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FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION-2021
FOR RECRUITMENT TO POSTS IN BS-17
UNDER THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, PAPER-I

Roll Number

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.		

PART-II

- Q. No. 2.** Define International Relations. Discuss it's changing/ evolving scope. **(20)**
- Q. No. 3.** Comparatively discuss the modernist IR theories (Realism and Liberalism) with post-modernist IR theories (Feminism and Constructivism). **(20)**
- Q. No. 4.** Explain the concept of 'Comprehensive Security' differentiating it from the traditional concept of 'Power'. Is it an appropriate concept for developing and poor countries? **(20)**
- Q. No. 5.** Identify and analytically explain the various conflict resolution methods. **(20)**
- Q. No. 6.** What is the role of economy in state behaviour? How does it influence definition of National Interest and how is used as a tool of achieving foreign policy goals? Discuss with examples. **(20)**
- Q. No. 7.** Identify the different types of non-State actors in International Relations and their impact on the International System. **(20)**
- Q. No. 8.** Identify and discuss determinants of Pakistan's Foreign Policy. **(20)**



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PART-II

- Q. No. 2.** Examine China Strategic Vision behind ‘The Belt and Road Initiative (BRI)’, also known as the One Belt One Road (OBOR). **(20)**
- Q. No. 3.** Give a critical appraisal of Pakistan’s Foreign Policy in perspective of Climate Change. **(20)**
- Q. No. 4.** What could be the reasons of emerging water conflict between Pakistan and Afghanistan? **(20)**
- Q. No. 5.** Discuss National Energy Policy of Pakistan in the context of CPEC signed in 2015. **(20)**
- Q. No. 6.** What is pandemic? How can the pandemic management strategy be made part of the governance systems of Pakistan? **(20)**
- Q. No. 7.** Why and when was the BRICS established? Which countries are part of BRICS? **(20)**
- Q. No. 8.** How can Pakistan develop credible capabilities to deter ‘Hybrid’ warfare? **(20)**
