

THE PRINCIPLE OF PAIRS

WITH THE NAME OF ALLAH, MOST GRACIOUS, MOST MERCIFUL.

Our Rabb has mentioned in Sura Ya-Sin (ch. 36): verse 36 that he had created things in pairs:

“Glory to Allah, who created in pairs all things that the earth produces, as well as their own (human) kind and (other) things of which they have no knowledge.”

This verse refers to pairs in magnets (north and south poles), electricity (positive and negative charges), atoms (protons and electrons), pollination (anther and stigma) and male and female amongst animals and humans.

In the very early years, people knew of pairs in the vegetable, animal and human worlds, but they were not aware of pairs in electricity, atoms and magnets as these discoveries were made many years after the Holy Quraan had been revealed.

In point of fact, with regard to pairs in created things, there are still more discoveries to be made by the scientific community.

Worksheet

1) There are other verses in the Holy Quraan that speak of pairs in creation -quote one of them- not the one given in the above lesson.

2) Complete the following sentence: None but _____ could have informed Nabie Muhammad about the principle of pairs in creation.

3) Name two examples of pairs in the creation of Allah (S.W.T.) that were discovered years after the revelation of the Noble Quraan.

4) Does Allah (S.W.T.) prohibit us from studying his wonderful universe?
