

NABARD Grade A Shift 1 Previous Year Paper for 2022

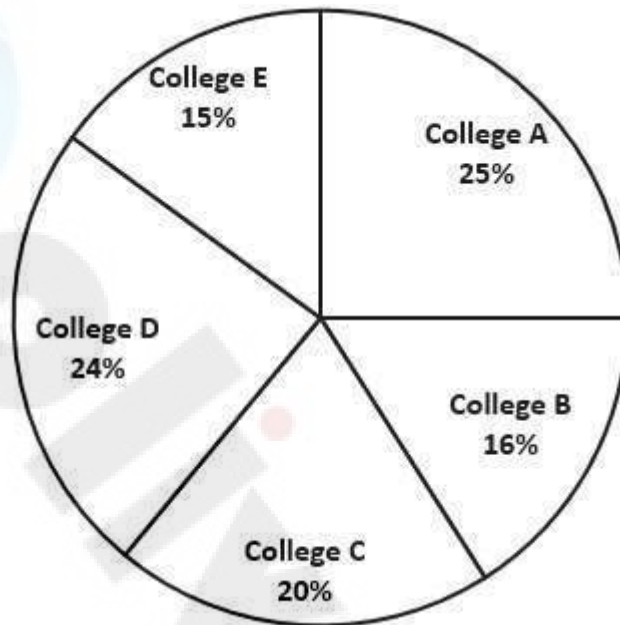
NABARD Grade A Phase 1 PYQS



2022: (Q.71 to Q.90) Morning Shift

Instructions for Q.71 to Q.76

Consider the below data about number of applications to different colleges.



Note: The average of number of applications to colleges A, C and E is 100.

Q.71) If the ratio of number of applications received by College E and C together to the number of applications received by College X is 35:18, find the number of applications received by college X?

- (a) 90
- (b) 85
- (c) 60
- (d) 75
- (e) 80

Answer – (a)

Explanation -

Total number of applications to colleges A, C and E = $100 \times 3 = 300$

Total number of applications to colleges A, C and E in percentage = $25\% + 20\% + 15\% = 60\%$

So, $60\% = 300$

Hence, $100\% = 300/60\% = 500$

Number of applications received by C and E = $20\% + 15\% = 35\%$

35% of $500 = 175$

Let the number of applications received by college X be 'P'.

Ratio = $175/P = 35/18$

$P = 175 \times 18 / 35 = 90$

Q.72) If the number of boys who applied in college D was 40% less than the number of girls who applied in the same college, then find out the number of boys who applied in college D?

- (a) 75
- (b) 60
- (c) 45
- (d) 50
- (e) 40

Answer – (c)

Explanation -

Total applications received by college D = 24% of 500 = 120

Let the number of girls = Y

So, number of boys = 0.6Y

$$Y + 0.6Y = 120$$

$$1.6Y = 120$$

$$Y = 120/1.6$$

$$Y = 75$$

$$\text{Boys} = 0.6Y = 0.6 \times 75 = 45$$

Q.73) If the number of students who applied in college C was 10 more than the actual number, then the number of students who applied in college C is what percent of the number of students who applied in college A?

- (a) 80%
- (b) 72%
- (c) 90%
- (d) 75%
- (e) 88%

Answer – (e)

Explanation -

As per the question, number of applications received by C = 20% of 500 + 10 = 100 + 10 = 110

Number of applications received by A = 25% of 500 = 125

Required percentage = $110/125 \times 100 = 88\%$

Q.74) The central angle of College B in degrees is

- (a) 86.4°
- (b) 57.6°
- (c) 72°
- (d) 54°
- (e) 90°

Answer – (b)

Explanation -

Percentage of applications received by college B = 16%

Central angle of college B = $16/100 \times 360 = 57.6^\circ$

Q.75) What is the difference between the number of applications received by colleges A and B together and the number of applications received by college E?

- (a) 120
- (b) 125
- (c) 130
- (d) 135
- (e) 115

Answer – (c)

Explanation -

Number of applications received by A and B together = $(25\% + 16\%) \times 500 = 41\% \times 500 = 205$

Number of applications received by E = $15\% \times 500 = 75$

Required difference = $205 - 75 = 130$

Q.76) Suppose the cost of application form in college E is Rs 100 for a boy and Rs 75 for a girl. Assume 40 boys applied in college E and the rest were girls. What is the total application amount received by college E?

- (a) Rs 6625
- (b) Rs 6500
- (c) Rs 7000
- (d) Rs 6400
- (e) Rs 6325

Answer – (a)

Explanation -

Total applications received by E = $15\% \times 500 = 75$

Number of boys = 40

Number of girls = $75 - 40 = 35$

Application money received = $100 \times 40 + 75 \times 35 = 4000 + 2625 = \text{Rs } 6625$

Q.77) In Jar A, the ratio of milk to water is 4 : 1. 25 litres of mixture is poured from Jar A to Jar B which already has 'x' litres milk and 45 litres water. The final ratio of milk to water in Jar B is 7 : 5. Find x?

- (a) 70 litres
- (b) 50 litres
- (c) 62.5 litres
- (d) 45 litres
- (e) 55 litres

Answer – (b)

Explanation -

25 litres mixture in Jar A contains 20 litres milk and 5 litres water.

Initial milk in jar B = x

Final milk in jar B = $x + 20$

Initial water in jar B = 45

Final water in jar B = $45 + 5 = 50$

Final ratio in jar B = $7/5$

$$(x+20)/50 = 7/5$$

$$5x + 100 = 350$$

$$5x = 250$$

$$x = 50$$

Q.78) Solve the below two equations and mark the option which correctly describe the relation between the variable 'x' and 'y':

I. $3x^2 + 8x + 4 = 0$

II. $8y^2 + 6y + 1 = 0$

- (a) $x > y$
- (b) $x < y$
- (c) $x \geq y$
- (d) $x \leq y$
- (e) No relation can be established between x and y

Answer – (b)

Explanation -

$$3x^2 + 8x + 4 = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 6x + 2x + 4 = 0$$

$$3x(x + 2) + 2(x + 2) = 0$$

$$(3x + 2)(x + 2) = 0$$

$$x = -2/3, -2$$

$$8y^2 + 6y + 1 = 0$$

$$8y^2 + 4y + 2y + 1 = 0$$

$$4y(2y + 1) + 1(2y + 1) = 0$$

$$(4y + 1)(2y + 1) = 0$$

$$y = -1/4, -1/2$$

So, $x < y$

Q.79) Solve the below two equations and mark the option which correctly describe the relation between the variable 'x' and 'y':

I. $x^2 - 12 = 13$

II. $y^2 + 11y + 30 = 0$

- (a) $x > y$
- (b) $x < y$
- (c) $x \geq y$
- (d) $x \leq y$
- (e) No relation can be established between x and y

Answer – (c)

Explanation -

$$x^2 - 12 = 13$$

$$x^2 = 25$$

$$x = -5, 5$$

$$y^2 + 11y + 30 = 0$$

$$y^2 + 5y + 6y + 30 = 0$$

$$y(y + 5) + 6(y + 5) = 0$$

$$(y + 6)(y + 5) = 0$$

$$y = -6, -5$$

So, $x \geq y$

Q.80) Solve the below two equations and mark the option which correctly describe the relation between the variable 'x' and 'y':

I. $3x^2 - 22x + 7 = 0$

II. $5y^2 - 14y + 8 = 0$

- (a) $x > y$
- (b) $x < y$
- (c) $x \geq y$
- (d) $x \leq y$
- (e) No relation can be established between x and y

Answer – (e)

Explanation -

$$3x^2 - 22x + 7 = 0$$

$$3x^2 - x - 21x + 7 = 0$$

$$x(3x - 1) - 7(3x - 1) = 0$$

$$(x - 7)(3x - 1) = 0$$

$$x = 7, 1/3$$

$$5y^2 - 14y + 8 = 0$$

$$5y^2 - 10y - 4y + 8 = 0$$

$$5y(y - 2) - 4(y - 2) = 0$$

$$(5y - 4)(y - 2) = 0$$

$$y = 4/5, 2$$

So, clearly no relation can be established between x and y.

Q.81) Consider the below given number series and identify the missing number.

3, 7, 22, 89, 446, ____

- (a) 2231
- (b) 3123
- (c) 2677
- (d) 1469
- (e) None of these

Answer – (c)

Explanation -

$$3 \times 2 + 1 = 7$$

$$7 \times 3 + 1 = 22$$

$$22 \times 4 + 1 = 89$$

$$89 \times 5 + 1 = 446$$

$$446 \times 6 + 1 = 2677$$

Q.82) Consider the below given number series and identify the missing number.

96, 996, 371, 771, 546, ____

- (a) 446
- (b) 696
- (c) 396
- (d) 646
- (e) 596

Answer – (d)

Explanation -

$$996 - 96 = 900; 30^2 = 900$$

$$371 - 996 = -625; 25^2 = 625$$

$$771 - 371 = 400; 20^2 = 400$$

$$546 - 771 = 225; 15^2 = 225$$

$$646 - 546 = 100; 10^2 = 100$$

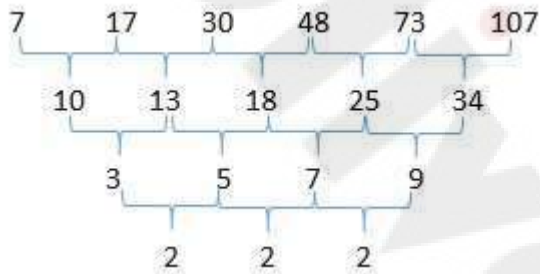
Q.83) Consider the below given number series and identify the missing number.

7, ____, 30, 48, 73, 107

- (a) 20
- (b) 15
- (c) 17
- (d) 18
- (e) 16

Answer – (c)

Explanation -



Q.84) 12 men can complete a work in 16 days. 10 women can do the same work in 24 days. 6 men leave after working for 8 days. Thereafter, 'X' women work for 4 days and complete the remaining work. What is the total men and women required to complete the work?

- (a) 51
- (b) 45
- (c) 39
- (d) 57
- (e) 48

Answer – (a)

Explanation -

Total work = $12 \times 16 = 192$ man days

or $10 \times 24 = 240$ woman days

$$12m \times 16 = 10w \times 24$$

$$m/w = 5/4$$

Work done by 6 men in 8 days = work done by $5/4 \times 6$ women in 8 days

$$5/4 \times 6 = 15/2 \text{ women}$$

Work done by $15/2$ women in 8 days = $15/2 \times 8 = 60$ woman days

Remaining work = $240 - 60 = 180$ woman days

This remaining work is done by 'X' women.

$$X = 180/4 = 45 \text{ women}$$

$$\text{Total women and men required} = 6 + 45 = 51$$

Q.85) Abhi's age (X) years ago is equal to Bhim's age (3X) years ago. Abhi's age 3(X) years hence will be equal to Bhim's age 6 years hence. Find the difference between the age of Abhi and Bhim.

Note: X is a positive integer.

- (a) 9 years
- (b) 15 years
- (c) 18 years
- (d) 12 years
- (e) 10 years

Answer – (d)

Explanation -

$$A - X = B - 3X$$

$$B - A = 2X \text{ -----(1)}$$

$$A + 3X = B + 6$$

$$B - A = 3X - 6 \text{ -----(2)}$$

Equating (1) and (2),

$$2X = 3X - 6$$

$$X = 6$$

Difference between their age = $2X = 12$ years

Q.86) A sum of Rs 18,000 is invested for 3 years and 5 years in Schemes A and B respectively (at simple interest). The ratio of the sum invested in the two schemes is 2 : 1. The rate of interest of scheme A was Y% p.a. and the rate of interest of scheme B is (Y+15)% p.a. If the interest from scheme A was 48% of scheme B, find Y.

- (a) 12
- (b) 10
- (c) 15
- (d) 8
- (e) 7.5

Answer – (b)

Explanation -

$$\text{Sum invested in scheme A} = \frac{2}{3} \times 18000 = 12000$$

$$\text{Sum invested in scheme B} = \frac{1}{3} \times 18000 = 6000$$

$$\text{Interest earned from scheme A} = \frac{(12000 \times Y \times 3)}{100} = 360Y$$

$$\text{Interest earned from scheme B} = \frac{(6000 \times (Y+15) \times 5)}{100} = 300Y + 4500$$

$$360Y = 48\% \times (300Y + 4500)$$

$$750Y = 300Y + 4500$$

$$450Y = 4500$$

$$Y = 10$$

Q.87) Ravi bought a TV at a discount of 20% on the marked price but was charged additionally 5% transportation charges. The TV was subsequently sold by him for Rs X at 25% profit. If the marked price was Rs 9000, find the amount of profit.

- (a) Rs 1800
- (b) Rs 2250
- (c) Rs 1890

(d) Rs 1440

(e) Rs 1512

Answer – (c)

Explanation -

MP = 9000

CP for Ravi = $105/100 (9000 \times 0.80) = 21/20 \times 7200 = 7560$

Profit = $25\% = 1/4 \times 7560 = \text{Rs } 1890$

Q.88) The ratio of the volume of a right circular cone to the volume of a cylinder is 3:10. The ratio of the radius of cone to the radius of cylinder is 3:2. If the height of the cylinder is 35 cm, find the height of the cone?

(a) 21 cm

(b) 14 cm

(c) 17.5 cm

(d) 18 cm

(e) 16 cm

Answer – (b)

Explanation -

Volume of right circular cone = $1/3 \times \pi r_1^2 h_1$

Volume of cylinder = $\pi r_2^2 h_2$

$1/3 \times \pi r_1^2 h_1 / \pi r_2^2 h_2 = 3/10$

$r_1^2 h_1 / 3 r_2^2 h_2 = 3/10$

$(3^2 \times h_1) / (3 \times 2^2 \times 35) = 3/10$

$h_1 = 3 \times 3 \times 4 \times 35 / 10 \times 9$

$h_1 = 14 \text{ cm}$

Q.89) There is a boat A which takes 3 hours 20 minutes to cover D1 km downstream. The same boat takes 5 hours to cover D2 km upstream. The ratio of D1 and D2 is 6:7. The speed of boat A in still water is what times the speed of the stream?

(a) 8 times

(b) 7 times

(c) 6 times

(d) 9 times

(e) 7.5 times

Answer – (a)

Explanation -

Let $D1 = 6y$

And $D2 = 7y$

Let speed of boat in still water be B and speed of stream be S

Speed downstream = $B + S = 6y/(10/3) = 18y/10 = 9y/5$ -----(1)

Speed upstream = $B - S = 7y/5$ -----(2)

Adding (1) and (2),

$2B = 16y/5$

$B = 8y/5$

$S = y/5$

$B = 8S$

Q.90) 'A' started a business with Rs 6,000. After 6 months, B joined with certain investment. After 2 months of B's joining, C joined with Rs 12,000. The total profit of the year was Rs 28,000 out of which B's share was Rs 8,000. What was the investment made by B?

- (a) Rs 6000
- (b) Rs 8000
- (c) Rs 9000
- (d) Rs 10000
- (e) Rs 7500

Answer – (b)

Explanation -

	A	B	C
Capital	6000	Y	12000
Time	12	6	4
Capital x Time	72000	6Y	48000

B's share in profit = $8000/28000 = 2/7$

So, (A + C)'s share = $1 - 2/7 = 5/7$

This 5/7 is to be bifurcated in 72000:48000 (= 3:2) ratio

A's share = $3/7$; B = $2/7$; C = $2/7$

B's share = C's share

So, $6Y = 48000$

Y = Rs 8000

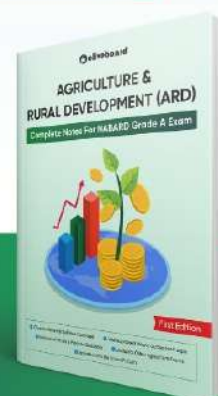
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