PPSC Pak Studies Topic 9 Provincial & Regional Studies

Sr	Questions	Answers Choice
1	Which ancient civilization flourished in the region of Punjab along the Indus River?	A. Mesopotamian Civilization B. Egyptian Civilization C. Indus Valley Civilization D. Roman Civilization
2	The Indus River flows through which of the following regions?	A. Azad Jammu and Kashmir only B. Punjab and Sindh only C. Gilgit-Baltistan and Punjab D. Balochistan and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa
3	Which major mountain range is predominantly located in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa?	A. Karakoram Range B. Himalayas Range C. Hindu Kush Range D. Salt Range
4	Sindh is known to possess significant reserves of which fossil fuel, particularly in the Thar region?	A. Petroleum B. Natural Gas C. Coal D. Uranium
5	Which major river flows through Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and is crucial for its agriculture and hydroelectric power generation?	A. Indus River B. Jhelum River C. Chenab River D. Ravi River
6	Which of the following mountain ranges dominates the landscape of Gilgit-Baltistan?	A. Suleiman Range B. Kirthar Range C. Karakoram Range D. Salt Range
7	The ancient heritage of Sindh is predominantly associated with which major civilization?	A. Gandhara Civilization B. Persian Civilization C. Mesopotamian Civilization D. Indus Valley Civilization
8	Which major desert is located in the southern part of Punjab, Pakistan, known for its historical forts?	A. Thar Desert B. Cholistan Desert C. Thal Desert D. Sahara Desert
9	Historically, both Gilgit-Baltistan and Azad Jammu and Kashmir were parts of the former princely state of:	A. Kalat B. Bahawalpur C. Jammu and Kashmir D. Swat
10	Which famous international border crossing connects Gilgit-Baltistan with China?	A. Torkham Pass B. Khunjerab Pass C. Bolan Pass D. Shandur Pass
11	The largest single irrigation network in Pakistan, vital for Sindh's agriculture, is provided by which barrage?	A. Tarbela Dam B. Mangla Dam C. Sukkur Barrage D. Warsak Dam
12	The Neelum Valley, known for its scenic beauty, is a significant part of which administrative region?	A. Gilgit-Baltistan B. Khyber Pakhtunkhwa C. Azad Jammu and Kashmir D. Punjab
13	How many major rivers historically flow through the region of Punjab, giving it its name?	A. Three B. Four C. Five D. Six
14	Which of the following is a major cash crop extensively cultivated in the agricultural plains of Sindh?	A. Tea B. Coffee C. Cotton D. Tobacco
15	Who was the founder of the Sikh Empire in the Punjab region in the late 18th and early 19th centuries?	A. Guru Nanak Dev B. Guru Gobind Singh C. Maharaja Ranjit Singh

		D. Banda Singh Bahadur
16	The famous Khyber Pass, a historic trade route, connects Peshawar with which country?	A. Iran B. China C. Afghanistan D. India
17	Which major seaport, crucial for Pakistan's trade and economy, is located on the coast of Sindh?	A. Gwadar Port B. Ormara Port C. Port Qasim D. Pasni Port
18	What is the capital city of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa?	A. Lahore B. Quetta C. Peshawar D. Karachi
19	Which ancient city, a UNESCO World Heritage site located in Sindh, is a major archaeological site of the Indus Valley Civilization?	A. Harappa B. Taxila C. Mohenjo-Daro D. Ganweriwala
20	What is the capital city of Azad Jammu and Kashmir (AJK)?	A. Gilgit B. Muzaffarabad C. Skardu D. Mirpur