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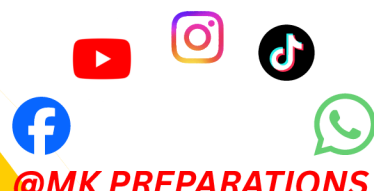
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January 2026

1. International Events & Global Affairs

Key Geopolitical Events

- **Bulgaria adopts the Euro:** On **January 1, 2026**, Bulgaria officially adopted the euro, becoming the 21st country to join the single currency.
- **US-Venezuela Crisis:**
 - On **January 3, 2026**, the US attacked Venezuela and "captured" President Nicolas Maduro. President Trump announced the US would "run" Venezuela until a political transition.
 - The capture drew parallels to the US invasions of Panama (Manuel Noriega) and Iraq (Saddam Hussein).
 - Venezuela's Vice President **Delcy Rodriguez** was sworn in as interim president on **January 5, 2026**.
- **Ukraine-Russia Conflict & Peace Efforts:**
 - **January 4, 2026:** Security advisers from Ukraine's top allies met in Kyiv to discuss a US-brokered peace plan.
 - **January 6, 2026:** Ukraine's key allies met in Paris to discuss security guarantees. The US and 35 countries pledged "robust" security guarantees, with the US leading a truce monitoring mechanism.
 - **January 24, 2026:** Ukraine and Russia ended two days of US-brokered talks in Abu Dhabi without an agreement. The next round was set for February 1.
- **US-Greenland Tensions:**
 - **January 5, 2026:** Denmark's PM warned that any US move to take Greenland by force would destroy 80 years of transatlantic security links.
 - **January 9, 2026:** President Trump threatened to "take" Greenland.
 - **January 17, 2026:** European soldiers arrived in Greenland to boost security after talks highlighted disagreements with the US.
- **US Withdrawals from International Organizations:**
 - The Trump administration announced withdrawal from **66 international organizations**.
 - Withdrawal from the **Paris Agreement** will take effect on **January 27, 2026**.
 - US withdrawal from the **WHO** was "completed" on **January 22, 2026**.
 - California became the first US state to join the WHO's global outbreak response network on **January 23, 2026**.
- **Trump's "Board of Peace":**
 - The "Board of Peace" was proposed in September 2025 and formally launched on **January 22, 2026** in Davos, Switzerland.
 - 60 countries were invited; 26 founding members were announced on **January 28, 2026**, including **Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, UAE, Turkiye, and Egypt**.
 - President Trump is the inaugural Chairman.
- **Other Key Events:**
 - **January 7, 2026:** China began its annual New Year tour of Africa.

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- **January 10, 2026:** OIC held an extraordinary session in Jeddah, condemning Israel's recognition of Somaliland.
- **January 12, 2026:** The International Crisis Group (ICG) named **Pakistan** the worst-affected country by the Taliban's 2021 takeover of Afghanistan.
- **January 15, 2026:** The Philippines and Japan signed two new defense pacts.
- **January 17, 2026:** EU and South America's **Mercosur bloc** signed a major free trade agreement after 25 years of negotiations.
- **January 18, 2026:** Iraq announced the complete withdrawal of US-led forces.
- **January 27, 2026:** India and the EU signed a free trade agreement, hailed as "the mother of all deals".
- **January 28, 2026:** Eleven countries condemned Israel's demolition of the UNRWA headquarters in East Jerusalem.
- **January 30, 2026:** South Africa ordered Israel's top diplomat to leave the country within 72 hours.

Global Economy & Environment

- **Global Passport Power Index 2026:** Pakistan ranked **99th** (down from 92nd in 2025). UAE was ranked first.
- **Warmest Years on Record:**
 - 2025 was Britain's hottest and sunniest year.
 - Globally, 2025 was the **third hottest year** on record. The years 2023-2025 were the first time the 1.5°C Paris Agreement limit was exceeded.
- **Climate Risk Index (CRI) 2026:** Pakistan ranked **15th**.
- **World Economic Forum (WEF) 2026:**
 - Held in **Davos, Switzerland**, from **January 19-23, 2026**.
 - Theme: '**A Spirit of Dialogue**'.
 - PM Shehbaz Sharif and COAS Field Marshal Asim Munir attended.
 - PM Shehbaz signed the Gaza Board of Peace charter on the sidelines.
- **Oxfam Report:** Released on **January 18, 2026**, stating that billionaire wealth surged by \$2.5 trillion in 2025, with over 3,000 billionaires globally.
- **UNEP Report:** 'State of Finance for Nature 2026' found the world spends \$30 on destroying nature for every \$1 invested in protecting it.

Global Appointments & Deaths

- **New Appointments:**
 - **Ambreen Jan** was selected as the new chairperson of **PEMRA**, the first female head of the regulator (Jan 2).
 - **Dr Kabir Ahmed Sidhu** was appointed as the new chairman of the **SECP** (Jan 9).
 - **Muhammad Ali Farid Khwaja** was appointed as SECP commissioner (Jan 28).
 - **Mehmood Khan Achakzai** was appointed leader of the opposition in the National Assembly (Jan 16).
 - **Syria's President Ahmed al-Sharaa** recognized Kurdish as a national language (Jan 16).
 - **Burma's Than Swe** held talks with FM Ishaq Dar in Islamabad (Jan 26).
- **Notable Deaths:**

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- **January 2:** World Introvert Day
- **January 4:** World Braille Day
- **January 8:** Earth's Rotation Day
- **January 9:** International Choreographers Day
- **January 10:** World Hindi Day
- **January 11:** Heritage Treasures Day
- **January 14:** World Logic Day
- **January 18:** World Snow Day
- **January 20:** International Day of Acceptance
- **January 24:** International Day of Education (Theme: *The power of youth in co-creating education*)
- **January 26:** International Day of Clean Energy
- **January 28:** International Day of Peaceful Coexistence
- **January 30:** World Neglected Tropical Diseases (NTD) Day

Practice MCQs

1. Which country officially adopted the euro as its currency on January 1, 2026?

- A) Romania
- B) Bulgaria
- C) Croatia
- D) Poland

Answer: Bulgaria

2. What is the name of the indigenously developed air-launched cruise missile successfully test-fired by the Pakistan Air Force on January 3, 2026?

- A) Ra'ad
- B) Babur
- C) Taimoor
- D) Shaheen

Answer: Taimoor

3. The seventh round of the Pakistan-China Foreign Ministers' Strategic Dialogue was co-chaired by Deputy Prime Minister Ishaq Dar in which city on January 4, 2026?

- A) Islamabad
- B) Shanghai
- C) Beijing
- D) Karachi

Answer: Beijing

4. Which country became the 21st member of the eurozone on January 1, 2026?

- A) Hungary
- B) Bulgaria
- C) Poland
- D) Czech Republic

Answer: Bulgaria

5. Who was selected as the new chairperson of the Pakistan Electronic Media Regulatory Authority (Pemra) on January 2, 2026, becoming the first female head of the regulator?

- A) Ambreen Jan
- B) Bushra Gohar
- C) Shireen Mazari
- D) Firdous Ashiq Awan

Answer: Ambreen Jan

6. The Pakistan Navy conducted a successful live firing of which surface-to-air missile from a vertical launching system during an exercise in the North Arabian Sea on January 10, 2026?

- A) Anza
- B) LY-80 (N)
- C) RBS-70



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D) FM-90

Answer: LY-80 (N)

7. What is the theme of the World Economic Forum 2026 held in Davos from January 19 to 23?

- A) The Great Reset
- B) A Spirit of Dialogue
- C) Building a Sustainable Future
- D) Cooperation in a Fragmented World

Answer: A Spirit of Dialogue

8. Which country was ranked first in the Global Passport Power Index 2026?

- A) Singapore
- B) Spain
- C) Japan
- D) UAE

Answer: UAE

9. Which country's president, Nicolas Maduro, was reportedly captured by US forces on January 3, 2026?

- A) Venezuela
- B) Cuba
- C) Nicaragua
- D) Bolivia

Answer: Venezuela

10. Pakistan and Saudi Arabia are in talks to convert about \$2 billion of Saudi loans into a deal for which fighter jet?

- A) JF-17 Thunder
- B) F-16 Fighting Falcon
- C) Mirage 2000
- D) J-10CE

Answer: JF-17 Thunder

11. Which country inaugurated the 12th session of the Saudi-Tunisian Joint Committee in Riyadh in January 2026?

- A) Bandar Alkhoraeyef, Minister of Industry and Mineral Resources
- B) Khalid Al-Falih
- C) Mohammed Al-Jadaan
- D) Faisal Al-Ibrahim

Answer: Bandar Alkhoraeyef, Minister of Industry and Mineral Resources

12. Which province of Pakistan launched the country's first Green Policing Unit on January 22, 2026?

- A) Sindh
- B) Punjab
- C) Khyber Pakhtunkhwa
- D) Balochistan

Answer: Punjab

13. What is the name of the newly launched Urdu-first large language model (AI) developed by a Pakistani student?

- A) UrduGPT
- B) Qalb
- C) Rekhta AI
- D) Zaban

Answer: Qalb

14. Which country announced the withdrawal of US-led coalition forces from its federal territory on January 18, 2026?

- A) Syria
- B) Iraq
- C) Afghanistan
- D) Yemen

Answer: Iraq

15. Pakistan's passport ranking improved to which position on the Henley Index in 2026?

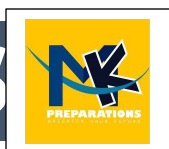
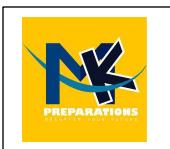
- A) 92nd
- B) 95th
- C) 98th
- D) 103rd

Answer: 98th

16. The United States announced its withdrawal from which international agreement for the second time, effective January 27, 2026?

- A) Kyoto Protocol
- B) Paris Agreement
- C) Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty
- D) Iran Nuclear Deal

Answer: Paris Agreement



February 2026

1. International Events & Global Affairs

Key Geopolitical Events

- **US-Iran Nuclear Talks:**
 - Indirect talks between the US and Iran were held in Oman on **February 6, 2026**, mediated by Oman.
 - A second round of indirect talks was held in Geneva, Switzerland, on **February 17, 2026**.
 - A third round of nuclear negotiations was held in Geneva on **February 26, 2026**, with Oman as the mediator. Technical-level discussions were planned for Vienna next week.
- **US-Israel Joint Attack on Iran (Major Event):**
 - On **February 28, 2026**, Israel and the United States launched a joint attack (codename: Roaring Lion by Israel, Operation Epic Fury by the US) on various sites in Iran.
 - **Key Iranian officials killed:**
 - **Supreme Leader Ayatollah Ali Khamenei** (assassinated, ruled for over 30 years since 1989).
 - **Abdolrahim Mousavi**, Chief of Staff of Iran's armed forces.
 - **Aziz Nasirzadeh**, Minister of Defence.
 - **Mohammad Pakpour**, Commander-in-Chief of the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps (IRGC).
 - A three-person council (President Pezeshkian, Chief Justice, and a Guardian Council jurist) temporarily assumed leadership duties. Iran began 40 days of mourning.
 - Iran retaliated by attacking US assets in Gulf Arab states (Bahrain, Kuwait, Qatar, UAE).
 - The attack sparked global concern, with France calling for an urgent UN Security Council meeting.
- **Ukraine-Russia Peace Talks:**
 - Ukrainian and Russian negotiators began a second round of US-brokered talks in Abu Dhabi on **February 4, 2026**.
 - Trilateral talks between the US, Ukraine, and Russia began in Geneva, Switzerland, on **February 17, 2026**, with a second day of talks described as "difficult."
 - A third round of peace negotiations was held in Switzerland in mid-February.
 - On **February 6, 2026**, Ukraine and Russia exchanged 157 prisoners of war each (total 314), including civilians.
- **US and India Trade Deal:**
 - On **February 2, 2026**, US President Donald Trump announced a trade deal with India, under which India agreed to stop buying Russian oil.
 - As part of the deal, the US agreed to reduce tariffs on Indian goods to approximately **18%**.
 - India agreed to purchase large volumes of US energy and other products, totaling roughly **\$500 billion**.
- **Board of Peace Developments:**



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- Ski mountaineering was a new discipline.
- **PSL Franchise Sale:**
 - The PSL franchise **Multan Sultans** was sold to Walee Technologies for **Rs2.45 billion** on **February 9, 2026**.
 - Walee Technologies announced it would change the team name to **Rawalpindi**.
- **T20 World Cup 2026:**
 - Italy is the debutant team.
 - On **February 12, 2026**, Italy stunned Nepal by 10 wickets in Mumbai for their first-ever T20 World Cup win.
- **Other Sports:**
 - **Haider Ali** won a gold medal in discus throw at the World Para Athletics Grand Prix in Dubai.
 - **Sirbaz Khan** and **Abid Baig** were declared the first Pakistanis to verifiably reach the true summit of Tirich Mir.

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Current Major Positions in Pakistan

Category	Position	Office-Holder
Federal	President	Asif Ali Zardari
	Prime Minister	Shehbaz Sharif
	Chairman of the Senate	Yousaf Raza Gillani
	Speaker of the National Assembly	Not confirmed
	Chief Justice / Head of Constitutional Court	Not clearly confirmed
	Chief of Army Staff / Defense Forces	Field Marshal Asim Munir
	National Security Advisor	Not clearly confirmed
Key Federal Cabinet Ministers	Defense	Khawaja Muhammad Asif
	Law, Justice & Human Rights	Azam Nazir Tarar
	Communications	Abdul Aleem Khan
	Climate Change	Musadik Malik
	Education	Khalid Maqbool Siddiqui
	Overseas Pakistanis & Human Resource Development	Chaudhry Salik Hussain
	National Food Security	Rana Tanveer Hussain
	Board of Investment	Qaiser Ahmed Sheikh
	Railways	Hanif Abbasi
Health (National Health Services)	Mustafa Kamal	

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	Religious Affairs & Interfaith Harmony	Sardar Muhammad Yousaf
	Information Technology & Telecommunication	Shaza Fatima Khawaja
	Parliamentary Affairs	Dr. Tariq Fazal Chaudhry
	Petroleum	Ali Pervaiz Malik
	National Heritage & Culture	Aurangzeb Khan Khichi
	Science & Technology	Khalid Hussain Magsi
	Water Resources	Mueen Wattoo
	Maritime Affairs	Muhammad Junaid Anwar
	Defense Production	Muhammad Raza Hayat Hiraj
Provinces (Chief Ministers)	Punjab	Maryam Nawaz Sharif
	Sindh	Syed Murad Ali Shah
	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	Sohail Afridi
	Balochistan	Sarfraz Bugti

Major National & International Events Of 2025

Date	Event	Category	Importance
Jan 1	Croatia completes euro integration	International	Economic & EU monetary expansion
Jan (mid)	World Economic Forum (Davos)	International	Global economy, AI, geopolitics



January 2025

National Current Affairs

1. Which country became a non-permanent member of the UNSC for the **8th time** on **1 January 2025**? Answer: **Pakistan** Explanation: Pakistan secured **182 votes** in the **UN General Assembly** to join the **UN Security Council** as a non-permanent member for the term **2025-2026**.
2. How many votes did **Pakistan** secure in the **UNGA** for its **eighth term** on the UNSC on **1 January 2025**? Answer: **182** Explanation: The high vote count reflects strong global support for Pakistan's diplomatic standing and its contributions to international peace.
3. When will **Pakistan** preside over the **United Nations Security Council (UNSC)** during its **2025-2026 term**? Answer: **July 2025** Explanation: The presidency rotates monthly among the **15 UNSC members**; Pakistan's turn falls in the seventh month of its two-year term.
4. Which province in **Pakistan** reported the highest number of **polio cases** in **2024** as highlighted in **January 2025**? Answer: **Balochistan** Explanation: Persistent security challenges and vaccine hesitancy contributed to **Balochistan** recording the most cases among all provinces.
5. Which country suffered the highest economic losses from **internet shutdowns** in **2024** according to data released in **January 2025**? Answer: **Pakistan** Explanation: Frequent internet blackouts for security and political reasons severely impacted e-commerce, freelancing, and digital services.
6. What was the cumulative financial impact of **internet shutdowns** in **Pakistan** during **2024**? Answer: **\$1.62 billion** Explanation: The figure underscores the trade-off between short-term control measures and long-term economic productivity.
7. Where did **Pakistan** rank on the **GFP Index** for global military power in **January 2025**? Answer: **12th out of 145** Explanation: The **Global Firepower Index** evaluates **145 nations** based on over **60 factors**; **Pakistan Air Force (PAF)** ranked **7th** globally.
8. What is the ranking of **PAF** among the world's most powerful air forces according to **Global Firepower** in **January 2025**? Answer: **Seventh** Explanation: Advanced fleet upgrades, pilot training, and indigenous missile systems bolstered **PAF's** global standing.

Practice MCQs

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1. Which country became a non-permanent member of the UNSC for the 8th time on 1 January 2025?

- A) India
- B) Pakistan
- C) Bangladesh
- D) Turkey

Answer: B) Pakistan

2. How many votes did Pakistan secure in the UNGA for its UNSC seat in January 2025?

- A) 170
- B) 182
- C) 190
- D) 200

Answer: B) 182

3. When will Pakistan preside over the UNSC during its 2025-2026 term?

- A) March 2025
- B) July 2025
- C) October 2025
- D) December 2025

Answer: B) July 2025

4. Which province recorded the highest polio cases in Pakistan in 2024?

- A) Punjab
- B) Sindh
- C) Balochistan
- D) KP

Answer: C) Balochistan

5. What was Pakistan's economic loss from internet shutdowns in 2024?

- A) \$1 billion
- B) \$1.62 billion
- C) \$2 billion
- D) \$2.5 billion

Answer: B) \$1.62 billion

6. What is Pakistan's rank on the Global Firepower Index 2025?

- A) 10th
- B) 12th
- C) 14th
- D) 15th

Answer: B) 12th out of 145

7. Which organization projected Pakistan's GDP growth at 3.4% for FY25 in January 2025?

- A) IMF
- B) World Bank
- C) United Nations
- D) ADB

Answer: C) United Nations (UN)

8. When is the AMAN-25 multinational naval exercise scheduled in Karachi?

- A) 1–5 February 2025
- B) 7–11 February 2025
- C) 15–19 February 2025
- D) 20–24 February 2025

Answer: B) 7–11 February 2025

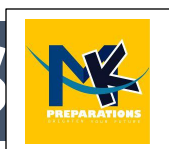
9. From where was Pakistan's first indigenous EO-I satellite launched on 17 January 2025?

- A) Sriharikota, India
- B) Baikonur, Kazakhstan
- C) Jiuquan, China
- D) Kourou, French Guiana

Answer: C) Jiuquan Satellite Launch Centre, China

10. To which European city did PIA resume flights after lifting of EU ban in January 2025?

- A) London
- B) Paris
- C) Frankfurt



February 2025

National Current Affairs

1. What was **Pakistan's** global rank in the **2024 Democracy Index**? Answer: **124**
Explanation: The **Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU)** ranked **Pakistan** 124th out of 167 countries, reflecting challenges in electoral processes and civil liberties.
2. Which country was recently ranked among the top 10 worst performers in the **2024 Democracy Index**? Answer: **Pakistan**
Explanation: **Pakistan** joined nine other nations in the lowest category due to military influence and restrictions on political freedoms.
3. In the **2024 Democracy Index**, **Pakistan** was ranked under which category? Answer: **Authoritarian regime**
Explanation: The classification highlights limited pluralism and suppression of opposition voices in governance.
4. What is **Pakistan's** ranking on the **Corruption Perceptions Index (CPI) 2024** according to **Transparency International**? Answer: **135 out of 180 countries**
Explanation: The score of 27/100 indicates persistent issues in public sector integrity and anti-corruption enforcement.
5. **President of Turkey, Recep Tayyip Erdogan**, visited **Pakistan** on: Answer: **12-13 February 2025**
Explanation: The visit strengthened bilateral ties in defense, trade, and counter-terrorism, with agreements worth \$2 billion signed.
6. The **7th Pakistan-Turkey High-Level Strategic Cooperation Council** led to how many agreements? Answer: **Many**
Explanation: Discussions covered economic corridors, energy, and security, resulting in multiple MoUs to enhance strategic partnership.
7. The **Jinnah Avenue Interchange** was named after which country's president? Answer: **Turkey**
Explanation: Named after **Recep Tayyip Erdogan** on **18 February 2025**, it symbolizes enduring friendship and infrastructure collaboration.
8. Which country did **Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif** visit on **25-26 February 2025**? Answer: **Uzbekistan**
Explanation: The visit focused on regional connectivity via **CASA-1000** and trade enhancement under the **SCO** framework.
9. Where was the **3rd Round of Bilateral Political Consultations (BPC)** between **Pakistan** and **Uzbekistan** held on **5 February 2025**? Answer: **Tashkent**
Explanation: Co-chaired by foreign secretaries, it addressed economic cooperation and Afghan peace processes.

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M 1. What was Pakistan's global rank in the 2024 Democracy Index?

- A) 100
- B) 124
- C) 150
- D) 167

Answer: B) 124

K 2. Which category was Pakistan ranked under in the 2024 Democracy Index?

- A) Flawed democracy
- B) Hybrid regime
- C) Authoritarian regime
- D) Full democracy

Answer: C) Authoritarian regime

P 3. What is Pakistan's ranking on the Corruption Perceptions Index 2024?

- A) 120 out of 180
- B) 135 out of 180
- C) 150 out of 180
- D) 165 out of 180

Answer: B) 135 out of 180 countries

A 4. President of Turkey, Recep Tayyip Erdogan, visited Pakistan on:

- A) 5-6 February 2025
- B) 12-13 February 2025
- C) 20-21 February 2025
- D) 25-26 February 2025

Answer: B) 12-13 February 2025

N 5. The Jinnah Avenue Interchange was named after which country's president?

- A) Azerbaijan
- B) Turkey
- C) UAE
- D) Uzbekistan

Answer: B) Turkey

6. Which port in Pakistan became the first to integrate electric trucks?

- A) Gwadar Port
- B) Hutchison Ports Pakistan
- C) Port Qasim
- D) Karachi Port

Answer: B) Hutchison Ports Pakistan

7. How many countries participated in AMAN 2025 exercise?

- A) 40
- B) 50
- C) 60
- D) 70

Answer: C) 60

8. Which team won the ICC Champions Trophy 2025?

- A) Pakistan
- B) India
- C) New Zealand
- D) Australia

Answer: B) India

9. What is the motto of the AMAN exercise?

- A) United for Peace
- B) Together for Peace
- C) Maritime Unity
- D) Global Harmony

Answer: B) Together for Peace

10. Pakistan's fertility rate in 2024 according to UN World Fertility Report is:

- A) 2.6
- B) 3.6
- C) 4.6
- D) 5.6

Answer: B) 3.6



March 2025

National Current Affairs

1. What is Pakistan's rank in the World Happiness Report 2025?

Answer: 109th

2. What is Pakistan's rank in the Global Terrorism Index 2025 out of 163 countries?

Answer: 2nd (Note: The file contained a contradiction; it states Pakistan is 2nd, not 162nd. 1st was Burkina Faso.)

3. Which institution published the Global Terrorism Index (GTI) 2025 report?

Answer: Institute for Economics and Peace (IEP)

4. By what percentage did terrorism-related deaths increase in Pakistan in 2024?

Answer: 45%

5. How many terrorism-related deaths occurred in Pakistan in 2024, compared to 748 in 2023?

Answer: 1,081

6. Who from Pakistan was selected for the 'Excellence in Performance Award 2025' by the International Association of Women Police (IAWP) in March 2025?

Answer: Ayesha Butt

7. Which Pakistani novelist won "Young Woman of the Year" at the Women Changing the World Awards 2025?

Answer: Alishba Khan

8. What tariff did the U.S. impose on imports from Pakistan in March 2025?

Answer: 29%

9. Who holds the record for the fastest T20 century for Pakistan, scoring a hundred in just 44 balls against New Zealand in March 2025?

Answer: Hasan Nawaz

10. Which company received a No Objection Certificate (NOC) from the PTA to launch satellite internet services in Pakistan in March 2025?

Answer: Starlink

11. Which country hosted the ICC Champions Trophy in 2025?

Answer: Pakistan

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1. What is Pakistan's rank in the World Happiness Report 2025?

- A) 95th
- B) 109th
- C) 120th
- D) 135th

Answer: B) 109th

2. What is Pakistan's rank in the Global Terrorism Index 2025 out of 163 countries?

- A) 150th
- B) 162nd
- C) 163rd
- D) 140th

Answer: B) 162nd

3. By what percentage did terrorism-related deaths increase in Pakistan in 2024?

- A) 25%
- B) 45%
- C) 60%
- D) 35%

Answer: B) 45%

4. In March 2025, who from Pakistan was selected for the Excellence in Performance Award 2025 by IAWP?

- A) Alisha Khan
- B) Ayesha Butt
- C) Bushra Ansari
- D) Hina Munawar

Answer: B) Ayesha Butt

5. In March 2025, what tariff did the U.S. impose on imports from Pakistan?

- A) 19%
- B) 25%
- C) 29%

D) 35%

Answer: C) 29%

6. Which company received a No Objection Certificate from PTA to launch satellite internet services in Pakistan in March 2025?

- A) OneWeb
- B) Starlink
- C) Amazon Kuiper
- D) HughesNet

Answer: B) Starlink

7. What is the current interest rate set by the State Bank of Pakistan?

- A) 10%
- B) 12%
- C) 15%
- D) 8%

Answer: B) 12%

8. Which team won the ICC Champions Trophy 2025?

- A) New Zealand
- B) Pakistan
- C) India
- D) Australia

Answer: C) India

9. Who was the Player of the Series in Champions Trophy 2025?

- A) Rohit Sharma
- B) Matt Henry
- C) Rachin Ravindra
- D) Mohammed Shami

Answer: C) Rachin Ravindra

10. How many matches were played in ICC Champions Trophy 2025?

- A) 12
- B) 15



April 2025

National Current Affairs

1. Which university ranked 1st in Pakistan and 13th in Asia in The Asia University Rankings 2025? **Quaid-i-Azam University (QAU)**. This ranking highlights QAU's excellence in research and teaching, positioning it as a leading institution for higher education in South Asia.
2. Who has been appointed as the new Chairman of the Asian Cricket Council (ACC)? **Mushin Nagvi**. The appointment strengthens regional cricket governance, promoting development and tournaments across Asian nations.
3. Who has been appointed as the first Christian Deputy Commissioner in Sindh? **Sarah Javed**. This milestone appointment promotes religious diversity and inclusivity in Pakistan's administrative services.
4. Who has been appointed as the new DG of the Federal Investigation Agency (FIA)? **Riffat Mukhtar Raja**. Raja's leadership focuses on enhancing counter-terrorism and cybercrime investigations at the national level.
5. Which Pakistani city was declared the ECO Tourism Capital for 2027? **Lahore**. The declaration aims to boost eco-friendly tourism, cultural heritage promotion, and economic growth in the region.
6. What position did Pakistan's passport secure in the Nomad Passport Index 2025? **19th**. This ranking reflects improved visa-free access, aiding mobility for Pakistani citizens in global travel.
7. Who was named captain of the ICC Women's World Cup Qualifier 2025 team of the tournament? **Fatima Sana**. Her leadership and performance underscored Pakistan's rising prowess in women's international cricket.
8. In April 2025, Pakistan's IT exports reached a record of? **\$5.2 billion**. The surge was driven by expanded GCC client bases and supportive State Bank of Pakistan policies.
9. Which city recorded the highest temperature in April 2025? **Sibi (48°C)**. The extreme heat in Balochistan raised alarms on climate resilience, water scarcity, and public health measures.

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1. Which university topped the Asia University Rankings 2025 in Pakistan?

- A) NUST
- B) Quaid-i-Azam University
- C) LUMS
- D) Aga Khan University

Answer: B) Quaid-i-Azam University

2. What was Pakistan's IT exports record in April 2025?

- A) \$3.2 billion
- B) \$5.2 billion
- C) \$4.5 billion
- D) \$6.1 billion

Answer: B) \$5.2 billion

3. Which treaty did India suspend following the Pahalgam attack on April 22, 2025?

- A) Simla Agreement
- B) Indus Waters Treaty
- C) Tashkent Declaration
- D) Lahore Declaration

Answer: B) Indus Waters Treaty

4. Which city recorded Pakistan's highest temperature of 48°C in April 2025?

- A) Jacobabad
- B) Larkana
- C) Sibi
- D) Turbat

Answer: C) Sibi

5. What tariff did the US impose on Pakistani imports in April 2025?

- A) 19%
- B) 29%
- C) 15%
- D) 35%

Answer: B) 29%

6. Which province launched the Pink Electric Scooter Scheme for women in April 2025?

- A) Punjab
- B) Khyber Pakhtunkhwa
- C) Sindh
- D) Balochistan

Answer: C) Sindh

7. How many Taliban militants were killed in North Waziristan on April 27, 2025?

- A) 30
- B) 40
- C) 54
- D) 60

Answer: C) 54

8. Which country will host the FIFA Women's World Cup 2027?

- A) United States
- B) Brazil
- C) Australia
- D) Saudi Arabia

Answer: B) Brazil

9. Which country declared the end of the Ebola Sudan virus outbreak in April 2025?

- A) Congo
- B) Uganda
- C) Sierra Leone
- D) Liberia

Answer: B) Uganda

10. Who won the 2025 World Press Photo of the Year award?

- A) Lynsey Addario
- B) Samar Abu Elouf
- C) James Nachtwey



May 2025

National Current Affairs

1. What was Pakistan's ranking in the 2025 World Press Freedom Index? **Answer: 158th**

Explanation: This ranking reflects challenges in media freedom, including restrictions on journalists and online censorship, as reported by Reporters Without Borders, highlighting the need for stronger protections in Pakistan's democratic framework.

2. What was Pakistan's ranking in the Human Development Index 2025? **Answer: 168th**

Explanation: The HDI measures life expectancy, education, and per capita income; Pakistan's position indicates ongoing issues in education access and healthcare equity, urging policy interventions for sustainable growth.

3. To which rank was Army Chief **General Asim Munir** promoted on **20 May 2025**? **Answer: Field Marshal**

Explanation: This historic promotion, the first since Ayub Khan in 1959, recognizes Munir's leadership during the recent India-Pakistan conflict, symbolizing military prestige and national resilience.

4. **Asim Munir** became the **Field Marshal** in the history of Pakistan. **Answer: 2nd**

Explanation: Only two officers, including Ayub Khan, have held this five-star rank, underscoring its rarity and the exceptional circumstances of wartime valor.

5. **Asim Munir** was promoted to **Field Marshal** after the successful completion of which operation? **Answer: Operation Bunyan-un-Marsoos**

Explanation: Launched in response to Indian aggression, this operation involved precision strikes and drone defenses, marking a pivotal defensive success that averted escalation.

6. Who was the first Pakistani Army general to hold the five-star **Field Marshal** rank? **Answer: General Ayub Khan**

Explanation: Ayub Khan's 1959 promotion set a precedent during political instability; it later led to his presidency, illustrating the rank's dual military and political implications.

7. Who is the current National Security Advisor of Pakistan? **Answer: General Asim Malik**



May 28:

- **Youm-e-Takbeer** was observed nationwide, commemorating Pakistan's first successful nuclear tests in 1998.

May 30:

- The **Pakistan Meteorological Department (PMD)** issued a warning for a "super-cyclone" expected to hit near Karachi in early June.

May 31:

- The **Finance Minister** presented the **Federal Budget for FY 2025-26** with a total outlay of **Rs. 18.5 trillion**.

Practice MCQs

1. What was the name of the military operation launched by Pakistan in response to Indian aggression in May 2025?

- A) Operation Sindoor
- B) Operation Bunyan-un-Marsoos
- C) Operation Fatah
- D) Operation Abdali

Answer: B) Operation Bunyan-un-Marsoos

2. Which country mediated the ceasefire between India and Pakistan on 10 May 2025?

- A) China
- B) USA
- C) Russia
- D) Turkey

Answer: B) USA

3. Who was promoted to the rank of Field Marshal in Pakistan on 20 May 2025?

- A) General Ayub Khan
- B) General Asim Munir
- C) General Asim Malik

D) Air Marshal Zaheer Ahmed Babar
Answer: B) General Asim Munir

4. What was Pakistan's ranking in the 2025 World Press Freedom Index?

- A) 150th
- B) 158th
- C) 168th
- D) 180th

Answer: B) 158th

5. Which team won the 10th edition of the Pakistan Super League in 2025?

- A) Quetta Gladiators
- B) Lahore Qalandars
- C) Karachi Kings
- D) Islamabad United

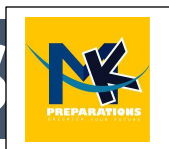
Answer: B) Lahore Qalandars

6. What is the current SBP interest rate in Pakistan as of May 2025?

- A) 9%
- B) 11%
- C) 13%
- D) 15%

Answer: B) 11%

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June 2025

National Current Affairs

1. Who has recently been appointed vice chair of the **UNSC Counter-Terrorism Committee**? **Answer: Pakistan**

M Explanation: Pakistan was elected unopposed as vice-chair of the **UN Security Council Counter-Terrorism Committee** for 2025-26, highlighting its leadership in global anti-terrorism efforts.

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2. In June 2025, Pakistan was appointed chair of a **UN Security Council** committee that oversees sanctions on which group? **Answer: Taliban**

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Explanation: Pakistan assumed chairmanship of the **UNSC 1988 Sanctions Committee** focused on **Taliban** and associated individuals and entities.

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3. Who was appointed as Chairman of the **Gwadar Port Authority** in June 2025? **Answer: Shah Irfan Ahmed Gharsheen**

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Explanation: **Shah Irfan Ahmed Gharsheen** was appointed to lead the strategic **Gwadar Port** under the **China-Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC)**.

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4. Who is the current chairman of **Gwadar Port Authority**? **Answer: Shah Irfan Ahmed Gharsheen**

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Explanation: The appointment confirmed in June 2025 remains effective.

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5. According to the **UN World Economic Situation and Prospects Report**, what is Pakistan's projected economic growth for 2025? **Answer: 2.3%**

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Explanation: The **UN WESP mid-2025 update** forecasted **2.3%** GDP growth for Pakistan amid fiscal reforms and external pressures.

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6. What is the ranking of Pakistan in **Global Firepower Index 2025**? **Answer: 12th**

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Explanation: Pakistan maintained its **12th position** globally in military strength per the **Global Firepower 2025** rankings.

7. What is the rank of Pakistan in **World Happiness Index 2025**? **Answer: 109th**

Practice MCQs

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1. Who was appointed as Chairman of the Gwadar Port Authority in June 2025?

- A) Pasand Khan Buledi
- B) Shah Irfan Ahmed Gharsheen
- C) Zafar Mahmood
- D) Aasim Hussain

Answer: B) Shah Irfan Ahmed Gharsheen

2. According to the Economic Survey 2024-25, which province has the lowest literacy rate in Pakistan?

- A) Sindh
- B) Khyber Pakhtunkhwa
- C) Balochistan
- D) Gilgit-Baltistan

Answer: C) Balochistan

3. What was the total outlay of the Federal Budget 2025-26 presented on June 10, 2025?

- A) Rs. 15.5 trillion
- B) Rs. 17.573 trillion
- C) Rs. 19.2 trillion
- D) Rs. 14.1 trillion

Answer: B) Rs. 17.573 trillion

4. On which date did a suicide attack in North Waziristan kill 16 Pakistani soldiers?

- A) June 18
- B) June 22
- C) June 28
- D) June 30

Answer: C) June 28

5. Which country launched 'Operation Rising Lion' against Iranian nuclear facilities in June 2025?

- A) USA
- B) Israel

C) UAE

D) UK

Answer: B) Israel

6. What is Pakistan's rank in the Global Firepower Index 2025?

- A) 10th
- B) 12th
- C) 15th
- D) 18th

Answer: B) 12th

7. Who became the first Pakistani woman inducted into the ICC Hall of Fame?

- A) Bismah Maroof
- B) Sana Mir
- C) Nida Dar
- D) Javeria Khan

Answer: B) Sana Mir

8. What was the projected GDP growth rate for Pakistan in the Federal Budget 2025-26?

- A) 3.8%
- B) 4.2%
- C) 4.5%
- D) 5.1%

Answer: B) 4.2%

9. Which operation did the USA use to strike Iranian nuclear sites on June 22, 2025?

- A) Desert Storm
- B) Midnight Hammer
- C) Iron Dome
- D) True Promise

Answer: B) Midnight Hammer

10. Where was the first case of polio since 2018 reported in Pakistan in June 2025?

- A) Karachi
- B) Quetta



July 2025

National Current Affairs

1. Which country became a non-permanent member of the UNSC for 8th time? Answer: Pakistan

M Explanation: Pakistan was elected with 182 votes in the UN General Assembly in June 2025, securing its 8th term for 2026-27.

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2. How many votes did Pakistan secure in UNGA for its 8th term on the UNSC? Answer: 182

P Explanation: 182 out of 190 votes were cast in favor, reflecting strong multilateral support.

3. When did Pakistan assume the UN Security Council presidency for the 8th time? Answer: 1 July 2025

P Explanation: The presidency rotates alphabetically; Pakistan succeeded Switzerland on 1 July 2025.

4. Pakistan's UNSC presidency in July 2025 started after which country's term ended? Answer: Switzerland

A Explanation: Switzerland held the presidency in June 2025 before transferring it to Pakistan.

5. Who has become the first Hindu woman Assistant Commissioner in Balochistan? Answer: Kashish Chaudhary

O Explanation: Appointed in July 2025, she marks a historic step in minority empowerment in Balochistan.

6. Who has been appointed first Christian Deputy Commissioner in the history of Sindh? Answer: Sarah Javed

S Explanation: Her appointment in July 2025 promotes inclusivity in Sindh's civil administration.

7. Who became the first female train driver in Pakistan? Answer: Nida Saleh

Explanation: Nida Saleh started operating trains under Pakistan Railways in July 2025.

Current Affairs 2025

Practice MCQs

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1. Pakistan assumed the UNSC presidency for the 8th time on:

- A) 1 June 2025
- B) 1 July 2025
- C) 1 August 2025
- D) 1 September 2025

Answer: B) 1 July 2025

2. Who became the first Hindu woman Assistant Commissioner in Balochistan?

- A) Sarah Javed
- B) Nida Saleh
- C) Kashish Chaudhary
- D) Reham Khan

Answer: C) Kashish Chaudhary

3. The new name of Frontier Constabulary (FC) is:

- A) Federal Police
- B) Federal Constabulary
- C) National Guard
- D) Border Security Force

Answer: B) Federal Constabulary

4. Pakistan's urban CPI increased by how much in June 2025?

- A) 2.00%
- B) 3.00%
- C) 4.00%
- D) 5.00%

Answer: B) 3.00%

5. Operation Sarbakaf was launched on:

- A) 25 July 2025
- B) 27 July 2025
- C) 29 July 2025
- D) 31 July 2025

Answer: C) 29 July 2025

6. Which country won the Men's U-18 Asia Cup Hockey Final 2025 against

Pakistan?

- A) India
- B) Japan
- C) Malaysia
- D) South Korea

Answer: B) Japan

7. The 17th BRICS Summit 2025 was held in:

- A) Beijing
- B) New Delhi
- C) Rio de Janeiro
- D) Johannesburg

Answer: C) Rio de Janeiro

8. Which country became the 11th full member of BRICS in July 2025?

- A) Indonesia
- B) Colombia
- C) Uzbekistan
- D) Bulgaria

Answer: A) Indonesia

9. The Karachi building collapse on 4 July 2025 claimed how many lives?

- A) 20
- B) 25
- C) 27
- D) 30

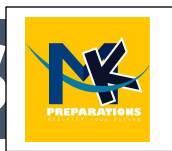
Answer: C) 27

10. Who is the current Chief Justice of Balochistan High Court?

- A) Justice Ishtiaq Ibrahim
- B) Justice Rozi Khan Barrech
- C) Justice Sardar Liaquat Hussain
- D) Justice Naeem Akhtar

Answer: B) Justice Rozi Khan Barrech

11. Which country launched the Nahid-2 telecom satellite in July 2025?



August 2025

National Current Affairs

1. **Recently, in August 2025, Pakistan Army inducted which attack helicopters? Answer: Z-10ME.**

M Explanation: The Z-10ME is an advanced Chinese-made attack helicopter, enhancing Pakistan's
K anti-armor and close air support capabilities with modern avionics and weaponry.

2. **Which country made the Z-10ME attack helicopter inducted by the Pakistan Army in August 2025? Answer: China.**

P Explanation: China Aviation Industry Corporation (AVIC) developed the Z-10 series, with the ME
R variant customized for export to strengthen strategic defence partnerships.

3. **In August 2025, which country signed a \$1.5 billion defence agreement with Pakistan? Answer: Sudan.**

P Explanation: The deal focuses on military training, equipment supply, and joint counter-terrorism
A operations, marking Sudan's pivot toward Asian alliances.

4. **Which country put Balochistan Liberation Army (BLA) on the 'foreign terrorist' list in August 2025? Answer: United States.**

R Explanation: The designation enables sanctions and intelligence sharing, isolating BLA funding
A networks and supporting Pakistan's internal security efforts.

5. **Pakistan formally recognized which country in August 2025? Answer: Armenia.**

T Explanation: This diplomatic move opens avenues for trade in agriculture and technology while
I balancing regional influence in the South Caucasus.

6. **Youm-e-Istihsal is observed in Pakistan on which date? Answer: 5 August.**

O Explanation: It protests India's 2019 revocation of Article 370, reinforcing Pakistan's stance on
N Kashmir through nationwide rallies and UN advocacy.

7. **Recently, Faisal Niaz Tirmizi was appointed envoy to which country? Answer: Russia.**

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1. Pakistan Army inducted which Chinese attack helicopter in August 2025?

- A) J-10C
- B) Z-10ME
- C) WZ-19
- D) AH-64

Answer: B) Z-10ME

2. Youm-e-Istihsal, observed on 5 August, commemorates India's revocation of which article?

- A) Article 35A
- B) Article 370
- C) Article 356
- D) Article 371

Answer: B) Article 370

3. The World Bank approved \$479.9 million for primary education improvement in which province?

- A) Sindh
- B) KPK
- C) Punjab
- D) Balochistan

Answer: C) Punjab

4. Pakistan formally recognized which country diplomatically in August 2025?

- A) Israel
- B) Armenia
- C) Kosovo
- D) Taiwan

Answer: B) Armenia

5. The newly established Pakistan Digital Authority (PDA) was officially formed on:

- A) 15 August 2025
- B) 20 August 2025
- C) 25 August 2025

D) 30 August 2025

Answer: B) 20 August 2025

6. Pilot Officer Rashid Minhas (Nishan-e-Haider) sacrificed his life on:

- A) 10 August
- B) 20 August
- C) 30 August
- D) 14 August

Answer: B) 20 August

7. Which country signed a \$1.5 billion defence deal with Pakistan in August 2025?

- A) Turkey
- B) UAE
- C) Sudan
- D) Qatar

Answer: C) Sudan

8. The Reko Diq copper mine received \$410 million financing from:

- A) IMF
- B) World Bank
- C) Asian Development Bank
- D) Islamic Development Bank

Answer: C) Asian Development Bank

9. Pakistan's new Army Rocket Force Command was announced on:

- A) 4 August
- B) 14 August
- C) 20 August
- D) 31 August

Answer: B) 14 August

10. The 79th Independence Day of Pakistan was celebrated on:

- A) 13 August
- B) 14 August
- C) 15 August



September 2025

National Current Affairs

1. When did Pakistan and Armenia formally establish diplomatic relations? **31 August 2025**
This marks a new chapter in bilateral ties, previously non-existent due to regional alliances.
2. When did President **Asif Ali Zardari** sign the **Anti-Terrorism (Amendment) Bill, 2025** into law? **31 August 2025** The bill strengthens counterterrorism measures with enhanced legal oversight and safeguards.
3. When was **CM Maryam Nawaz Sharif** the first Punjab Chief Minister to officially visit **Japan**? **31 August 2025** This historic visit aimed to boost trade, investment, and cultural ties.
4. On which date did **Pakistan** become the third country in South Asia to establish a dedicated land port authority? **2 September 2025** Follows **Bangladesh** and **India**, enhancing cross-border trade efficiency.
5. When did **Pakistan** and **China** reaffirm their "**iron-clad and all-weather strategic cooperative partnership**"? **2 September 2025** Reaffirmation occurred during high-level talks, emphasizing unique bilateral depth.
6. When did **Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif** and **Russian President Vladimir Putin** agree to enhance bilateral ties? **2 September 2025** Focus on energy, trade, and defense cooperation.
7. When did the **UN** launch the **United Nations Network on Migration (UNNM)** in **Pakistan**? **2 September 2025** Based on the **2016 New York Declaration**, it addresses migration governance and human trafficking.
8. When did **Pakistan** and **Bangladesh** sign **six agreements** on trade, education, culture, and visa-free travel for officials? **Early September 2025** Boosts bilateral cooperation in multiple sectors.
9. When did **Pakistan** receive a **\$6 million** grant from **China** for flood-damaged house reconstruction? **Early September 2025** Part of post-2022 flood recovery efforts.
10. When did the **UN** release **\$600,000** in emergency relief funds for floods in **Pakistan**? **Early September 2025** Supports immediate humanitarian response.

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1. When did Pakistan and Armenia formally establish diplomatic relations?

- A) 1 September 2025
- B) 31 August 2025
- C) 2 September 2025
- D) 15 August 2025

Answer: B) 31 August 2025

2. Where was the 25th SCO Summit held?

- A) Beijing
- B) Tianjin, China
- C) New Delhi
- D) Moscow

Answer: B) Tianjin, China

3. Which country launched the world's first AI-powered bank, Ryt Bank?

- A) Singapore
- B) Malaysia
- C) Japan
- D) South Korea

Answer: B) Malaysia

4. Who was elected as President of the upcoming UNGA session?

- A) António Guterres
- B) Annalena Baerbock
- C) S Jaishankar
- D) Wang Yi

Answer: B) Annalena Baerbock

5. When did Pakistan and China reaffirm their "iron-clad" strategic partnership?

- A) 1 September 2025
- B) 2 September 2025
- C) 3 September 2025
- D) 31 August 2025

Answer: B) 2 September 2025

6. Which organization announced a nuclear reactor on the moon by 2030?

- A) ESA
- B) ISRO
- C) NASA
- D) Roscosmos

Answer: C) NASA

7. When did Pakistan declare a climate and agricultural emergency?

- A) 8 September 2025
- B) 10 September 2025
- C) 12 September 2025
- D) 15 September 2025

Answer: B) 10 September 2025

8. Who surpassed Elon Musk to become the world's richest person?

- A) Jeff Bezos
- B) Bernard Arnault
- C) Lawrence Joseph Ellison
- D) Mark Zuckerberg

Answer: C) Lawrence Joseph Ellison

9. When was Pakistan removed from Wada's watchlist?

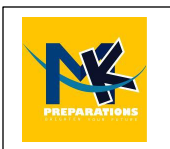
- A) August 2025
- B) Early September 2025
- C) October 2025
- D) July 2025

Answer: B) Early September 2025

10. Which dam did Ethiopia inaugurate as Africa's largest hydroelectric project?

- A) Aswan Dam
- B) Grand Ethiopian Renaissance Dam (GERD)
- C) Kariba Dam
- D) Akosombo Dam

Answer: B) Grand Ethiopian Renaissance Dam (GERD)



October 2025

National Current Affairs

1. When is **World Animal Day** observed every year? **4 October** This is an annual international event to raise awareness for animal welfare and protection.
2. What is the theme of **World Animal Day 2025**? **Save Animals, Save the Planet** The theme emphasizes the link between animal conservation and environmental sustainability.
3. When is **World Teachers' Day** observed every year? **5 October** It honors teachers' contributions to education and society globally.
4. What is the theme of **World Teachers' Day 2025**? **Recasting teaching as a collaborative profession** The focus is on promoting teamwork and innovation in teaching practices.
5. When is **World Space Week** observed every year? **4-10 October** It celebrates space science and technology achievements.
6. What is the theme of **World Space Week 2025**? **Living in Space** The theme highlights human adaptation and future prospects in space environments.
7. When is **International Day of Older Persons** observed every year? **1 October** It promotes rights and well-being of elderly people worldwide.
8. What is the theme of **International Day of Older Persons 2025**? **Older Persons Driving Local and Global Action: Our Aspirations, Our Well-Being and Our Rights** It underscores elderly contributions to community and global development.
9. When is **International Coffee Day** observed every year? **1 October** It celebrates coffee's cultural and economic significance.
10. When is **International Day of Non-Violence** observed every year? **2 October** It marks Mahatma Gandhi's birthday and promotes peace.
11. When is **World Habitat Day** observed every year? **6 October** (first Monday of October) It addresses urban challenges and sustainable housing.
12. When is **World Cotton Day** observed every year? **7 October** It highlights cotton's role in economic development and poverty reduction.

Practice MCQs

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1. When is World Animal Day observed every year?

- A) 5 October
- B) 4 October
- C) 6 October
- D) 1 October

Answer: B) 4 October

2. What is the theme of World Teachers' Day 2025?

- A) Save Animals, Save the Planet
- B) Recasting teaching as a collaborative profession
- C) Living in Space
- D) Older Persons Driving Local and Global Action

Answer: B) Recasting teaching as a collaborative profession

3. Which country will host the 26th SCO Summit in 2026?

- A) China
- B) Pakistan
- C) Kyrgyzstan
- D) Russia

Answer: C) Kyrgyzstan

4. Who was sworn in as the 7th President of Malawi for a second term on 4 October 2025?

- A) Jane Ansah
- B) Peter Mutharika
- C) Ahmed al-Sharaa
- D) Sanae Takaichi

Answer: B) Peter Mutharika

5. Karachi's Port Qasim ranked what position in the World Bank's CPPI for 2020-2024?

- A) 9th
- B) 1st

C) 25th

D) 50th

Answer: A) 9th

6. Which bank launched the Mera Ghar Mera Ashiyana Housing Finance Scheme in 2025?

- A) Islamic Development Bank
- B) State Bank of Pakistan
- C) World Bank
- D) Asian Development Bank

Answer: B) State Bank of Pakistan

7. Who became the first Syrian leader to address the UN General Assembly in 60 years in 2025?

- A) Peter Mutharika
- B) Ahmed al-Sharaa
- C) Sanae Takaichi
- D) Elon Musk

Answer: B) Ahmed al-Sharaa

8. Which country developed the 'Hellfire' missile?

- A) Ukraine
- B) United States
- C) Türkiye
- D) Australia

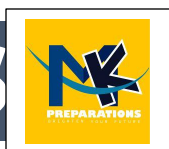
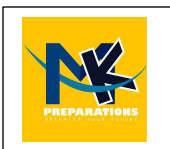
Answer: B) United States

9. The 11th World Green Economy Summit was held in which city on 2 October 2025?

- A) Copenhagen
- B) Dubai, UAE
- C) Kuwait
- D) Rome

Answer: B) Dubai, UAE

10. Which team won the final of the 17th ICC Cricket Asia Cup 2025?



November 2025

Constitutional & Legal Developments

1. 27th Constitutional Amendment

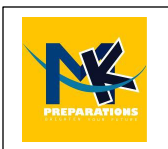
- **Passed on:** 13 November 2025
- **Presented by:** Law Minister Azam Nazeer Tarar
- **NA votes in favor:** 234
- **Clauses included:** 59
- **Key changes:**
 - Established a **Federal Constitutional Court**.
 - Constitutional cases moved from Supreme Court to the new court.
 - Enabled **transfer of judges**.
 - Abolished the **Chairman Joint Chiefs of Staff Committee**; all military branches placed under a **Chief of Defence Forces (CDF)**.
- **First Chief of Defence Forces:** General Asim Munir
- **First Chief Justice of Federal Constitutional Court:** Justice Amin Uddin
- **Resignations following the amendment:**
 - Supreme Court: Justices Syed Mansoor Ali Shah and Athar Minallah
 - Lahore High Court: Justice Shams Mehmood Mirza

Azad Jammu & Kashmir (AJK) Politics

2. **No-confidence motion** against AJK Prime Minister Anwarul Haq succeeded on **17 November 2025**.
3. **Raja Faisal Mumtaz Rathore** sworn in as the **16th Prime Minister** of AJK on **18 November 2025**.

Economy & Finance

4. **IMF forecast for FY2026 GDP growth:** 3.6%
5. **Current account deficit** surged by 255% to **\$733 million**.



- 112. **2025 Women’s FIH Hockey Junior World Cup:** Hosted by **Chile**.
- 113. **2026 ICC U-19 Cricket World Cup:** Hosted by **Zimbabwe and Namibia**.
- 114. **Cyclone Fina:** Struck northern Australia.
- 115. **Vande Mataram:** Written by **Bankim Chandra Chatterjee**.
- 116. **Mumbai** topped the list of **Asia’s Happiest Cities 2025**.
- 117. **Egypt** announced a new gas discovery in its Western Desert region.
- 118. **Exercise Mitra Shakti-2025:** 11th edition between **India and Sri Lanka**.

IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL DAYS – NOVEMBER 2025

Date	International Day	Theme / Focus 2025
2 Nov	International Day to End Impunity for Crimes Against Journalists	Press freedom and justice for journalists
5 Nov	World Tsunami Awareness Day	Be Tsunami Ready: Invest in Tsunami Preparedness
6 Nov	International Day for Preventing the Exploitation of the Environment in War and Armed Conflict	Environment + Conflict = Peace Risk
10 Nov	World Science Day for Peace and Development	Trust, Transformation and Tomorrow: Science for a Sustainable Future
14 Nov	World Diabetes Day	Diabetes Across Life Stages
18–24 Nov	World Antimicrobial Resistance Awareness Week	Act Now: Protect Our Present, Secure Our Future
19 Nov	International Men’s Day	Celebrating Men and Boys
19 Nov	World Toilet Day	Sanitation in a Changing World
20 Nov	Universal Children’s Day	My Day, My Rights
25 Nov	International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women	UNITE to End Digital Violence Against All Women and Girls

29 Nov	International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People	Support for Palestinian rights and peace initiatives
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1. When was Pakistan's 27th Constitutional Amendment passed?

- A) 10 November 2025
- B) 13 November 2025
- C) 15 November 2025
- D) 18 November 2025

Answer: 13 November 2025

2. Who presented the 27th Constitutional Amendment Bill?

- A) Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif
- B) Law Minister Azam Nazeer Tarar
- C) Speaker National Assembly
- D) President of Pakistan

Answer: Law Minister Azam Nazeer Tarar

3. How many NA members voted for the 27th Constitutional Amendment?

- A) 200
- B) 218
- C) 234
- D) 250

Answer: 234

4. Which new court was established under the 27th Constitutional Amendment?

- A) Federal Shariat Court
- B) Supreme Appellate Court
- C) Federal Constitutional Court
- D) National Accountability Court

Answer: Federal Constitutional Court

5. Who was made the first Chief of Defence Forces (CDF) under Pakistan's

27th Constitutional Amendment?

- A) General Sahir Shamshad
- B) General Asim Munir
- C) General Qamar Javed Bajwa
- D) General Faiz Hameed

Answer: Asim Munir

6. Who became the first Chief Justice of the Federal Constitutional Court established under the 27th Amendment?

- A) Justice Qazi Faez Isa
- B) Justice Amin Uddin
- C) Justice Mansoor Ali Shah
- D) Justice Athar Minallah

Answer: Justice Amin Uddin

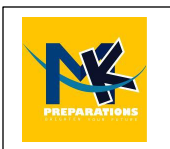
7. Which judges resigned from the Supreme Court following the enactment of the 27th Constitutional Amendment?

- A) Justices Qazi Faez Isa and Munib Akhtar
- B) Justices Syed Mansoor Ali Shah and Athar Minallah
- C) Justices Umar Ata Bandial and Ijazul Ahsan
- D) Justices Yahya Afridi and Mazhar Alam

Answer: Justices Syed Mansoor Ali Shah and Athar Minallah

8. Raja Faisal Mumtaz Rathore was sworn in as which number Prime Minister of Azad Jammu and Kashmir?

- A) 14th
- B) 15th
- C) 16th



December 2025

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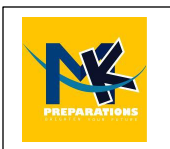
1. **SUPARCO moon mission:** Pakistan will land on the moon in **2026** (announced by SUPARCO chief).
2. **First Pakistani scientist to treat colorectal cancer using light activation therapy:** Ahmad Abbas.

Politics & Government

3. **SCO Summit 2027:** To be hosted by **Pakistan**.
4. **Benazir Bhutto's death anniversary (27 Dec 2025):** 18th anniversary.
5. **Quaid-e-Azam's birth anniversary (25 Dec 2025):** 149th anniversary.
6. **Imran Khan (ex-PM) sentencing:** Received **17 years** in jail in the Tosha Khana case (Dec 2025).
7. **High Court judge declared ineligible:** Justice Tariq Mehmood Jahangeeri was declared ineligible for his post on **18 December 2025**.
8. **Parliamentary bill passed (2 Dec):** A bill focused on **protection of minority rights** was passed by a joint session.
9. **National Finance Commission (NFC):** Discussions began for the **11th NFC round**.
10. **Sindhi Cultural Day 2025:** Celebrated on the **first Sunday of December**.

Economy & Finance

11. **GDP growth forecast FY2025 (ADB):** 3%.
12. **PIA privatization:**
 - **Winning bidder:** Arif Habib Group (controlling stake of 75%).
 - **Amount:** 135 billion rupees.
 - **Finalized on:** 23 December 2025.
13. **World Bank loan:** Approved **\$700 million** for economic reforms (Dec 2025).
14. **IMF facility:** Approved a **\$1.2 billion** bailout tranche in early December 2025.
15. **Headline inflation (Dec 2025):** 5.6%.



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- 95. **Russia’s Moon nuclear plant plan:** Announced to build by **2040**.
- 96. **Restart of Kashiwazaki-Kariwa nuclear plant: Japan** is set to restart it (world’s largest).
- 97. **Gas deal with Egypt (2025):** Israel approved.
- 98. **“Day of Reflection” (21 Dec):** Declared by **Australia**.
- 99. **Blood-red phenomenon after rain:** Occurred in **Iran**.
- 100. **Mount Merapi volcano:** Located in **Indonesia**.
- 101. **Bonda tribe:** Resides in **Odisha, India**.
- 102. **Bezmianny Volcano:** Located in **Russia**.
- 103. **Kunar River:** Located in **Pakistan & Afghanistan**.
- 104. **Hainan Island:** Part of **China**.
- 105. **Bailey Bridge inauguration:** EAM S. Jaishankar inaugurated a 120-foot dual-carriageway Bailey Bridge in **Sri Lanka**.
- 106. **International Big Cat Alliance:** **Russia** will be the 19th member.
- 107. **Deepavali:** Inscribed on UNESCO’s Representative List of Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity.
- 108. **State of Climate Update for COP30:** Released by **WMO**.
- 109. **Author of “The Eleventh Hour”:** **Salman Rushdie**.
- 110. **Only Muslim woman in India’s Constituent Assembly:** **Begum Qudsia Aijaz Rasul**.
- 111. **UNICEF youth advocate (youngest delegate at COP29):** **Zunaira Qayyum**.
- 112. **“Desert Cyclone II”:** Joint military exercise between **India and UAE**.

Important International Days (December 2025)

Date	International Day	Theme 2025
1 Dec	World AIDS Day	Overcoming disruption, transforming the AIDS response
2 Dec	International Day for the Abolition of Slavery	Acknowledge the past. Repair the present. Build a future of dignity and justice
3 Dec	International Day of Persons with Disabilities	Fostering disability-inclusive societies for advancing social progress

Practice MCQs

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1. According to the SUPARCO chief, Pakistan will step on the moon in which year?

- A) 2025
- B) 2026
- C) 2027
- D) 2028

Answer: 2026

2. Who will host the SCO Summit in the year 2027?

- A) India
- B) China
- C) Pakistan
- D) Russia

Answer: Pakistan

3. When did the President of the UAE, Sheikh Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, visit Pakistan?

- A) December 20, 2025
- B) December 25, 2025
- C) December 26, 2025
- D) December 30, 2025

Answer: December 26, 2025

4. What is Pakistan's GDP growth forecast for FY2025 by the ADB?

- A) 2.5%
- B) 3%
- C) 3.5%
- D) 4%

Answer: 3%

5. Who won the auction for a controlling stake in Pakistan International Airlines (PIA)?

- A) Nishat Group
- B) Arif Habib Group

- C) Bahria Town
- D) Engro Corporation

Answer: Arif Habib Group

6. Pakistan Navy's fourth Hangor-class submarine was launched from the shipyard of which country?

- A) Turkey
- B) China
- C) France
- D) Germany

Answer: China

7. Who has become the first Pakistani scientist to treat colorectal cancer using light activation therapy?

- A) Dr. Abdul Qadeer Khan
- B) Dr. Samar Mubarakmand
- C) Ahmad Abbas
- D) Dr. Atta-ur-Rahman

Answer: Ahmad Abbas

8. In December 2025, Pakistan signed an agreement to enhance cooperation against terrorism with which country?

- A) Turkey
- B) United States
- C) Saudi Arabia
- D) United Kingdom

Answer: Saudi Arabia

9. In December 2025, ex-PM Imran Khan was sentenced to how many years in jail in the Tosha Khana case?

- A) 10 years
- B) 14 years
- C) 17 years
- D) 20 years

Answer: 17 years



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January 2024

National Current Affairs

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1. Who was the former Federal Minister for Finance and PML-N leader that passed away on **January 2, 2024**? **Answer: Ishaq Aziz** Explanation: He was a prominent PML-N figure; his death marked a loss for the party ahead of elections.
2. When did **Chief of Army Staff (COAS) General Asim Munir** make a two-day official visit to **Bahrain**? **Answer: January 8, 2024** Explanation: The visit strengthened bilateral military ties between Pakistan and Bahrain.
3. On which date did the **King of Bahrain, Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa**, confer the **Military Medal Order of Bahrain First Class** on **COAS General Asim Munir**? **Answer: January 10, 2024** Explanation: This prestigious award recognized Pakistan's military cooperation with Bahrain.
4. Between which dates did Pakistan host the first-ever **Global Health Security Summit** in **Islamabad**? **Answer: January 10-11, 2024** Explanation: The summit focused on global strategies to combat health threats post-COVID.
5. Who resigned from the post of **Supreme Court Justice** on **January 10, 2024**? **Answer: Mazahar Ali Akbar Naqvi** Explanation: His resignation came amid references filed against him for misconduct.
6. Who resigned from the post of **Supreme Court Justice** on **January 11, 2024**, a day after Justice Naqvi? **Answer: Ijazul Ahsan** Explanation: The sequential resignations highlighted internal judicial pressures.
7. Which famous Pakistani actor and director passed away on **January 11, 2024**? **Answer: Khalid Butt** Explanation: He was known for contributions to Pakistani television and film industry.
8. When did **Iran** launch a missile and drone strike on Pakistani territory in **Balochistan**, targeting **Jaish ul-Adl**? **Answer: January 16, 2024** Explanation: The attack killed two children and violated Pakistan's sovereignty.

Current Affairs 2024

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1. Who was conferred the Military Medal Order of Bahrain First Class on January 10, 2024?

- A) General Qamar Javed Bajwa
- B) General Asim Munir
- C) General Syed Asim Munir
- D) General Raheel Sharif

Answer: General Asim Munir

2. What was the name of Pakistan's retaliatory operation against terrorist hideouts in Iran on January 18, 2024?

- A) Operation Zarb-e-Azb
- B) Operation Marg Bar Sarmachar
- C) Operation Radd-ul-Fasaad
- D) Operation Swift Retort

Answer: Operation Marg Bar Sarmachar

3. Which Pakistani shooter secured a Paris 2024 Olympic quota by winning silver in Air Pistol at Asian Championships?

- A) Ghulam Mustafa Bashir
- B) Kishmala Talat
- C) Gulfam Joseph
- D) Ayesha Naz

Answer: Kishmala Talat

4. What was Pakistan's rank in the Global Firepower Index 2024?

- A) 7th
- B) 8th
- C) 9th
- D) 10th

Answer: 9th

5. Which former Pakistani PM and his wife were sentenced to 14 years in Toshakhana case on January 31, 2024?

- A) Nawaz Sharif
- B) Imran Khan and Bushra Bibi

- C) Yousaf Raza Gillani
- D) Shahid Khaqan Abbasi

Answer: Imran Khan and Bushra Bibi

6. Which country became the fifth to achieve soft moon landing with SLIM spacecraft on January 20, 2024?

- A) India
- B) China
- C) Japan
- D) USA

Answer: Japan

7. Who won the Taiwan Presidential Election on January 13, 2024?

- A) Hou Yu-ih
- B) Ko Wen-je
- C) Lai Ching-te
- D) Tsai Ing-wen

Answer: Lai Ching-te

8. Which countries formally joined BRICS on January 1, 2024?

- A) India, Brazil, Russia, China, South Africa
- B) Saudi Arabia, Iran, UAE, Ethiopia, Egypt
- C) Turkey, Indonesia, Mexico, Nigeria, Argentina
- D) Pakistan, Bangladesh, Vietnam, Thailand, Malaysia

Answer: Saudi Arabia, Iran, UAE, Ethiopia, Egypt

9. Who overtook Elon Musk to become the world's richest person in January 2024?

- A) Jeff Bezos
- B) Bernard Arnault
- C) Mark Zuckerberg
- D) Warren Buffett

Answer: Bernard Arnault



February 2024

National Current Affairs

1. When were the **12th General Elections** in Pakistan held, marking the biggest election in the country's history? **Answer: February 8, 2024** Explanation: The elections were delayed from November 2023 due to security concerns and delimitation issues, involving over **128 million** registered voters with a turnout of **47.6%**.
2. What was the voter turnout in **Punjab** for NA constituencies during the **February 8, 2024** elections? **Answer: 51.6%** Explanation: Highest among provinces, reflecting strong participation in the most populous region.
3. What was the voter turnout in **Sindh** for NA constituencies during the **February 8, 2024** elections? **Answer: 43.7%** Explanation: Moderate turnout amid urban-rural divides.
4. What was the voter turnout in **Balochistan** for NA constituencies during the **February 8, 2024** elections? **Answer: 42.9%** Explanation: Influenced by security challenges in the province.
5. What was the voter turnout in **Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (KP)** for NA constituencies during the **February 8, 2024** elections? **Answer: 39.5%** Explanation: Lowest turnout, possibly due to militancy threats and PTI's strong base.
6. How many NA general seats did **independent candidates** (mostly backed by PTI) win on **February 8, 2024**? **Answer: Approximately 93** Explanation: Despite PTI's symbol deprivation, independents secured the plurality, leading to coalition talks.
7. How many NA general seats did **PML-N** win on **February 8, 2024**? **Answer: 75-76** Explanation: Strong performance in Punjab, positioning them for coalition leadership.
8. How many NA general seats did **PPP** win on **February 8, 2024**? **Answer: 54** Explanation: Dominant in Sindh, enabling provincial control.
9. Which party won the most provincial seats in **Punjab** on **February 8, 2024**? **Answer: PML-N (approximately 139)** Explanation: Retained stronghold, facilitating quick government formation.

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1. When were Pakistan's 12th General Elections held in 2024?

- A) February 6
- B) February 8
- C) February 10
- D) February 12

Answer: February 8

2. Who became Pakistan's first female Chief Minister of Punjab on February 26, 2024?

- A) Hina Rabbani Khar
- B) Maryam Nawaz
- C) Faryal Talpur
- D) Sherry Rehman

Answer: Maryam Nawaz

3. How many general seats are there in Pakistan's National Assembly?

- A) 272
- B) 266
- C) 342
- D) 300

Answer: 266

4. Which party won the most NA seats as independents (PTI-backed) on February 8, 2024?

- A) PML-N
- B) PPP
- C) PTI-backed independents
- D) JUI-F

Answer: PTI-backed independents

5. What was the voter turnout in the February 8, 2024 elections?

- A) 52.4%
- B) 47.6%
- C) 39.5%
- D) 60.1%

Answer: 47.6%

6. Which team won the Asia Football Cup 2024?

- A) Japan
- B) Qatar
- C) South Korea
- D) Iran

Answer: Qatar

7. When did the Odysseus lunar lander achieve the first US soft moon landing since 1972?

- A) February 15
- B) February 22
- C) February 28
- D) February 4

Answer: February 22

8. Who broke the record for most cumulative time in space on February 4, 2024?

- A) Gennady Padalka
- B) Oleg Kononenko
- C) Scott Kelly
- D) Peggy Whitson

Answer: Oleg Kononenko

9. Which country became the first Orthodox-majority nation to legalize same-sex marriage in February 2024?

- A) Russia
- B) Greece
- C) Bulgaria
- D) Serbia

Answer: Greece

10. What is the theme of World Cancer Day 2024 celebrated on February 4?

- A) Close the Care Gap
- B) United Against Cancer
- C) Equity in Care



March 2024

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1. Who took oath as the **22nd Chief Minister of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (KPK)** on **March 2, 2024**? **Answer: Ali Amin Gandapur** Explanation: This marked the formation of the provincial government in KPK following the general elections.
2. Who took oath as the **Chief Minister of Balochistan** on **March 2, 2024**? **Answer: Mir Sarfraz Ahmed Bugti** Explanation: Bugti's appointment reflected coalition dynamics in the restive province.
3. Who was elected as the **24th Prime Minister of Pakistan** on **March 3, 2024**, securing **201 votes** against **Omar Ayub's 92**? **Answer: Shehbaz Sharif** Explanation: He became the only PM in Pakistan's history to serve a consecutive second term.
4. When was **Pakistan's biggest horse race, the Pakistan Derby 2024**, held? **Answer: March 3, 2024** Explanation: The event is a prominent cultural and sporting occasion in Lahore.
5. When was **Shehbaz Sharif** sworn in as the **24th Prime Minister of Pakistan**? **Answer: March 4, 2024** Explanation: The oath was administered by President Arif Alvi.
6. When was the election for the **14th President of Pakistan** held? **Answer: March 9, 2024** Explanation: Electoral college comprised members of Parliament and provincial assemblies.
7. Who was elected as the **14th President of Pakistan** on **March 9, 2024**, securing **411 electoral votes** against **Mahmood Khan Achakzai's 181**? **Answer: Asif Ali Zardari** Explanation: Zardari became the first civilian to serve a second presidential term.
8. When did **Asif Ali Zardari** take oath as the **14th President of Pakistan**, administered by **Chief Justice Qazi Faez Isa**? **Answer: March 10, 2024** Explanation: This completed the transition of the highest constitutional office.
9. When did **President Asif Ali Zardari** administer oath to a **19-member federal cabinet** of **Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif**? **Answer: March 11, 2024** Explanation: The cabinet included key portfolios for economic and security challenges.

Current Affairs 2024

Practice MCQs

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1. Who was elected as the 14th President of Pakistan in March 2024?

- A) Mahmood Khan Achakzai
- B) Omar Ayub
- C) Asif Ali Zardari
- D) Shehbaz Sharif

Answer: Asif Ali Zardari

2. Which team won the PSL Season 9 title in March 2024?

- A) Multan Sultans
- B) Lahore Qalandars
- C) Islamabad United
- D) Peshawar Zalmi

Answer: Islamabad United

3. According to SIPRI, what is Pakistan's rank among top arms importers?

- A) 5th
- B) 8th
- C) 10th
- D) 12th

Answer: 8th

4. When did Sweden become the 32nd NATO member?

- A) March 4, 2024
- B) March 7, 2024
- C) March 11, 2024
- D) March 14, 2024

Answer: March 7, 2024

5. Which country topped the World Happiness Report 2024 for the seventh year?

- A) Denmark
- B) Iceland
- C) Finland
- D) Norway

Answer: Finland

6. Who was the top scorer in PSL 9 with 569 runs?

- A) Shadab Khan
- B) Babar Azam
- C) Rilee Rossouw
- D) Mohammad Rizwan

Answer: Babar Azam

7. What is Pakistan's new main battle tank called?

- A) Al-Khalid
- B) Haider
- C) Al-Zarrar
- D) T-80UD

Answer: Haider

8. Which city is set to become Pakistan's first IT city?

- A) Karachi
- B) Islamabad
- C) Lahore
- D) Faisalabad

Answer: Lahore

9. When did India test its Agni-V MIRV missile under Mission Divyastra?

- A) March 4, 2024
- B) March 11, 2024
- C) March 18, 2024
- D) March 25, 2024

Answer: March 11, 2024

10. Who became the first Sikh minister in Punjab province?

- A) Sardar Ayaz Sadiq
- B) Ramesh Singh Arora
- C) Ghulam Mustafa Shah
- D) Naeem Akhtar Afghan

Answer: Ramesh Singh Arora



April 2024

National Current Affairs

Q1. When did **Yousaf Raza Gillani** assume office as **Chairman Senate**? **Answer: April 9, 2024**
Explanation: This marked a key leadership change in Pakistan's upper house post-elections.

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Q2. Who was elected as **Deputy Chairman Senate** in April 2024? **Answer: Syedal Khan Nasar**
Explanation: He supports the Chairman in Senate proceedings and represents Balochistan.

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Q3. When was **Shibli Faraz** appointed as **Opposition Leader in the Senate**? **Answer: April 22, 2024**
Explanation: PTI leader Shibli Faraz leads opposition critique of government policies in Senate.

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Q4. Who was appointed as **Deputy Prime Minister of Pakistan** in April 2024? **Answer: Ishaq Dar**
Explanation: Senior PML-N leader Ishaq Dar assists PM in economic and foreign affairs.

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Q5. Who is the current **Opposition Leader in the National Assembly** as of April 2024? **Answer: Omar Ayub**
Explanation: PTI's Omar Ayub challenges government bills and policies in lower house.

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Q6. In the April 2024 by-elections, which party won the majority of seats across **5 National Assembly, 12 Punjab PA, and 2 each for KPK and Balochistan PA** seats? **Answer: PML-N**
Explanation: PML-N consolidated power in Punjab and secured key national seats.

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Q7. What day is designated as **Constitutional Day** in Pakistan? **Answer: April 10**
Explanation: Commemorates the 1973 Constitution's adoption, emphasizing democratic framework.

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Q8. On which date did Pakistan chair the **UN Disarmament Commission**? **Answer: April 8, 2024**
Explanation: Highlighted Pakistan's role in global non-proliferation and peace efforts.

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Q9. When did **Justice Ishtiaq Ibrahim** take oath as **Chief Justice of the Peshawar High Court**? **Answer: April 15, 2024**
Explanation: Ensures judicial oversight in KPK, focusing on rule of law.

Q10. Who was appointed as **PPSC Chairman** in April 2024? **Answer: Muhammad Abdul Aziz**
Explanation: Oversees merit-based recruitment for Punjab civil services.

Current Affairs 2024

Practice MCQs

Q1. Who assumed office as Chairman Senate on April 9, 2024?

- A) Ishaq Dar
- B) Yousaf Raza Gillani
- C) Omar Ayub
- D) Shibli Faraz

Answer: B) Yousaf Raza Gillani

Q2. What was renamed as Iran Avenue during Iranian President's visit in April 2024?

- A) Srinagar Highway
- B) Islamabad New Highway
- C) Murree Road
- D) Constitution Avenue

Answer: B) Islamabad New Highway

Q3. Who is Pakistan's Test cricket head coach as of April 2024?

- A) Gary Kirsten
- B) Azhar Mahmood
- C) Jason Gillespie
- D) Shaun Tait

Answer: C) Jason Gillespie

Q4. What GDP growth did IMF project for Pakistan in FY24?

- A) 1.8%
- B) 2.0%
- C) 2.5%
- D) 3.0%

Answer: B) 2.0%

Q5. On April 13, 2024, Iran's attack on Israel was named:

- A) Operation Iron Dome
- B) Operation True Promise
- C) Operation Desert Storm
- D) Operation Protective Edge

Answer: B) Operation True Promise

Q6. Who became the first female Prime Minister of DR Congo?

- A) Katrín Jakobsdóttir
- B) Judith Suminwa Tuluka
- C) Naima Khatoun
- D) Kristalina Georgieva

Answer: B) Judith Suminwa Tuluka

Q7. Which country topped the World Cyber Crime Index?

- A) China
- B) Ukraine
- C) Russia
- D) USA

Answer: C) Russia

Q8. What is Zimbabwe's new gold-backed currency?

- A) RTGS Dollar
- B) ZiG
- C) Bond Notes
- D) Zimdollar

Answer: B) ZiG

Q9. The solar eclipse on April 8, 2024, was known as:

- A) Great American Eclipse
- B) Ring of Fire
- C) Total Lunar Eclipse
- D) Hybrid Eclipse

Answer: A) Great American Eclipse

Q10. Who won the 2024 World Press Photo of the Year?

- A) Usain Bolt
- B) Mohammed Salem
- C) Derek Underwood
- D) Mykolas Alekna

Answer: B) Mohammed Salem



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Q1. When did Pakistan launch its first-ever lunar mission, **iCube-Qamar**, in collaboration with China? **Answer: May 3, 2024** Explanation: This marked Pakistan's entry into space exploration, deploying a CubeSat for lunar surface imaging.

Q2. When was **iCube-Qamar** successfully deployed in lunar orbit? **Answer: May 8, 2024** Explanation: Achieved via China's Chang'e-6 mission, enabling data collection on the Moon's far side.

Q3. Which country did Pakistan become after launching its first moon satellite? **Answer: The sixth** Explanation: Joins elite group including US, Russia, China, India, and Japan in lunar satellite deployment.

Q4. What was the purpose of the recently launched **PAKSAT-MM1** satellite? **Answer: Faster internet** Explanation: Multi-mission satellite enhances communication, broadband, and disaster management capabilities.

Q5. What is the range of the **Fatah-II** guided multi-launch rocket system tested by Pakistan? **Answer: 400 kilometers** Explanation: Precision-guided system boosts artillery capabilities for long-range strikes.

Q6. What defense contract did Pakistan clinch with Zimbabwe? **Answer: To provide 12 MFI-17 Super Mushshak trainer aircraft** Explanation: Strengthens bilateral ties and exports Pakistan Aeronautical Complex's indigenous trainer jets.

Q7. When did Pakistan mark the 26th anniversary of its nuclear tests, **Youm-e-Takbeer**? **Answer: May 28, 2024** Explanation: Commemorates 1998 tests, affirming nuclear deterrence and sovereignty.

Q8. Who became the **43rd Governor of Punjab**? **Answer: Sardar Saleem Haider Khan** Explanation: PPP leader sworn in, focusing on provincial development and stability.

Q9. When was **Faisal Karim Kundi** appointed as the **35th Governor of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa**? **Answer: May 4, 2024** Explanation: PPP nominee enhances federal-provincial coordination in security-challenged region.



Q123. What was the theme of **World No Tobacco Day** on May 31, 2024? **Answer: Protecting children from tobacco industry interference** Explanation: WHO combats youth targeting

Practice MCQs

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1. When was Pakistan's first lunar mission iCube-Qamar launched?

- A) May 1, 2024
- B) May 3, 2024
- C) May 8, 2024
- D) May 28, 2024

Answer: May 3, 2024

2. Who became the 43rd Governor of Punjab?

- A) Faisal Karim Kundi
- B) Sardar Saleem Haider Khan
- C) Raghob Hussain Naeemi
- D) Abdul Jabbar

Answer: Sardar Saleem Haider Khan

3. What is the range of Pakistan's Fatah-II rocket system?

- A) 200 km
- B) 300 km
- C) 400 km
- D) 500 km

Answer: 400 km

4. How much did UAE announce to invest in Pakistan?

- A) \$5 billion
- B) \$10 billion
- C) \$15 billion
- D) \$20 billion

Answer: \$10 billion

5. What emergency did Pakistan declare for out-of-school children?

- A) Health Emergency
- B) Education Emergency
- C) Security Emergency

D) Climate Emergency

Answer: Education Emergency

6. Who won the Sultan Azlan Shah Cup 2024?

- A) Pakistan
- B) India
- C) Japan
- D) Malaysia

Answer: Japan

7. When did Iran's President Ebrahim Raisi die?

- A) May 10, 2024
- B) May 19, 2024
- C) May 24, 2024
- D) May 28, 2024

Answer: May 19, 2024

8. Who was elected President of Chad?

- A) Jeremiah Manele
- B) Mahamat Idriss Deby
- C) José Raúl Mulino
- D) Tô Lâm

Answer: Mahamat Idriss Deby

9. What was April 2024 declared as per climate records?

- A) Coldest month
- B) Hottest month on record
- C) Wettest month
- D) Driest month

Answer: Hottest month on record

10. What did China launch for Moon's dark side samples?

- A) Chang'e 5
- B) Chang'e 6 probe

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1. When did **Prime Minister Muhammad Shehbaz Sharif** make an official visit to **China**?
Answer: June 4-8, 2024 Explanation: The visit focused on strengthening bilateral ties, resulting in multiple agreements.
2. How many **MoUs and agreements** were signed during **Prime Minister Muhammad Shehbaz Sharif's** visit to **China**? **Answer: 32** Explanation: These covered diverse sectors to enhance economic and strategic cooperation.
3. On which date was the **Federal Budget 2024-25** presented by **Finance Minister Muhammad Aurangzeb**? **Answer: June 12, 2024** Explanation: It outlined fiscal priorities for the upcoming financial year.
4. What is the total outlay of the **Federal Budget 2024-25**? **Answer: Rs. 18.88 trillion** Explanation: This reflects the government's expenditure and revenue framework.
5. What amount was allocated for the **Public Sector Development Program (PSDP)** in the **Federal Budget 2024-25**? **Answer: Rs. 1,500 billion** Explanation: Aimed at infrastructure and development initiatives nationwide.
6. What is the **Defense Budget** allocation in the **Federal Budget 2024-25**? **Answer: Rs. 2.122 trillion** Explanation: Ensures national security and military modernization.
7. What **GDP growth target** was approved by the government for **Fiscal Year 2024-25**? **Answer: 3.6%** Explanation: Set to drive economic recovery and stability.
8. When did **Punjab** present its annual budget, and what was the outlay? **Answer: June 14, 2024; Rs. 5.45 trillion** Explanation: Focused on provincial development and welfare schemes.
9. When did **Sindh** unveil its budget, and what was the outlay? **Answer: June 14, 2024; Rs. 3 trillion** Explanation: Emphasized urban development and social services.
10. What is the approved budget for **Balochistan** for **Fiscal Year 2024-25**? **Answer: Rs. 900 billion** Explanation: Targets resource allocation for underdeveloped regions.

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1. When did Prime Minister Muhammad Shehbaz Sharif visit China and sign 32 MoUs?

- A) May 4-8, 2024
- B) June 4-8, 2024
- C) July 4-8, 2024
- D) June 1-5, 2024

Answer: June 4-8, 2024

2. What was the total outlay of Federal Budget 2024-25 presented on June 12, 2024?

- A) Rs. 18.88 trillion
- B) Rs. 15 trillion
- C) Rs. 20 trillion
- D) Rs. 10 trillion

Answer: Rs. 18.88 trillion

3. Which operation was announced by Pakistan on June 22, 2024, for counter-terrorism?

- A) Zarb-e-Azb
- B) Azm-i-Istehkam
- C) Radd-ul-Fasaad
- D) Operation Swift

Answer: Azm-i-Istehkam

4. Who became the first female brigadier from minority community in Pakistan Army?

- A) Justice Aalia Neelum
- B) Brigadier Helen Mary Roberts
- C) Rifah Quadri
- D) Taskeen Zafar

Answer: Brigadier Helen Mary Roberts

5. Pakistan secured how many votes for its eighth UNSC term?

- A) 150
- B) 182
- C) 170

D) 190

Answer: 182

6. In Gender Gap Index 2024, what was Pakistan's global rank?

- A) 120
- B) 145
- C) 100
- D) 160

Answer: 145

7. Who won the ICC Men's T20 World Cup 2024?

- A) South Africa
- B) Afghanistan
- C) India
- D) England

Answer: India

8. Who was the Player of the Tournament in T20 World Cup 2024?

- A) Virat Kohli
- B) Jasprit Bumrah
- C) Rahmanullah Gurbaz
- D) Rohit Sharma

Answer: Jasprit Bumrah

9. Which country elected Claudia Sheinbaum as its first woman president?

- A) Brazil
- B) Mexico
- C) Argentina
- D) Spain

Answer: Mexico

10. Narendra Modi took oath as Indian PM for third time on which date?

- A) June 9, 2024
- B) May 9, 2024
- C) July 9, 2024



July 2024

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1. What is the projected economic growth rate for Pakistan in FY25 as per the IMF? Answer: **3.5%** Explanation: The IMF forecast indicates moderate recovery driven by stabilization measures post-floods and external financing.

2. What is the government's target for Pakistan's annual exports in the next three years? Answer: **\$60 billion** Explanation: This ambitious target aims to boost trade competitiveness and foreign exchange reserves through export diversification.

3. Who tendered his resignation as Chairman of the Federal Board of Revenue (FBR) to Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif? Answer: **Amjad Zubair Tiwana** Explanation: The resignation reflects administrative reshuffling within the tax collection authority amid revenue challenges.

4. Who was appointed as Federal Secretary Information and Broadcasting? Answer: **Ambreen Jan** Explanation: Her appointment strengthens coordination in government media and public communication strategies.

5. By which year does Pakistan plan to establish a national cyber security authority? Answer: **2025** Explanation: The authority will centralize efforts to combat rising cyber threats and protect critical infrastructure.

6. What amount of loan did the Asian Development Bank (ADB) approve for flood recovery in Pakistan? Answer: **\$400 million** Explanation: The loan supports rehabilitation of affected communities and infrastructure damaged in the 2022 floods.

7. From which rank in 2016 to which rank in 2023 did Pakistan's Intellectual Property standing improve on the Global Innovation Index? Answer: **119th to 88th** Explanation: The surge reflects policy reforms in IP protection, fostering innovation and investor confidence.

8. Which province launched the socio-economic registry project to enhance social protection? Answer: **Punjab** Explanation: The digital registry enables targeted welfare distribution under programs like Benazir Income Support.

9. What is the name of the app Pakistan is set to launch to address electricity-related issues? Answer: **NEPRA Asaan Approach** Explanation: The app, under NEPRA, allows consumers to file complaints and track resolutions efficiently.

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1. Who became the first female Chief Justice of Lahore High Court on July 11, 2024?

- A) Abhar Gul Khan
- B) Aalia Neelum
- C) Kishmala Talat
- D) Nida Dar

Answer: B) Aalia Neelum

2. What is Pakistan's projected population by 2092 according to UN report?

- A) 300 million
- B) 400 million
- C) 500 million
- D) 250 million

Answer: B) 400 million

3. Which vessel was commissioned as Pakistan Navy's first OPV 2600?

- A) PNS YARMOOK
- B) PNS HUNAIN
- C) PNS TABUK
- D) PNS ALAMGIR

Answer: B) PNS HUNAIN

4. Who won the Evo Tekken 8 2024 tournament?

- A) Dawood Sikander
- B) Arsalan Ash
- C) Awais Honey
- D) Bilal Ilyas

Answer: B) Arsalan Ash

5. Which country joined SCO as 10th member on July 4, 2024?

- A) India
- B) Belarus
- C) Mongolia
- D) Iran

Answer: B) Belarus

6. Who was elected Iran's President taking oath on July 30, 2024?

- A) Ebrahim Raisi
- B) Masoud Pezeshkian
- C) Hassan Rouhani
- D) Mohammad Mokhber

Answer: B) Masoud Pezeshkian

7. Which party won UK general election on July 4, 2024?

- A) Conservative
- B) Liberal Democrats
- C) Labour
- D) SNP

Answer: C) Labour

8. Who assassinated Hamas leader in Iran in July 2024?

- A) Yahya Sinwar
- B) Ismail Haniyeh
- C) Mohammed Deif
- D) Marwan Issa

Answer: B) Ismail Haniyeh

9. Where was 2024 NATO Summit marking 75 years held?

- A) Brussels
- B) London
- C) Washington D.C.
- D) Madrid

Answer: C) Washington D.C.

10. Who won Euro Cup 2024 defeating England 2-1?

- A) France
- B) Spain
- C) Italy
- D) Germany

Answer: B) Spain



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1. On which date did Pakistan celebrate its 77th Independence Day in 2024? Answer: **August 14, 2024** Explanation: The day commemorates the creation of Pakistan in 1947 with nationwide flag-hoisting and patriotic events.

2. On which date was Youm-i-Istehsal observed to mark the 5th anniversary of India revoking Kashmir's special autonomy? Answer: **August 5, 2024** Explanation: Pakistan protests Article 370 revocation through solidarity rallies for Kashmiri self-determination.

3. Which event is Pakistan set to host on October 15-16, 2024, with an invitation extended to Indian PM Modi? Answer: **SCO Heads of Government Meeting** Explanation: Demonstrates Pakistan's active role in SCO despite bilateral tensions with India.

4. Who was appointed as Pakistan's new ambassador to the United States? Answer: **Rizwan Saeed Sheikh** Explanation: His appointment aims to strengthen Pak-US ties amid strategic dialogues on security and economy.

5. Who was appointed as the new Chairman of the Federal Board of Revenue (FBR)? Answer: **Rashid Mahmood Langrial** Explanation: Focuses on tax reforms and digitalization to enhance revenue collection.

6. On which date was the 8th session of Pakistan-Oman Bilateral Political Consultations held in Muscat? Answer: **August 27, 2024** Explanation: Discussions covered trade, investment, and energy cooperation.

7. Which Turkish official visited Islamabad's Naval Headquarters recently? Answer: **Naval Chief of Staff Admiral Ercument Tatlioglu** Explanation: Visit enhanced maritime security collaboration and joint exercises.

8. Which former ISI head became the first to undergo court-martial on charges related to the Top City housing scheme scandal? Answer: **General (retd) Faiz Hameed** Explanation: Initiates accountability within military intelligence for abuse of authority.

9. What is the name and range of the surface-to-surface ballistic missile successfully training-launched by Pakistan? Answer: **Shaheen-II (1,500-2,000 km)** Explanation: Capable of carrying nuclear/conventional warheads, strengthens strategic deterrence.

Practice MCQs

1. Who won Pakistan's first individual Olympic gold in javelin at Paris 2024?

- A) Javelin Thrower Neeraj Chopra
- B) Arshad Nadeem
- C) Mueed Baloch
- D) Amir Khan

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Answer: B) Arshad Nadeem

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2. What was Pakistan's rank in Paris 2024 Olympics Medal Table?

- A) 50
- B) 62
- C) 70
- D) 55

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Answer: B) 62

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3. Who was appointed new FBR Chairman in August 2024?

- A) Amjad Zubair Tiwana
- B) Rashid Mahmood Langrial
- C) Rizwan Saeed Sheikh
- D) Moazzam Jah Ansari

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Answer: B) Rashid Mahmood Langrial

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4. Which former ISI chief faced court-martial in August 2024?

- A) Faiz Hameed
- B) Nadeem Anjum
- C) Asim Munir
- D) Zaheer-ul-Islam

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Answer: A) Faiz Hameed

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5. What missile did Pakistan successfully training-launch in August 2024?

- A) Ghauri
- B) Babur
- C) Shaheen-II
- D) Ababeel

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Answer: C) Shaheen-II

6. Where was Pakistan's first Vaccine House inaugurated?

- A) Islamabad
- B) Lahore
- C) Peshawar
- D) Karachi

Answer: C) Peshawar

7. Who resigned as Bangladesh PM amid protests in August 2024?

- A) Khaleda Zia
- B) Sheikh Hasina
- C) Muhammad Yunus
- D) Fakhrul Islam

Answer: B) Sheikh Hasina

8. Who was named new Hamas leader after Haniyeh's killing?

- A) Mohammed Deif
- B) Yahya Sinwar
- C) Khaled Meshal
- D) Ismail Haniyeh

Answer: B) Yahya Sinwar

9. Which country hosted Tarang Shakti 2024 air exercise?

- A) USA
- B) India
- C) France
- D) UAE

Answer: B) India

10. Who was elected youngest ICC Chief in August 2024?

- A) Greg Barclay
- B) Jay Shah
- C) Shashank Manohar
- D) Sourav Ganguly

Answer: B) Jay Shah



September 2024

National Current Affairs

1. Who was appointed as the **33rd Foreign Secretary** of Pakistan on **September 11, 2024**, becoming the first woman from **Sindh** to hold the position? **Answer: Amna Baloch**
Explanation: This historic appointment marks a milestone for gender representation in Pakistan's foreign service from a provincial perspective.
2. Who was appointed as the **31st DG ISI** on **September 23, 2024**, and assumed office on **September 30, 2024**? **Answer: Lt. Gen. Asim Malik**
Explanation: The change in ISI leadership is a key administrative shift in Pakistan's intelligence apparatus.
3. Who was appointed as the new **Defence Secretary** of Pakistan in September 2024? **Answer: Lt Gen Muhammad Ali**
Explanation: This appointment strengthens military-civilian coordination in defense administration.
4. Who was appointed as the **FPSC Chairman** on **September 5, 2024**? **Answer: Lt Gen. Akhtar Nawaz Satti**
Explanation: FPSC oversees federal civil service recruitment, making this a critical bureaucratic role.
5. Who became the first woman **AIG** in **Gilgit-Baltistan** in September 2024? **Answer: Tahira Yasub**
Explanation: This breakthrough promotes women in policing in a remote region.
6. Which **US Congressman** was honored with **Sitara-i-Khidmat** for fostering **Pakistan-US** ties in September 2024? **Answer: Alexander N. Green**
Explanation: The award recognizes diplomatic efforts to strengthen bilateral relations.
7. Who led a high-level **Russian** delegation to Pakistan on **September 18-19, 2024**? **Answer: Deputy Prime Minister Alexei Overchuk**
Explanation: The visit aimed at enhancing economic and strategic cooperation.
8. Who represented Pakistan and addressed the **79th UNGA** session in **New York** on **September 27, 2024**? **Answer: PM Shahbaz Sharif**
Explanation: Pakistan's address focused on global issues including Kashmir and climate change.
9. How many amendments have been passed to the **Constitution of 1973** by Parliament, and how many members are required to amend it? **Answer: 25 amendments; 224 members**

Practice MCQs

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1. Who was appointed as Pakistan's 33rd Foreign Secretary on September 11, 2024?

- A) Tahira Yasub
- B) Amna Baloch
- C) Sania Safdar
- D) Saleema Imtiaz

Answer: B) Amna Baloch

2. What was the amount of IMF loan approved for Pakistan in September 2024?

- A) \$5 billion
- B) \$6 billion
- C) \$7 billion
- D) \$8 billion

Answer: C) \$7 billion

3. Pakistan's rank in the 2024 Asia Power Index was?

- A) 14th
- B) 15th
- C) 16th
- D) 17th

Answer: C) 16th

4. Who inaugurated Innovista Indus IT Park in Karachi on September 28, 2024?

- A) PM Shahbaz Sharif
- B) COAS Asim Munir
- C) Lt Gen Asim Malik
- D) Lt Gen Muhammad Ali

Answer: B) COAS Asim Munir

5. Pakistan secured what position in the Asian Hockey Champions Trophy 2024?

- A) 1st
- B) 2nd
- C) 3rd
- D) 4th

Answer: C) 3rd

6. Who was killed as Hezbollah leader in an Israeli strike on September 28, 2024?

- A) Naim Qassem
- B) Hashem Safieddine
- C) Hassan Nasrallah
- D) Alexei Overchuk

Answer: C) Hassan Nasrallah

7. Where was the 2024 FOCAC Summit held from September 4-6?

- A) Vladivostok
- B) Beijing
- C) Wilmington
- D) Cuiabá

Answer: B) Beijing

8. Who was elected as Sri Lanka's President in September 2024?

- A) Harini Amarasuriyar
- B) Anura Kumara Dissanayake
- C) Jafar Hassan
- D) Abdelmadjid Tebboune

Answer: B) Anura Kumara Dissanayake

9. What is the theme of the 79th UNGA session?

- A) Cultivating a Culture of Peace
- B) Leaving no one behind: acting together for peace, sustainable development and human dignity
- C) Navigating the future: safety first
- D) Breaking Rabies Boundaries

Answer: B) Leaving no one behind: acting together for peace, sustainable development and human dignity

10. Which country launched the Chamran-1 research satellite in September 2024?

- A) Pakistan
- B) China



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1. As of 2024, how many amendments have been officially made to Pakistan's **1973 Constitution**, with the **26th Amendment** passed by the Senate on **October 20, 2024**, and by the National Assembly on **October 21, 2024**? **Answer: 26 amendments** Explanation: This brings the total to 26, reflecting ongoing parliamentary efforts to reform governance structures.
2. In the National Assembly, how many votes were secured for the **26th Constitutional Amendment** (needing **224**), with **12 against**? **Answer: 225 votes** Explanation: The narrow margin highlights intense political negotiations for constitutional changes.
3. How many votes were against the **26th Constitutional Amendment** in the Senate? **Answer: 4 votes** Explanation: Opposition votes indicate limited dissent in the upper house.
4. What is a key mandate of the **26th Constitutional Amendment** regarding **Riba (Interest)**, to be eliminated by **January 1, 2028**? **Answer: Elimination of Riba** Explanation: Aims to align economy with Islamic principles through phased financial reforms.
5. How did the **26th Constitutional Amendment** change the **Chief Justice of Pakistan (CJP)** appointment process? **Answer: Empowers a Special Parliamentary Committee to nominate from three most senior Supreme Court judges, moving away from strict seniority** Explanation: Shifts power from judiciary to legislature for greater parliamentary oversight.
6. What is the term limit for the **CJP** under the **26th Constitutional Amendment**? **Answer: Three years** Explanation: Fixed tenure standardizes judicial leadership duration.
7. How many members are in the **Special Parliamentary Committee** for **CJP** appointment (**8 from National Assembly** and **4 from Senate**)? **Answer: 12 members** Explanation: Balanced representation ensures bipartisan involvement in selections.
8. Who was appointed as the **30th Chief Justice of Pakistan (CJP)**, sworn in by **President Asif Ali Zardari** on **October 26, 2024**? **Answer: Justice Yahya Afridi** Explanation: First CJP under new amendment provisions, marking a historic shift.

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1. How many amendments have been made to Pakistan's 1973 Constitution as of 2024, with the 26th passed on October 20-21?

- A) 25
- B) 26
- C) 27
- D) 28

Answer: B) 26

2. Who was appointed as the 30th Chief Justice of Pakistan on October 26, 2024?

- A) Justice Qazi Faez Isa
- B) Justice Yahya Afridi
- C) Justice Mansoor Ali Shah
- D) Justice Ijazul Ahsan

Answer: B) Justice Yahya Afridi

3. When did Pakistan host the 23rd SCO Heads of Government meeting?

- A) October 10, 2024
- B) October 16, 2024
- C) October 20, 2024
- D) October 30, 2024

Answer: B) October 16, 2024

4. What award was given to Malaysian PM Anwar Ibrahim during his October 2024 visit to Pakistan?

- A) Hilal-e-Pakistan
- B) Nishan-e-Pakistan
- C) Sitara-e-Pakistan
- D) Tamgha-e-Pakistan

Answer: B) Nishan-e-Pakistan

5. What was Pakistan's rank in the UN Human Development Index 2023-2024?

- A) 150th
- B) 160th
- C) 164th

D) 170th

Answer: C) 164th

6. What codename did Iran use for its October 2024 missile attacks on Israel?

- A) Operation True Promise-I
- B) Operation Days of Repentance
- C) Operation True Promise-II
- D) Operation Iron Sword

Answer: C) Operation True Promise-II

7. Who was killed as Hamas leader on October 16, 2024, in Gaza?

- A) Ismail Haniyeh
- B) Yahya Sinwar
- C) Khaled Mashal
- D) Naim Qassem

Answer: B) Yahya Sinwar

8. Who took office as NATO Secretary-General on October 1, 2024?

- A) Jens Stoltenberg
- B) Mark Rutte
- C) Kay Bailey Hutchison
- D) Rose Gottemoeller

Answer: B) Mark Rutte

9. Which country won the 2024 Women's T20 Cricket World Cup?

- A) Australia
- B) England
- C) New Zealand
- D) India

Answer: C) New Zealand

10. Who won the 2024 Nobel Prize in Literature?

- A) Jon Fosse
- B) Han Kang
- C) Abdulrazak Gurnah



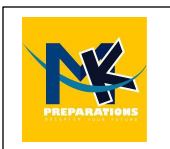
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1. When did the **National Assembly** vote in favor of the amendment extending the terms of the heads of the armed forces from three years to five years? **Answer: November 4, 2024**
Explanation: The amendment applies to **Chief of Army Staff, Chief of Air Staff, and Chief of Naval Staff.**
2. Which three specific bills were passed by the **National Assembly** on **November 4, 2024** to extend armed forces tenure? **Answer: Pakistan Army (Amendment) Bill, Pakistan Air Force (Amendment) Bill, Pakistan Navy (Amendment) Bill**
Explanation: These were part of six bills passed on the same date.
3. What is the new maximum number of **Supreme Court** judges, including the **Chief Justice**, after the passage of the amendment bill? **Answer: 34**
Explanation: The bill increased the limit from **17 to 34.**
4. On which date was **The Supreme Court (Number of Judges) (Amendment) Bill, 2024** passed by the **National Assembly**? **Answer: November 4, 2024**
Explanation: It was passed alongside other judicial reforms.
5. How many bills in total were passed by both houses of parliament on **November 4, 2024**? **Answer: 6**
Explanation: Included amendments to **Supreme Court (Practice and Procedure) Act** and **Islamabad High Court (Amendment) Bill.**
6. From which dates was the **4th T20 Blind Cricket World Cup** hosted in **Pakistan**? **Answer: November 23 to December 3, 2024**
Explanation: **Pakistan** won by defeating **Bangladesh** by **10 wickets** in the final at **Multan.**
7. In which month and against which team did **Pakistan** achieve its first **ODI series win in Australia** since **2002**? **Answer: November 2024 against Australia**
Explanation: Historic bilateral series victory after **22 years.**
8. Who was named the **ICC Men's Player of the Month** for **November 2024**? **Answer: Noman Ali**
Explanation: Recognized for outstanding spin bowling performance.

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Practice MCQs

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1. When did the National Assembly pass the amendment extending armed forces chiefs' tenure to five years?

- A) November 1, 2024
- B) November 4, 2024
- C) November 5, 2024
- D) November 23, 2024

Answer: B) November 4, 2024

2. What is the new maximum number of Supreme Court judges after the 2024 amendment?

- A) 17
- B) 25
- C) 34
- D) 40

Answer: C) 34

3. Pakistan won the 4th T20 Blind Cricket World Cup by defeating which team in the final?

- A) India
- B) Bangladesh
- C) Sri Lanka
- D) Nepal

Answer: B) Bangladesh

4. Who was appointed as head coach of the Pakistan Cricket Team in November 2024?

- A) Misbah-ul-Haq
- B) Waqar Younis
- C) Aaqib Javed
- D) Jason Gillespie

Answer: C) Aaqib Javed

5. Which agency lifted the ban on PIA flights to Europe in November 2024?

- A) FAA
- B) CAA
- C) EASA

D) ICAO

Answer: C) EASA

6. Pakistan ranks ___ in the Climate Change Performance Index (CCPI) 2025.

- A) 17th
- B) 25th
- C) 31st
- D) 40th

Answer: C) 31st

7. The 13th IDEAS defense exhibition was held in which city from November 24–27, 2024?

- A) Islamabad
- B) Lahore
- C) Karachi
- D) Rawalpindi

Answer: C) Karachi

8. Which province has the highest percentage of out-of-school children at 47%?

- A) Punjab
- B) Sindh
- C) KP
- D) Balochistan

Answer: D) Balochistan

9. Who won the U.S. presidential election 2024 with 312 electoral votes?

- A) Kamala Harris
- B) Joe Biden
- C) Donald Trump
- D) Robert Kennedy Jr.

Answer: C) Donald Trump

10. Who was elected as the 11th President of the Asian Development Bank in November 2024?

- A) Takehiko Nakao



December 2024

National Current Affairs

1. When was **Sindhi Culture Day 2024** celebrated? **Answer: December 1, 2024**
Explanation: It was observed on a Sunday to honor Sindhi traditions and heritage.
2. According to **Governor Sardar Saleem Haider's** gazette announcement, how many divisions does **Punjab** now have? **Answer: 10** Explanation: This restructuring includes **41 districts** and **216 tehsils**.
3. Which city became the new **10th division** of **Punjab**? **Answer: Gujrat** Explanation: The division enhances administrative efficiency in the region.
4. Who represented **Pakistan** at the **11th Developing Countries (D-8) Summit** held in **Egypt**? **Answer: Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif** Explanation: The summit occurred from **December 18 to 20, 2024**.
5. What was the theme of the **11th D-8 Summit in December 2024**? **Answer: Investing in Youth and Supporting SMEs: Shaping Tomorrow's Economy** Explanation: Focused on economic development through youth and small enterprises.
6. On which date did **President Asif Ali Zardari** sign the bill into law for the registration of **Religious Seminaries (Madrasas)**? **Answer: December 29, 2024** Explanation: The **Religious Seminaries Bill** aims to regulate madrasas nationwide.
7. Which ordinance was revoked by the **Government of Azad Kashmir** following widespread protests? **Answer: Peaceful Assembly and Public Order Ordinance** Explanation: Introduced in **November 2024**, its revocation addressed public grievances.
8. Which four entities were sanctioned by the **US** for involvement in **Pakistan's** missile program? **Answer: National Development Complex (NDC), Akhtar and Sons Private Limited, Affiliates International, Rockside Enterprise** Explanation: Sanctions accused **Pakistan** of developing missiles capable of targeting the US.
9. What is **Pakistan's** largest trade partner primarily for exports? **Answer: United States** Explanation: The **European Union (EU)** is the second-largest, providing **GSP+ benefits**.

Practice MCQs

1. When was Sindhi Culture Day 2024 celebrated?

- A) November 1, 2024
- B) December 1, 2024
- C) December 25, 2024
- D) December 29, 2024

Answer: B) December 1, 2024

2. How many divisions does Punjab now have after the recent restructuring?

- A) 8
- B) 10
- C) 12
- D) 14

Answer: B) 10

3. What is the theme of the 11th D-8 Summit held in December 2024?

- A) Climate Action Now
- B) Investing in Youth and Supporting SMEs: Shaping Tomorrow's Economy
- C) Digital Transformation
- D) Global Trade Unity

Answer: B) Investing in Youth and Supporting SMEs: Shaping Tomorrow's Economy

4. Which country is Pakistan's largest trade partner for exports?

- A) China
- B) United States
- C) European Union
- D) Saudi Arabia

Answer: B) United States

5. On which date did Pakistan win the 2024 Blind T20 World Cup?

- A) November 23, 2024
- B) December 4, 2024
- C) December 18, 2024

D) December 25, 2024

Answer: B) December 4, 2024

6. Who won the ICC Men's Player of the Month for November 2024?

- A) Babar Azam
- B) Haris Rauf
- C) Saim Ayub
- D) Noah Dastgir Butt

Answer: B) Haris Rauf

7. What is Pakistan's rank in the Network Readiness Index 2024?

- A) 85th
- B) 97th
- C) 105th
- D) 120th

Answer: B) 97th

8. How many terrorists were killed by Pakistan's forces in 2024?

- A) 685
- B) 925
- C) 1,000
- D) 1,200

Answer: B) 925

9. Who was Time's Person of the Year 2024?

- A) Elon Musk
- B) Donald Trump
- C) Caitlin Clark
- D) Vinícius Júnior

Answer: B) Donald Trump

10. Which country topped the World Happiness Index 2024?

- A) Norway
- B) Iceland
- C) Finland
- D) Switzerland

Answer: C) Finland



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1. On February 8, 2023, Pakistan sent how many tonnes of relief goods to Turkiye & Syria?

- A) 10 tonnes
- B) 15 tonnes
- C) 21 tonnes
- D) 30 tonnes

Answer: 21 tonnes

2. The 43rd ASEAN summit in Jakarta took place from?

- A) 2 to 4 Sep 2023
- B) 4 to 7 Sep 2023
- C) 4 to 6 Sep 2023
- D) None of these

Answer: 4 to 6 Sep 2023

3. According to the Economists, which political party was predicted to win the 2023 general elections in Pakistan?

- A) PPP
- B) MLN
- C) TLP
- D) PTI

Answer: PTI

4. In September 2023, which country set up a federal authority to introduce a regulatory framework for National Lottery and commercial gaming?

- A) China
- B) USA
- C) UAE
- D) Qatar

Answer: UAE

5. Which country claimed that it had developed an 'infinity laser weapon'?

- A) China
- B) Russia
- C) USA
- D) Turkey

Answer: China

6. Who visited Kabul on February 5, 2023, as an envoy for Qatar's foreign affairs minister?

- A) Sheikh Abdullah Al Thani
- B) Sultan Bin Saad Al Muraikhi
- C) Mutlaq Bin Majed Al-Qahtani
- D) Khalid Bin Mohammed Al Attiyah

Answer: Mutlaq Bin Majed Al-Qahtani

7. Which was the first women's cricket team to beat New Zealand in a T20 series?

- A) India
- B) Bangladesh
- C) Sri Lanka
- D) Pakistan

Answer: Pakistan

8. What was the rank of Pakistan in the Nuclear Security Index 2023 by the Nuclear Threat Initiative (NTI)?

- A) 32
- B) 27th
- C) 30th
- D) 21st

Answer: 32

9. What was the rank of Pakistan in the Global Innovation Index 2023?

- A) 88th
- B) 78th
- C) 86th
- D) 85th

Answer: 88th

10. According to the Global Survey Index 2023, which country tops among the G20 nations with 11 million labourers?

- A) Turkey
- B) Pakistan
- C) India
- D) USA

Answer: India

11. When did Pakistan celebrate the Silver Jubilee of Youm-e-Takbeer?

- A) 28th May 2023
- B) 25th May 2023
- C) 29th May 2023



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D) 27th May 2023

Answer: 28th May 2023

12. Pakistan's first women-only bus service was launched in which city in February 2023?

- A) Karachi
- B) Islamabad
- C) Lahore
- D) Multan

Answer: Lahore

13. In December 2023, the USA sent an envoy to Pakistan to talk on Afghan refugees named?

- A) Zalmay Khalilzad
- B) Julieta Valls Noyes
- C) Roman Paul
- D) None of them

Answer: Julieta Valls Noyes

14. Which international organization is set to rehabilitate 100 primary healthcare centers in Balochistan in 2023?

- A) WHO
- B) UNDP
- C) UNICEF
- D) PEF

Answer: UNICEF

15. The E-Khuli Kachehri to reach out to the Pakistan diaspora in Denmark was held on?

- A) 28th Jan 2023
- B) 30th Jan 2023
- C) 31st Jan 2023
- D) 1st Feb 2023

Answer: 31st Jan 2023

16. On January 29, 2023, FM Bilawal Bhutto arrived in which country on a two-day official visit?

- A) China
- B) Russia
- C) India
- D) Saudi Arabia

Answer: Russia

17. Which International Organization will rehabilitate 100 primary healthcare centers in

12 districts of Balochistan?

- A) FAO
- B) WHO
- C) IMF
- D) ADB

Answer: WHO

18. Which cricketer made history as the 1st Pakistani with 100 Twenty20 International wickets?

- A) Shaheen Shah Afridi
- B) Shadab Khan
- C) Wahab Riaz
- D) Hassan Ali

Answer: Shadab Khan

19. Which company started work on the Reko Diq project in Balochistan?

- A) Newcrest Mining
- B) Agnico Eagle
- C) Kinross Gold
- D) Barrick Gold

Answer: Barrick Gold

20. The former Pakistan PM Imran Khan was arrested by paramilitary police on which date?

- A) May 3, 2023
- B) May 8, 2023
- C) May 11, 2023
- D) May 9, 2023

Answer: May 9, 2023

21. On 5th May 2023, the Chinese foreign minister visited Pakistan, named?

- A) Wang Yi
- B) Qin Gang
- C) Zhao Lijian
- D) Yang Jiechi

Answer: Qin Gang

22. In the acute shortage of water in the garrison city, authorities have approved the construction of which Dam?

- A) Mujahid Dam
- B) Mohata Dam
- C) Both A and B



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- B) April 5 2023
- C) April 7 2023
- D) April 9 2023

Answer: April 5 2023

102. On 28th April, which Muslim country faced an Earthquake of 6.0 magnitude?

- A) Kazakhstan
- B) Indonesia
- C) Tajikistan
- D) Saudi Arabia

Answer: Indonesia

103. The 4th meeting of Foreign Ministers of Afghanistan's Neighboring states was held on?

- A) 11th April 2023
- B) 13th April 2023
- C) 15th April 2023
- D) 17th April 2023

Answer: 13th April 2023

104. When did the Pentagon sets of classified documents leak and begin circulating on Twitter, Telegram, and 4chan?

- A) Feb, 2023
- B) March, 2023
- C) April, 2023
- D) June, 2023

Answer: April, 2023

105. Who is the current (May 2023) Governor of the State Bank of Pakistan?

- A) Jameel Ahmad
- B) Tariq Bajwa
- C) Shamsad Akhtar
- D) Raza Baqir

Answer: Jameel Ahmad

106. What is the focus of World Environment Day in 2023?

- A) Climate change
- B) Plastic pollution
- C) Deforestation
- D) Air pollution

Answer: Plastic pollution

107. In June 2023, Saudi Arabia was going to sign the "Road to Makkah" project with which country?

- A) Iran
- B) Iraq
- C) Pakistan
- D) Israel

Answer: Pakistan

108. World Elder Abuse Day is annually observed on which date?

- A) 12th June
- B) 15th June
- C) 17th June
- D) 18th June

Answer: 15th June

109. Which country provided financial support of USD 1 billion to Pakistan on 16th June 2023?

- A) Russia
- B) US
- C) China
- D) Iran

Answer: China

110. When was Pakistan elected to ECOSOC for a three-year term?

- A) 8th June 2023
- B) 8th April 2023
- C) 8th May 2023
- D) 8th July 2023

Answer: 8th June 2023

111. When did Google open the first-ever App Growth Lab in Pakistan?

- A) 23rd April 2023
- B) 23rd March 2023
- C) 26th April 2023
- D) 26th March 2023

Answer: 26th April 2023

112. When did the blast in the Swat CTD police station occur?

- A) 22nd April 2023
- B) 24th April 2023
- C) 25th April 2023



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- B) Iceland
- C) New Zealand
- D) Denmark

Answer: Iceland

170. Xanana Gusmao is the prime minister of which country?

- A) Ghana
- B) Sudan
- C) East Timor
- D) Papua New Guinea

Answer: East Timor

171. When did a suicide bombing occur at a JUI(F) rally in Bajaur, KPK, Pakistan?

- A) 28 July
- B) 30 July
- C) 31 July
- D) 29 July

Answer: 30 July

172. The first suspected case of brain-eating amoeba (Naegleria) has been reported in which city of Pakistan?

- A) Multan
- B) Lahore
- C) Karachi
- D) Rawalpindi

Answer: Lahore

173. In September 2023, which province of Pakistan introduced the E-driving license facility?

- A) Balochistan
- B) Punjab
- C) Sindh
- D) KPK

Answer: Punjab

174. World Environment Health Day 2023 was observed on?

- A) 24 March
- B) 2 June
- C) 26 September
- D) 12 June

Answer: 26 September

175. Which of the following countries were the hosts of Asia Cup 2023?

- A) Pakistan and India
- B) Pakistan and Sri Lanka
- C) England and Australia
- D) Sri Lanka and Bangladesh

Answer: Pakistan and Sri Lanka

176. Who is the fourth democratically elected President of Pakistan to complete a five-year term?

- A) Arif Alvi
- B) Asif Ali Zardari
- C) Mamnoon Hussain
- D) Pervez Musharraf

Answer: Arif Alvi

177. The tenure of Pakistan's President Dr. Arif Alvi ended officially on?

- A) 6 September 2023
- B) 8 September 2023
- C) 10 September 2023
- D) 12 September 2023

Answer: 8 September 2023

178. On 11 September 2023, Pakistan marked the _____ death anniversary of Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah?

- A) 73rd
- B) 74th
- C) 75th
- D) 76th

Answer: 75th

179. In September 2023, Pakistan and _____ reaffirmed commitment to enhancing collaboration in multiple areas, including trade, energy, and the economy?

- A) Tajikistan
- B) Azerbaijan
- C) Afghanistan
- D) Turkmenistan

Answer: Azerbaijan

180. Former bureaucrat Fawad Hassan Fawad was appointed as caretaker federal minister by President Arif Alvi under Article?