



National Officers Academy
Mock Exams for CSS-2025
January 2025(Final Mock)
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.** The HTS Islamist rebels have toppled down Bashar ul Asad regime in Syria. Critically evaluate the reasons and implications of the unprecedented change in Syria.
- Q. 3.** State owned enterprises have been a huge and persistent burden on the budgetary economy of Pakistan. Why and how these enterprises should be privatized?
- Q. 4.** Russia - China growing economic, strategic and geo political collaboration is an effort to potentially challenge the US led world order. Discuss.
- Q. 5.** Dollar and SWIFT being used as a weapon by US against the countries of the Global South. Critically evaluate how BRICS+ could counter this to get rid of the western exploitation on permanent bases.
- Q. 6.** Islamabad-Kabul tension lingers on due to TTP using Afghan land as a launching pad for terrorist attacks in Pakistan. Critically evaluate the situation. Give possible recommendations.
- Q. 7.** Critically evaluate the opportunities and challenges for neighbors in post Sheikh Haseena Bangladesh. Also analyze the opportunities for Pakistan and Islamabad approach towards Dhaka.
- Q. 8.** Critically evaluate the reasons for the slowing down of CPEC projects. What options would you recommend to Islamabad and Beijing to re-invigorate.

Best of Luck for CSS-2025