



**National Officers Academy**  
**Mock-5 for CSS-2025**  
**October 2024**  
**GENERAL KNOWLEDGE-II**  
**(CURRENT AFFAIRS)**

<b>TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS</b> <b>PART-I(MCQS): MAXIMUM 30 MINUTES</b>	<b>PART-I (MCQS)</b> <b>PART-II</b>	<b>MAXIMUM MARKS = 20</b> <b>MAXIMUM MARKS = 80</b>
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**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.** Taiwan is a potential conflict between China and USA. Critically evaluate the reasons and why and how the two countries must avoid the conflict.
- Q. 3.** Critically evaluate the unconditional support of US for Israel effects its image in the Arab countries and how it provides a space to China and Russia to penetrate into the Middle East.
- Q. 4.** The turnaround of Pakistan's economy is not possible without comprehensive structural reforms in industry, agriculture, IT, power sector and Tax system of Pakistan. Elaborate the statement.
- Q. 5.** Pakistan successfully conducted SCO conference in Islamabad. Critically evaluate the major takeaways for Pakistan. What measures would you recommend Islamabad to follow?
- Q. 6.** Expensive agreements with IPPs, overwhelming dependency on hydrocarbons, Line and other losses in the transmission and distribution sector have caused massive hike in electricity prices having far reaching implications on industry, domestic and other crucial sectors. Analyze the statement and give possible recommendations.
- Q. 7.** Critically evaluate how Israel launched terror on Gaza has become a classical example of war crimes. How do you see the decision of ICJ and response US government to it? How it would impact its relation with Arab world?
- Q. 8.** UNGA passed a resolution in favor of two state solution. Three European States also recognized Palestine as sovereign state. Critically evaluate the chances of two state solution or do you think Israel would continue as an Apartheid state?

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***Best of Luck for CSS-2025***