said officials "finally ... have a chance now to look for more than 400 still missing."

Officials prepared for the worst, sending hundreds of body bags, said Mujiharto, head of the Health Ministry's crisis center.

The islands lie close to the epicenter of the 7.7-magnitude quake that struck late Monday beneath the ocean floor. The fault line on Sumatra island's coast is the same one that caused the 2004 quake and tsunami that killed 230,000 people in a dozen countries around the Indian Ocean.

After that monster wave, many countries set up early warning systems in their waters hoping to give people time to flee to higher ground before a tsunami — which can travel hundreds of miles (kilometers) — crashed ashore.

Indonesia's version, completed in 2008 with German aid, has since fallen into such disrepair that it effectively stopped working about a month ago, according to the head of the Meteorology and Geophysics Agency.

The system, which uses buoys to electronically detect sudden changes in water level, worked when it was completed, but by 2009 routine tests of it were showing problems, said the agency chief, who uses the single name Fauzi. By last month, he said, the entire system was broken because of inexperienced operators.

"We do not have the expertise to monitor the buoys to function as intended," he said.

As a result, he said, not a single siren sounded after Monday's quake. It was unclear if any sirens could have made a difference, since the islands worst affected were so close to the epicenter that the tsunami would have reached them within minutes.

The group that set up the system, the Germany-Indonesia agency Tsunami Early Warning System (GITEWS), could not be reached for comment Wednesday, but the questions Fauzi raised highlighted the difficulty for a poor country such as Indonesia in disaster prevention and response.

QUESTIONS

No. of Questions: 10
Maximum Marks: 10

Time Allowed: 10 minutes
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- 1- Death toll of Tsunami & a Volcano rose to nearly
a) 350 b) 450 c) 150 d) 1250
- 2- Name of the Island near western sumatra is
a) Mentawi b) Genting c) Santosa d) Malta
- 3- Name of the mountain where Volcano erupted is
a) Mount Everest b) Mount Merapi c) Mount Faber d) Mount Hudson
- 4- Middle Name of the President of Indonesia is
a) Dabbang b) Bambang c) Yudhoyono d) Susilo
- 5- Tsunami (Indonesia – 2010) displaced more than
a) 20,000 people b) 10,000 people c) 60,000 people d) 70,000 people

- 6- Name of the Vice President of Indonesia is
 a) Giordano b) Boediono c) Pagai d) Utara
- 7- Name of the Head of the group of Charity Surfaid International is
 a) Andrew Judge b) Boediono c) Pagai Utara d) Sumatra
- 8- Name of the Head of Health Ministry crisis centre is
 a) Mujiharto b) Soharto c) Fauzi d) Java
- 9- Magnitude of the Earth quake was
 a) 7.7 b) 6.7 c) 5.7 d) 8.7
- 10- Which country cooperated with Indonesia for Tsunami early warning system
 a) India b) Japan c) China d) Germany

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PART - IV

NUMBER SERIES / LETTER SERIES

No. of Questions: 10
Maximum Marks: 10

Time Allowed: 10 minutes
Negative Marking: 1/3

- 1- $a - 1, a, a + 1, a + 2, a + 3, \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 a) $a + 4$ b) $a - 4$ c) $a + 5$ d) $a - 3$
- 2- $\sqrt{5}, \sqrt{4}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{2}, \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 a) 1 b) 2 c) 3 d) $\sqrt{5}$
- 3- $\frac{1}{50}, \frac{2}{45}, \frac{3}{40}, \frac{4}{35}, \frac{5}{30}, \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 a) $\frac{6}{25}$ b) $\frac{6}{35}$ c) $\frac{5}{25}$ d) $\frac{7}{35}$
- 4- 121 222 323 424 525 626
 a) 727 b) 728 c) 729 d) 730
- 5- 2 5 7 12 19 31 50
 a) 81 b) 60 c) 70 d) 84
- 6- 1 2 2 4 8 32
 a) 256 b) 629 c) 430 d) 512
- 7- 49 36 25 16 9 4
 a) 1 b) 2 c) 3 d) 4

- 8- 1 8 27 64 125 216 _____
 a) 343 b) 196 c) 169 d) 243
- 9- 1 2 3 4 5 8 _____
 a) 7 b) 9 c) 11 d) 15
- 10-3 8 15 24 35 48 _____
 a) 63 b) 59 c) 46 d) 84

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PART - V
ARITHMETIC

No. of Questions: 15
Maximum Marks: 15

Time Allowed: 15 minutes
Negative Marking: 1/3

- 1- $541 + 263$
 a) 804 b) 801 c) 704 d) 814
- 2- 691×11
 a) 5601 b) 6601 c) 7601 d) 8601
- 3- 321×12
 a) 3842 b) 3852 c) 3952 d) 3752
- 4- 54×20
 a) 1090 b) 1040 c) 1180 d) 1080
- 5- $2856 / 7$
 a) 408 b) 508 c) 409 d) 407
- 6- $123 + 456$
 a) 589 b) 607 c) 579 d) 619
- 7- 59×61
 a) 3499 b) 3599 c) 4599 d) 5599
- 8- $\sqrt{841} + 1$
 a) 30 b) 29 c) 27 d) 31
- 9- $(85)^2$
 a) 7125 b) 7215 c) 7225 d) 7325
- 10- 321×41

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|------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| | a) 13261 | b) 13161 | c) 12161 | d) 13261 |
| 11- | 43 x 12 | | | |
| | a) 616 | b) 416 | c) 506 | d) 516 |
| 12- | $15 \frac{1}{6} - 2 \frac{1}{24}$ | | | |
| | a) $13 \frac{3}{24}$ | b) 25 | c) $3 \frac{13}{24}$ | d) $52/24$ |
| 13- | $1 \frac{1}{9} - 1$ | | | |
| | a) $\frac{2}{9}$ | b) $\frac{1}{9}$ | c) $\frac{3}{9}$ | d) $1 \frac{1}{9}$ |
| 14- | 160 - 40 | | | |
| | a) 130 | b) 112 | c) 120 | d) 121 |
| 15- | 246 - 146 | | | |
| | a) 111 | b) 101 | c) 46 | d) 100 |

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PART - VI

WORD PROBLEMS

No. of Questions: 15
Maximum Marks: 15

Time Allowed: 20 minutes
Negative Marking: 1/3

- 1- Find the least number by which 19404 must be multiplied or divided so as to make it a perfect square.
a) 9 b) 10 c) 11 d) None of these
- 2- A man had two sons. To the elder he left $\frac{5}{11}$ of his property, to the younger $\frac{5}{11}$ of the remainder, the rest to the widow. Find the share of the sons if the widow gets Rs.3,600.
a) Rs. 1200, Rs. 1000 b) Rs. 6600, Rs. 2000
c) Rs. 7500, Rs. 1000 d) None of these
- 3- The average height of 30 boys out of a class of 50 is 160 cm. If the average height of the remaining boys is 165cm, the average height of the whole class (in cm) is:
a) 152 b) 162 c) 172 d) None of these
- 4- The sum of the ages of a son and father is 56 years. After four years, the age of father will be three times that of the son. Their ages respectively are:
a) 10 years & 46 years b) 12 years & 44 years
c) 11 years & 45 years d) None of these

- 5- Two trains are moving in opposite directions at the speed of 50 and 70km. Their lengths are 150m and 100m. The time required for their crossing each other is
a) 5 seconds b) 7.5 seconds c) 40 seconds d) None of these
- 6- If a train running at 72 km per hour crosses a tree standing by the side of the track in 7 seconds the length of the train is
a) 150m b) 135m c) 140m d) None of these
- 7- A single discount equivalent to a discount series of 40% and 20% is
a) 49% b) 52% c) 53% d) None of these
- 8- In college election a candidate secured 62% of the votes and is created by a majority of 144 votes. The total number of votes polled is
a) 500 b) 600 c) 300 d) None of these
- 9- The price of an article has been reduced by 25%. In order to restore the original price the new price must be increased by
a) $33\frac{1}{3}\%$ b) 25% c) 12% d) None of these
- 10- A litre of water is evaporated from 8 litres of salt solution containing 5% of salt. What will be the percentage of salt in the remaining solution?
a) 6% b) 7% c) $4\frac{3}{5}\%$ d) None of these
- 11- A candidate scoring 25% in an examination fails by 30 marks while another candidate who score 50% marks gets 20 marks more than the minimum required for a pass. Pass percentage is
a) 100 b) 150 c) 200 d) None of these
- 12- If $A : B = 3 : 4$ & $B : C = 5 : 6$ then $A : B : C$ equals
a) 15 : 20 : 24 b) 2 : 3 : 4 c) 3 : 2 : 7 d) None of these
- 13- Six women or nine girls do a piece of work in 10 days. Eight women and three girls will do the same work in:
a) 4 days b) 6 days c) 9 days d) None of these
- 14- If 3 apples cost 19 cents, how many apples can be purchased for \$1.52?
a) 15 b) 19 c) 22 d) 24
- 15- If 15 men can do a piece of work in 20 days, the number of days, in which 25men finish the same work is:
a) 12 b) $33\frac{1}{3}$ c) 16 d) 28

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PART - VII

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

No. of Questions: 15
Maximum Marks: 15

Time Allowed: 10 minutes
Negative Marking: 1/6

- 1- Today 1 USD is approximately equal to:
a) PKR 87 b) PKR 95 c) PKR 85 d) PKR 89
- 2- Name of the US Secretary of State is:
a) Hillary Clinton b) Condolezza Rice c) Michael Mollen d) Joe Biden
- 3- Name of the President of Afghanistan is:
a) Hamid Karzai b) Jalal-uddin Rabbani c) Mullah Omer d) Ahmed Shah Masood
- 4- Olympics – 2012 will be held in:
a) New Delhi b) London c) Sao Palo d) New york
- 5- Name of the Top Tennis female player of India is:
a) Rekha b) Sania Mirza c) Rakhi Sawan d) Seema Parehad
- 6- Who won the title of “ICC Umpire of the Year 2011”?
a) Aleem Dar b) David Shephered c) Ronaq Mirza d) Asif Bakhtiar
- 7- Name of the News Paper who broke the story of spot fixing against Pakistani Cricketers
a) News of the World b) London Times c) Asia Week d) Washington post
- 8- Who is the Federal Minister of Commerce in Pakistan?
a) Makhdoom Amin Fahim b) Ahmed Mukhtar
c) Manzoor Watto d) Abdul Hafeez Sheikh
- 9- Who is the Vice Chancellor of Karachi University?
a) Dr. Abdul Wahab b) Dr. Ishrat Hussain
c) Dr. Perzada Kasim Siddiqui d) Dr. Manzoor-uddin Ahmed
- 10- Who is the Information Minister of Sindh?
a) Shazia Maree b) Sharmela Farooqui c) Sasi Palejo d) Sharjeel Memon
- 11- Name of the Currency of Finland?
a) Euro b) Dollar c) Finnish Kronor d) Takka
- 12- Who won the Kabadi World Cup Men’s title?
a) India b) Canada c) Pakistan d) UK
- 13- Sulman Butt receives imprisonment of:
a) 30 months b) 2 ½ years c) Both A & B d) 2 years & 8 months
- 14- Who is the Chief Minister of Sindh?
a) Manzoor Wassan b) Zulfiqar Mirza
c) Qaim Ali Shah d) Sharmeela Farooqui
- 15- In November 2011, the World population is approximately:
a) 6 bn b) 7 bn c) 8 bn d) 9 bn



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ANSWER KEY

Part – I Vocabulary		Part – II Sentence Formation		Part – III Reading Comprehension		Part – IV Series		Part – V Arithmetic		Part – VI Word Problems		Part - VII G.K.	
1.	A	1.	C	1.	A	1.	A	1.	A	1.	C	1.	A
2.	A	2.	D	2.	A	2.	A	2.	C	2.	A	2.	A
3.	A	3.	B	3.	B	3.	A	3.	B	3.	B	3.	A
4.	A	4.	D	4.	B	4.	A	4.	D	4.	B	4.	B
5.	A	5.	D	5.	A	5.	A	5.	A	5.	B	5.	B
6.	A	6.	D	6.	B	6.	A	6.	C	6.	C	6.	A
7.	B	7.	C	7.	A	7.	A	7.	B	7.	B	7.	A
8.	C	8.	C	8.	A	8.	A	8.	A	8.	B	8.	A
9.	B	9.	C	9.	A	9.	A	9.	C	9.	A	9.	C
10.	C	10.	D	10.	D	10.	A	10.	B	10.	D	10.	A
11.	B							11.	D	11.	C	11.	A
12.	B							12.	A	12.	A	12.	A
13.	B							13.	B	13.	B	13.	C
14.	A							14.	C	14.	D	14.	C
15.	A							15.	D	15.	A	15.	B

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