



National Officers Academy
Mock Exams CSS-2023
July 2022(Mock-1)
GENERAL KNOWLEDGE-II
(CURRENT AFFAIRS)

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS	PART-I (MCQS)	MAXIMUM MARKS = 20
PART-I(MCQS): MAXIMUM 30 MINUTES	PART-II	MAXIMUM MARKS = 80

NOTE:

- i.** **Part-II** is to be attempted on the separate **Answer Book**.
- ii.** Attempt **ONLY FOUR** questions from **PART-II**. **ALL** questions carry **EQUAL** marks.
- iii.** All the parts (if any) of each Question must be attempted at one place instead of at different places.
- iv.** Write Q. No. in the Answer Book in accordance with Q. No. in the Q. Paper.
- v.** No Page/Space be left blank between the answers. All the blank pages of Answer Book must be crossed.
- vi.** Extra attempt of any question or any part of the question will not be considered.

SUBJECTIVE PART — PART-II

- Q. 2.** Evaluate the foreign policy stance(s) of Pakistan in the wake of the Russian invasion of Ukraine and its implications. Suggest policy recommendations.
- Q. 3.** Critically evaluate the challenges faced by Afghan Taliban's government to get internal and external recognition. Also highlight options for Islamabad to follow.
- Q. 4.** US President's current visit to Middle East is not to ask to pump more oil to relieve gasoline price pressures, following the crisis in Ukraine, but to align key Indo-Pacific player of the region in competition with Russia and China. Discuss.
- Q. 5.** Sri Lanka is facing the worst economic crisis since its independence in 1948. How Sri Lanka reached to this situation. What's the way out of Sri Lanka's political and economic crisis?
- Q. 6.** Numerous forms of government like Parliamentary and Presidential have been in vogue in Pakistan with limited success. Suggest a practical system that would result in good governance of the country. Stipulate the reasons and conditions for the success of the system.
- Q. 7.** What issues may lead the world to a Second Cold War. Pick the possibilities of the future world order (Multipolar, Bipolar or Unipolar) and argue its possibilities with reasons.
- Q. 8.** Write a short note on any TWO of the following:
 - a) Economic Conditions of Muslim World and the role of OIC.
 - b) Draw the contrast in the leadership qualities between Vladimir Putin of Russia and Joe Biden of the US.
 - c) Role of Qatar in International Arbitrations

Best of Luck for CSS-2023