

## PPSC Pak Studies Topic 9 Provincial & Regional Studies

Sr	Questions	Answers Choice
1	The famous Shangrila Resort (Lower Kachura Lake) is a prominent tourist attraction located in which region?	A. Neelum Valley, AJK B. Hunza Valley, GB C. Skardu, GB D. Bagh, AJK
2	Azad Jammu and Kashmir is often described as a 'self-governing territory' under the administration of which country?	A. China B. India C. Pakistan D. Afghanistan
3	The historic Bala Hisar Fort, a significant landmark, is located in which city of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa?	A. Abbottabad B. Swat C. Peshawar D. Mardan
4	Often referred to as the 'Switzerland of the East', which beautiful valley is a major tourist attraction in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa?	A. Naran Valley B. Kaghan Valley C. Swat Valley D. Hunza Valley
5	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
6	In ancient and early medieval times, the region of Sindh was often referred to by Arab geographers as:	A. Sapta Sindhu B. Mehran C. Gandhara D. Punjab
7	What is the capital city of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa?	A. Lahore B. Quetta C. Peshawar D. Karachi
8	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
9	The historic necropolis of Makli, a UNESCO World Heritage Site with ancient tombs and monuments, is located near which city in Sindh?	A. Hyderabad B. Sukkur C. Thatta D. Larkana
10	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
11	Which city is known as the 'Heart of Pakistan' and serves as the provincial capital of Punjab?	A. Multan B. Faisalabad C. Lahore D. Rawalpindi
12	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
13	Which of these languages is NOT primarily spoken in Gilgit-Baltistan?	A. Shina B. Balti C. Kashmiri D. Burushaski
14	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
15	In which year were the Federally Administered Tribal Areas (FATA) officially merged with Khyber Pakhtunkhwa province?	A. 2010 B. 2018 C. 2005 D. 1999

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16	Which mountain peak, the second highest in the world, is located in Gilgit-Baltistan?	A. Nanga Parbat B. Broad Peak C. K2 (Mount Godwin Austen) D. Gasherbrum I
17	The shrine of the revered Sufi saint Shah Rukn-e-Alam is a prominent historical and cultural site located in which city of Punjab?	A. Lahore B. Multan C. Uch Sharif D. Bahawalpur
18	What is the dominant indigenous language spoken in the province of Punjab, Pakistan?	A. Urdu B. Sindhi C. Pashto D. Punjabi
19	What is a significant natural resource found and extracted in various parts of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, particularly in the Kohat region?	A. Coal B. Petroleum and Natural Gas C. Gold D. Iron Ore
20	How many major rivers historically flow through the region of Punjab, giving it its name?	A. Three B. Four C. Five D. Six

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