**APPENDICES**

**APPENDIX** **1: TEST INSTRUMENT**

**PART A**

**Direction:** One of the underlined words *or* group of words in the following sentences is INCORRECT. Locate it and circle either [a], [b], or [c] underneath your chosen answer.

**Example:**

The news nowadays are always full of stories about people who are unhappy.

[a] [b] [c]

**Please answer the following questions!**

1. The interrogation, conducted by three police officers, have lasted for several hours.

[a] [b] [c]

1. The witnesses admit that most of the fire in the hills were extinguished.

[a] [b] [c]

1. Some of the animals from the zoo was released into the animal preserve.

[a] [b] [c]

1. Segregation in public schools was declare unconstitutional in 1954.

[a] [b] [c]

1. The North Platte River flowing from Wyoming to Nebraska

[a] [b] [c]

1. On the rim of the Kilauea volcano in the Hawaiian Islands are a hotel called the VH.

[a] [b] [c]

1. Either the manager or her assistant are willing to help you with your refund.

[a] [b] [c]

1. Dining in a restaurant is more fun than to eat at home.

[a] [b] [c]

1. A patient suffering from amnesia may had partial or total loss of memory.

[a] [b] [c]

1. The boy had never be stung by a bee.

[a] [b] [c]

1. Cameos can be carved not only from onyx and sardonyx or from agate.

[a] [b] [c]

1. In the evening he relaxes in front of the fire and writes long poets.

[a] [b] [c]

1. The sycamore has broad leaves with a large amount of pointed teeth.

[a] [b] [c]

1. When children experience too much frustration, its behaviour ceases to be integrated.

[a] [b] [c]

**PART B**

**Please answer each of the following questions carefully!**

**Example:**

The company involved in the project **has** *(have)* agreed to resume the work.

The amount of water that a camel has to drink daily **is** *(be)* unbelievably huge.

**Question 1 – 10**

**Direction**: Complete each of the following sentences by using the correct form of the word in the parentheses!

1. My brother, along with his friends, …….…. *(have)* visited Germany several times.
2. The authority has confirmed that a number of people …….…. *(be)* involved in the accident last week.
3. Some of the students from the school …….…. *(be)* arrested by the police yesterday.
4. The case of bullying in schools …….…. *(have)* been steadily increasing since the last couple of years.
5. The Thames, running 140 miles from its source, …….…. *(flow)* constantly through the city of London.
6. To the north of Syiah Kuala University …….…. *(be)* an Islamic university known as UIN Ar Raniry.
7. Either Abdul or his brother …….…. *(love)* to participate in every contest.
8. Sleeping in a remotely located private bungalow surrounded by magnificent natural views is much more enjoyable than …….…. *(stay)* in a five star high street hotel.
9. Eating organic foods can …….…. *(help)* prevent poisonous materials from entering our body.
10. Usman has never …….…. *(be)* to Singapore.

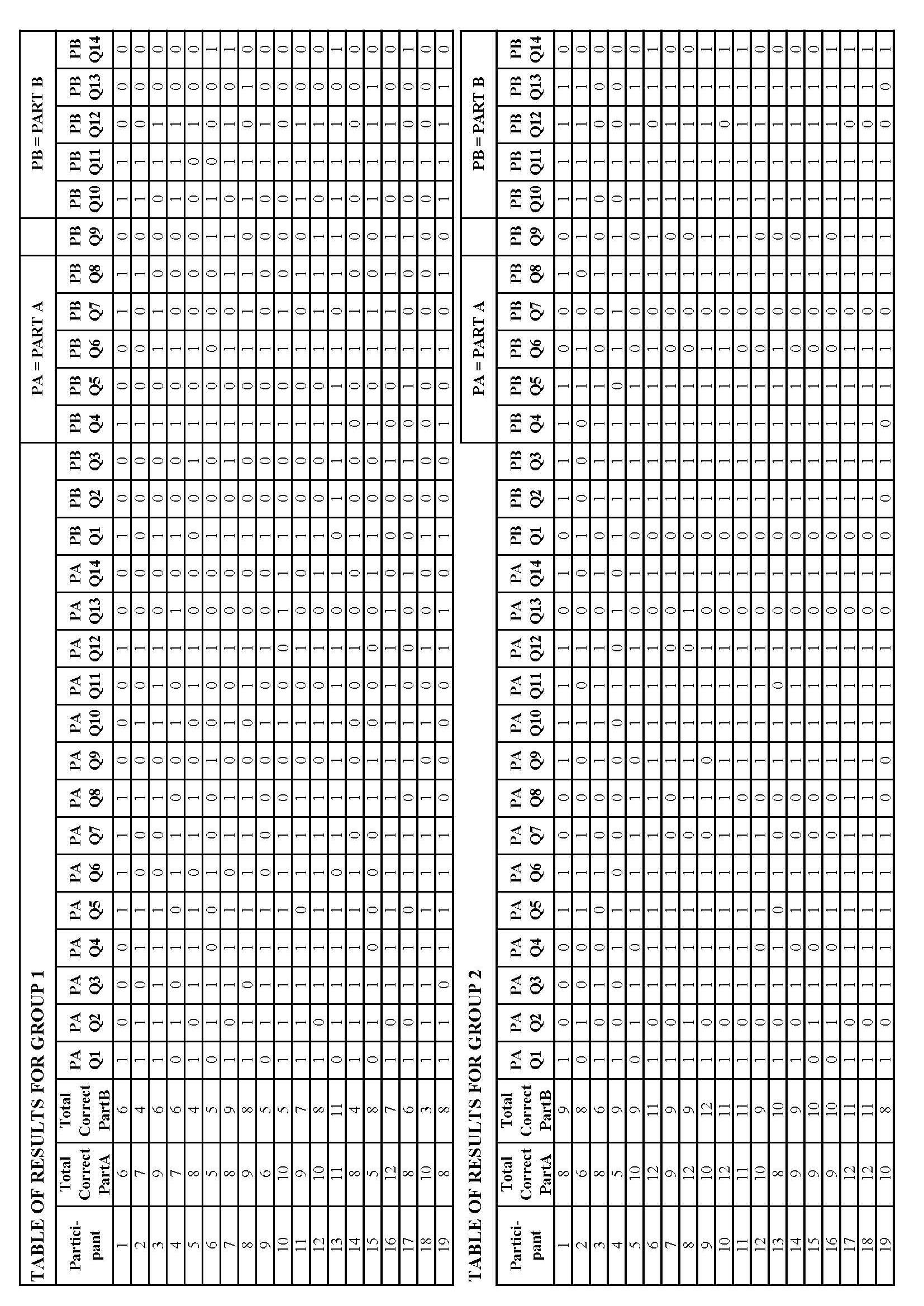
**Question 11 – 14**

**Direction**: Complete each of the following sentences by referring to the underlined word(s) and hint(s) provided.

1. Jewelleries can be made not only from gold …………….…. from silver.
2. If a painter produces paintings, a poet writes …….………! *(hint: poet = penyair)*
3. A camel needs a large …………...…. of water in order to survive in a desert.
4. When a large number of people live in a congested area, …….…. living standard may decrease. *(hint:* pronoun)

**<<< Thank You >>>**

**APPENDIX 2: TABLE OF RESULTS**

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**APPENDIX 3: Item Difficulty *(p-value)* and Discrimination Index**

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| **GROUP 1** | | | | | |
| **PART A** | | | **PART B** | | |
| **Question** | **p-value** | **Discr. Index** | **Question** | **p-value** | **Discr. Index** |
| 1 | 0.73 | 0.33 | 1 | 0.73 | 0.11 |
| 2 | 0.68 | -0.11 | 2 | 0.05 | 0.11 |
| 3 | 0.73 | 0.33 | 3 | 0.26 | 0.11 |
| 4 | 0.84 | 0.33 | 4 | 0.78 | 0.22 |
| 5 | 0.73 | 0.33 | 5 | 0.10 | 0.00 |
| 6 | 0.63 | 0.00 | 6 | 0.84 | 0.11 |
| 7 | 0.68 | 0.44 | 7 | 0.42 | 0.22 |
| 8 | 0.68 | 0.44 | 8 | 0.47 | 0.78 |
| 9 | 0.26 | -0.11 | 9 | 0.31 | 0.22 |
| 10 | 0.63 | 0.33 | 10 | 0.47 | 0.44 |
| 11 | 0.26 | 0.56 | 11 | 0.89 | 0.22 |
| 12 | 0.84 | 0.11 | 12 | 0.57 | 0.44 |
| 13 | 0.21 | 0.00 | 13 | 0.15 | 0.33 |
| 14 | 0.26 | 0.11 | 14 | 0.21 | 0.00 |
| *Mean* | *0.58* | *0.27* | *Mean* | *0.45* | *0.24* |
| **GROUP 2** | | | | | |
| **PART A** | | | **PART B** | | |
| **Question** | **p-value** | **Discr. Index** | **Question** | **p-value** | **Discr. Index** |
| 1 | 0.78 | 0.22 | 1 | 0.10 | -0.22 |
| 2 | 0.26 | -0.11 | 2 | 0.89 | 0.22 |
| 3 | 0.84 | 0.33 | 3 | 0.94 | 0.11 |
| 4 | 0.57 | 0.44 | 4 | 0.89 | 0.22 |
| 5 | 0.89 | 0.22 | 5 | 0.94 | 0.11 |
| 6 | 0.94 | 0.11 | 6 | 0.47 | 0.33 |
| 7 | 0.47 | 0.67 | 7 | 0.53 | -0.11 |
| 8 | 0.36 | 0.78 | 8 | 0.94 | 0.11 |
| 9 | 0.73 | 0.00 | 9 | 0.52 | 0.44 |
| 10 | 0.94 | 0.11 | 10 | 0.89 | 0.22 |
| 11 | 0.89 | 0.22 | 11 | 1.00 | 0.00 |
| 12 | 0.84 | 0.11 | 12 | 0.63 | -0.11 |
| 13 | 0.10 | 0.00 | 13 | 0.84 | 0.33 |
| 14 | 0.89 | 0.22 | 14 | 0.42 | 0.67 |
| *Mean* | *0.68* | *0.24* | *Mean* | *0.68* | *0.17* |