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RBI Grade B PYQs

General Awareness

Q1. Where is the headquarters of Credit Saison India, which has received a nonbanking financial company (NBFC) licence from the Reserve Bank of India?

- A. Mumbai
- B. Kolkata
- C. Chennai
- D. Bengaluru
- E. New Delhi

Answer – D

Q2. Lalji Tandon is an Indian politician serving as the 22nd and current Governor of which state?

- A. Rajasthan
- B. Odisha
- C. Madhya Pradesh
- D. Gujarat
- E. Bihar

Answer – C

Q3. The Nobel Prize in Chemistry 2019 was given for the development of

- A. Work on the structure of protein and insulin
- B. Lithium-Ion Battery
- C. Structure of atom
- D. Radioactivity
- E. None of the above

Answer – B

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Q4. The World Economic Forum Meeting in the Year 2020 will be held in which city?

- A. Davos, Switzerland
- B. Madrid, Spain
- C. Geneva, Switzerland
- D. Paris, France
- E. Berlin, Germany

Answer – A

Q5. India-Maldives joint military exercise 'Ex EKUVERIN - 2019' was held in which one of the following places?

- A. Jodhpur
- B. Vishakhapatnam
- C. Pune
- D. Dehradun
- E. Balasore

Answer – C

Q6. Indian cricketer Rohit Sharma has launched the 'Rohit4Rhinos' campaign in partnership with WWF India and which of the following organization to create awareness about conservation of the Indian Rhino?

- A. World Animal Protection India
- B. Animal Welfare Board of India
- C. International Fund for Animal Welfare
- D. Animal Planet
- E. None of the above

Answer – D

Q7. Which organization has announced relaxation in norms for 'Muni Bonds' to help smart cities?

- A. RBI
- B. SEBI
- C. IRDAI
- D. TRAI
- E. NONE

Answer – B

Q8. Which organization has constituted a working group on Social Stock Exchanges (SSE) under the chairmanship of Ishaat Hussain?

- A. RBI
- B. Finance Ministry
- C. IRDAI
- D. TRAI
- E. SEBI

Answer – E

Q9. The Minister of Railways and Minister of Commerce, Piyush Goyal is Rajya Sabha MP from which constituency?

- A. Karnataka
- B. Maharashtra
- C. Delhi
- D. Rajasthan
- E. Gujarat

Answer – B

Q10. Who is the director of the Indian movie 'Gully Boy'?

- A. Frahan Akhtar
- B. Karan Johar
- C. Rohit Shetty
- D. Zoya Akhtar
- E. Ranvir Singh

Answer – D

Q11. Which of the following organizations has launched the "Project Netra"?

- A. DRDO
- B. ISRO
- C. Google India
- D. Microsoft
- E. None of these

Answer – B

Q12. The National Unity Day was celebrated on 31st October in the remembrance of who among the following?

- A. Indira Gandhi
- B. Lal Bahadur Shastri
- C. Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel
- D. Chaudhari Charan Singh
- E. Rajiv Gandhi

Answer – C

Q13. What was the theme of the 'World Teacher's Day 2019'?

- A. Youth: the Next Wave for Change
- B. Young Teacher: The future of the profession
- C. Education for betterment
- D. Educating Young collective responsibility
- E. None of these

Answer – B

Q14. Kamlang tiger reserve is located in which state?

- A. Manipur
- B. Meghalaya
- C. Assam
- D. Arunachal Pradesh
- E. Mizoram

Answer – D

Q15. The Largest Solar Park in India is located in which state?

- A. Gujarat
- B. Tamil Nadu
- C. Rajasthan
- D. Karnataka
- E. Maharashtra

Answer – D

Q16. The railway minister has made an association with which Indian institute of technology, on a project of 'Industry 4.0'?

- A. IIT Delhi
- B. IIT Kanpur
- C. IIT Bombay
- D. IIT Kharagpur
- E. IIT Guwahati

Answer – B

Q17. Sarah Taylor, who recently announced her retirement from cricket, belongs to which country?

- A. Australia
- B. New Zealand
- C. England
- D. South Africa
- E. West Indies

Answer – C

Q18. Indian Government has recently approved the infusion of Rs 9300 Crore in which of the following banks?

- A. IDBI Bank
- B. ICICI Bank
- C. HDFC Bank
- D. Axis Bank
- E. None of these

Answer – A

Q19. The first-ever world cotton day was observed on October 7, in which one of the following cities?

- A. New York, USA
- B. Ahmedabad, India
- C. London, England
- D. Paris, France
- E. Geneva, Switzerland

Answer – E

Q20. Who held Women's World record in 400 meter race?

- A. Marita Koch
- B. Shelly-Ann
- C. Jarmila Kratochvílová
- D. Salwa Eid Naser
- E. Marie-José Pérec

Answer – A

Q21. Which one of the following banks have been merged with the Punjab National Bank?

- A. Union Bank
- B. United Bank of India
- C. Canara Bank
- D. Punjab and Sindh bank
- E. Bank of India

Answer – B

Q22. Ratapani Tiger Reserve is located in which state of India?

- A. Madhya Pradesh
- B. Rajasthan
- C. Chhattisgarh
- D. Odisha
- E. Jharkhand

Answer – A

Q23. In a bid to raise awareness about the importance of Life Insurance, the industry has come together with which tagline as a part of its media campaign?

- A. Sabse Pehle Life Insurance
- B. Jindagikesathbhijindagike bad bhi
- C. SabseAchha Jeevan Beema
- D. SabsePahleApni Suraksha
- E. None of these

Answer – A

Q24. Which country has recently taken the presidency of the "UN convention to combat desertification", from China for next 2 years?

- A. Japan
- B. India
- C. Philippines
- D. Australia
- E. South Africa

Answer – B

Q25. PLA is the name of the Army of which country?

- A. USA
- B. Japan
- C. North Korea
- D. China
- E. Pakistan

Answer – D

Q26. India's first ever Comprehensive National Nutrition Survey has been conducted by the ministry of health & family welfare (MOHFW) in collaboration with

- A. UNESCO
- B. WHO
- C. UNICEF
- D. FAO
- E. WTO

Answer – C

Q27. Padma Shri Awardee Shri Dr Hargovind Laxmishanker Trivedi who passed away recently was veteran _____.

- A. Geologist
- B. Neurologist
- C. Journalist
- D. Nephrologist
- E. Environmentalist

Answer – D

Q28. The 5th World Parliament of Science Religion & Philosophy was held in

- A. Mumbai
- B. Nagpur
- C. Ahmedabad
- D. Jaipur
- E. Pune

Answer – E

Q29. The courage in journalism award is a prize awarded by which of the following organizations?

- A. World Media Foundation
- B. Interactive Media Foundation
- C. New Media Foundation
- D. International Women's Media Foundation
- E. None of these

Answer – D

Q30. Recently, INS Khanderi was commissioned into the Indian Navy at which Port?

- A. Mormugao Dockyard, Goa
- B. Vishakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh
- C. Paradip Dockyard, Odisha
- D. Mazagaon Docks, Mumbai
- E. None of these

Answer – D

Q31. Who among the following has recently won the "Peter Mackler Award" which is given for courageous and ethical journalism?

- A. Robert Fisk
- B. Kate Adie
- C. Christiane Amanpour
- D. Bob Woodward
- E. Paolo Borrometi

Answer – E

Q32. Which one of the following exercises has been conducted by India near the China border in eastern Ladakh?

- A. Vajra Prahar
- B. Hand-in-Hand
- C. Yudha Abhyas
- D. Chang Thang
- E. Surya Kiran

Answer – D

Q33. Managing Director (MD) and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Lakshmi Vilas Bank Parthasarathi Mukherjee has announced his resignation citing personal reasons. The headquarter of the Lakshmi Vilas Bank is situated in?

- A. Mumbai
- B. Madurai
- C. Chennai
- D. Delhi
- E. Mangalore

Answer – C

Q34. Which of the following Southeast Asian countries has inaugurated Southeast Asia's largest solar power farm which has the capacity to produce 688 million kWh of electricity per year?

- A. Thailand
- B. Laos
- C. Cambodia
- D. Vietnam
- E. Malaysia

Answer – D

Q35. Where is the headquarters of the International Atomic Energy Agency located?

- A. Manila
- B. Vienna
- C. Paris
- D. Washington DC
- E. London

Answer – B

Q36. Reserve Bank of India comes out with draft norms for 'on-tap' licensing of Small Finance Banks(SFBs). In the draft guidelines, the RBI has proposed the minimum paid-up equity capital offor the SFBs.

- A. 100 crore
- B. 200 crore
- C. 300 crore
- D. 400 crore
- E. 500 crore

Answer – B

Q37. Where is the headquarters of UN Habitat located?

- A. Rome, France
- B. Austria, Vienna
- C. Geneva, Switzerland
- D. New York, US
- E. Nairobi, Kenya

Answer – E

Q38. James Peebles, Michel Mayor and Didier quelez have won the Nobel Prize 2019 in which oneof the following categories?

- A. Medicine
- B. Chemistry
- C. Economics
- D. Peace
- E. Physics

Answer – E

Q39. Pakyong Airport is located in _

- A. Jammu and Kashmir
- B. Arunachal Pradesh
- C. Mizoram
- D. Sikkim
- E. None of these

Answer – D

Q40. On 1" and 2" d of November, 2019, two day meeting of the council of heads of government(CHG) of Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO) was held in_____

- A. Beijing, China
- B. Nur-Sultan, Kazakhstan
- C. Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan
- D. Dushanbe, Tajikistan
- E. Tashkent, Uzbekistan

Answer – E

Q41. Who is the author of the book 'The Third Pillar-How Markets and the State leave theCommunity Behind'?

- A. Anita Desai
- B. Chetan Bhagat
- C. Arundhati Roy
- D. Ravinder Singh
- E. Raghuram Rajan

Answer – E

Q42. Which of the following global payment technology company has signed up newly crownedWorld Champion P.V. Sindhu as an athlete member for the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games?

- A. Mastercard
- B. Global payments
- C. Heartland
- D. VISA
- E. PayPros

Answer – D

Q43. The Ramsar wetland Rudrasagar lake is located in which of the following state in India?

- A. Assam
- B. Meghalaya
- C. Tripura
- D. Manipur
- E. Mizoram

Answer – C

Q44. Who among the following has been appointed as the first Lieutenant (Lt) Governors of Ladakh, the newly created Union Territories of India?

- A. Radha Krishna Mathur
- B. Dineshwar Sharma
- C. Girish Chandra Murmu
- D. Satya Pal Malik
- E. P S Sreedharan Pillai

Answer – A

Q45. Which of the following countries will host the G20 summit in 2020?

- A. Japan
- B. Saudi Arabia
- C. Canada
- D. India
- E. Indonesia

Answer – B

Q46. 'Lessons Life Taught Me, Unknowingly' is the autobiography of _

- A. Lal Krishna Advani
- B. Pranab Mukherjee
- C. Amitabh Bachchan
- D. Sanjay Dutt
- E. Anupam Kher

Answer – E

Q47. Helsinki is the capital of which of the following country?

- A. Norway
- B. Sweden
- C. Croatia
- D. Belgium
- E. Finland

Answer – E

Q48. Recently, RBI has turned down Lakshmi Vilas Bank's proposal to merged with which of the following companies?

- A. Indiabulls Housing Finance Ltd
- B. PNB Housing Finance Limited
- C. LIC Housing Finance Limited
- D. ICICI Housing Finance
- E. None of these

Answer – A

Q49. IAAF World Athletics Championships 2019 was held in which country?

- A. UAE
- B. Iran
- C. Saudi Arabia
- D. Qatar
- E. Turkey

Answer – D

Q50. Which of the following Mutual Fund has been renamed as 'Nippon India Mutual Fund'?

- A. Bharti AXA Mutual Fund
- B. Reliance Mutual Fund
- C. HSBC Mutual Fund
- D. ICICI Prudential Mutual Fund
- E. Religare Mutual Fund

Answer – B

Q51. Recently, Edgar Chagwa Lungu visited New Delhi, he is the President of which of the following country?

- A. Jamaica
- B. Zimbabwe
- C. Zambia
- D. Kenya
- E. Kongo

Answer – C

Q52. Which of the following banks has recently announced the launch of 'Express FD', a digital fixed deposit (FD) product that allows the customer to open an FD account in three minutes through the digital mode without opening a savings account with the bank?

- A. ICICI Bank
- B. HDFC Bank
- C. Yes Bank
- D. Kotak Mahindra Bank
- E. Axis Bank

Answer – E

Q53. According to the 'Swachh Rail, Swachh Bharat 2019' report, which railway station topped the list of the cleanest railway station in India?

- A. Jaipur
- B. Jhansi
- C. Kharagpur
- D. Bhopal
- E. None of the above

Answer – A

Q54. What is the theme of the International Day of the Girl Child (IDGC) for the year 2019?

- A. Innovating for girl's education
- B. Empowering Adolescent Girls: Ending the Cycle of Violence
- C. EmPOWER Girls: Before, during and after crises
- D. Girls' Progress = Goals
- E. GirlForce: Unscripted and Unstoppable

Answer – E

Q55. Which country has launched the World's Biggest Transport Spaceship, Kounotori-8 for SpaceStation in September 2019?

- A. China
- B. Russia
- C. USA
- D. Japan
- E. Israel

Answer – D

Q56. The 7th annual World Hindu Economic Forum (WHEF) 2019 held in

- A. Chicago, USA
- B. Paris, France
- C. London, UK
- D. Kathmandu, Nepal
- E. Mumbai, India

Answer – E

Q57. During the UN Climate Change Summit, 2019 the 16-year-old environmental activist GretaThunberg shook world leaders with her speech at the United Nations, accusing world leaders of failing to take action on climate change. She belongs to which country?

- A. Sweden
- B. Norway
- C. Denmark
- D. Finland
- E. Austria

Answer - A

Q58. Who among the following has won the 2019 Japan Open single title in Tokyo, Japan?

- A. Roger Federer
- B. Rafael Nadal
- C. John Millman
- D. Daniil Medvedev
- E. Novak Djokovic

Answer – E

Q59. Which of the following cities has hosted the first-ever India International Cooperatives TradeFair (ICTF)?

- A. Ahmedabad
- B. Lucknow
- C. Patna
- D. Indore
- E. New Delhi

Answer – E

Q60. Which among the following countries had decided to withdraw its membership from Organisation of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) effective from January 2019?

- A. Qatar
- B. Iran
- C. Venezuela
- D. Iraq
- E. United Arab Emirates

Answer – A

Q61. The joint military exercise 'Vajra Prahar' was held between India and which country?

- A. Japan
- B. China
- C. USA
- D. Russia
- E. Israel

Answer – C

Q62. On October 11, 2019, the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) came up with a new reporting system called Central Information System for Banking Infrastructure (CISBI) for.

- A. all commercial banks
- B. all regional rural banks
- C. all cooperative banks
- D. all NBFCs
- E. all foreign banks

Answer – C

Q63. Jagdeep Dhankar has been appointed the new Governor of which state?

- A. Bihar
- B. Jharkhand
- C. Madhya Pradesh
- D. Uttar Pradesh
- E. West Bengal

Answer – E

Q64. Which among the following countries has recently abolished the most controversial labour system called "Kafala"?

- A. Qatar
- B. Kuwait
- C. Saudi Arabia
- D. Bahrain
- E. None of these

Answer - A

Q65. The new version of Bharat Interface for Money app, BHIM 2.0 will now support how many additional languages with existing 13 languages?

- A. 3
- B. 4
- C. 5
- D. 6
- E. 7

Answer – A

Q66. Which of the following Ministry has launched Pradhan Mantri Innovative Learning Programme (PMILP) 'DHRUV' from ISRO Headquarters Bengaluru?

- A. Ministry of Home Affairs
- B. Ministry of Food Processing Industries
- C. Ministry of Environment
- D. Ministry of Human Resource Development
- E. None of the Above

Answer – D

Q67. Which company has become the 1st Indian company to hit Rs. 9 lakh crore market capitalization?

- A. Tata
- B. Wipro
- C. Reliance
- D. Infosys
- E. None of the Above

Answer – C

Q68. Which of the following banks has announced to launch a new Fixed Deposit (FD) scheme 'FDHealth' that will offer the dual benefit of a fixed deposit along with free critical illness coverage with a sum assured of Rs 1 lakh?

- A. HDFC Bank
- B. Yes Bank
- C. Axis Bank
- D. Kotak Mahindra Bank
- E. ICICI Bank

Answer – E

Q69. Which state has smallest land area?

- A. Goa
- B. Nagaland
- C. Sikkim
- D. Tripura
- E. Mizoram

Answer – A

Q70. Bernardine Evaristo has won the 2019 Booker Prize for which of the following novel?

- A. Girl, Woman, Other
- B. The Testaments
- C. Quichote
- D. The Handmaid's Tale
- E. None of these

Answer - A

Q71. Kuchipudi is a folk dance of.....

- A. Andhra Pradesh
- B. Mizoram
- C. Jammu & Kashmir
- D. Maharashtra
- E. Tamil Nadu

Answer – A

Q72. The 2020 Summer Olympics is scheduled to take place in —

- A. Beijing, China
- B. Pyeongchang, South Korea
- C. Jakarta, Indonesia
- D. Gold Coast, Australia
- E. Tokyo, Japan

Answer – E

Q73. Which Payment Bank has recently (July 2019) announced to shut down all its banking operations?

- A. Paytm Payments Bank
- B. Fino Payments Bank
- C. Airtel Payments Bank
- D. Jio Payments Bank
- E. Aditya Birla Payments Bank

Answer – E

Q74. The headquarters of the International Solar Alliance (ISA) is located in which city in India?

- A. Chandigarh
- B. Mysuru
- C. Surat
- D. Gurgaon
- E. None of these

Answer – D

Q75. Where is the headquarters of the International Olympic Committee located?

- A. Italy
- B. Switzerland
- C. Belgium
- D. France
- E. U.K

Answer – B

Q76. Which country will host the 46th G7 summit which is scheduled to be held from 10 to 12th June 2020?

- A. USA
- B. Canada
- C. England
- D. Italy
- E. France

Answer – A

Q77. The India arm of Netherlands-based Home Credit Group has tied up with which bank for jointlending to tap the large unbanked customer base across ?

- A. Yes Bank
- B. ICICI Bank
- C. Axis Bank
- D. HDFC Bank
- E. Karur Vysya Bank

Answer – E

Q78. Which of the following banks has launched Digi Smart credit card?

- A. ABN Amro Bank
- B. Deutsche Bank
- C. HSBC Bank
- D. Federal Bank
- E. Standard Chartered Bank

Answer – E

Q79. In which of the following cities India's first e-waste clinic will be set up?

- A. Indore
- B. Jabalpur
- C. Bhopal
- D. Raipur
- E. New Delhi

Answer – C

Q80. Which of the following British cricketers has been named as the players' player of the year atthe Professional Cricketers' Association awards.?

- A. Joe Root
- B. Eoin Morgan
- C. Jos Buttler
- D. Tom Curran
- E. Ben Stokes

Answer -E



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Direction (1 - 5): In the given question, five words are printed in bold and are numbered A, B, C, D and E. The positions of some highlighted words may be incorrect and need to be exchanged with another highlighted to make the sentence correct. Find the words that need to be exchanged.

Q1. As the spread (A) of habitat and biodiversity loss suggest (B) humans to more zoonotic diseases that destruction (C) from animals to humans, a key programme to study the spread of these diseases and expose (D) ways to control them has been in the works

(E) in India since 2018.

- A. Only A-B
- B. Both C-D & B-E
- C. Both A-D & C-E
- D. Both A-C & B-D
- E. No exchange required

Answer – D

Q2. The public school's multicultural (A) included curriculum (B) program that taught (C) students about ethnic (D) from different inventors (E) background.

- A. A-B and C-D
- B. D-B and C-D
- C. A-B and D-E
- D. B-D and D-E
- E. No exchange required

Answer – C

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Q3. With its diverse world (A), the cities (B) is considered (C) one of the most cosmopolitan city (D)in the population (E).

- A. D-E
- B. D-A
- C. A-D and D-E
- D. A-E and B-D
- E. No exchange required

Answer – D

Q4. To restrict (A) the study to the compliant patients, only those completing (B) a second department (C) at the outpatient visit (D) were included (E).

- A. A-E and B-D
- B. C-D
- C. A-B and D-E
- D. B-C
- E. No exchange required

Answer – B

Q5. As the comment (A) are at a delicate (B) stage the senior staff at the observatory preferred (C) to make no negotiations (D) when contacted (E) yesterday.

- A. A-B
- B. B-C
- C. D-E
- D. A-D
- E. No exchange required

Answer – D

Direction (6 - 8): In this question, two columns I and II and three sentences are given, which are divided into two parts. Column I (A, B and C) consists of first half of each sentence and Column II (D,E and F) consists of second half of each sentence. Match column I with column II, so that the sentences formed are both meaningful and grammatically correct. Choose the option as your answer.

Q.6. I.

- A) There was a biographical note about
- B) His research is at the cutting
- C) I have no idea how to set

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- D) edge of new therapies for cancer.
- E) the author on the back of the book.
- F) off changing a tyre on a car.

- A. B-E and C-F
- B. A-E and B-D
- C. A-E
- D. B-F
- E. A-E, B-D and C-F

Answer – B

Q7. I.

- A) The more precious the metals that go into the**
- B) We must ensure that tourism develop**
- C) The government is being widely**

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- D) criticized in the press for its strict step.**
- E) in harmony with the environment.**
- F) making of the alloy, the higher are the charge.**

- A. B-E and C-D
- B. A-E, B-D and C-F
- C. A-E and C-E
- D. B-F
- E. None of the above

Answer – E

Q8. I.

- A) This method was criticized for being wasteful**
- B) The admission process was faulty**
- C) The portal aims at improving the**

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- D) These had to be conducted all over again.**
- E) And causing inconvenience to the common man.**
- F) Availability of coal to consumers.**

- A. B-E and C-D
- B. A-D, B-F and C-E
- C. A-E and C-E
- D. A-E and C-F
- E. None of the above

Answer – D

Direction (9 - 10): Given below are six statements A, B, C, D, E and F, which when arranged in the correct order, form a coherent and meaningful paragraph. The sentence marked E is fixed and would fit in the fifth position. Rearrange the other statements in a proper sequence to form a meaningful paragraph, then answer the questions that follow.

- A) They have worked against the rules which state that GI is given to goods where a given quality and reputation are drawn from its geographic origin.
- B) The result of this belief is that today, India has more than 600 GI products in defiance of logic, rules and any economic rationale.
- C) The officials who hand out the GI trademarks believe that they have the mandate to push up the number of GIs it awards, while blithely ignoring the rules that govern its issuance.
- D) This is a perpetually silly reason presented by the officials while assigning GIs at the Geographical Indications (GIs) registry.
- E) However, the officials seem to believe in numbers and made people jostle for the GI label in the mistaken belief that it would magically boost their business.
- F) The tag was meant to safeguard monopolies and was a right given to a community of producers, not individuals.

Q9. Which of the following will be the first statement after rearrangement?

- A. A
- B. B
- C. C
- D. D
- E. E

Answer – C

Q10. Which of the following will be the fourth statement after rearrangement?

- A. C
- B. E
- C. B
- D. F
- E. A

Answer – F

Q11. Which of the following will be the third statement after rearrangement?

- A. C
- B. E
- C. B
- D. F
- E. A

Answer – A

Q12. Which of the following will be the second statement after rearrangement?

- A. C
- B. D
- C. B
- D. A
- E. F

Answer – B

Q13. Which of the following will be the last statement after rearrangement?

- A. C
- B. E
- C. B
- D. F
- E. A

Answer – B

Direction (14 - 19): In the following passage, there are blanks each of which has been numbered. These numbers correspond to the question numbers. Against each question, five words have been suggested, one of which would fill the blank appropriately. Mark the suitable word as the answer.

Countries are (###Q104###) species to move to new places by enabling climate change, and at the same time, making it harder for them to move. Across geologic time, the Earth has apparently survived five mass extinctions, and we are on the verge of the Sixth. We don't believe humanity can survive this wave, unless we make rapid (###Q105###). There has been a rising tide of ignorance in the face of absolute facts in the global arena. The very science that the world is (###Q106###) to reach the moon, Mars and beyond, is now telling us that we might have to abandon ship if we keep polluting and (###Q107###) the environment and have leaders who ignore science. Large corporations, especially energy corporations, release carbon emissions into the atmosphere. Factors that have been influencing these emissions are very much within our control. One of them is consumerism which (###Q108###) climate change. The Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, in its report titled 'Livestock's Long Shadow', argues that livestock is a major stressor on many ecosystems and on the planet as a whole. It is one of the largest sources of greenhouse gases, and these gases will only increase if we, as consumers, don't make conscious (###Q109###).

Q14. Find the appropriate word in each case.

- A. Carrying
- B. Abandoning
- C. Forcing
- D. Finding
- E. Ensuring

Answer – C

Q15. Find the appropriate word in each case.

- A. Proceeds
- B. Amends
- C. Plots
- D. Gauge
- E. Atone

Answer – B

Q16. Find the appropriate word in each case.

- A. daunting
- B. craving
- C. heartening
- D. scraping
- E. using

Answer – E

Q17. Find the appropriate word in each case.

- A. Outgrowing
- B. Illustrating
- C. Warping
- D. Abusing
- E. Depraving

Answer - D

Q18. Find the appropriate word in each case.

- A. Amplifies
- B. Misemploys
- C. Expounds
- D. Elucidates
- E. Clucks

Answer – A

Q19. Find the appropriate word in each case.

- A. Illuminates
- B. Transitive
- C. Choices
- D. Reasoning
- E. Prophecies

Answer – C

Direction (20 - 24): A statement with one blank is given below. Choose the set of words from the given options which can be used to fill the given blank.

Q20. Despite almost ubiquitous scepticism, the electoral bonds have prevailed and, that too, almost solely _____ rhetorical claims of "transparency of political funding system," "clean money," and "donor's anonymity."

- i. with the backing of the ruling government's
- ii. based on the endorsement derived from the political party at power's
- iii. backed by the political party at power's

- A. Only i
- B. Only ii
- C. Both i and ii
- D. Only iii
- E. All of these

Answer – C

Q21. Impeachment experts testified before the House judiciary committee on Wednesday that Donald Trump's misconduct offered as prescribed by the constitution and applied over the course of US history.

- i. the perfect example for impeachment
- ii. the correct case
- iii. a textbook case of impeachable offenses

- A. Only i
- B. Only ii
- C. Both i and ii
- D. Both i and iii
- E. All of these

Answer – D

Q22. More energy intake than energy expenditure, will in the long-term lead to fat deposition, insulin resistance and a fatty liver diet composition.

- i) regardless of the
- ii) despite having a proper
- iii) though a different

- A. Only i
- B. Only ii
- C. Both ii and iii
- D. Both i and ii
- E. All of these

Answer – D

Q23. Some eighty thousand years ago, hunters and gatherers ate fruit sporadically, since these were

- i) not widely available.
- ii) not good hunting.
- iii) competes with birds.

- A. Only i
- B. Only ii
- C. Both i and iii
- D. Both i and ii
- E. All of these

Answer – A

Q24. _____ cloud based blockchain services on various platforms from start-up to language platforms, experimentation is getting easier with time.

- i) In the rise of
- ii) Due to the emergence of
- iii) With the use of

- A. Only i
- B. Only ii
- C. Both i and ii
- D. Both ii and iii
- E. All of these

Answer – D

Direction (25 - 30): Read the given passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Most every job seeker has, at some point, either applied to or interviewed for a position only to be met by radio silence. Follow-up emails go unanswered, and the once-promising opportunity vanishes into the void. A few years ago, this might simply have been called part of the job hunt. Today, this disappearing act is referred to as "ghosting," and it's a practice that's becoming more prevalent among applicants. Now the tables have turned. It's employees who more and more often are ghosting employers. With the unemployment rate at a low 3.5%, job seekers are optimistic about the job market, so much so that 28% of job seekers have backed out of an offer after accepting it, with 44% of those doing so for another, more attractive proposition, according to a study. If multiple companies are pursuing one candidate, he or she may accept the first offer, set a start date and then receive and accept a second offer without letting the first company know. Research from Indeed found that of the 83% of employers who report having been ghosted, 65% say the candidate accepted their offer but failed to show up on day one. Some 27% ceased communication after getting a counteroffer from their current employer and 19% after hearing negative feedback about the company. And job seekers aren't only ghosting employers after accepting offers, says McDonald, who has first-hand experience with this phenomenon. Some are bailing on interviews, while others are completing several rounds of interviews before shutting down the lines of communication. How can employers avoid this

fate? McDonald advises that companies stay in constant communication with candidates to minimize the likelihood of them being a no-show. Once they accept, hiring managers should continue correspondence, whether through emails, texts, phone calls or even in-person meetings. At the end of the day, though, it's really up to the candidates. While Indeed found that 94% of job seekers who have ghosted say they've not experienced many, if any, negative repercussions, McDonald says it's only a matter of time before their actions catch up to them. Once job seekers ghost, they burn bridges, ones that can be challenging to repair, and with every future job search will come the chance of running into someone from their past. He advises that candidates who are no longer interested in pursuing opportunities communicate that to hiring managers, whether in the form of an email or a phone call. When the average cost-per-hire is \$4,425, the sooner, the better.

Q25. Which of the following statements can be correctly inferred from the passage?

- I. The author states that nowadays, even though the unemployment rate is 3.5%, job seekers do not get jobs easily and they have to stick to whatever jobs they get.
- II. The culture of 'ghosting' is appreciated by big companies.
- III. The author states that the potential employees should not ghost the companies they get selected in as there will be consequences, if not today, but in future.

- A. Only I
- B. Only II
- C. Only III
- D. Both I and II
- E. Both II and III

Answer – C

Q26. Which of the following statements is NOT true with respect to the passage?

- A. Out of 83 percent of the employers who were ghosted, research from Indeed found that 35% of the candidates who accepted their offer and showed up on day one.
- B. 6 percent of the job seekers who have ghosted might have faced negative repercussions.
- C. Companies can avoid ghosting of employees by using their hiring managers to be in constant touch with the employee whether through emails, texts, phone calls or even in-person meetings.
- D. According to the passage, since the unemployment rate is low, it gives more power to employees when it comes to selecting a job.
- E. A person who is ghosting after accepting the job keep in touch in the form of an email or a phone call.

Answer – E

Q27. According to the author, what is the central theme of the passage?

- A. Sudden vanishing of employees after accepting the job
- B. Bad treatment of the employers
- C. Proper jobs in the market
- D. Growth in jobs market due to a boost in the economy
- E. Reading habits of company employees

Answer - A

Q28. Out of the given options, choose the most similar meaning to the phrase marked in bold in the passage 'vanishes into the void'.

- A. as smooth as butter
- B. vanishing into the ocean
- C. over the moon
- D. fat chance
- E. vanishing into thin air

Answer – E

Q29. What determines the 'ghosting' as it is becoming more prevalent among applicants?

- A. Lack of job opportunity in the market
- B. Cost of application
- C. Employers do not follow back
- D. Rudeness of employers
- E. Multiple opportunities in the job market

Answer – E

Q30. Which of the following correctly describes the tone of the passage?

- A. Speculative
- B. Grandiose
- C. Factual
- D. Reflective
- E. Nostalgic

Answer – B

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Quantitative Aptitude

Direction (1 - 6): Study the given information carefully and answer the following questions:
Data regarding the number of Doctors(D) and Engineers(E) in three colleges - A, B and C is given.

College A: Ratio of male doctors and male engineers is 12: 5 and the difference between them is 280. Total number of female doctors and female engineers is 300. Number of male engineers is 30 more than that of the number of female engineers. College B: Sum of the number of male doctors and male engineers is equal to the sum of the number of female doctors and female engineers in college A. Ratio of the male doctors and male engineers together and female doctors and female engineers together is 6: 7. Ratio of female doctors and female engineers is 2: 3. Number of male doctors in college B is 1/3rd of the number of male engineers in college C. College C: Male engineers is 1.5 times the number of female doctors. Sum of the number of female doctors and female engineers is 550. Number of female engineers is 70 more than the number of female doctors. Total number of male doctors and male engineers is 760.

Q1. What is ratio of total number of male and female doctors together in college B to that in college C?

- A. 12: 25
- B. 14: 19
- C. 13: 32
- D. 23: 34
- E. 19: 32

Answer – C

Q2. What is total number of male and female engineers in colleges A, B and C together?

- A. 1390
- B. 1430
- C. 1510
- D. 1500
- E. 1300

Answer – B

Q3. In another college D, total number of females is 640 out of which 25% are doctors and number of male doctors in college is 12.5% more than that in college C. What is the total number of doctors in college D?

- A. 610
- B. 630
- C. 570
- D. 590
- E. None of these

Answer – A

Q4. Average number of female doctors in colleges A, B and C is?

- A. 150
- B. 160
- C. 170
- D. 180
- E. 200

Answer – C

Q5. Female doctors and engineers in college C is approximately what percent less than total male doctors and engineers in college A?

- A. 28
- B. 8
- C. 4
- D. 19
- E. 34

Answer – D

Q6. Find the difference between male engineers in college B and female engineers in the same college.

- A. 30
- B. 20
- C. 40
- D. 45
- E. None of these

Answer – A

Q7. A number when multiplied by 7 gives another number which is as much above 260 as the original number itself is below 260. What is 32% of the original number?

- A. 16
- B. 20.8
- C. 18.5
- D. 17.5
- E. None of these

Answer – B

Q8. Cost price of B is Rs 180 more than the Cost price of A. A is sold at profit of 20% and B is sold at loss of 40%. Ratio of selling price of A and B is 5:4. What is the cost price of A?

- A. Rs. 300
- B. Rs. 400
- C. Rs. 460
- D. Rs. 450
- E. Rs. 550

Answer – A

Q9. Ratio of present ages of A and B is 6:5. After 10 years, the ratio of their ages will be 7:6. Find the difference in their present ages?

- A. 5 years
- B. 6 years
- C. 7
- D. 10 years
- E. 12 years

Answer – D

Q10. Ratio of heights of right circular cylinders A and B is 1:2. Ratio of curved surface areas of right circular cylinders A and B is 2:3. Find the ratio of radii of right circular cylinders A and B?

- A. 1:2
- B. 2:1
- C. 4:3
- D. 3:4
- E. 3:5

Answer – C

Q11. Train A, 240 m long, crosses a platform double its length in 24 seconds. Find the approx. time taken to cross train B, 200 m long and travelling at 108 kmph in opposite direction?

- A. 7 seconds
- B. 12 seconds
- C. 10 seconds
- D. 14 seconds
- E. 15 seconds

Answer – A

Direction (12 - 15): Find the wrong term in the given series:

Q12). 13, 22, 40, 76, 152, 292, 580

- A. 40
- B. 22
- C. 76
- D. 152
- E. 292

Answer – D

Q13).4, 15, 37, 100, 224, 439, 781

- A. 37
- B. 15
- C. 439
- D. 100
- E. 224

Answer – B

Q14). 15, 20, 27, 37, 51, 72, 95

- A. 20
- B. 27
- C. 37
- D. 51
- E. 72

Answer - E

Q15).26, 29, 22, 25, 18, 23, 14

- A. 22
- B. 23
- C. 25
- D. 29
- E. 18

Answer –B

Direction (16 - 19): Each question below is followed by two statements I and II. You have to determine whether the data given in the statement is sufficient for answering the question. You should use the data and your knowledge of mathematics to choose the best possible answer.

Q16. There are 4 positive integral values A, B, C and D. Find the value of C?

I. Average of A, B, C and D is 42.
II. A<B<C<D. Average of B and C is 40. A and B are equidistant from 28. A and C are equidistant from 32.

- A. Data in Statement I alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in Statement II alone are not sufficient to answer the question
- B. Data either in Statement I or in Statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question.
- C. Data in Statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in Statement I alone are not sufficient to answer the question
- D. Data in both Statements I and II together are necessary to answer the question.
- E. Data even in both Statements I and II together are not sufficient to answer the question.

Answer - C



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Q17. In how many days, 4 men and 4 women can complete the work?

- I. 6 men and 10 women can complete the work in 10 days.
- II. 12 men and 20 women can complete the work in 6 days.
- A. Data in Statement I alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in Statement II alone are not sufficient to answer the question
- B. Data in Statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in Statement I alone are not sufficient to answer the question.
- C. Data either in Statement I or in Statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question.
- D. Data even in both Statements I and II together are not sufficient to answer the question.
- E. Data in both Statements I and II together are necessary to answer the question.

Answer – E

Q18. What is A's mother present age?

I. Ratio of A's father present age and A's present age is 3:1.
II. Combined present age of A's father & A is 8 years more than the combined present age of A's mother & A. 12 years ago, A's father that time was 3 times A's mother that time.

- A. Data in Statement I alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in Statement II alone are not sufficient to answer the question
- B. Data in Statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in Statement I alone are not sufficient to answer the question.
- C. Data either in Statement I or in Statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question.
- D. Data in both Statements I and II together are necessary to answer the question.
- E. Data even in both Statements I and II together are not sufficient to answer the question.

Answer – B

Q19. Find the cost of paving the rectangular field at the rate of Rs. 12 per

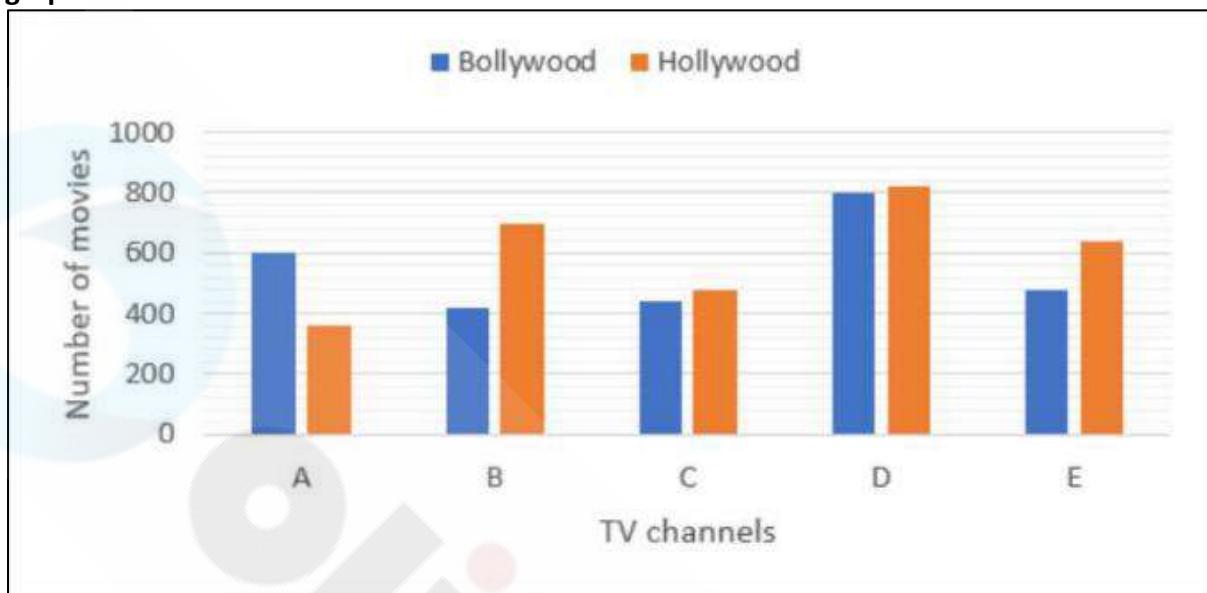
Statement I: The length of a rectangular field is equal to the diagonal of a square of area 162 and ratio of length and breadth of the rectangle is 3: 2 respectively.

Statement II: The perimeter of the rectangle is 40 m less than the perimeter of a square of area 4096

- A. If the data in Statement I alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in Statement II alone are not sufficient to answer the question.
- B. If the data either in Statement I or in Statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question
- C. If the data in Statement I alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in Statement II alone are not sufficient to answer the question.
- D. If the data in both Statements I and II together are necessary to answer the question.
- E. If the data even in both Statements I and II together are not sufficient to answer the question.

Answer – C

Direction (20 - 24): Study the following bar graph carefully and answer the given questions. 5 TV channels A, B, C, D and E show the two types of movies-Bollywood and Hollywood. Number of movies shown by these 5 TV channels in a year is given in the bar graph.



Q20. Number of Hollywood movies telecasted on channel E is what percent more than the number of Bollywood movies telecasted on the same channel?

- A. 33.33%
- B. 25%
- C. 20%
- D. 37.5%
- E. 16.66%

Answer – A

Q21. What is the average number of Hollywood movies telecasted on the channels B, D and E together?

- A. 640
- B. 680
- C. 720
- D. 730
- E. 750

Answer – C

Q22. What is the ratio of the total number of movies telecasted on channel A and channel E?

- A. 5:6
- B. 4:7
- C. 5:7
- D. 4:7
- E. 6:7

Answer – E

Q23. what is the difference between the number of Bollywood movies telecasted on channels A and C and the number of Hollywood movies telecasted on channels B and D?

- A. 360
- B. 390
- C. 480
- D. 420
- E. 520

Answer – C

Q24. 30% of the Bollywood movies telecasted on channel E and 20% of the Hollywood movies telecasted on the same channel were on historical events. How many movies telecasted on channel E were on historical events?

- A. 256
- B. 292
- C. 264
- D. 262
- E. 272

Answer – E

Q25. A shopkeeper sold a wrist watch at 20% discount to Sohan and Sohan sold this watch at the profit of 12.5% profit for Rs. 2700, Then find the discount.

- A. 450
- B. 550
- C. 600
- D. 870
- E. 700

Answer – C

Q26. A person travels a total distance of 1260 km partly by bike and partly by Car. The speed of Bike and Car is 4: 3. If the distance travelled by car is 180 km more than that by bike, then What is the ratio of time taken by car and bike to travel?

- A. 11: 9
- B. 16: 9
- C. 16: 6
- D. 9: 16
- E. 17: 5

Answer – B

Q27. Two pipes can fill a tank in 36 hours and 12 hours respectively. If the pipe C can empty the one-fourth of the tank in 8 hours, then in how much time all the three pipes can fill half the empty tank?

- A. 8
- B. 7
- C. 6
- D. 5
- E. 4

Answer – C

Q28. Bina invested 10% of her monthly income in stocks. She spent 15% of remaining on groceries and gave the remaining 30600 to her husband. What is the difference between the amount spent on groceries and the investment in stocks?

- A. 1930
- B. 1500
- C. 1400
- D. 2200
- E. 1300

Answer –C

Q29. Cost of 4 shirts and 3 trousers is Rs. 1700. If the price of a shirt is 37.5% more than the price of a trouser, then what is the difference between the price of a shirt and a trouser?

- A. 85
- B. 65
- C. 75
- D. 55
- E. 95

Answer -C

Q30. Wages of a labour are increased by 15% and his working hours are also increased by 9%. Initially he used to earn Rs.18,000 per month for 300 hours in a month. Find his total earning in a month now?

- A. Rs.21,000
- B. Rs.23,623
- C. Rs.24,868
- D. Rs.23,456
- E. Rs.22,563

Answer –E

Reasoning

Direction (1 - 5): Read the given information carefully and answer the questions given below:

Eight people M, N, O, P, Q, R, S and T are sitting in a straight line facing north direction. They all have different ages, viz. 8, 12, 14, 21, 28, 36, 44 and 56 but not necessarily in the same order. Two people are sitting between O and the one whose age is 56 years. The one whose age is 14 years is sitting second to the left of O. N is sitting to the immediate left of the one whose age is 56 years. One person is sitting between T and the one whose age is 56 years. Either T or the one whose age is 56 years is sitting at the extreme end. The one who is 56 years old is not sitting to the left of T. There is a difference of 7 years between the ages of R and S and two people are sitting between them. The one whose age is 12 years is sitting second to the left of P. P is not sitting at the extreme end. There is one person sitting between R and the one whose age is 44 years. M is an immediate neighbour of the one whose age is 44 years. Q and the one whose age is 21 years are immediate neighbours. T is older than M and N is younger than Q.

Q1. How many people sit(s) between R and the one who is 21 years old?

- A. One
- B. Two
- C. Three
- D. More than three
- E. Less than three

Answer – B

Q2. What is the age difference between M and S?

- A. 10
- B. 11
- C. 13
- D. 12
- E. None of these

Answer – C



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Q3. What is the age of P?

- A. 21 years
- B. 44 years
- C. 12 years
- D. 56 years
- E. None of these

Answer – D

Q4. What is the sum of the ages of the people who sit the extreme ends?

- A. 30 years
- B. 48 years
- C. 84 years
- D. 58 years
- E. None of these

Answer – B

Q5. What is the name of the person who is 28 years old?

- A. O
- B. M
- C. P
- D. R
- E. None of these

Answer – E

Direction (6 - 9): Study the following information to answer the given questions: In a certain code,

'make security in theme lists' is written as jo ti tis sunic,
'India make old regime' is written as 'die min tip ti',
'old lists with correction' is written as 'za tis die kee' and
'theme curbs regime' is written as 'tip banic'.

Q6. What is the code for 'security'?

- A. jo
- B. ti
- C. su
- D. tis
- E. Can't be determined

Answer – E

Q7. What does 'za' stand for?

- A. Old
- B. Lists
- C. Correction
- D. With
- E. Either with or correction

Answer – E

Q8. 'tis da tip' could be a code for which of the following?

- A. Old Regime Lists
- B. Correction Theme Case
- C. India With Regime
- D. Regime Lists Arise
- E. None of these

Answer – D

Q9. Which of the following may represent 'transparency in old security'?

- A. su die mac ti
- B. die mac jo tip
- C. jo die su mac
- D. die jo nicsu
- E. None of these

Answer – C

Q10. If it is possible to make one meaningful word with the 1st, 5th, 6th and 9th letters of the word OVERWHELM, which of the following will be the second letter from the right end of that word? If no such word can be made, give 'X' as the answer and if more than one such words can be made, give 'V' as the answer.

- A. M
- B. O
- C. H
- D. X
- E. V

Answer – B

Direction: In the question below are given three statements followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. 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.

Q11. Statements:

Only a few Men are Boys.

All Boys are Kids.

No Kids are Children.

Conclusions:

I. Some Men are not Children.

II. Some Men are not Boys.

- A. If only conclusion II follows
- B. If both conclusions I and II follow
- C. If either conclusion I or conclusion II follows
- D. If neither conclusion I nor conclusion II follows
- E. None of the above

Answer – B

Direction: In the question below are given three statements followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. 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.

Q12. Statements:

Some Fruits are Mangos.

Only Mangos are Tasty.

Only a few Mangos are Guavas.

Conclusions:

I. All Guavas are Mangos.

II. No Tasty being Fruit is a possibility.

- A. If only conclusion I follows
- B. If either conclusion I or conclusion II follows
- C. If only conclusion II follows
- D. If both conclusions I and II follow
- E. If neither conclusion I nor conclusion II follows

Answer – C

Direction: In the question below are given three statements followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. 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.

Q13. Statements:

Only a few Dairy Milk is Milky Bar.

Some Milky Bar is Munch.

Only Munch is Perk.

Conclusions:

I. All Dairy Milk can be Milky Bar

II. Some Munch is Milky Bar.

- A. If only conclusion I follows
- B. If either conclusion I or conclusion II follows
- C. If only conclusion II follows
- D. If both conclusions I and II follow
- E. If neither conclusion I nor conclusion II follows

Answer – C

Direction: In the question below are given three statements followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. 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.

Q14. Statements:

All Trees are Plants.

Some Plants are Bushes.

Only a few Bushes are Grass.

Conclusions:

I. No Plant is Grass.

II. All Bushes can be Grass.

- A. If only conclusion I follows
- B. If only conclusion II follows
- C. If neither conclusion I nor conclusion II follows
- D. If either conclusion I or conclusion II follows
- E. If both conclusions I and II follow

Answer – C

Direction: In the question below are given three statements followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. 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.

Q15. Statements:

Only a few Dinners are Cake.

No Dinner is Apple.

Only a few Apples are figures.

Conclusions:

I. Some apples are not figures.

II. No Apple is Cake.

- A. If only conclusion I follows
- B. If only conclusion II follows
- C. If either conclusion I or conclusion II follows
- D. If neither conclusion I nor conclusion II follows
- E. If both conclusions I and II follow

Answer – A

Direction (16 - 20): Study the following information carefully to answer the given questions below.

Seven people A, B, C, D, E, F and G are going to market on seven different days starting from Monday to Sunday and buy any one item among Chair, Table, Lamp. Not more than three people buy the same item. E buys table before Wednesday. Three people go to the market between E and B. The one who goes to the market on Thursday buys Chair. A goes to the market immediately before G. Two people go to the market between G and F. Only A and the one who goes to the market on Saturday buy Lamp. F neither goes to the market on Thursday nor buy lamp. Only one person goes to the market between D who buys Table and the one who buys Chair. C does not buy table. C goes to the market neither immediately after nor immediately before B.

Q16. Who among the following goes to the market immediately before F?

- A. A
- B. B
- C. C
- D. E
- E. F

Answer – B**Q17. Who among the following goes to the market on Monday?**

- A. D
- B. G
- C. C
- D. E
- E. F

Answer – C

Q18. D buys which of the following item?

- A. Lamp
- B. Table
- C. Chair
- D. Either Lamp or Table
- E. Either Chair or Lamp

Answer – B

Q19. How many people go the market between C and B?

- A. One
- B. Two
- C. Three
- D. Four
- E. More than four

Answer – D

200. Four of the following five are alike in a certain way, find the one which doesn't belong to that group.

- A. EF
- B. AD
- C. CA
- D. GB
- E. EG

Answer – A

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Direction (21 - 24): Study the following information carefully and answer the question based on it.

Raga started walking in East direction from point R. After walking 15 m she reached point S, from there she takes a left turn and walks 10 m to reach point T. From T, she turns left and walks 7 m and reaches point U. Then, she turns left and walks 34 m to reach point V. From point V she turns right and walks 28 m. Now she reached point W and from there she turns right and walks 40 m to reach point X. From point X she turns right and walks 32 m to reach point Y.

Q21. What is the direction of X with respect to R?

- A. North
- B. East
- C. South - West
- D. West
- E. North – West

Answer –C

Q22. If point A is the point of intersection of line segment RS and UV then which of the following is/are true about A?

- A. Point Y is North of A
- B. A is to the North of U
- C. $AV + AU = XW - 6$
- D. All are true
- E. None is true.

Answer – C

Q23. What is total distance travelled by Raga in west direction?

- A. 65 m
- B. 35 m
- C. 45 m
- D. 25 m
- E. 55 m

Answer –B

Q24. What is the direction of point T with respect to Y?

- A. South
- B. North – West
- C. South - West
- D. South - East
- E. North – East

Answer – D

Direction (205 - 207): In these questions, statements are given followed by two sets of conclusions numbered I and II. These statements show relationship between different elements. You have to assume the statement to be true and then decide which of the given two conclusions logically follows from the given information given in the statement.

Q25. Statements: $S < P = D$; $P \leq M$; $R \geq M$

Conclusions:

I. $M < S$

II. $D > S$

- A. Neither conclusion I nor II is true.
- B. Either conclusion I or II is true.
- C. Both conclusions I and II are true.
- D. Only conclusion II is true.
- E. Only conclusion I is true.

Answer – D

Q26. Statements: $S \leq T < P = D$; $P \leq M$; $R \geq M$

Conclusions:

I. $1. D < R$

II. $R = D$

- A. Neither conclusion I nor II is true.
- B. Only conclusion II is true.
- C. Either conclusion I or II is true.
- D. Both conclusions I and II are true.
- E. Only conclusion I is true.

Answer – C

Q27. Statements: $L \geq J \geq U \leq P$; $D \leq P$; $U > T$

Conclusions:

I. $L > T$

II. $D \leq J$

- A. Only conclusion I is true
- B. Neither conclusion I nor II is true.
- C. Either conclusion I or II is true.
- D. Only conclusion II is true.
- E. Both conclusions I and II are true.

Answer – A

Direction (28 - 34): Study the following information to answer the given questions. Twelve people are sitting in two parallel rows containing six people each, in such a way that there is an equal distance between adjacent persons. In row-1 A, B, C, D, E and F are seated and all of them are facing south. In row-2 P, Q, R, S, T and V are seated and all of them are facing north. Therefore, in the given seating arrangement each member seated in a row faces another member of the other row.

V sits third to the right of S. S faces F and F does not sit at any of the extreme ends of the line. D sits third to the right of C. R faces C. The one who is facing E sits third to the right of P. B and P do not sit at the extreme ends of the line. T is not an immediate neighbour of V and A is not an immediate neighbour of C. R does not sit at the extreme end.

Q28. Who amongst the following faces D?

- A. P
- B. T
- C. R
- D. Q
- E. None of these

Answer – B

Q29. Who amongst the following represent the people sitting at the extreme ends of the rows?

- A. R, F
- B. D, R
- C. T, A
- D. C, Q
- E. S, A

Answer – C

Q30. Four of the following five are alike in a certain way and thus form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to that group?

- A. D-R
- B. B-T
- C. A-Q
- D. C-S
- E. F-P

Answer - A

Q31. How many persons are seated between R and T?

- A. ONE
- B. TWO
- C. THREE
- D. FOUR
- E. None of these

Answer –B

Q32. Who amongst the following faces Q?

- A. A
- B. B
- C. E

- D. D
- E. None of these

Answer –E

Q33. Which of the following is true regarding B?

- A. B sits to the immediate left of C
- B. B faces Q
- C. D and F are immediate neighbours of B
- D. B sits fourth from the extreme left end of the line
- E. None of these

Answer – C

Q34. How many such pairs of letters are there in the word 'Rockabilly' each of which has as many letters between them in the word as in the English alphabet (Both forward and backward)?

- A. One
- B. Two
- C. Three
- D. Nil
- E. None of these

Answer –B

Direction (35 - 39): When a word and number arrangement machine is given an input line of and numbers, it arranges them following a particular rule. The following is an illustration and its rearrangement (All the numbers are two-digit numbers).

Input: not 10 bold 21 curse hockey 31 28 49 44

Step I: 10 21 not bold curse hockey 31 28 49 44

Step II: not bold 10 21 curse hockey 31 28 49 44

Step III: 28 31 not bold 10 21 curse hockey 49 44

Step IV: curse hockey 28 31 not bold 10 21 49 44

Step V: 44 49 curse hockey 28 31 not bold 10 21

And Step V is the last step of the above arrangement as the intended arrangement is obtained the rules followed in the given steps find out the appropriate steps for the given input.

Input: judge 20 12 gone ear 17 11 sitting 34 dinner arranges 29

Q35. How many steps will be required to complete the arrangement?

- A. 8
- B. 7
- C. 6
- D. 5
- E. None of these

Answer – C

Q36. Which word/Number would be at the fifth place from the right in Step IV?

- A. 11
- B. 12
- C. Ear
- D. Gone
- E. None Of These

Answer – B

Q37. How many elements are there between 'judge' and '34' in step II?

- A. One
- B. Two
- C. Three
- D. Four
- E. None of these

Answer – C

Q38. Which of the following represents the position of 'sitting' in step V?

- A. 1st from right
- B. 2nd from right
- C. 5th from left
- D. 6th from left
- E. None of these

Answer – B

Q39. Which of the following elements is third to the left of 6th element from the right end in the last step?

- A. 34
- B. Judge
- C. Arranges
- D. Ear
- E. None Of These

Answer – A

Q40. Each of the consonants in the word ORGANISATION is replaced by number 3 and each vowel is replaced by its numeric place value in the English alphabet series i.e. A is by 1, E is by 5 and so on. What is the total sum of all the numbers once the replacement is completed?

- A. 48
- B. 58
- C. 78
- D. 68
- E. None of these

Answer – D

Direction (41 - 45): Study the following data carefully and answer the questions accordingly.

W, X, Y, T, U, V and Z are seven colleagues, who live in a seven-storey building. The ground floor is numbered 1; the floor above it is numbered 2; and so on, until the topmost floor is numbered 7. Each of them works in different companies i.e., IOC, RIL, BPCL, SBI, Tata Motors, ONGC and HPCL but not necessarily in the same order. Z and X don't work in SBI. The one, who works in Tata motors, lives just above X. The one, who works in HPCL, lives above T. Z lives on the fifth floor. Neither X nor Z works in RIL. There are two floors between the floors on which X and V lives. The one, who works in ONGC, lives on the topmost floor. V lives on an even numbered floor. Y works in BPCL. There is only one floor between U and the one, who works in RIL. There are three floors between T and the one, who works in IOC.

Q41. Who among the following works in IOC?

- A. The one, who lives just below W
- B. The one, who lives on sixth floor
- C. The one, who lives two floors above X
- D. The one, who lives between V and X
- E. None of these

Answer – C

Q42. If V is related to Tata motors and T is related to HPCL then in the same way, Z is related to _

- A. ONGC
- B. RIL
- C. SBI
- D. BPCL
- E. None of these

Answer – A

Q43. How many persons are living above the one, who works in BPCL?

- A. Two
- B. Three
- C. Four
- D. Five
- E. None of these

Answer – D

Q44. Find the odd one.

- A. W, RIL
- B. T, BPCL
- C. Z, Tata motors
- D. Y, HPCL
- E. V, SBI

Answer – E

Q45. Find the correct statement.

- A. Y works in BPCL and lives just above X
- B. Four persons are living between W and the one, who works in SBI
- C. V lives three floors away from the one, who works in HPCL
- D. U works in Tata motors and lives two floors away from T
- E. None is correct

Answer – C

Direction: In the following question is given a statement followed by two assumptions numbered I and II. You have to consider the statement and the following assumptions and decide which of the assumptions is implicit in the statement.

Q46. Statement: "You are here by appointed as a curriculum developer with a period of probation that shall last for 6 months; at the end of which you will be confirmed or let go as per your performance evaluation" A line in an offer letter.

Assumptions:

- I. The performance of any professional can usually not be measured at the time of offering the job.
- II. The probation period is for the professional to prove his capabilities.

- A. If both I and II are implicit
- B. If only assumption I is implicit
- C. If only assumption II is implicit
- D. If either I or II is implicit
- E. If neither I nor II is implicit

Answer – A

Direction: In the question given below, one statement is followed by three assumptions numbered I, II, and III. Read the statement carefully and decide which of the given assumptions are implicit in the Statement.

Q47. Statement: Overwhelmed with grief and anger, families have been returning to what is left of their homes in the Old City of Mosul, following its liberation from Isis, the terrorist organization.

Assumptions:

- I. The terrorist organization, Isis, destroyed the Old City of Mosul before they left.
- II. Most of the residents of Mosul had left/ been driven away when Isis took over their city.
- III. None of the residents of Mosul supported Isis, which is why they left the city.
 - A. If only assumption I is implicit
 - B. If only assumption II is implicit
 - C. If only assumption III is implicit
 - D. If none of the assumptions are implicit
 - E. If both assumptions I and II are implicit

Answer – E

Direction: In the questions given below, a statement is given followed by three courses of action. A course of action is taken for improvement, follow up, etc.

Read the statement carefully and give your answer as:

Q48. Statement: The Indian High Commission in Antigua and Barbuda had asked the authorities there to stop billionaire diamond trader Mehul Choksi from travelling around the world, sources said on Monday.

Courses of Action:

- I. All billionaire diamond traders should immediately stop travelling to Antigua and Barbuda for the time being.
- II. Mehul Choksi should seek asylum in some other country to avoid being caught.
- III. The Indian High Commissioner should himself go and arrest Mehul Choksi.
 - A. If only course of action I follows
 - B. If only course of action II follows
 - C. If both I and II follow
 - D. If both II and III follow
 - E. If none of them follow

Answer – E

Q49. Statement: Disposal of nonbiodegradable electronic waste is another problem that the government, which is unable to reduce the use of plastic, has to handle in the near future.

Courses of Actions:

- I. The government should not worry about electronic waste now.
- II. The government should learn from its failure to reduce the use of plastic and take early steps for effective disposal of electronic waste.

- A. Only course of action I follows
- B. Either I or II follows
- C. Only course of action II follows
- D. Neither I nor II follows
- E. Both I and II follow

Answer –C

Direction: In each of the following question, two statements are given. They may either be independent causes, independent effects or bear a cause-and-effect relationship that is unique to each other. Read both the statements carefully and mark:

Q50. Statements:

- I. Kochi got its new traffic light system that was specially designed to cope with the increasing traffic problems and roadblocks.
- II. The number of road accidents in Kochi has come down in the past 2 months.

- A. Statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect.
- B. Statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect.
- C. Both the statements I and II are independent causes.
- D. Both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause.
- E. Both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes.

Answer –E

Direction (51 - 55): Read the following information carefully and answer the questions that follow.

P, Q, R, S, T, V and W are seven different boxes of different colours i.e., black, silver, red, pink, yellow, white and green but not necessarily in the same order. Box S is kept immediately above the yellow colour box. More than three boxes are there between pink and silver colour box. There are two boxes between box Q and box T. There is only one box between box T and box W. There are three boxes between box W and box P, which is of black colour. There are only two boxes between box P and box R, which is of white colour. The silver colour box is kept immediately above the box W. More than three boxes are there between yellow and pink colour box. The colour of box T is red.

Q51. Which box is of yellow colour?

- A. Q
- B. S
- C. W
- D. V
- E. P

Answer –C

Q52. How many boxes are there between the green coloured box and silver coloured box?

- A. One
- B. Two
- C. Three
- D. Four
- E. None

Answer - C

Q53. Box Q is of which colour?

- A. Pink
- B. Silver
- C. Green
- D. Yellow
- E. Black

Answer - A

Q54. Which box is placed immediately above red colour box?

- A. P
- B. R
- C. S
- D. T
- E. W

Answer - B

Q55. How many boxes are there between box W and box Q?

- A. One
- B. Two
- C. Three
- D. Four
- E. None

Answer -D

Direction: In each question below, a statement is given followed by three conclusions numbered I, II, and III. You have to assume everything in the statement to be true, then consider the two conclusions together and decide which of them logically follows beyond a reasonable doubt from the information given in the statement.

Q56. Statement: Mexico's ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party (PRI), which has dominated its politics for the better part of a century, seems at risk of a defeat in the July 1 election.

Conclusions: I. The PRI has won most of the elections held in Mexico in the last 100 years.
II. The PRI will no longer remain the reigning party in Mexico post July.

III. The leaders of PRI seemed to have irked the sentiments of the common people in Mexico.

- A. Both I and II follow
- B. Only I follows
- C. Only II follows
- D. Both II and III follows
- E. Both I and III follow

Answer -B

Direction: In the questions below, a statement is given followed by two arguments. Choose the most appropriate option.

Q57. Statement: In 2016, the Government of India put a ban on all Rs 500 and 1000 notes in an effort to curtail the shadow economy and impede the use of illegal and fake currency that funds illegal activities and terrorism.

Arguments:

- I. This was the best way to tackle corruption and to stop the use of counterfeit cash.
- II. Demonetisation looks like a bad idea, badly executed on the basis of some half-baked notions.

- A. Only 1 is strong
- B. Only 2 is strong
- C. Both are equally valid
- D. Together, they can be used to make a strong argument
- E. None are valid

Answer – E

Direction: A statement is given followed by two inferences numbered I and II. Consider the statement to be true even if it is at variance with commonly known facts. You have to decide which of the inferences, if any, follow from the given statement.

Q58. Statement: Sea level rise driven by climate change is set to pose an existential crisis to many US coastal communities, with new research finding that as many as 311,000 homes face being flooded every two weeks within the next 30 years.

Inferences:

I. This research report will potentially inflict a huge financial and emotional toll on all those Americans who live in the properties at risk of having their basements, backyards, garages or living rooms inundated every other week.

II. Greenhouse gas emissions, the main cause of rising sea levels, need to severely curtailed with immediate effect.

- A. Both of them can be inferred
- B. Only I can be inferred
- C. Only II can be inferred
- D. None of them can be inferred
- E. Either Only I or II

Answer - B

Q59. The lifeline of Mumbai is its railway network, which is one of the most crowded places in the city. A Group of commuters of the Mumbai suburban railways called for a strike in response to the increase in the number of accidents in some routes in the past year due to overcrowding. The commuters want to continue the strike unless the authorities agree to increase the frequency of the trains in that route. Which of the following can be inferred from the aforementioned statements?

- A. Increase in the frequency of the trains would lead to decrease in the number of such accidents
- B. The trains in the Mumbai suburban run overcrowded

- C. The railways did not increase the frequency of trains in proportion to the increase in the number of commuters in the past year.
- D. The railway authorities are indifferent to the safety of the commuters
- E. None of these

Answer –C

Q60. Statement: Digital payment systems have ballooned in popularity in India since the government scrapped large value banknotes in 2016.

Inferences:

- I. People find it easier to pay via electronic methods rather than cash.
- II. The common people have realised the convenience of digital payments, which is why it has gained popularity.
- III. Digital payments methods have become popular in India because of good advertising.

- A. Both I and II follow
- B. Only I follow
- C. Only II follows
- D. Both II and III follows
- E. Both I and III follow

Answer – A

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