

# NABARD Grade A Previous Year Paper for 2021

NABARD Grade A Phase 1  
Previous Year Questions



## **2021: (Q.1 to Q.20)**

### **(Instructions for Q.1 to Q.5)**

Study the information given below and answer the questions based on it.

Seven friends namely – Ramesh, Rajesh, Jayesh, Viresh, Tapes, Lovish and Ishant – live in a hostel having seven floors. All chose to stay on different floors of the hostel building (numbered 1 to 7) but not necessarily in the same order. They all have come from different states – Odisha, Gujarat, Assam, Goa, Kerala, Delhi and Bihar but not in the same order.

Rajesh chose third floor and is from Gujarat. Viresh has chosen the floor immediately below the floor which Tapes has chosen and immediately above the floor which Jayesh has chosen. There is only one floor between the floors which Rajesh and Lovish have chosen. Viresh has not come from Kerala.

The one who chose the top floor has come from Bihar. There is only one floor between the floor which Jayesh has chosen and the one who is from Odisha. The one who is from Delhi has chosen the floor immediately above the floor which the one from Kerala has chosen. The one who is from Goa has not chosen the floor below the one from Odisha.

**Q.1) Ramesh is from which of the following states?**

- (a) Bihar
- (b) Kerala
- (c) Odisha
- (d) Either Bihar or Odisha
- (e) Assam

**Answer – (d)**

**Explanation -**

Floor	Name	State
7	Ramesh/Ishant	Bihar
6	Tapes	Goa
5	Viresh	Delhi
4	Jayesh	Kerala
3	Rajesh	Gujarat
2	Ishant/Ramesh	Odisha
1	Lovish	Assam

**Q.2) Which of the following combination is true regarding the given options?**

- (a) Tapes – 5th – Goa
  - (b) Lovish – 1st – Assam
  - (c) Jayesh – 6th – Kerala
  - (d) Ishant – 2nd – Odisha
  - (e) Viresh – 4th – Delhi
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**Answer – (b)**

**Explanation -**

Floor	Name	State
7	Ramesh/Ishant	Bihar
6	Tapesh	Goa
5	Viresh	Delhi
4	Jayesh	Kerala
3	Rajesh	Gujarat
2	Ishant/Ramesh	Odisha
1	Lovish	Assam

**Q.3) If Lovish is related to Odisha, Rajesh is related to Kerala in the same way to whom is Tapes related to?**

- (a) Goa
- (b) Assam
- (c) Gujarat
- (d) Delhi
- (e) Bihar

**Answer – (e)**

**Explanation -**

Floor	Name	State
7	Ramesh/Ishant	Bihar
6	Tapesh	Goa
5	Viresh	Delhi
4	Jayesh	Kerala
3	Rajesh	Gujarat
2	Ishant/Ramesh	Odisha
1	Lovish	Assam

**Q.4) The one who is from Goa lives on which of the following floor?**

- (a) 1st
- (b) 7th
- (c) 3rd
- (d) 6th
- (e) 5th

**Answer – (d)**

**Explanation -**

Floor	Name	State
7	Ramesh/Ishant	Bihar
6	Tapesh	Goa
5	Viresh	Delhi
4	Jayesh	Kerala
3	Rajesh	Gujarat
2	Ishant/Ramesh	Odisha
1	Lovish	Assam

**Q.5) Which statement is not correct according to given information?**

- (a) Ishant is from Bihar.
- (b) The person from Kerala lives on the floor just above of the one on which the person belongs to Gujarat stays.
- (c) Lovish lives on an odd numbered floor.
- (d) Tapesht stays on floor above Lovish.
- (e) Rajesh stays on floor below Tapesht.

**Answer – (a)**

**Explanation -**

Floor	Name	State
7	Ramesh/Ishant	Bihar
6	Tapesht	Goa
5	Viresh	Delhi
4	Jayesh	Kerala
3	Rajesh	Gujarat
2	Ishant/Ramesh	Odisha
1	Lovish	Assam

**(Instructions for Q.6 to Q.10)**

**Read the given information carefully and answer the questions:**

Twelve Persons are sitting in two parallel rows - Q, R, S, T, U and V are sitting in row 1 facing south and P, O, J, W, X and Y are sitting in row 2 facing north. W sits third to the left of P. V does not face P. Neither W nor P sits at extreme ends. O sits at one of the extreme ends. Only two people sit between O and X. V is not an immediate neighbour of U. X does not face V. Two persons sit between R and S. V does not sit at any of the extreme ends. U faces W. S is not an immediate neighbour of U. Q does not face P. J sits left of Y.

**Q.6) Who among the following sits diagonally opposite to S?**

- (a) O
- (b) V
- (c) J
- (d) P
- (e) W

**Answer – (c)**

**Explanation -**

Row 1	Q	U	R	V	T	S
Row 2	J	W	X	Y	P	O



**Q.7) Who among the following sits third to the left of U?**

- (a) T
- (b) V
- (c) Q
- (d) S
- (e) R

**Answer – (a)**

**Explanation -**

Row 1	Q	U	R	V	T	S
Row 2	J	W	X	Y	P	O

**Q.8) Who among the following faces X?**

- (a) Q
- (b) V
- (c) S
- (d) R
- (e) U

**Answer – (d)**

**Explanation -**

Row 1	Q	U	R	V	T	S
Row 2	J	W	X	Y	P	O

**Q.9) Four of the following five form a group, which among the following does not belong to this group?**

- (a) O, V
- (b) Y, U
- (c) X, Q
- (d) P, R
- (e) W, Q

**Answer – (e)**

**Explanation -**

Row 1	Q	U	R	V	T	S
Row 2	J	W	X	Y	P	O

In all the options except E, the second element is second to the left of the first element in the other row.

**Q.10) How many persons sit between Y and J?**

- (a) Three
- (b) Two
- (c) None
- (d) One
- (e) More than Three

**Answer – (b)**

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**Explanation -**

Row 1	Q	U	R	V	T	S
Row 2	J	W	X	Y	P	O

**(Instruction for Q.11)**

There are five plays that are to be performed from Monday to Friday. One play is to be performed each day. C is to be performed immediately after D but not on Thursday. Three plays are to be performed between Z and A. A is not to be performed at last. N is one of the plays.

**Q.11) On which day play N is to be performed?**

- (a) Monday
- (b) Tuesday
- (c) Wednesday
- (d) Thursday
- (e) Friday

**Answer – (d)**

**Explanation -**

Monday	A
Tuesday	D
Wednesday	C
Thursday	N
Friday	Z

**Q.12) Which play is to be performed on Monday?**

- (a) A
- (b) D
- (c) C
- (d) N
- (e) Z

**Answer – (a)**

**Explanation -**

Monday	A
Tuesday	D
Wednesday	C
Thursday	N
Friday	Z

**(Instruction for Q.13 to Q.15)**

In the following questions, some statements are given followed by conclusions. You have to consider the statements to be true, even if they seem to differ from commonly known facts. You are to decide which conclusion follows. Mark your answer accordingly.

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**Q.13)**

**Statement:**

All Hero are Zero.  
Some Hero are Actor.  
All Actor are Dancer.

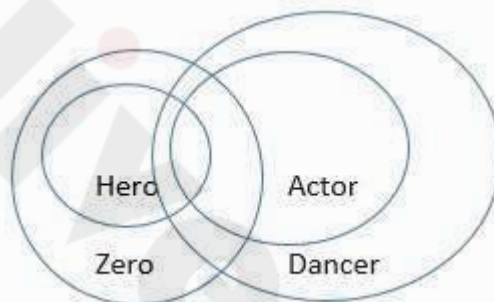
**Conclusion:**

I. Some Hero are Dancer.  
II. Some Actor are Zero.

- (a) Only I follows
- (b) Only II follows
- (c) Either I or II follows
- (d) Neither I nor II follow
- (e) Both I and II follow

**Answer – (e)**

**Explanation -**



**Q.14)**

**Statement:**

All Pet are Dog.  
No Dog is Cat.  
Some Cat are Animal.

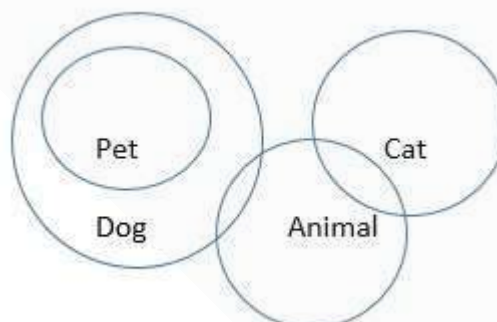
**Conclusion:**

I. No Cat is Pet.  
II. Some Animal can be Dog.

- (a) Only I follows
- (b) Only II follows
- (c) Either I or II follows
- (d) Neither I nor II follow
- (e) Both I and II follow

**Answer – (e)**

**Explanation -**



Second conclusion also follows because it is a possibility.

**Q.15)**

**Statement:**

Every Brown is Horse.

No Brown is Key.

Some Brown are Red.

**Conclusion:**

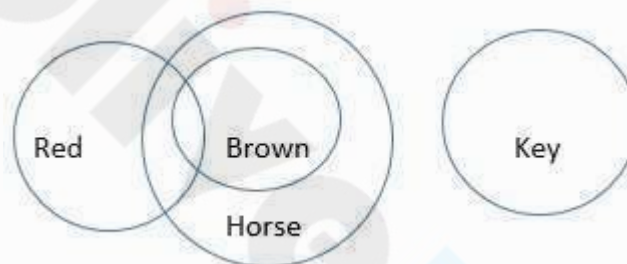
I. Some Red are not Key.

II. Some Horse are not key.

- (a) Only I follows
- (b) Only II follows
- (c) Either I or II follows
- (d) Neither I nor II follow
- (e) Both I and II follow

**Answer – (e)**

**Explanation -**



**(Instructions for Q.16 and Q.17)**

Study the following information carefully and answer the questions given below. In a certain code language,

‘messy room looks bad’ is coded as ‘la ja ta sa’,

‘senior room bad’ is coded as ‘sa ty ta’.

‘messy room feels dirty’ is coded as ‘ja sa op nm’

‘water save dirty’ is coded as ‘op vs rt’

**Q.16) What is the code for ‘Dirty’?**

- (a) op
- (b) rt
- (c) vs
- (d) ty
- (e) None of these

**Answer – (a)**

**Explanation -**

room	bad	senior	dirty	messy	feels	looks
sa	ta	ty	op	ja	nm	la



**Q.17) Which word is coded as 'ja'?**

- (a) Room
- (b) Looks
- (c) Bad
- (d) Senior
- (e) Messy

**Answer – (e)**

**Explanation -**

room	bad	senior	dirty	messy	feels	looks
sa	ta	ty	op	ja	nm	la

**(Instruction for Q.18 to Q.20)**

In each of the questions below are given some statements followed by two conclusions. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts.

Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows from the given statements disregarding commonly known facts.

**Q.18)**

**Statements:**  $A > B > C$ ;  $B < F = J$

**Conclusion:**

**I.  $A > F$**

**II.  $J > B$**

- (a) If only conclusion I follows
- (b) If only conclusion II follows
- (c) If either conclusion I or II follows
- (d) If neither conclusion I nor II follows
- (e) If both conclusions I and II follow

**Answer – (b)**

**Explanation -**

$A > B < F$

So, no relation can't be established between A and F.

So, I does not follow.

$B < F = J$

So,  $B < J$

So, II follows.

**Q.19)**

**Statements:**  $A > B = W$ ,  $A = C > O$

**Conclusion:**

**I.  $O \geq B$**

**II.  $B > O$**

- (a) If only conclusion I follows
- (b) If only conclusion II follows
- (c) If either conclusion I or II follows
- (d) If neither conclusion I nor II follows
- (e) If both conclusions I and II follow

**Answer – (c)**

**Explanation -**

$$O < C = A > B$$

Clearly, no relation can be established between O and B.

But there are only three possible relations between any two variables i.e.  $<$ ,  $>$  or  $=$ .

So, either  $O \geq B$  or  $O < B$ .

**Q.20)**

**Statements:**  $O < F = J < A < I = K$

**Conclusion:**

**I.  $A > O$**

**II.  $K > F$**

- (a) If only conclusion I follows
- (b) If only conclusion II follows
- (c) If either conclusion I or II follows
- (d) If neither conclusion I nor II follows
- (e) If both conclusions I and II follow

**Answer – (e)**

**Explanation -**

$$A > J = F > O$$

So,  $A > O$

Hence, conclusion I follows.

$$K = I > A > J = F$$

So,  $K > F$

Hence, conclusion II also follows.

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