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RBI Grade B PYQs

General Awareness:

Q1. Recently a declaration has been adopted by that aims to boost industry ties on defenseand renewable energy, in the face of growing competition from the other emerging countries,The above-mentioned Atlantic Declaration, was signed between which two countries?

    A. United States and United Kingdom

    B. Australia & United Kingdom

    C. France and United States

    D. Australia and United Kingdom

    E. Australia and France

Answer – A

Q2. United States will rejoin an organization in July, four years after it left it in 2019, allegingthat it was biased against Israel. The move to rejoin will face a vote by organisation's memberstates and is expected to pass easily. Which of the following organisation US is about to rejoin?

    A. UNICEF

    B. SCO

    C. WHO

    D. UNESCO

    E. UNCTAD

Answer – D

Q3. What is the objective of the "Antardrishti Dashboard" which was launched recently by RBI?

    A. It will provide the required insight to assess and monitor the progress of grievance redressal mechanism.

    B. It will provide the required insight to assess and monitor the progress of financial inclusion.

    C. It will provide the required insight to assess and monitor the progress of reducing NPAs.

    D. It will provide the required insight to assess and monitor the progress of strengtheningfinancial system.

    E. It will provide the required insight to assess and monitor the progress of digital banking.

Answer – B

Q4. Recently, Indian-origin Climate Change researcher _____ has been picked for the SpinozaPrize 2023, which is the highest scientific honour in Netherlands and has a prize money of_____.

    A. Sheo Kumar, 1.5 million euros

    B. Rajkumar Upadhyay, 2.5 million euros

C. K Rajaraman, 3.5 million euros
D. Navtej Bal, 1.5 million euros
E. Joyeeta Gupta, 1.5 million euros

Answer – E

Q5. Which country has achieved the gender parity according to the latest Global Gender GapIndex?
A. Iceland
B. Finland
C. Denmark
D. Sweden
E. No one

Answer – E

Q6. Comptroller and Auditor General of India Girish Chandra Murmu has been re-elected asthe external auditor of _____ for a for a four-year term from_____.
A. UNICEF, 2023 to 2026
B. UNESCO, 2024 to 2027
C. WTO, 2023 to 2026
D. UNCTAD, 2024 to 2027
E. WHO, 2024 to 2027

Answer – E

Q7. The tropical cyclones forming over different Ocean basins are named by the concernedregional specialised meteorological centres (RSMCs) and regional Tropical Cyclone WarningCentres (TCWCs). According to the 'List of North Indian Ocean Tropical Cyclone Names', whatis the name of the next cyclone after cyclone 'Biparjoy' and the name has been recommendedby which country?
A. Tej, India
B. Prahar, Bangladesh
C. Akhand, India
D. Bhanwar, Nepal
E. Prachand, Sri Lanka

Answer – A

Q8. Foreign Trade Policy (2023) is a policy document which is based on continuity of timetested schemes facilitating exports as well as a document which is nimble and responsive tothe requirements of trade. Which among the following is not part of the four key pillars of theForeign Trade Policy 2023 announced recently?

A. Incentive to Remission
B. Export promotion through collaboration - Exporters, States, Districts, Indian Missions
C. Ease of doing business, reduction in transaction cost and e-initiatives

  D. Emerging Areas – E-Commerce Developing Districts as Export Hubs and
      streamliningSCOMET policy
  E. E-Governance

Answer – E

Q9. The Union government, in consultation with the RBI, fixes the inflation target for thecentral bank every five years. The Upper Tolerance level of Inflation is _____ and incase of breach of the upper tolerance for _____ quarters the report has to be submittedby RBI.
  A. 4.0%, three consecutive quarters
  B. 5.0%, two consecutive quarters
  C. 6.0%, two consecutive quarters
  D. 6.0%, three consecutive quarters
  E. 5.0%, three consecutive quarters

Answer – D

Q10. As per the survey of professional forecasters (SPF) by RBI, the real gross domestic product(GDP) growth forecast for 2023-24 has been retained at _____ , while it is expected to grow by____ in 2024-25.
  A. 5.7 per cent, 6.1 per cent
  B. 5.9 per cent, 6.3 per cent
  C. 6.0 per cent, 6.4 per cent
  D. 6.1 per cent, 6.4 per cent
  E. 6.2 per cent, 6.3 per cent

Answer – C

Q11. As per Annual Report of RBI, Commercial banks remained the largest holders of government securities[including T-Bills and state government securities (SGSs)] accounting for_____ as at end-March 2023.
  A. 27.5%
  B. 37.5%
  C. 25.5%
  D. 31.5%
  E. 28.5%

Answer – B

Q12. Which of the following States are among the top 3 States with highest mangrove cover inIndia?
1. West Bengal
2. Gujarat
3. Andaman Nicobar
4. Tamil Nadu
  A. 1, 2 & 3

B. Only 2 & 3
C. Only 1 & 4
D. Only 3 & 4
E. 2, 3 & 4

Answer – A

Q13. Group of Twenty (G20) is an intergovernmental forum comprising 19 countries and theEuropean Union. India holds the Presidency of the G20 from December 1, 2022 to November30, 2023. Which of the following is not one of the guest countries invited in G20 summit underIndia's presidency?
A. Bangladesh
B. Mauritius
C. Netherlands
D. Nigeria
E. Phillipines

Answer – E

Q14. India is NOT a member of which of the following organizations?
A. SCO
B. ADB
C. World Trade Organisation
D. OECD
E. World Bank

Answer – D

Q15. As per RBI Annual Report 2022-23, India has remained among the fastest growing majoreconomies of the world, contributing more than _____ to global growth on averageduring the last five years.
A. 5.5%
B. 7.5%
C. 12%
D. 6.8%
E. 10.5%

Answer - C

Q16. As per the Financial Stability Report, SCBs' gross non-performing assets (GNPA) ratio continued its downtrend and fell to a _____ year low in 3.9% in March 2023 and the netnon-performing assets (NNPA) ratio declined to _____.
A. 8, 0.5%
B. 10, 1%
C. 13, 1.5%
D. 10, 1.5%
E. 8, 1%

Answer - B

Q17. Despite prolonged geopolitical tensions and slowing global trade, India's merchandiseexports touched US$ 450.4 billion during 2022- 23, which is 6.7 per cent above the previousyear's record level. Which sector contributed the largest share in the merchandise exportsfrom India?
- A. Electronic Goods
- B. Petroleum Products
- C. Rice
- D. Organic and Inorganic Chemicals
- E. Iron Ore

Answer – B

Q18. The core theme of the 2025 Payments Vision document is E-Payments for Everyone_____.
- A. E-Payments for Elder
- B. Everywhere, Everytime
- C. Everywhere, Everything
- D. Everything, Everytime
- E. Everyone, Everything

Answer – B

Q19. Which among the following ASEAN countries are also the members of BIMSTEC?
1.Thailand
2. Singapore
3. Myanmar
4. Indonesia
5. Vietnam
- A. 1, 2 and 3 only
- B. 3 and 4 only
- C. 1 and 3 only
- D. 1, 4 and 5
- E. All of the above

Answer – C

Q20. There has been great excitement and a rush of positive sentiment among members of thefintech community (digital lenders), regulated lenders, and investors about the recently (June2023) released Guidelines on Default Loss Guarantee (DLG) in Digital Lending which wereissued by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI). The Guidelines on Default Loss Guarantee (DLG) inDigital Lending is not applicable on which of the following entities?
- A. Payment Banks
- B. Small Finance Banks
- C. State Co-operative Banks
- D. NBFC
- E. Commercial Banks
  Answer - A

Q21. The term of State Legislative Assemblies of which of the following State will not end tillJan 2024?
A. Madhya Pradesh
B. Rajasthan
C. Haryana
D. Chhattisgarh
E. Telangana

Answer – C

Q22. Which among the following small saving scheme will provide highest return in JulySeptember 2023?
A. Kisan Vikas Patra
B. National Savings Certificate (NSC)
C. Sukanya Samriddhi
D. Monthly Income Scheme
E. Senior citizen savings Scheme

Answer – E

Q23. HS Prannoy ended a six-year long title drought with a three-game win over China's WengHong Yang in a pulsating men's singles finals at the Malaysia Masters. This title is known as_____.
A. Super 1000 title
B. Super 500 title
C. Super 300 title
D. Super 200 title
E. Super 100 title

Answer – B

Q24. For the first time in India, the share price of a company crossed the Rs 1 lakh mark. Withthis, _____ became the first stock in India to cross the Rs 1 lakh mark per share in intraday trade after its share jumped 1.07 per cent in early trade recently in June 2023.
A. Honeywell
B. Page Industries
C. 3M India
D. Shree Cement
E. MRF Ltd

Answer – E

Q25. With classification of UCBs into four tiers, the prudential exposure limits for UCBs to agroup of connected borrowers/parties will be how much of their tier-I capital?
A. ₹150 lakh
B. ₹120 lakh
C. ₹60 lakh

    D. ₹50 lakh

    E. ₹70 lakh

Answer – C

Q26. As per the recent (June 2023) data of Department for Promotion of Industry and InternalTrade (DPIIT), United Arab Emirates (UAE), with which India implemented a comprehensivefree trade agreement in May last year, has emerged as the fourth largest investor in Indiaduring 2022-23. Which among the following countries are among the top 3 sources of FDI intoIndia?

    A. UAE, Mauritius, US

    B. Netherlands, Mauritius, US

    C. Singapore, Mauritius, US

    D. Singapore, Netherlands, US

    E. Singapore, Mauritius, Australia

Answer - C

Q27. India's overall exports (Merchandise and Services combined) in April 2023 is estimated tobe USD 65.02 Billion, exhibiting a positive growth of 2.00 per cent over April 2022. Which oneof the following key sectors under merchandise exports exhibited highest positive growth inApril 2023 as compared to the same period last year (April 2022)?

    A. Oil Meals

    B. Electronic Goods

    C. Ceramic Products & Glassware

    D. Drugs & Pharmaceuticals

    E. Cereal Preparations & Miscellaneous Processed Items

Answer – A

Q28. Which of the following States are among the top 3 destination States for FDI in India?

1. Maharashtra

2. Karnataka

3. Gujarat

4. Delhi

5. Tamil Nadu

    A. Only 1

    B. Both 2 & 3

    C. 1, 2 and 3

    D. 2, 4 and 5

    E. 1, 3 and 5

Answer – C

Q29. Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya unveiled the 5th State Food Safety Index (SFSI), which evaluatesthe performance of states and union territories across six different aspects of food safety.Which one of the following are the top-3 states in the large state category of the State FoodSafety Index?
- A. Kerala, Punjab and Uttar Pradesh
- B. Andhra Pradesh, Kerala and Punjab
- C. Kerala, Punjab and Tamil Nadu
- D. Haryana, Kerala and Telangana
- E. Haryana, Punjab and Tamil Nadu

Answer – C

Q30. Who has been recently appointed as the chair of B20 India which represents the entireG20 business community?
- A. Ajay Bhalla
- B. Gautam Adani
- C. Ratan Tata
- D. Ravneet Kaur
- E. N. Chandrasekaran

Answer – E

Q31. The headquarters of European Central Bank is located in _____and was established in_____.
- A. London, 1998
- B. Brusells, 2002
- C. Paris, 2000
- D. Rome, 1998
- E. Frankfurt, 1998

Answer – E

Q32. Which of the following statements is true regarding Call Money, Notice Money and TermMoney?
  A. Scheduled commercial banks (excluding Small Finance Banks) can set their own limits for borrowing in call money and notice money markets, within the prescribed prudential limits for inter-bank liabilities
  B. Scheduled commercial banks (including Small Finance Banks) cannot set their own limits forborrowing in call money and notice money markets, within the prescribed prudential limitsfor inter-bank liabilities
  C. Scheduled commercial banks (excluding Small Finance Banks) can set their own limits forborrowing in call money only but not in notice money markets, within the prescribedprudential limits for inter-bank liabilities
  D. Scheduled commercial banks (including Small Finance Banks) can set their own limits forborrowing in call money only but not in notice money markets, within the prescribedprudential limits for inter-bank liabilities
  E. None of the above

Answer – A

Q33. 50 years after the launch of Project Tiger on April 1, 1973, India's tiger population todayranges from 2,500 to 3,000. When Project Tiger started, we had ____ tiger reserves. In 2023,we have ____.
  A. 9, 47
  B. 9, 53
  C. 9, 48
  D. 9, 55
  E. 9, 67

Answer - B

Q34. Which of the following statements is incorrect regarding Sovereign Gold Bonds?
  A. Investment limit per fiscal year is 4 kg for individuals and Hindu Undivided Family (HUF)
  B. Investment limit per fiscal year is 20 Kg for Trusts and similar entities notified by theGovernment from time to time
  C. Bond is available both in demat and paper form
  D. Total limit is excluding purchase from secondary market
  E. Bond can be used as collateral for loans

Answer - D

Q35. Which among the following bank has launched corporate customer platform "fyn"?
  A. Kotak Mahindra Bank
  B. IndusInd Bank
  C. HDFC Bank
  D. RBL Bank
  E. Federal Bank

Answer - A

Q36. Which of the following is one of the Payment System Operator in India?
   A. Clearing Corporation of India
   B. National Payments Corporation of India
   C. Scheduled Commercial Banks
   D. All of the above
   E. None of the above

Answer – D

Q37. Recently, 40 years have been completed for the historic win of India in 1983 Cricket World Cup final. India scored 183 runs batting first, what was the score of West Indies?
   A. 128
   B. 133
   C. 110
   D. 125
   E. 140

Answer – E

Q38. The Union Minister of Ports, Shipping & Waterways and Ayush, Shri Sarbananda Sonowalflagged off the maiden International Cruise Vessel "_____", India's first international cruisevessel, from Chennai to _____.
   A. MV Empress, Bangladesh
   B. MV Ganga Vilas, Bhutan
   C. MV Empress, Sri Lanka
   D. MV Ganga Vilas, Sri Lanka
   E. MV Emperor, Sri Lanka

Answer – C

Q39. Which of the following institutes celebrate their foundation day on 1st July?
   A. Indian Space Research Organisation
   B. Institute of Chartered Accountants of India
   C. Defence Research and Development Organisation
   D. Border Roads Organisation
   E. NITI Aayog

Answer – B

Q40. Brand Finance evaluates and values over 5,000 brands every year, across all sectors andgeographies. Get instant access to the world's largest brand database, including brand value,brand strength, research and competitive ranking data.According to brand finance India,which among the following is not among the top 5 Indian brands?
   A. Tata
   B. Infosys
   C. HDFC Bank
   D. LIC

E. Reliance

Answer – C

Q41. The National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) was approved by the MHRD andlaunched by Honourable Minister of Human Resource Development on 29th September2015.As per the NIRF's "India Rankings 2023", which one of the following has been matched
incorrectly:
1. Top performing University: IISc Bengaluru
2. Top performing College: ST Stephens
3. Top performing institute in Overall Category: IIT Madras
   A. 1 and 2 only
   B. 2 and 3 only
   C. 1, 2 and 3
   D. 2 only
   E. None of the above

Answer - D

Q42. El Nino is a cyclical environmental condition that occurs across the Equatorial PacificOcean and is triggered by natural interactions between the ocean and atmosphere with thedriving factors being the sea surface temperature, rainfall, air pressure, and atmospheric andocean circulations. It occurs when the surface water in the equatorial Pacific becomes warmerthan average and east winds blow weaker than normal. The phenomenon is similar to whichof the following climatic anomaly?
   A. Mavven Oscillation
   B. Madden Jullian Oscillation
   C. Western Disturbances
   D. Monsoon
   E. Indian Ocean Dipole

Answer – D

Q43. Which of the following is the mascots launched by RBI as a part of its financial Awarenesscampaign?
   A. Ms Money
   B. Mr Money
   C. Money Kumar
   D. Mr Kumar
   E. Money Raja

Answer – C

Q44. Which of the following is the initiative supported by NITI Aayog, aimed to finance 50,000 electric vehicles for MSMEs?

    A. ELECTRO
    B. EVOLVE
    C. EVPURE
    D. EVWORLD
    E. EVNITI

Answer – B

Q45. World Bank has scrapped Ease of Doing Business and announced a new replacement annual series which will reflect a more balanced and transparent approach toward evaluating a country's business and investment climate. What is the name of the new replacement annual series?

    A. Ease Business
    B. Business PRO
    C. Easy Business
    D. Business Ready
    E. Business PORT

Answer – D

Q46. Food and Consumer Affairs Minister Piyush Goyal has announced that India will achieve its target of _____ ethanol blending with petrol by _____ instead of 2030. He also maintained that the maize crop will play an important role in implementation of the programme.

    A. 20%, 2024
    B. 25%, 2025
    C. 30%, 2030
    D. 20%, 2025
    E. 25%, 2023

Answer – D

Q47. Recently, Union Minister of Road Transport and Highway has informed about the ambitious India-Myanmar-Thailand Trilateral Highway which connects Kolkata to Bangkok. It belongs to which of which of the following organization?

    A. BIMSTEC
    B. ASEAN
    C. SCO
    D. G-7
    E. G20

Answer – A

Q48. Prime Minister Narendra Modi launched three flagship schemes for urban revamp,including smart cities and housing for all on 25th June 2015, ensuring better quality of life for40% of the country's population that either live in urban areas or dependent on them forlivelihood. Which one of the following are the 3-schemes launched?

1. Smart Cities Mission

2. Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT)

3. Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana - Urban (PMAY-U)

    A. Only 1

    B. Both 2 & 3

    C. Only 3

    D. Both 1 & 2

    E. All 1, 2 and 3

Answer – E

Q49. According to the Union Budget 2023, Government has decided to continue the 50-yearinterest free loan to state governments for one more year to spur _____ investment and,with a significantly enhanced outlay of Rs 1.3 lakh crore, from _____.

    A. Capital, 2021-22

    B. Capital, 2025-26

    C. Capital, 2024-25

    D. Capital, 2022-23

    E. Capital, 2023-24

Answer – E

Q50. Which one of the following statements are correct with respect to the Mission forIntegrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH) scheme?

1. It is Central Sector Scheme launched in 2015.

2. It provides financial assistance @35% of the project cost in general areas for setting up postharvest management infrastructure.

3. It provides technical advice and administrative support to state governments/statehorticulture missions for the saffron mission.

    A. Only 1

    B. Only 2

    C. Both 2 & 3

    D. Both 1 & 3

    E. All 1, 2 & 3

Answer – C

Q51. Progress has been sluggish in six sectors under Production-Linked Incentive (PLI)schemes. A detailed analysis is being conducted by relevant ministries. Which among thefollowing is not under non-performing sector of the scheme?
- A. Information technology (IT) hardware
- B. White Goods
- C. ACC Battery
- D. Textile
- E. Speciality Steel

Answer – A

Q52. Which one of the following states was among the top-3 states in terms of highest GST
revenues in June 2023?
1. Haryana
2. Karnataka
3. Gujarat
4. Uttar Pradesh
5. Maharashtra
- A. Only 2, 3 and 5
- B. Only 1, 3 & 4
- C. Only 1, 2 & 5
- D. Only 3, 4 & 5
- E. Only 2, 3 & 4

Answer – A

Q53. e-way bill is a document required to be carried by a person in charge of the conveyancecarrying any consignment of goods of value exceeding _____ as mandated by theGovernment in terms of section 68 of the Goods and Services Tax Act read with rule 138 ofthe rules framed thereunder.
- A. Rs 50,000
- B. Rs 40,000
- C. Rs 65,000
- D. Rs 1,00,000
- E. Rs 75,000

Answer – A

Q54. Name the country that conferred its highest civilian honour to President DroupadiMurmu- The Grand Order of the Chain of Yellow Star, the first Indian to receive this award.
   A.   Sudan
   B.   South Africa
   C.   Uganda
   D.   Suriname
   E.   Serbia

Answer – D

Q55. The Union Cabinet chaired by the Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, approved theconstitution and empowerment of an Inter Ministerial Committee (IMC) for facilitation of the"World's Largest Grain Storage Plan in Cooperative Sector" by convergence of variousschemes of ministries. Which ministry does not belong to that group?
   A.   Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare
   B.   Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution
   C.   Ministry of Food Processing Industries
   D.   Ministry of Cooperation
   E.   None of the above

Answer – D

Q56. The Reserve Bank releases a quarterly house price index (HPI) based on transaction-leveldata received from housing registration authorities in ten major cities. The cities are:

1. Bengaluru
2. Delhi
3. Jaipur
4. Kanpur
5. Kolkata
6. Mumbai
Remaining cities are:
   A.   Chandigarh, Kochi, Lucknow, Ahmedabad
   B.   Chennai, Shimla, Lucknow, Ahmedabad
   C.   Chennai, Kochi, Lucknow, Agra
   D.   Chennai, Surat, Lucknow, Ahmedabad
   E.   Chennai, Kochi, Lucknow, Ahmedabad

Answer – E

Q57. Which one of the following is/are the dimensions across which the states and districtshave been assessed under the Social Progress Index (SPI) for States and Districts made by theInstitute for Competitiveness and Social Progress Imperative?
1. Basic Human Needs
2. Innovation
3. Foundations of Wellbeing
4. Opportunity
5. Foundations of Healthy life
    A. Only 1, 3 and 4
    B. Only 1, 2 and 3
    C. Only 2, 3 and 4
    D. Only 1 and 2
    E. Only 2 and 3

Answer – A

Q58. NASA's MAVEN mission has released some new, mind-blowing images captivating arrayof ultraviolet views of the red planet. What does "V" stands for in MAVEN Mission?
    A. Velocity
    B. Vacuum
    C. Volatile
    D. Valence
    E. Vector

Answer – C

Q59. The Basic Statistical Returns (BSR) Code is a seven-digit code that is provided to theregistered banks by the RBI. The first three digits in the code identify the bank, while thefollowing four digits identify the bank branch. India's Basic Statistical Returns (BSR) systemrecently completed _____ since its inception.
    A. 10 years
    B. 20 years
    C. 75 years
    D. 25 years
    E. 50 years

Answer – E

Q60. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has fixed the minimum Net Owned Fund (NOF) size forhousing finance companies at _____. The housing finance companies (HFCs) holding aCertificate of Registration (CoR) and having an NOF of less than _____ will be required toachieve NOF of Rs 15 crore by March 31, 2022 and _____ by March 31, 2023.
    A. Rs 5 crore
    B. Rs 15 crore
    C. Rs 25 crore
    D. Rs 20 crore

E.   Rs 35 crore

Answer – C

Q61. As per Foreign Trade Policy 2023, towns that produces goods worth at least _____ canbe recognized as towns of export excellence, based on their growth potential for exports.
  A.   Rs 850 Crore
  B.   Rs 650 Crore
  C.   Rs 550 Crore
  D.   Rs 750 Crore
  E.   Rs 450 Crore

Answer – D

Q62. NTPC Limited, India's largest power generation company, has climbed 52 positions tosecure the 433rd rank in Forbes' "The Global 2000" List for 2023. Which among the followingis/are not the parameters taken into account for determining Forbes 2000 ranking of the toppublic companies in the world?
  A.   Goodwill
  B.   Sales
  C.   Profits
  D.   Assets
  E.   Market value

Answer –A

Q63. Recently (June 2023), Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), New Delhi hassigned a MoU with _____ Kisan to combine strengths and create synergy between the twoorganizations for guiding the farmers on scientific cultivation of different crops for optimumyield and income.
  A.   Snapdeal
  B.   Meesho
  C.   Amazon
  D.   Flipkart
  E.   CRED

Answer – C

Q64. Recently, Sebi has proposed to tweak the definition of unpublished price sensitiveinformation (UPSI). It proposed changing the definition of UPSI as it currently stands andbringing Regulation 30 of LODR, according to which the listed firms must notify stockexchanges after the occurrence of any events or facts that are material. Which of the followingoccurrences are included?
1. Any modification to securities
2. Revision to ratings
3. Initiation of CSR activities
4. Change in director

5. Fraud or default by promoters or key managerial people

- A. Both 2 & 3
- B. 1, 3, 4 and 5
- C. Both 1 & 5
- D. 3, 4 and 5
- E. 1,2,4 and 5

Answer – E

Q65. As per data from the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation releasedunder "Twenty Point Programme", of the 14 parameters tracked quarterly, the IndianGovernment achieved a more than _____ target completion ("very good") in six parameters.

- A. 80%
- B. 90%
- C. 75%
- D. 60%
- E. 40%

Answer – B

Q66. Household financial savings refer to currency, bank deposits, debtsecurities, mutual funds, pension funds, insurance, and investments in small savings schemes.The total of these savings is referred to as gross household financial savings. Once financialliabilities, including loans from banks, non-banking financial companies (NBFCs), and housingfinance companies, are subtracted from gross savings, what remains is referred to as nethousehold financial savings. As per the RBI Annual Report 2022-23, which one of the followingFinancial Saving of Household Sector has the highest share in 2021-22?

- A. Deposits
- B. Currency
- C. Shares and Debentures
- D. Insurance Funds
- E. Provident and Pension Funds

Answer – A

Q67. TRAI in its endeavor to curb menace of spams through Unsolicited CommercialCommunication (UCC) has taken various measures in recent past. Recently (June 2023), TRAIhas now issued a Direction to all the Access Providers to develop and deploy the DCA facilityfor creating a unified platform and process to register customers consent digitally across allservice providers and Principal Entities. What does "DCA" stands for?

- A. Digital Consent Acquisition
- B. Data Consent Acquisition
- C. Digital Content Acquisition
- D. Data Content Acquisition

E. Digital Communication Acquisition

Answer – A

Q68. Taking forward digitization efforts announced in the Union Budget 2022-23, the ReserveBank introduced its Central Bank Digital Currency (CBDC) in phases during the year, with thelaunch of pilots for Digital Rupee (e`) in _____.
   A. Wholesale segments only on December 1, 2022
   B. Retail segments only November 1, 2022.
   C. Wholesale and retail segments on December 1, 2022, and November 1, 2022 respectively.
   D. Wholesale and retail segments on January 1, 2022, and December 1, 2022 respectively.
   E. Wholesale and retail segments on November 1, 2022, and December 1, 2022 respectively**.**

Answer – E

Q69. As per the recent advance estimates of production of major crops for agricultural year2022-23 released by the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, the production of whichone of the following crops did not increase from the previous year?
   A. Jawar
   B. Rice
   C. Wheat
   D. Bajra
   E. Maize

Answer – A

Q70. Which of the following Scheduled Commercial Banks have recorded the highest numberof new branch additions in the financial year ended on 31st March 2023?
   A. Yes Bank
   B. Axis Bank
   C. Bank of Baroda
   D. HDFC Bank
   E. ICICI Bank

Answer – D

Q71. Under SEBI (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996, Mutual Funds are permitted to chargecertain operating expenses for managing a mutual fund scheme. All such costs for running andmanaging a mutual fund scheme are collectively referred to as 'Total Expense Ratio' (TER).TER is calculated as a percentage of the Scheme's average _____.
   A. Net Asset Value (NAV)
   B. Absolute Returns
   C. Simple Annualised Return
   D. Total Investments

E. Redemption Amount

Answer – A

Q72. Which among the following metal was not used to make the commemorative '75 RupeeCoin' which was launched during the inauguration of new parliament?
   A. Silver
   B. Copper
   C. Nickel
   D. Gold
   E. Zinc

Answer - D

Q73. As per IRDAI, which among the following is a criteria used to identify the Domestic'Systemically Important Insurers?
   A. Number of Branches
   B. Market Share
   C. Domestic and global interconnectedness
   D. Public Sector
   E. All of the above

Answer – E

Q74. Recently, the Prime Minister of India attended the 3rd summit of 3rd Summit of theForum for India-Pacific Islands Cooperation (FIPIC) held at which of the following locations?
   A. Fiji
   B. Papua New Guinea
   C. Samoa
   D. Solomon Islands
   E. Niue

Answer – B

Q75. Recently, Indian security forces have been trained in _____ "Krav Maga" to counterChina's People Liberation Army (PLA) during patrolling along the Line of Actual Control (LAC).
   A. Russia
   B. Caribbean Island
   C. Israel
   D. France
   E. USA

Answer – C

Q76. The Centre has revised the threshold for GST e-invoicing, and has announced that it willbe mandatory for all businesses with annual turnover of over _____to move to e-

invoicing forbusiness to business transaction under goods and services tax (GST) from
_____.
A. Rs 2 crore, Rs 10 Crore
B. Rs 3.5 crore, Rs 10 Crore
C. Rs 5 crore, Rs 10 Crore
D. Rs 10 crore, Rs 20 Crore
E. Rs 15 crore, Rs 20 Crore

Answer – C

Q77. According to the Union Budget 2023-24, the highest surcharge rate in personal incometax has been reduced from 37% to _____ in the new tax regime for income above₹2 crore.
A. 15%
B. 36%
C. 17%
D. 25%
E. 30%

Answer – D

Q78. Which among the following player has courted controversy when he wrote "Kosovo isthe heart of Serbia, depicting the ethnic tensions flared in the Balkan nation?
A. Casper Ruud
B. Carlos Alcaraz
C. Novak Djokovic
D. Rafael Nadal
E. Andrey Rublev

Answer – C

Q79. Government of India through Indian Strategic Petroleum Reserve Ltd. (ISPRL) underPhase–1 has setup Strategic Petroleum Reserves (SPR) at three locations namelyVishakhapatnam, Mangalore and _____.
A. Varanasi
B. Padur
C. Raipur
D. Kolkata
E. Ranchi

Answer – B

Q80. Which one of the following statements are correct regarding the PM KUSUM Scheme?
1. It seeks to increase the farmers income
2. The scheme comprises of 3- components.
3. It works towards decreasing the environmental pollution.

A. Only 1
B. Both 2 & 3
C. Only 3
D. Both 1 & 2
E. All 1, 2 and 3

Answer – E

English:

Directions (1-7): Read the following passage and answer the questions based on the availableinformation.

The National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 has rightfully identified 21st century skills as fundamental to developing creators. Critical thinking and problem solving, communication and collaboration, creativity and innovation, flexibility and adaptability, initiative and self-direction, social and cross cultural interactions, and productivity and accountability all strengthen the individuals' abilities at the workplace.

Relying on traditional literacy and numeracy alone will not suffice and tends to marginalize differently abled learners. Educators could consider a design-based approach where students concentrate on a subject for two-three weeks to examine how it can be applied in the real world.

But does our current classroom and content-heavy syllabus enable deep work? Also, how do we retrain teachers who have been trained in traditional systems? They know terms like 'constructivism' but do not know how it should be used in a classroom that is focused on exams rather than learning. And how ready are our future educators?

In a semester-long study that used Wikipedia as a pedagogical tool for teacher training, 65 preservice (B.Ed) teachers were asked to improve the pages on Wikipedia related to educational concepts. Excluding a few, the content created by most participants was either sent back to them or deleted by neutral editors of Wikipedia.

The content, it was found, was plagiarised, did not provide citations, lacked basic writing and grammar skills, etc. After three iterative cycles that were emotionally **intense**, the teachers were able to contribute content to over 75 Wikipedia articles in English and over 50 articles in Kannada, Tamil, Telugu, Hindi, Malayalam, Gujarati, Assamese and Punjabi. All the content was related to educational technology. The critical feedback from various Wikipedia editors was crucial because it was unbiased. This feedback forced the learners to re-evaluate their skills. This shows that constant engagement, an emotional connection, and immersive learning are important parts of education. EdTech apps can deliver content that caters to multiple learning styles, learning curves and pace of learning. The pandemic has shown that traditional teacher and brick-and-mortar schools may become **obsolete** if radical pedagogical changes do not follow.

Q1.Which of the following measures has been suggested in the given passage for improvementof the education system?

- A. Educators will have to find ways to minimize their engagement strategies while integrating technology into their approach.
- B. Both (a) and (c)
- C. Educators can use a method in which students focus on a topic for a few weeks to see how it might be used in actuality.
- D. An individual must be motivated enough to remain immersed in a specific activity to be creative and happy.
- E. All are correct.

Answer – C

Answer – C

Q2.Which of the following were not among the shortcomings in the content provided by theteachers for the first time?

A. Copying was found in the content.
B. They just stated the obvious facts.
C. There were no references in the material.
D. Basic grammar and writing abilities were lacking in the text.
E. None is incorrect.

Answer – B

Q3.The author is in line with____

A. Children have lost all personal contact with their social group due to the pandemic.
B. The field of education is not evolving over time, with contemporary methods not able to findplace in the classroom in a traditional setup.
C. Over-reliance on technology comes at a cost.
D. Education requires continual involvement, emotional connection, and deep learning.
E. None of these.

Answer – D

Q4.Which of the following ironies has been mentioned in the given passage?

A. The disruptive nature of digital tools has thrown up interesting challenges to the traditionaleducation system.
B. Teachers are familiar with concepts like "constructivism," but are unsure how to use it in theclassroom.
C. Parents are forced to rely upon technology to provide their children constant gratification tokeep them engaged.
D. Both (a) and (b)
E. None of these.

Answer – B

Q5.Which of the following is not among the qualities that can support an individual to develophis abilities at the workplace?

A. Teamwork and interaction
B. Interactions on a social and cross-cultural level
C. Versatility and flexibility
D. Problem-solving and critical thinking
E. None is incorrect.

Answer - E

Q6.Which of the following words is the synonym of "intense", as highlighted in the given passage?

    A. Catalytic
    B. Impactful
    C. Vehement
    D. Holistic
    E. None of these

Answer - C

Q7.Which of the following words is the antonym of "obsolete", as highlighted in the givenpassage?

    A. Contemporary
    B. Archaic
    C. Bygone
    D. Superannuated
    E. None of these.

Answer – B

Directions (8-11): In each of the questions given below four words are highlighted which mayor may not be in their proper place. You are required to interchange these words in order to formmeaningfully correct sentences.

Q8.The motto (a) of the US state of New Hampshire is "Live Free or Die". Appropriately enough,NH is currently the only US state offering legal certification (b) for flying cars. But while such avehicle sounds like a technology (c) of science fiction, it could soon become perfectlynormal figment (d).

    A. a-c
    B. c-d
    C. b-d
    D. a-b
    E. No interchange required

Answer – B

Q9.The withdrawal (a) down of tensions between Assam and Mizoram, at least at the leadership(b) level, with the respective (c) governments announcing the drawing (d) of FIRs against the ChiefMinister of Assam and a Rajya Sabha MP from Mizoram, among other steps, comes as a great relief.

    A. a-d
    B. b-d
    C. a-c and b-d
    D. a-b and c-d
    E. No interchange required

Answer – A

Q10.A day after taking the bold decision to scrap (a) all retrospective tax demands and refundmoney collected, Prime Minister Narendra Modi said the move shows his government's consistency(b) to providing businesses stability of investment climate (c) and policy commitment (d).

    A. a-c
    B. b-d
    C. a-c and b-d
    D. a-b and c-d
    E. No interchange required

Answer – B

Q11. Happy at a permanent commission for Air Quality Management in the National Capital Regionand Adjoining Areas for better coordination, research, regulations(a), and resolution of problemssurrounding (b) the air quality index, experts are also wary (c)of the fact that mere identification(d)would not help in the long run.

    A. a-c
    B. b-d
    C. a-d
    D. b-c
    E. No interchange required

Answer – C

Directions (12-16): Which of the following phrases (A), (B), (C) and (D) can replace the phrasein bold so as to make the statement correct grammatically and contextually? If the statementdoes not need any correction then mark option E as your answer.

Q12. England **cruised for a second successive victory** at the ICC Twenty20 World Cup, defeatingBangladesh by eight wickets.

    A. cruises on a second successive victory
    B. cruised to a second successive victory
    C. cruise to a second successive victory
    D. crushed to a second successive victory
    E. no replacement required

Answer – B

Q13. The Delhi Disaster Management Authority has **issued orders permit schools to reopen**, aftera gap of 19 months, for students from nursery to Class XII from November 1.

    A. Issued Orders Permitting Schools To Reopening
    B. Issued Orders Permitting Schools To Reopen
    C. Issue Orders Permitting Schools To Reopen
    D. Issuing Orders Permitting Schools To Reopen
    E. No Replacement Required

Answer – B

Q14. With limited water resources and increasing water demand, it becomes **imperatively tostrategize to the sustained use** of water in various sectors.

    A. Imperial To Strategize For The Sustained Use Of Water
    B. Imperative To Strategize For The Sustained Use Of Water
    C. Imperative To Strategize For The Sustainable Use Of Water
    D. Prior To Strategize For The Sustained Use Of Water
    E. No Replacement Required

Answer – B

Q15.Scientists have identified a compound that shows potentially in easing the symptoms ofCOVID-19 infection in laboratory and animals.

   A. Show Potential In Easing The Symptoms
   B. Shows Potential To Easing The Symptoms
   C. Shows Potential In Easing The Symptoms
   D. Showed Potential In Easy The Symptoms
   E. No Replacement Required

Answer – C

Q16.The Indian team had defeat hosts England by 36 runs to lift the T20 Physically Disabled CricketSeries in August last year.

   A. Indian team has being defeated hosts
   B. Indian team was defeated hosts
   C. Indian team had defeated hosts
   D. Indian team had have defeated hosts
   E. No correction required

Answer – C

Directions (17-21): Rearrange the following sentences in the proper sequence to form a meaningful paragraph and then answer the questions given below.
(A)But, Mr. Austin's trip preceded an unannounced stop in Kabul where the U.S. is undertaking amajor review of its troop's pull-out schedule and peace plan.(B)The timing of U.S. Secretary of Defense Lloyd Austin's visit to New Delhi over the weekend wassignificant for many reasons.(C)As a result, all three areas: bilateral ties, the Indo-Pacific and Afghanistan came up for discussionduring talks.(D)Also, the visit, just after the first ever Quad leaders' summit, confirms the U.S.'s focus on greatermaritime cooperation in the Indo-Pacific.(E)Finally, Mr. Austin was careful not to make any direct reference to Beijing or about the LACdispute, which New Delhi considers a bilateral issue.(F) As the first senior ranking official of the Biden administration to meet with the Modi government, his visit this early in the new President's tenure indicates the place India holds.

Q17.Which of the following statements does not form a part of a coherent paragraph, afterrearranging the given statements?

   A. B
   B. F
   C. C
   D. D
   E. None is coherent.

Answer – E

Q18.Which of the following pair of statements will appear in similar sequence after rearrangement, as given in the option?

    A. A-E

    B. C-D

    C. B-F

    D. D-E

    E. A-F

Answer – C

Q19.Which of the following is the SECOND statement after rearrangement?

    A. B

    B. C

    C. F

    D. A

    E. E

Answer – C

Q20.Which of the following is the THIRD statement after rearrangement?

    A. D

    B. A

    C. F

    D. E

    E. C

Answer – A

Q21.Which of the following is the FIFTH statement after rearrangement?

    A. F

    B. C

    C. B

    D. A

    E. E

Answer – B

Directions (22-26): In each of the following questions, a sentence has been divided into fiveparts out of which one part is erroneous. You are required to choose the option which isgrammatically or contextually incorrect.

Q22.Union Home Minister Amit Shah conducted an (a)/ aerial survey of rain-ravaged areas (b)/ ofUttarakhand to assessing the (c)/ damage which the state government (d)/ has pegged at Rs 7,000crore.(e)

    A. a

    B. b

    C. c

D. d

E. e

Answer -C

Q23.As much as 150 Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) (a)/ which were upgraded by (b)/ TataTechnologies Limited under (c)/ Karnataka's UDYOGA program are set (d)/ to be inaugurated in twoweeks.(e)

A. a

B. b

C. c

D. d

E. e

Answer – A

Q24.Excessive rainfall has thrown (a)/ normal life out of gear in Uttarakhand. (b)/ Torrential rainfalland floods (c)/ have lead to food scarcity (d)/ and lack of transportation.(e)

A. a

B. b

C. c

D. d

E. e

Answer – D

Q25.The Madhya Pradesh Police arrested (a)/ four people, including (b)/ a professional Kabaddiplayer, (c)/ for their alleged (d)/ involving in arms trafficking.(e)

A. a

B. b

C. c

D. d

E. e

Answer – E

Q26.Addressing the nation, (a)/ Prime Minister Narendra Modi said (b)/ India's vaccinationprogramme (c)/ were science-born, (d)/ science- driven and science-based.(e)

A. a

B. b

C. c

D. d

E. e

Answer – D

Directions (27-30): Given below is a highlighted word followed by 4 sentences. You need to

understand whether the sentences are using the word correctly or not. Mark the incorrect sentence with the incorrect word usage as your answer.

Q27.Adamant
A. The doctors at Apollo hospital had been absolutely adamant that Meena's grandmother was notgoing to get better.
B. Raani is so adamant in her political beliefs that no one can change her mind!
C. Kunal is a very sweet, amiable and adamant boy.
D. Unemployed youths of this country are adamant about finding a suitable job.
    A. Only B
    B. Only A
    C. Only D
    D. Only C
    E. All are correct

Answer – D

Q28.Enervate
A. The lecture on calculus was enervating to the new students.
B. If you are idle then it will definitely enervate your progress towards success.
C. The energy drink enervated him to such an extent that he ran faster than the others.
D. The long journey from Kolkata to Bhubaneswar is quite enervating.
    A. Only A
    B. Only B
    C. Only C
    D. Only D
    E. All are correct

Answer – C

Q29.Ubiquitous
A. Digital payments are becoming increasingly ubiquitous.
B. Greenery is becoming ubiquitous in urbanized towns.
C. The presence of these men is slowly becoming ubiquitous.
D. Raghu's ubiquitous influence is always felt by his family.
    A. Only A
    B. Only B
    C. Only C
    D. Only D
    E. All are correct

Answer – B

Q30.Negligent

A. Piangshuk is quite punctual and negligent when it comes to official works.

B. I was utterly shocked to find out how negligent Arun had been during these years.

C. Please do not be negligent in your work else you will suffer.

D. Pulak seems quite negligent about his health.

    A.   Only A

    B.   Only B

    C.   Only C

    D.   Only D

    E.   All are correct

Answer – A

Quant:

Q.1) **Given below are 3 equations I, II and III where 'a' and 'b' are the roots of equation I where(a < b) and 'c' and'd' are roots of equation II where (c < d). On this basis, solve for equation III andfind the relationship between 'z' and 'k' given that k = 11**
I. 3x(x - 12) + 72 = x² - 11x – 5
II. 5y(y - 3) - 64 = y(3y - 2) – 19
III. (z + 2a - d)² = 169
    A.   z > k
    B.   z < k
    C.   z = k or the relationship cannot be established
    D.   z ≥ k
    E.   z ≤ k

Answer – E

Q.2) **Given below are three equations i.e. 'I', 'II' and 'III'. If roots of the equation 'I' are 'p' and'q', respectively such that p > q while the roots of the equation 'II' are 'm' and 'n' respectively suchthat m > n, then find the value of 'K'.**
I. 2x² - 6(x + 4) = 3x + 11
II. 2y² - 12(y - 4) = 7y + 6
III. (15m/2) - 8q = 9p - 4n + K²
    A.   11
    B.   4
    C.   7
    D.   9
    E.   14

Answer – B

Q.3) **The series given below contains a missing number 'P'. Find the value of 'P' and determinewhich among the given three statement(s) is/are true.**
74, 290, 241, 753, 672, 'P', 1551
I: The nearest perfect square number to 'P' is 1600
II: 'P' is divisible by 11
III: (P + 28) is a multiple of 50.
    A.   Only I
    B.   Only II
    C.   Only I and II
    D.   Only II and III
    E.   Only III

Answer – D

Q.4) Given below are two number series I and II where the missing numbers in series I and IIare 'P' and 'Q', respectively. Find the value of 'P' and 'Q' and find which among the given optionsgives the correct value of (P - Q).

I: 5000, 4000, 3000, 2100, P, 819

II: 4, 6, 15, 56, Q, 1644

    A. 1120

    B. 1090

    C. 980

    D. 1240

    E. 1050

Answer – B

Q.5) Given below are two number series I and II where the missing numbers in series 'I' and 'II'are 'P' and 'Q', respectively. Find the value of 'P' and 'Q' and find which among the given optionsgives the L.C.M of 'P' and 'Q'.

I: 77, 106, 48, P, 19, 164

II: 141, 98, Q, 63, 71, 96

    A. 1080

    B. 1200

    C. 724

    D. 960

    E. 1440

Answer – A

Q(6-10) Directions: Answer the questions based on the information given below.
A survey was conducted among certain number of players who played games in at-least one ofthe levels i.e. National and International. Players who played only at national level played in atleast one of the three trophies i.e. Ranji, Duleep and Irani while the players who played only atInternational level played in at least one of the two leagues i.e. CPL and BBL.

Out of total number of players, 10% had played at both levels and the number of players whoplayed only at national level is 250 more than number of players who played only at internationallevel. 24% of players who played only at national level had played only Ranji which was 200 lessthan players who played only in CPL. Number of players who played in all three trophies i.e. Ranji,Duleep and Irani is 144 and is 52% less than number of players who played only Ranji. Ratio ofnumber of players who played only in BBL to number of players who played in both Ranji andIrani but not in Duleep is 25:(p + 3). Number of people who played only at national level but notplayed Irani trophy is 630. (2p - 0.8)% of number of players who played only at national level hadplayed only in Irani trophy. The number of players who played only at international level andplayed only in CPL was (p + 10) % of total number of players. (2p + 1.6)% of players who played atnational level had played in both Ranji and Duleep trophy. Number of players who played bothRanji and Duleep but not Irani trophy was 125% more than number of players who played bothIrani and Duleep but not Ranji.

Q.6) Number of players who played exactly in one trophy is:

    A. 650

    B. 620

    C. 690

    D. 720

    E. 740

Answer – C

Q.7) Number of players who played only in BBL is how much percent of total number of playerswho played at the international level?

    A. 40%

    B. 30%

    C. 24%

    D. 50%

    E. 45%

Answer – C

Q.8) Ratio of number of players who played in both Ranji and Irani trophy but not in Duleeptrophy to number of players who played in both Irani and Duleep trophy but not in Ranji trophyis:

    A. 10: 9

    B. 15: 14

    C. 29: 20

    D. 39: 20

    E. None of these

Answer - D

Q.9) Total number of players who played in CPL is:

    A. 300

    B. 500

    C. 700

    D. 750

    E. 450

Answer - C

Q.10) Difference between number of players who played in all three trophies and number ofplayers who played in both leagues is:

    A. 6p - 6

    B. 5p - 6

    C. $3p^2 - 25p + 6$

    D. $5p^2 - 45p + 12$

    E. None of these

Answer - C

Q.11-15) Directions: Following is the data regarding the revenue and expenditure of 4 companies in 2018 and in 2017. All figures are in Rs crore.

- **Profit = Revenue – Expenditure**
- **Percentage profit = (Profit/Expenditure)*100%**

	2017		2018	
	Revenue	**Expenditure**	**Revenue**	**Expenditure**
Mckinsey	5800	5300	6000	5000
BCG	6000	5400	5600	4800
Bain	5000	4800	5400	4800
ATK	4800	4000	5000	4000

Q.11) Which company in which year has seen the maximum percentage profit?
- A. ATK in 2017
- B. BCG in 2017
- C. Bain in 2018
- D. ATK in 2018
- E. Mckinsey in 2018

Answer – D

Q.12) Which company has seen the maximum percentage increase in profit from 2017 to 2018?
- A. Mckinsey
- B. BCG
- C. Bain
- D. ATK
- E. 2 companies have the same percentage increase

Answer – C

Q.13) What is the sum of the numerical values of the percentage profit of Mckinsey in 2018 andBain in 2018?

    A. 27.5

    B. 25

    C. 32.5

    D. 38

    E. 45

Answer – C

Q.14) What is the ratio of the numerical values of the percentage profit of Mckinsey in 2017 toBCG in 2017?

    A. 45: 53

    B. 41: 51

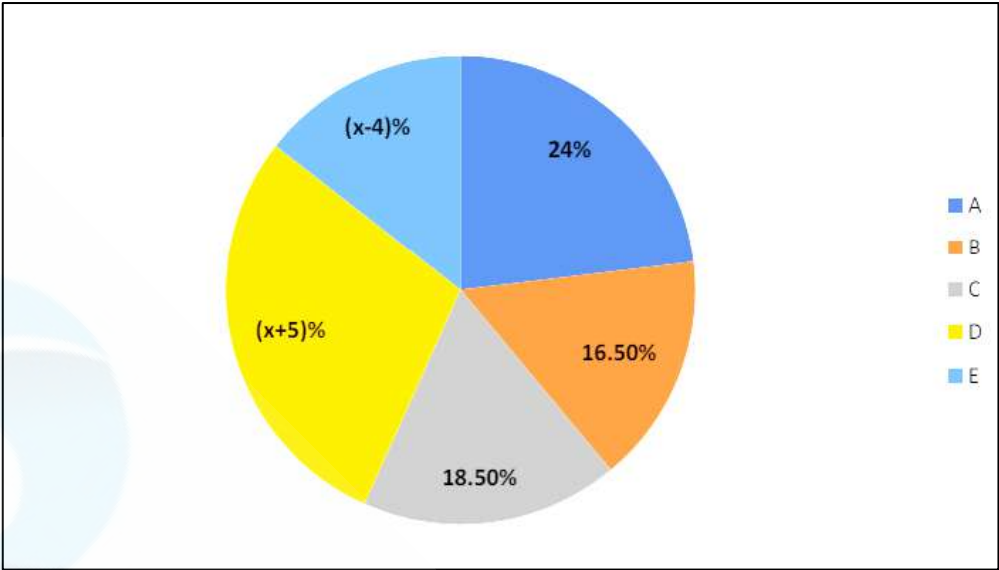   C. 47: 61

    D. 38: 65

    E. 33: 61

Answer – A

Q.15) For all 4 companies combined, what is the percentage (approximately) increase in the sumof their profits from 2017 to 2018?

    A. 48%

    B. 62%

    C. 44%

    D. 55%

    E. 72%

Answer - B

Q.16-20) Directions: Answer the questions based on the information given below.
Five different schools of a district participated in multiple tournaments during a year. Each schoolwon some gold, silver and bronze medals. The pie chart given below shows the percentagedistribution of number of gold medals won by each school out of total gold medals won by allschools together.

The table chart given below shows the difference between number of gold and number of silvermedals, won by each school and percentage of number of bronze medals won by each school aspercentage of number of silver medals won by that school.

School	Difference between number of goldand number of silver medals won	Percentage of number of bronzemedals won by each school aspercentage of number of silvermedals won
A	116	84%
B	186	78%
C	104	(3.5x+1)%
D	120	75%
E	144	4x%

Note: Total number of medals won by school 'E' were 86 more than that by school 'D'.

Q.16) Find the sum of number of bronze medals won by schools 'A' and 'C' together.

    A. 816

    B. 664

    C. 704

    D. 752

    E. None of these

Answer – C

Q.17) Find the ratio between number of bronze medals won by school 'E' and sum of number ofgold medals won by schools 'B' and 'C' together, respectively.

    A. 3: 5

    B. 4: 7

    C. 2: 5

D. 5 : 7

E. None of these

Answer – B

Q.18) Find the average number of medals won by schools 'C' and 'D' together.

A. 925

B. 890

C. 915

D. 935

E. None of these

Answer – D

Q.19) Find the difference between number of silver medals won by school 'A' and school 'D'.

A. 12x - 45

B. 8x + 45

C. 9x + 20

D. 12.5x - 15

E. 11x

Answer – E

Q.20) If number of silver medals won by school 'B' were 'm' and number of gold medals won byschool 'D' were 'n', then find the value of 3(m - n).

A. 150

B. 250

C. 175

D. 225

E. 200

Answer –A

Q.21) The question consists of two statements numbered "I and II" given below it. You have todecide whether the data provided in the statements are sufficient to answer the question.

A shopkeeper sold an article. Find the selling price of the article.

Statement-I: The selling price of article is 45% more than the cost price of article. Marked price ofarticle is 10% more than the selling price, and the amount of discount offered is Rs. 870.

Statement-II: Profit made by the shopkeeper is 45%. Had the article was sold for Rs. 300 more,the shopkeeper would have earned 50% profit.

A. The data in statement I alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in statementII alone are not sufficient to answer the question.

B. The data in statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in statementI alone are not sufficient to answer the question.

C. The data either in statement I alone or in statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question.
D. The data given in both statements I and II together are not sufficient to answer the question.
E. The data in both statements I and II together are necessary to answer the question.

Answer – C

Q.22) The question consists of four statements numbered "I, II, III and IV" given below it. Youhave to decide whether the data provided in any of the statement(s) alone is/are sufficient toanswer the question.
There are only three people in a family i.e. father, mother and a child. If present ages of fatherand mother are in the ratio 10:9, respectively, then find the present age of the child.
Statement I: Ten years hence from now, the age of child will be 56% less than that of the father.
Statement II: Present age of child is 70% less than that of the father and 24 years less than that ofthe mother.
Statement III: Six years ago from now, the age of mother was 5 times the age of child. Six yearshence from now, the age of father will be 28 years more than that of child.
Statement IV: Difference between present age of mother and father is 4 years and differencebetween present age of child and mother is 24 years.

A. Only I
B. Only II
C. Only I, II and III
D. Only II, III and IV
E. Only I and II

Answer - D

Q.23) Harry, Ron and Cedrick started a business with an investment in the ratio of 14: 15: 20.After 5 months, Harry invested an additional amount which was 2/5th of the initial investment ofRon. 3 months after that, Ron increased his investment by an amount which was 1/4th of Cedrick'sinitial investment and Cedrick increased his investment by an amount which was 2/3rd of Ron'sinitial investment. After one year of business, the difference between the profit share of Ron andHarry was what percent of that between Ron and Cedrick?

A. 13.33%
B. 6.67%
C. 16.67%
D. 8.33%
E. 12.5%

Answer – E

Q.(24-26) Directions: In the question, two Quantities I and II are given. You have to solve boththe Quantity to establish the correct relation between Quantity-I and Quantity-II and choose thecorrect option.

Q.24) The speed of boat 'B' in still water is 8 km/h more than that of boat 'A'. The ratio of downstream speed of boat 'A' to upstream speed of boat 'B' is 9:8. The ratio of upstream speedof boat 'A' to downstream speed of boat 'B' is 6:11. (Both the boats are travelling in the samestream)

Quantity-I: Find the sum of distance travelled by boat 'A' in downstream in 125 minutes anddistance travelled by boat 'B' in upstream in 75 minutes.

Quantity-II: Speed of Boat 'C' in still water is 50 km/h. Find the sum of distance travelled by boats'A', 'B' and 'C' together while travelling in upstream for 1 hour. Boat 'C' is also travelling in thesame stream.

    A.　Quantity-I > Quantity-II
    B.　Quantity-I < Quantity-II
    C.　Quantity-I ≤ Quantity-II
    D.　Quantity-I = Quantity-II or No relation
    E.　Quantity-I ≥ Quantity-II

Answer – A

Q.25) Quantity-I: The selling price of an article when it is marked 36% above its cost price andsold after a discount of Rs. 140 is Rs. 'P' and the selling price of the same article when it is marked28% above its cost price and sold after a discount of Rs. 120 is Rs. 'Q'. If P : Q = 19:18, then findthe cost price of the article.

Quantity-II: The compound interest received on investing Rs. 10,500 for 2 years at 'y%' p.a.,compounded annually is Rs. 2,205. Find the compound interest received on investing Rs. 4,800 ata rate of (y + 5) % p.a., compounded annually for 2 years.

    A.　Quantity-I > Quantity-II
    B.　Quantity-I < Quantity-II
    C.　Quantity-I ≤ Quantity-II
    D.　Quantity-I = Quantity-II or No relation
    E.　Quantity-I ≥ Quantity-II

Answer – B

Q.26) Which of the following pair of symbols will define the relation between Quantity I andQuantity II and between Quantity II and Quantity III respectively?

A. =
B. >
C. <
D. ≥
E. ≤
F. # (relation cannot be established)

'p', 'q' and 'r' are three distinct positive roots of the given equation such that 'p' > 'q' > 'r'.

$x^3 - 9x^2 + 23x - 15 = 0$

Quantity I: Find the value of '8p'.
Quantity II: Find the value of (q + 40).
Quantity III: Find the value of (r X 20).

    A.　C, B
    B.　B, C

C. A, B
D. B, A
E. C, A

Answer – A

Q.27) Arjun and Rajiv deposited Rs. 8400 and Rs. _____ in scheme A at 20% and at 10% perannum compound interest compounded annually, respectively. Also, Arjun and Rajiv depositedRs. _____ and Rs. 3700 in scheme B at 15% and at 24% per annum simple interest, respectively.
Sum of interest earned by both from both schemes together after 2 years is Rs. _____.The values given in which of the following options will fill the blanks in the same order in whichis it given to make the statement true:
I. 7200, 4120, 8220
II. 9600, 3640, 8540
III. 8000, 5400, 8772

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

Answer – E

Q.28) A man fell down from his boat at point 'A' which was 64 km away in downstream from arescue boat which started travelling immediately for his rescue. Till the time, the rescue boatreached point 'A', the man travelled with help of stream only. As soon as the boat reached thepoint 'A', the man started swimming towards the boat such that his speed in still water is 5 km/hand the boat rescued him after 48 minutes after it reached point 'A'. The speed of the stream is60% of that of the rescue boat in still water. Find the total distance covered by the rescue boat inthe time it meets the man.

A. 88 km
B. 108 km
C. 96 km
D. 124 km
E. 120 km

Answer – C

Q.29) Paper A is in the form of a square of side 130mm. Four quadrants of diameter 14mm is cutfrom the four corners of the square. Paper B is in the form of a rectangle whose one side is 150mmand this side is 20% more than the shorter side. Two semicircles of diameter equal to the smallerside of the rectangle is cut from both the edges of the rectangle. By what percent is the remainingarea of paper B more or less than that of paper A?

A. 61.3% more
B. 52.3% more
C. 61.3% less

D. 52.3% less

E. None of these

Answer – C

Q.30) A natural number, N, is divisible by at most two distinct divisors of 12. What will the HCFof all possible values of N be?

A. 2

B. 1

C. 0

D. 3

E. 4

Answer – B

Reasoning:

Directions (Q1- 2): In each of the questions below are given some statements followed by fiveconclusions. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variancewith commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the givenconclusions logically does not follow from the given statements, disregarding commonly knownfacts.

Q.1) Only a few bananas are oranges. No banana is mango. No grapes are oranges.
Conclusions:
   A.   Some grapes can be mangoes
   B.   All bananas can be oranges
   C.   Some mangoes are not bananas
   D.   Some grapes are bananas is a possibility
   E.   Some oranges can be mangoes

   Answer – B

Q.2) Some actors are dancers. Only a few dancers are singers. No singer is politician
Conclusions:
   A.   Some politician being actors is a possibility
   B.   Some dancers are not singers
   C.   Some dancers are not politicians is not a possibility
   D.   Some actors are singers
   E.   Some actors are singers is a possibility

   Answer – D

Directions (Q3-7): Answer the questions based on the information given below:
Nine friends A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H and I were born on 18th of different months in the same year suchthat no one was born in March, June and November. These persons belong to different placesamong Solapur, Kanpur, Jaipur, Raipur, Jodhpur, Sultanpur, Udaipur, Nagpur and Firozpur.
B was born in a month with 31 days and three months before the person from Raipur. Threepersons were born between B and D, who is not the youngest. The person from Nagpur was bornimmediately after the one from Kanpur. The person from Kanpur was not born in a month withonly 30 days. G is not from Sultanpur.
There is a gap of only one month between the birth of G and the one from Solapur. The personfrom Jaipur is five months elder than G. F was born two months after D. Only one person wasborn between F and E, who is from Solapur. H, who is from Udaipur, was born three months afterI, who is not the eldest. A is younger than C. Person from Jodhpur was born before the one fromSultanpur.

Q.3) A is how many months older than H?
   A. Five
   B. Four
   C. Six
   D. Seven
   E. Eight

Answer – B

Q.4) Who among the following persons were born between C and the one from Udaipur?
I. Person from Jaipur
II. D
III. B
   A. Both II and III
   B. All I, II and III
   C. Both I and II
   D. Both I and III
   E. Only II

Answer – C

Q.5) The eldest person belongs to which place?
   A. Raipur
   B. Jodhpur
   C. Sultanpur
   D. Kanpur
   E. Firozpur

Answer – D

Q.6) ___ persons were born between the person who is born in October and the one from _____.
   A. Five, Nagpur
   B. Four, Jaipur
   C. Three, Raipur
   D. Six, Solapur
   E. None of these

Answer – A

Q.7) 3rd eldest person is _____ months older than _____.
   A. Three, D
   B. Five, H
   C. Seven, G
   D. Four, F
   E. Six, B
      Answer - A

Directions (Q8-9): Study the following information to answer the given questions.
@ F 5 2 M $ 7 K T R 3 C + 8 B ! 9 D Q * G 6 W N

STEP 1 – Those numbers which are immediately preceded by a symbol and immediately followedby an alphabet are written at the right end in descending order.

STEP 2 – After completing step 1, the alphabet which is immediately followed by a symbol arewritten between 7th and 6th element from right end in alphabetical order from left to right.

Q.8) Which of the following element is 11th to the right of the element which is 4th from theright end in step 1?
   A. *
   B. Q
   C. G
   D. B
   E. 9

Answer – C

Q.9) How many alphabets are immediately followed or preceded by symbol in step 2?
   A. Four
   B. Two
   C. Five
   D. None
   E. Three

Answer – A

Directions (Q10-14): Answer the questions based on the information given below:
Nine boxes A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H and I are kept one above the other. Each box contains differentitems among Clothes, Bottles, Books, Watches, Combs, Pens, Mobiles, Shoes & Pencils. Numberof items in these boxes is different among 7, 12, 14, 18, 21, 23, 24, 30 and 27. The bottommostbox is numbered 1 and the topmost box is numbered 9.

Mobiles are kept in box 4. H is three boxes above the box with 24 items. G has 14 items and is oneof the four boxes above H. Third box from the top contains 2nd highest number of items. Thereare three boxes between G and the box with 18 items. Number of bottles is six more than numberof clothes. D is immediately below the box which contains clothes and neither of these boxescontains more than 23 items. There are three boxes between the box, which contains bottles andE, which contains books.

Shoes are three boxes above B. A is immediately above F. Box, which contains Pens, isimmediately above I. C is three boxes above the box, which contains the lowest number of items.Box with 23 items is immediately below the box, which contains watches. Number of pencils isless than number of combs. Number of Books is not less than number of shoes.

Q.10) C is how many boxes above the box which contains 21 items?
- A. Four
- B. Five
- C. Two
- D. Six
- E. Three

Answer – A

Q.11) What is the sum of number of combs and pencils?
- A. 37
- B. 35
- C. 41
- D. 30
- E. 28

Answer – D

Q.12) Which among the following box is not between the box containing the lowest and highestnumber of items?
I. D
II. A
III. Box containing 14 items.
- A. Both I and II
- B. Only I
- C. Both II and III
- D. Only III
- E. Only II

Answer – C

Q.13) What is the difference between the number of items in the topmost box and the numberof watches?
- A. 10
- B. 14
- C. 16
- D. 12
- E. 18

Answer – D

Q.14) Which among the following boxes are kept between the box with 21 items and box containing Pens?

A. B

B. C

C. D

D. E

E. H

Answer – A

Directions (Q15-19): Answer the questions based on the information given below.
Fourteen persons are sitting in two parallel rows containing seven persons in each row in such away that there is an equal distance between adjacent persons. Initially, in row 1, P, Q, R, S, T, Uand V are seated and all of them are facing towards the east and in row 2, A, B, C, D, E, F and Gare seated and all of them are facing towards the west. Therefore, in the given seatingarrangement each person sitting in row 1, is facing the persons sitting in row 2 and vice versa.
They play a game of throwing a dice. They interchange their initial position according to the gamerules which are as follows:
I. On throwing the dice, if odd number comes, then the person sitting 2nd to the left of throwerexchanges his seat with the person sitting opposite to the one, who sits immediate right ofthrower.
II. On throwing the dice, if even number comes, then the person sitting immediate right of thethrower exchanges his seat with one, who sits opposite to the thrower.
Before Movement:
1. T sits fourth to the left of P. Either T or P sits at an extreme end of the row.
2. The one who faces P sits second to the left of F.
3. S sits exactly in the middle of the row. C and D are immediate neighbours of each other.
4. Number of persons sitting to the left of F is twice the number of persons sitting to the rightof F.
5. The one, who faces P sits to the immediate left of G and that person is neither C nor D.
6. Number of persons sit between P and R is same as the number of persons sit between T andS.
7. T neither faces C nor D. No one sits between S and V.
8. At least two persons sit between G and E. R does not face B.
9. At most one person sit between S and Q.
10. U faces neither E nor C.
11. A throws the dice and gets 4 after that F throws the dice and gets 3 and finally, V throws thedice and gets 1.

Q.15) Who sits opposite to R after the movement?

A. D

B. A

C. G

D. F

E. C

   Answer - C

Q.16) Who sits 2nd to the right of G before the movement?
   A. A
   B. C
   C. F
   D. B
   E. D

Answer –A

Q.17) What is the position of T with respect to V after the movement?
   A. Facing The One, Who Sits 2nd to The Right Of V
   B. 2nd To The Right Of V
   C. 2nd To The Left Of V
   D. Facing The One, Who Sits Immediate Right Of V
   E. Immediate Left

Answer – D

Q.18) How many persons sit between A and F before the movement?
   A. One
   B. Two
   C. Three
   D. More than three
   E. None

Answer – E

Q.19) Which of the following statement is true about B?
   A. B sits immediate right of T after the movement
   B. B sits 4th to the left of Q after the movement
   C. B sits 4th to the right of A before the movement
   D. B sits opposite to V before the movement
   E. None

Answer – B

Directions (Q20-21): In the following question, two conclusions have been given followed byfive sets of possible statements. You have to take the given conclusions to be true even if theyseem to be at variance with the commonly known facts and then decide for the given conclusionslogically follow from which of the given set of statements disregarding commonly known facts.

Q.20) Conclusions:

1. Some gold are not silver.

2. Some gold are fabric.

Statements:

    A. All silver are fabric. No fabric is gold. Some gold are metal.

    B. Some silver are fabric. Some fabrics are gold. All gold are metal.

    C. No silver is fabric. All fabric are gold. Some gold are metal.

    D. All silver are fabric. Some fabric are metal. Some gold are metal.

    E. All fabric are silver. All silver are gold. All gold are metal.

Answer – C

Q.21) Conclusions:

1. Some hospitals are buildings is a possibility.

2. Some hostels are not houses.

Statements:

    A. All buildings are schools. All schools are hostels. No school is house. No hospital is hostel.

    B. Some buildings are schools. All Schools are hostels. No hospital is house. Some schools arehouses.

    C. All buildings are schools. All schools are hostels. No school is house. All hospitals are hostels.

    D. Some buildings are schools. No school is hostel. No hostel is hospital. Some hospitals are houses.

    E. None of these.

Answer – C

Q.22) Direction: In which of the following expressions V > Z, K < Y is definitely true?

    A. X => W > K => Z < Y <= U < V

    B. W <= T < V > G => I => Y > Z < K

    C. T => C < V => A = Q => Z > Y > D > K

    D. D => E = G > V = F > K > Z < K < Q <= Y

    E. A => I => H = L < Z > K > V < J < Y

Answer – D

Q.23) Direction: In which of the following expression does the expression M => R is definitelytrue

A. X < R => T => P < N > B => M > U

B. N > M > L = C => A = D > S = R

C. L <= B > M > X => U <= A = O < R

D. T > M = F => G = U => O <= R = S

E. A > R <= B = L = P <= S = M < G

Answer – E

Q.24) The question given below consists of two statements numbered I and II given below it.You have to decide whether the data provided in the statements are sufficient to answer thequestion. Read all the statements and give an answer.
Seven persons A, B, C, D, E, F and G are sitting around a circular table having eight seats such thatone of the seats is vacant. The vacant seat is to the immediate left of A's seat. All are facingtowards the centre. How many people sit between G and F, when counted from the right of F?
Statement I: F sits second to the right of A and to the immediate left of D. One person sits betweenD and G. B sits opposite to G. C and D are not sitting adjacent to each other.
Statement II: D sits third to right of A. B sits on the third seat to the left of A. One person sitsbetween E and F but neither E nor F sits adjacent to A. E and F are not adjacent to vacant seat.

A. The data in statement I alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in statementII alone are not sufficient to answer the question

B. The data in statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in statementI alone are not sufficient to answer the question

C. The data either in statement I alone or in statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question

D. The data given in both statements I and II together are not sufficient to answer the question

E. The data in both statements I and II together are necessary to answer the question

Answer – E

Q.25) The question given below can be answered using sentence given in only one of the options.Find out the option which can be used to answer the question.
Eight persons A, B, C, D, E, F, G and H are sitting around a square table such that four persons aresitting in the corner of the table and four are sitting in the middle of the table. Also, the one, whosits at the corner of the table faces away from the center and the one, who sits in the middle ofthe table faces towards the table.
Who sits second to the right of C?

A. Only two persons sit between C and B when counted from the right of B. A is an immediateneighbour of C and faces towards the center. E sits second to the right of A. B is second to the rightof E.

B. C is an immediate neighbour of A. Person, who is immediate left of C, is sitting opposite to G. Eand F are immediate neighbours of each other. F is sitting at the corner of the table.

C. A sits second to the right of E, who sits in the middle of the table. C is an immediate neighbour ofA. D sits second to the left of C. H is an immediate neighbour of D. G sits one of the corners. B sitssecond to the right of A

D. Only two persons sit between H and G, when counted from the left of H, who is an immediateneighbour of D, who sits second to the left of C, who sits immediate right of E, who sits in the middleof the table.

E. None of the above

Answer – D

Q.26) The question given below consists of two statements I and II given below it. You have todecide whether the data provided in the statements are sufficient to answer the question. Readall the statements and give answer.
Six persons, Anu, Bill, Chand, Dia, Ema and Faiz, sit along the corners of a regular hexagonal tableand face towards the centre of the table. Who among the following sits immediate left of Faiz?
Statement I: Bill sits second to the right of Anu. Chand sits adjacent to Bill. Dia sits second to theright of Chand. Ema does not sit adjacent to Anu.
Statement II: Ema sits adjacent to Dia. Chand sits adjacent to Bill. Dia sits second to the right ofChand. Faiz sits adjacent to Bill. Ana does not sit adjacent to Chand.

A. Data in statement I alone is sufficient to answer the question, while data in statement II alone isnot sufficient to answer the question.

B. Data in statement II alone is sufficient to answer the question, while data in statement I alone isnot sufficient to answer the question.

C. Data either in statement I alone or in statement II alone is sufficient to answer the question.

D. Data given in both the statement I and II together are not sufficient to answer the question.

E. Data in statement I and II together are necessary to answer the question.

Answer – B

Q.27) The question given below consists of two statements I and II given below it. You have todecide whether the data provided in the statements are sufficient to answer the question. Readall the statements and give answer.
Seven points, T, U, V, W, X, Y and Z are drawn on a rectangular piece of paper. What is thedirection of point W with respect to point U?
Statement I: Y is 3cm to the west of T. V is 6cm to the east of Y. U is 3cm to the south of T. W is9cm to the east of Z. X is 6cm to the west of W. V is 5cm to the south of X.
Statement II: Z is 6cm to the north of U. X is 3cm east of Z. V is 5cm south of X. Y is 6cm west of V.T is the midpoint of Y and V. W, which is in east of X, is 13cm to the northeast of Y.

A. Data in statement I alone is sufficient to answer the question, while data in statement II alone isnot sufficient to answer the question.

B. Data in statement II alone is sufficient to answer the question, while data in statement I alone isnot sufficient to answer the question.

C. Data either in statement I alone or in statement II alone is sufficient to answer the question.

D. Data given in both the statement I and II together are not sufficient to answer the question.

E. Data in statement I and II together are necessary to answer the question.

Answer – C

Directions (Q28-32): Answer the questions based on the information given below.
P, Q, R are three adjacent buildings. P is to the west of Q. Q is to the west of R. Each building hasdifferent number of floors with the lowest floor numbered as 1, floor above it numbered 2 andso on. The height of floors in each building is the same i.e. the same numbered floors are at equalheight from the ground. Only few of the floors of these buildings are taken and rest are vacant.None of the buildings had more than 10 floors.
· D's floor number was twice as that of J's floor number.
· J lived in building Q. Q had prime numbered floors and J lived on the floor that was 3ʳᵈfrom thetop
· Not more than 3 flats were taken in building P
· F was exactly to the east of B
· B lived exactly above C but not in the same building
· C and F did not live in the same building
· A's floor number was thrice as that of C's floor number.
· A was exactly to the west of H
· H was not in building R
· C and G did not live in the same building
· G lived immediately below E
· B and E lived on consecutive floors of the same building
· I was exactly to the east of C
· I and E did not live in the same building
· B and G did not have the same floor number
· The number of floors in I's building was 3 less than that in building Q
1. Only one person lives on each floor
2. Exactly to the east or west does not mean immediate east or west, but on the same floor.
3. Immediately above or below implies that the person is not in the same building.

Q.28) How many floors were there in building P?
   A. 6
   B. 8
   C. 5
   D. 10
   E. 9

Answer – D

Q.29) What was the floor number of F?
A. 4
B. 2
C. 3
D. 5
E. 6

Answer – C

Q.30) Four of the following bears a similar relation and hence form a group, who among thefollowing is not a part of that group?
A. B
B. H
C. E
D. A
E. J

Answer – D

Q.31) What was the difference between the number of floors in building Q and P?
A. 5
B. 2
C. 1
D. 4
E. 3

Answer – E

Q.32) What was the difference between the floor numbers of H and F?
A. 1
B. 2
C. 3
D. 4
E. 5

Answer – C

Direction (Q33-37): Study the following information carefully and answer the given questions.
A word arrangement machine given an input line of words rearranges them following a particularrule in each step. The following is an illustration of input and rearrangement.
Input: random optimistic thrifty afraid predictable extravagant pompous humble bravepessimistic
Step1: afraid random optimistic thrifty predictable extravagant pompous humble pessimisticbrave.
Step2: extravagant afraid random optimistic predictable pompous humble pessimistic bravethrifty.

Step3: humble extravagant afraid random optimistic predictable pessimistic brave thriftypompous.

Step4: optimistic humble extravagant afraid random predictable brave thrifty pompouspessimistic.

Step5: predictable optimistic humble extravagant afraid brave thrifty pompous pessimisticrandom.

Step5: is the last step of the above input.

Input: jeopardize entrust safeguard withdraw anxiety lengthen secular abridge spiritual ease.

Q.33) What will be the fourth step of the above input?
- A. jeopardize entrust abridge anxiety secular spiritual lengthen ease withdraw safeguard.
- B. jeopardize entrust anxiety abridge secular spiritual lengthen brave withdraw safeguard.
- C. jeopardize entrust anxiety abridge secular lengthen spiritual ease withdraw safeguard.
- D. jeopardize entrust anxiety abridge secular spiritual lengthen ease withdraw safeguard.
- E. jeopardize entrust anxiety afraid secular spiritual lengthen withdraw ease safeguard.

Answer – D

Q.34) In step 5th of the rearrangement, if 'anxiety' is related to 'entrust' and 'abridge ' in a certainway. Which of the following would 'withdraw' be related to, following the same pattern?
- A. Lengthen and ease
- B. Ease and entrust
- C. Ease and safeguard
- D. Lengthen and safeguard
- E. None of these

Answer – C

Q.35) Which of the following steps will be the last but one of the above input?
- A. IV
- B. V
- C. II
- D. III
- E. None of these

Answer – A

Q.36) Which of the following word is 4th to left of withdraw in step2
- A. Ease
- B. Jeopardize
- C. Anxiety
- D. Entrust
- E. Abridge

Answer – E

Q.37) What is the position of secular from right end in last but one step?
- A. Fifth
- B. Seventh
- C. Fourth
- D. Sixth
- E. Third

Answer – D

Directions (Q38-44): Answer the questions based on the information given below:
There are 3 horizontally parallel rows, row 1, row 2 and row 3. Row 1 is to the north of row 2 androw 2 is to the north of row 3. There are five persons sitting in each row and L is one of the personsamong them. In row 1, first three persons sitting from left to right are facing north and rest arefacing south. In row 3, first three persons sitting from left to right are facing north and rest arefacing south. In row 2, first two persons sitting from left to right are facing north and rest arefacing south. Last two persons from left end of row 1 face the first two persons from the left endof row 2. Last three persons from left end of row 2 face first three persons from left end of row 3.F, who is sitting 2nd to the right of Q, is sitting opposite to A. Three persons are sitting between Aand M. F is facing south. G is sitting 2nd to the right of C and both of them are facing the north. Eis sitting in the left of G. One person is sitting between E and N. B is sitting to the immediate leftof D, who is sitting opposite to O, who is not sitting adjacent to A. S and P are sitting opposite toeach other. Neither S nor P is sitting in row 1. R is not sitting adjacent to M.

Q.38) Find the odd one out?
- A. C
- B. O
- C. N
- D. F
- E. Q

Answer -C

Q.39) How many persons are sitting in the left of S?

    A. 3

    B. 1

    C. 4

    D. 2

    E. None of these

Answer - B

Q.40) How many persons are sitting between Q and D?

    A. 2

    B. 3

    C. 1

    D. 4

    E. None of these

Answer – A

Q.41) _____ is sitting opposite to B.

    A. D

    B. N

    C. F

    D. Q

    E. None of these

Answer – N

Q.42) _____ is sitting in the middle of row 3.

    A. D

    B. G

    C. R

    D. Either (1) or (2)

    E. None of these

Answer – C

Q.43) In the question given below, a passage/statement is given followed by three statementswhich may or may not strengthen/weaken the assertion made in the passage. Answer thequestions as per the individual direction given.

It's highly probable that 50 years from now, it is likely that the 2D internet we now all use willseem laughably archaic. Not only will the internet likely exist behind a screen, but it is probablethat we will interact with it differently. We'll manipulate objects using augmented reality (AR),explore virtual-reality (VR) worlds, and meld the real and the digital in ways we can currently notimagine.

Which of the following, if true, would strengthen the argument made in the above passage?

I. Truly immersive computing and augmented reality, at scale and accessible by billions of humansin real time, will require a 1,000-times increase in computational efficiency from today's state ofthe art.

II. Precipitated by the pandemic, we are transitioning away from the nine-to-five commute andturning our backs on the traditional office setting, enabled by a newfound love of virtualmeetings.

III. One company not only let you see how its sunglasses look like on your face, it is also workingon using augmented reality to virtually show you how the world will look like through differentlenses.

    A. Only I and III
    B. Only II and III
    C. Only III
    D. Only I and II
    E. All I, II and III

Answer – B

Q.44) In the question below, a situation is given, followed by statements that may or may notbe possible reasons for the situation. Select the option that best describes the reason for thesituation in the question.

Situation: Drugs giant Pfizer has said it expects $15bn (≤11bn) of sales this year of the coronavirusvaccine it developed with German firm BioNTech. The vaccine was one of the first to beauthorised for use by countries including the UK and the US.

I. In England, around 28 million eligible individuals are yet to be vaccinated - around two-thirdsof the population

II. Many countries around the world have been scrambling to vaccinate their populations in a bidto save lives and aid economic recovery.

III. Within age groups, the NHS is trying to ensure that all people, regardless of deprivation,geography, or ethnicity, have equal uptake of the vaccine.

    A. Only I
    B. Only II and III
    C. Only I and II
    D. Only III
    E. All I, II and III

Answer – E

Q.45) In the question below, a situation is given, followed by statements that may or may notbe possible reasons for the situation. Select the option that best describes the reason for thesituation in the question.

Situation: **The American Academy of Pediatrics, the American Academy of Child and AdolescentPsychiatry, and the Children's Hospital Association declared a national emergency in child andadolescent mental health in the fall of 2021. This may be a contributing factor to the increase inschool shooting incidents across the US.**

I. During the past two decades more than 85% of school shootings in the US have been committedby people younger than 25, and the majority by children under 18
II. According to National Alliance of Mental Illness, nearly 20% of high school students haveseriously contemplated suicide, and 9% have attempted suicide.
III. While in the past it was easier for adolescents to talk to a trusted adult in their extended familyduring turbulent times as it was common for three generations of a family to live nearby, it hasbecome rare these days with the prevalence of nuclear families.
　　A. Only I and II
　　B. Only III
　　C. Only II and III
　　D. Only I and III
　　E. All I, II and III

　Answer – B

Direction (46-50): Answer the following questions on the basis of the information given below.

'vikram mentioned dormant banking' is written as, '9n(9k* 4d@ 5m#',
'charisma parenting mentioned cool' is written as, '2x! 9g? 9k* 3c$',
'banking selection dormant mentioned' is written as, '5m# 5k$ 4d@ 9k*',
'chronical charisma parenting' is written as, '7h% 2x! 9g?',
'vikram banking chronical cool' is written as, '9n(5m# 7h% 3c$', and
'selection parenting dormant' is written as, '5k$ 9g? 4d@'.

Q46) What may be the code for "Mentioned"?

　　A. 9k*
　　B. 9m*
　　C. 8k*
　　D. 6l?
　　E. 9m#
　Answer – A

Q47) What is the code for "Parenting"?
　A. 7g?
　B. 7r*
　C. 9g?
　D. 7g$
　E. None of these

　　　Answer – C

Q48) Code '2x!' is for which of the following words?
   A. Chronical
   B. Dormant
   C. Cool
   D. Calibri
   E. Charisma

Answer – E

Q49) How the word "Vikram" coded as?
   A. 3n*
   B. 9n(
   C. 13m?
   D. 9n*
   E. 7k!

Answer – B

Q50) How the word "banking selection" be coded as
   A. 5n& 5l@
   B. 9k! 5l@
   C. 5m# 5k$
   D. 6a$ 9k!
   E. 4m# 6l%

Answer – C

Q.51) The question given below consists of a statement, followed by two arguments numberedI and II. You have to decide which of the arguments is a 'strong' argument and which is a 'weak'argument.
Statement: Should over the top (OTT) platforms such as Whatsapp, Signal and Facebook berequired to obtain licences to operate in a country just like telecom companies both of whichprovide services like voice calling, messaging and video calling?
Arguments:
I. Yes, because it will create a level playing field by making OTT platforms liable to pay taxes andlevies that telecom companies already do.
II. Yes, this will ensure OTT platforms' compliance with security requirements, lawful interceptionand other regulatory obligations imposed on.

   A. Only argument I is strong
   B. Only argument II is strong
   C. Either I or II is strong
   D. Neither I nor II is strong
   E. Both I and II are strong

Answer – E

Q.52) The question given below consists of a statement, followed by two arguments numberedI and II. You have to decide which of the argument is either a 'strong' argument or 'weak'argument or both or neither of them is 'strong' or 'weak'.

Despite the popularity of economic liberal ideas and globalization, the increasing severity ofenergy and environmental problems has raised many questions about the ability of markets tosolve these problems. Kyoto Agreement ultimately resulted in the creation of a market-basedsystem. The privatization of environmental problems has helped to reduce greenhouse gasemissions while generating significant amounts of wealth.

Arguments:

I. Yes, it is important to balance economic goals with environmental protection to ensure asustainable future for generations to come.

II. No, economic liberal ideas and globalisation directly help in conserving climate and therebythere is no need to implement the market-based system.

    A. Only argument I is strong

    B. Only argument II is strong

    C. Either I or II is strong

    D. Neither I nor II is strong

    E. Both I and II are strong

Answer – A

Q.53) Each question given below consists of a statement, followed by two arguments numberedI and II. You have to decide which of the arguments is a 'strong' argument and which is a 'weak'argument.

Statement: Should the demand of exporters, who are facing liquidity challenges, for extendingGST (Goods and Services Tax) exemption on freight be met?

Arguments:

I. Yes, because GST on export freight is revenue-neutral as exporters can claim a refund aftermaking the payment, so extending the exemption will improve exporters' liquidity.

II. Yes, because GST on export freight is levied by the central government, which has thediscretionary powers to provide exemption from the tax.

    A. Only argument I is strong

    B. Only argument II is strong

    C. Either I or II is strong

    D. Neither I nor II is strong

    E. Both I and II are strong

Answer – A

Q.54) Read the following group of statements and identify the main conclusion in the argument.

Considering the rate at which these photo voltaic panels are being installed around the country,India is expected to generate an enormous amount of waste over the next 20 years. In fact, Indiais expected to become one of the top five leading photovoltaic waste producers worldwide by2050. India should note that it doesn't find itself caught unprepared against a new problem in thefuture for two good reasons.

First, simply clubbing PV waste with other e-waste could lead to confusion. Secondly, the wastegenerated from PV modules and their components is classified as 'hazardous waste' in India.

    A. Implementing e-waste management programs can be expensive and may require significantfinancial resources.

    B. E-waste management requires specialized equipment and technical expertise, which may not bereadily available in all areas.

    C. E-waste management often involves complex regulations and requirements that can be difficultto navigate.

    D. India should formulate and implement provisions specific to PV waste treatment within theambit of the e-waste guidelines.

    E. Now is the right time for it to install clear policy directives, well-established recycling strategies,and greater collaboration to tackle waste.

Answer – D

Q.55) In the question below, two statements (I) and (II) are given. These statements may beeither independent causes or may be effects of independent causes or a common cause. One ofthese statements may be the effect of the other statement. Read both the statements and decidewhich of the following answer choices correctly depicts the relationship between these twostatements.

I. Long forced to take a back seat to the arabica bean, robusta is now becoming the flavour ofnote for the speciality coffee industry.

II. Everyone, from planters to roasters and coffee companies, is promoting robusta, looking atnew flavour extraction processes more suited to the bean's unique properties, trying to extractcomplex flavours from the bean - unheard of even a couple of years ago.

    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 independent causes

    E. Both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause

Answer – E

Q.56) In the question given below, a passage/statement is given followed by three statementswhich may or may not strengthen/weaken the assertion made in the passage. Answer thequestions as per the individual direction given.

If every crevasse in your home is overflowing with objects you haven't used in more than fiveyears, it would be fairly safe to say you are a hoarder. And if the very thought of parting withpossessions you no longer need creates distress, you may have hoarding disorder. You are notalone - most Indians are known for hoarding, a habit probably triggered by generations of makingdo and not having enough.

Which of the following, if true, would strengthen the argument made in the above passage?

I. Collectors typically acquire possessions in an organised and targeted fashion whereas hoardersacquire objects impulsively, with little active planning.

II. A typical Indian middle-class family has a room exclusively for holding all the big and smallitems hidden by generations of family members.

III. Most Indians are constantly worrying about survival, prompting them to keep things in casethey are needed in the future.

A. Only I and II
B. Only II
C. Only I and III
D. Only II and III
E. All I, II and III

Answer – D

Direction (57-60): Answer the following questions on the basis of the information givenbelow.

Eight people Alex, Ben, Charlie, Daniel, Peter, Quinin, Rachel, and Sophia are seated around acircular table facing the centre. Some information about their relationships and position is given:

- **Sophia's husband is sitting two seats to the right of Ben.**
- **Quinn is seated two seats to the left of Daniel's daughter.**
- **Quinn is Rachel's sister.**
- **Sophia's husband is not sitting next to Quinn.**
- **There is one person between Quinn and Alex.**
- **Similarly, there is one person between Peter and Sophia's mother.**
- **Alex is the father of Rachel. Charlie is not sitting next to Quinn.**
- **Sophia's mother is seated immediately to the right of Daniel, who is Sophia's brother.**
- **There is one person between Sophia and Rachel.**
- **Peter is not sitting next to Rachel, who is the mother of charlie.**

Q.57) Who is sitting second to the right of Ben?

A. Rachel
B. Alex
C. Quinn
D. Peter
E. Sophia

Answer – A

Q.58) How many people are seated between Quinn and Alex?

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

Answer - D

Q.59) Who is the sister of Rachel?
- A. Quinn
- B. Charlie
- C. Peter
- D. Sophia
- E. Ben

Answer – A

Q.60) What is position of Peter's grandmother with respect to Quinn?
- A. 2nd to the right
- B. 3rd to the right
- C. 3rd to the left
- D. 4th to the right
- E. 5th to the left

Answer –D

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