



FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION-2020
FOR RECRUITMENT TO POSTS IN BS-17
UNDER THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT
HISTORY OF PAKISTAN & INDIA

Roll Number

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| TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS | PART-I (MCQS) MAXIMUM MARKS = 20 |
| PART-I(MCQS): MAXIMUM 30 MINUTES | PART-II MAXIMUM MARKS = 80 |
| <p>NOTE: (i) Part-II is to be attempted on the separate Answer Book.</p> <p>(ii) Attempt ONLY FOUR questions from PART-II. ALL questions carry EQUAL marks.</p> <p>(iii) All the parts (if any) of each Question must be attempted at one place instead of at different places.</p> <p>(iv) Write Q. No. in the Answer Book in accordance with Q. No. in the Q.Paper.</p> <p>(v) No Page/Space be left blank between the answers. All the blank pages of Answer Book must be crossed.</p> <p>(vi) Extra attempt of any question or any part of the question will not be considered.</p> | |

PART-II

- Q. No. 2.** Discuss in detail the role of Persian language in influencing cultures in pre-colonial India. **(20)**
- Q. No. 3.** How did the institution of Sufi Shrines influence socio-cultural and economic structures in Mughal India? **(20)**
- Q. No. 4.** In Sir Syed Ahmad Khan's struggle for uplifting the conditions of the Muslims, we see a conflict between Indian and European traditions and knowledge systems. Explain. **(20)**
- Q. No. 5.** How did colonial legacies influence Pakistan's political and social structures in the 1950s and 1960s? **(20)**
- Q. No. 6.** While considering the Pakistan's current financial crisis, how would you compare the economic policies of General Ayub Khan with Z.A. Bhutto? **(20)**
- Q. No. 7.** Explain the propaganda strategies of Pakistani and Indian states and the separatist Bengali leadership during the crisis of East Pakistan. **(20)**
- Q. No. 8.** Compare the political strategies used by Pakistan Muslim League-N, Pakistan People's Party Parliamentarian and Pakistan Tahreek-e-Insaaf since 2008, to establish their governments. **(20)**
