

PART-A (General Intelligence)

Q1. If # = square of the number

@ = cube of the number

% = reciprocal of the number

& = square root of the number

Evaluate:

$9 \# + 8 @ - 4 \&$

A. 37 B. 739 C. 741 D. 591

Correct Ans: D

Q2. In this question, four sets of name and address are given out of which two are exactly same. It is required to find out these two combinations and mark the correct answer accordingly.

1. Amit Jha SSPOs Gautam Buddha Nagar Gautam Buddha Nagar Division Office, 110025
2. Amit Jha SSPOs Gautam Buddha Nagar Gautam Buddha Nagar Division Office, 110025
3. Amit Jha SPOs Gautam Buddha Nagar Gautam Buddha Nagar Division Office, 110025
4. Amit Jha SSPOs Gautam Buddha Nagar Gautam Buddha Nagar Division Office, 110025

A. 1 and 2 **B.** 3 and 4 **C.** 2 and 3 **D.** 1 and 4

Correct Ans: A

Q3. In a coded language, BOUND is coded as 20, TRAIL is coded as 50 then find the code of COPMUTER

A. 56 **B.** 54 **C.** 52 **D.** 60

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Q4. Each question has four options. Three of them go together based on a common idea or rule. One is different. Identify the one that is different.

A. 3 - 5 **B.** 5 - 3 **C.** 6 - 2 **D.** 7 - 3

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Q5. In a centre code system using consistent hashing with bounded loads, if the load factor is 1.25 and there are 8 servers, what is the maximum number of codes a single server can handle if total codes = 1000?

A. 156 **B.** 125 **C.** 200 **D.** 175

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Q6. In the following question, you will see four words. Three of them are similar in meaning, use, or type. One is different from the rest. Choose the word that does not belong to the group.

A. Driver **B.** Bus **C.** Train **D.** Car

Correct Ans: A

Q7. In the following question, select the number/symbol that will replace the question mark (?) to complete the analogy: 6 : 64 :: 11 : ?

A. 121 **B.** 124 **C.** 144 **D.** 169

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Q8. In the following question, select the related word from the given alternatives

Allegation : Accusation :: Evidence : ?

A. Confirmation **B.** Assertion **C.** Corroboration **D.** Supposition

Correct Ans: C

Q9. What will come at the place of question mark? **1, 4, 11, 26, 57, ?**

A. 112 **B.** 111 **C.** 120 **D.** 124

Correct Ans: C

Q10. If the sum of three consecutive even numbers is 72, what is the largest number?

A. 22 **B.** 24 **C.** 26 **D.** 28

Correct Ans: C

Q11. Few of the letters are given followed by a question mark (?) these letters are following a specific pattern you have to give the correct option which can replace question mark

Find the next letter in the series: C, D, B, E, ?

A. H B. K C. J D. S

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Q12. Here some problem or solution of the problem is given in the statement you have to choose the appropriate logical deduction for given statement.

Philosopher: "Morality that depends entirely on religion is fragile because it collapses when faith is questioned."
Which of the following best supports this view?

A. Secular laws are more widely accepted than religious rules.
B. People often behave ethically even without religious beliefs.
C. Religion provides a foundation for community values. D. Atheists can be immoral too.

Correct Ans: B

Q13. In this type of questions some problematic situations are provided you have to analyse the situation and give the logical correct solution for the problem.

If a pattern follows the rule $y = 2x + 3$ and $x = 96$, what is the value of y ?

A. 197 B. 194 C. 195 D. 196

Correct Ans: C

Q14. Some of mathematical operations are given below choose the expression which is mathematically correct.

If $A = 22$, $B = 33$, and $C = 44$, what is the value of $((A + B) \times C) \bmod 97$?

A. 77 B. 47 C. 55 D. 92

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Q15. In this question some conditions or circumstances is provided to you, you have to make logical judgement according to mentioned circumstances and mark the correct judgement for question.

Statement: The government has decided to privatize all public sector banks.

Judgement I: It will improve efficiency.

Judgement II: It will reduce employment security.

A. Only Judgement I follows B. Only Judgement II follows C. Both Judgements I and II follow
D. Neither Judgement I nor II follows

Correct Ans: B

Q16. Statement: A retail company's inventory manager consistently orders too much stock during seasonal periods, leading to significant markdowns and storage costs. When questioned, the manager says they "better safe than sorry" and always order the maximum amount to avoid stockouts, even though sales data shows consistent overordering.
What decision-making improvement should be implemented?

- A. Reduce order quantities by 20% across all products
- B. Implement demand forecasting models based on historical sales data and market trends
- C. Hire an additional inventory analyst to double-check all orders
- D. Switch to just-in-time inventory management immediately

Correct Ans: B

Q17. Statements:

All sculptures are art.
Some art is ancient.
No ancient object is replaceable.

Conclusions:

- I. Some sculptures may not be replaceable.
- II. All art is replaceable.

- A. Only I follows
- B. Only II follows
- C. Both I and II follow
- D. Neither I nor II follows

Correct Ans: A

Q18. In the following question, the second term is derived from the first term by applying a specific pattern involving alphabetical positions, alphanumeric manipulation, and positional transformation. Decode the logic used in the first pair and apply the same to the second pair to determine the correct option. **LAMB : M39C :: COWS : ?**

- A. D48U
- B. D59P
- C. D69T
- D. D78R

Correct Ans: C

Q19. Which number does NOT belong to the sequence?

100, 90, 80, 60, 50

- A. 60
- B. 100
- C. 90
- D. 50

Correct Ans: A

Q20. Assuming that the data given in the statement are definitely true which of the following conclusions can be logically deducted from given statements.

Statement: "All guests must wear formal attire" – Event invitation.

Conclusions:

- I. Informal dressing is not acceptable.
- II. The event is a formal one.

- A. Only I follows
- B. Only II follows
- C. Both follow
- D. Neither follows

Correct Ans: C

Q21. In the following questions some issues are provided to you. you have to mark the appropriate answer logically that can be taken in such circumstances

In a situation where you overhear someone gossiping about you. What would be the most emotionally intelligent response?

- A. clarify things directly
- B. start gossiping back
- C. become distant
- D. report them

Correct Ans: D

Q22. Find the appropriate word that can replace the ?. Which one of the following word logically completes the series
Select the most logical sequence: Cup, Bucket, Tank, Reservoir

- A. Reservoir, Tank, Bucket, Cup
- B. Cup, Bucket, Tank, Reservoir
- C. Bucket, Cup, Reservoir, Tank
- D. Tank, Cup, Bucket, Reservoir

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Q23. Some social issues, problem and their solution is provided to you as a statement you have to mark the logical action that can be taken under these conditions.

You are a project coordinator working with a team of highly skilled professionals who have very different personalities and work styles. One team member is extremely detail-oriented and methodical, often slowing down the process with extensive analysis. Another is very creative and spontaneous but sometimes misses important details. A third member is highly competitive and tends to criticize others' work harshly. The team is talented but their different approaches are creating friction and inefficiency. You need to harness their strengths while minimizing conflicts. What would be the most socially intelligent approach?

- A. Assign roles randomly and let the team figure out how to work together on their own, since they're all professionals
- B. Identify each person's strengths and assign complementary roles, create structured processes that leverage different work styles, and establish team norms for constructive feedback
- C. Focus on the most cooperative team member and try to get the others to work more like them
- D. Address the personality conflicts by having a team meeting where everyone discusses what they don't like about each other's work styles

Correct Ans: B

Q24. How many meaningful English words can be formed using all the letters of the word 'LEAST'?

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

Correct Ans: D

Q25. If P is the maternal uncle of Q, how is Q related to P's sister?

- A. Nephew/Niece
- B. Cousin
- C. Son
- D. Cannot be determined

Correct Ans: A

PART-B (General Awareness)

Q26. Which of the following is NOT an exception to the 'Law of Demand'?

- A. Giffen goods
- B. Conspicuous goods
- C. Speculative goods
- D. Substitute goods

Correct Ans: D

Q27. What is a modern trend regarding business licenses?

- A. Increasing the amount of time it takes to get them.
- B. Removing them altogether.
- C. Making them easier to obtain.
- D. Making them impossible to obtain.

Correct Ans: C

Q28. Which of the following is the CORRECT objective of ISRO's Gaganyaan mission scheduled for launch in 2025?

- A. Establishing a permanent space station
- B. Sending Indian astronauts into low-Earth orbit
- C. Sending an unmanned rover to the Moon
- D. Launching a solar probe to study the Sun

Correct Ans: B

Q29. Which government scheme aims to provide affordable housing to the urban poor and economically weaker sections?

- A. Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT)
- B. Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana - Urban (PMAY-U)
- C. Smart Cities Mission
- D. Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana-National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM)

Correct Ans: B

Q30. Which of the following scenarios best illustrates the principle of conservation of momentum?

- A. A ball rolling down a frictionless incline increases its speed.
- B. A car comes to a stop when the brakes are applied due to friction.
- C. When a bullet is fired from a gun, the gun recoils in the opposite direction.
- D. A satellite maintains a stable orbit around the Earth due to gravity.

Correct Ans: C

Q31. The National Rural Employment Programme (NREP) was initiated in the _____ Five-Year Plan.

- A. Fifth
- B. Sixth
- C. Seventh
- D. Eighth

Correct Ans: B

Q32. The first peptide to be produced after wounding in the tomato plant is _____.

- A. Systemin
- B. Ricin
- C. Jasmonic acid
- D. Saicyclic acid

Correct Ans: A

Q33. Under the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023, which of the following has been emphasized for the first time in criminal law regarding sexual offences?

- A. Marital rape as a punishable offense
- B. Consent must be explicitly defined and recorded
- C. Death penalty for all rape cases
- D. Gender neutrality in sexual assault definitions

Correct Ans: D

Q34. Which of the following is a traditional dance of Kerala?

- A. Theyyam
- B. Dhol Cholom
- C. Giddha
- D. Bhangra

Correct Ans: A

Q35. Which of the following products are part of the petrochemical industry in India?

1. Polymers
2. Synthetic fibres
3. Elastomers
4. Surfactant intermediates

A. 1, 2, and 3 only **B.** 2, 3, and 4 only **C.** 1, 3 and 4 only **D.** 1, 2, 3 and 4

Correct Ans: D

Q36. Which constitutional authority decides on the disqualification of a Member of State Legislature under the Anti-Defection Law?

A. Chief Justice of High Court **B.** Speaker of the Legislative Assembly **C.** Election Commission
D. Governor

Correct Ans: B

Q37. Read the below statements marked as Assertion (A) and Reason (R). Mark the correct options:

Assertion (A): The Buddha sculptures of the Gandhara School show Hellenistic features.

Reason (R): The Buddha head from this school has curly hair and shows typical Hellenistic elements.

A. Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A.
B. Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A. **C.** A is true, but R is false.
D. A is false, but R is true.

Correct Ans: A

Q38. Which of the following situations will result in a point awarded to the defending team in Kabaddi?

A. The raider tags two defenders and crosses the midline **B.** The raider fails to chant "Kabaddi" during the raid
C. The raider touches the bonus line without being tackled **D.** The defending team crosses the lobby before contact

Wrong Question Marked by SSC

Q39. Which one of the following pairs of ruler and length of their reign, is **correctly** matched?

A. Muhammad Tughluq – Ruled for 15 years **B.** Razia – Ruled for 4 years
C. Alauddin Khalji – Ruled for 10 years **D.** Ghiyasuddin Balban – Ruled for 35 years

Correct Ans: B

Q40. Which of the following statements is correct about India's performance at the Asian Athletics Championships 2025 in Gumi, South Korea?

- A.** India topped the medal tally with 24 medals, including nine golds.
- B.** Rupal Chaudhary won medals in both individual and team events, including a gold in the women's 5000m.
- C.** The Indian mixed relay team defended its title with only one member returning from the 2023 team.
- D.** Avinash Sable won silver in the 3000m steeplechase, ending a 36-year medal drought.

Correct Ans: C

Q41. Which of the following best reflects the distinguishing operational philosophy of India's 'Neighbourhood First' policy compared to its 'Act East' policy?

- A.** Neighbourhood First targets ASEAN security; Act East delivers SAARC health aid.
- B.** Neighbourhood First offers non-reciprocal aid in South Asia; Act East builds strategic ties in Southeast Asia.
- C.** Both focus solely on infrastructure in BIMSTEC and QUAD.
- D.** Act East builds communities in neighbours; Neighbourhood First leads Indo-Pacific navies.

Correct Ans: B

Q42. Consider the following statements regarding recent India-Maldives bilateral developments:

1. India announced a financial assistance package of USD 1.4 billion to Maldives during President Solih's 2018 visit.
2. The 6th Joint Commission Meeting (JCM) in 2019 included signing MoUs between the Financial Intelligence Units (FIUs) of both countries.
3. In 2020, India and Maldives signed an agreement for mutual support in climate risk insurance for island territories.

Which of the above statements **is/are correct?**

- A.** Only 1 and 3
- B.** Only 1 and 2
- C.** Only 2 and 3
- D.** 1, 2 and 3 All are correct

Correct Ans: B

Q43. Read the below statements marked as Assertion (A) and Reason (R). Mark the **correct** options:

Assertion (A): India: A Million Mutinies Now presents a vivid account of the diverse social and political upheavals across India during the late 20th century.

Reason (R): The book won the Booker Prize for its literary excellence and incisive analysis of postcolonial Indian society.

- A.** Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A.
- B.** Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- C.** A is true, but R is false.
- D.** A is false, but R is true.

Correct Ans: C

Q44. For which field was Anil Kumar Boro awarded the Padma Shri in 2025 by the Government of India?

- A.** Medicine and Healthcare
- B.** Literature and Education
- C.** Social Service
- D.** Science and Engineering

Correct Ans: B

Q45. Which of the following best explains the origin of eskers in glaciated landscapes?

A. Ridges carved by ice cutting bedrock B. Till ridges under stagnant ice
C. Sinuous ridges from subglacial meltwater deposition D. Hills shaped by ice pushing sediments

Correct Ans: C

Q46. Read the following two statements carefully and choose the correct option:

Statement 1: Rural-to-urban migration is a major contributor to urban growth in India.
Statement 2: Better job opportunities and education facilities in cities attract migrants.

A. Only 1 B. Only 2 C. Both 1 and 2 are correct D. Neither 1 nor 2 is correct

Correct Ans: C

Q47. Consider the following statements regarding the State of India's Environment Report 2024:

1. Energy sector is the top contributor to India's GHG emissions.
2. India's per capita emissions are higher than the global average.
3. The report ranks India among top 10 countries in Environmental Performance Index.

A. Only 1 B. Only 2 C. Only 3 D. All 1, 2 and 3 are correct

Correct Ans: A

Q48. The one nation, one tax initiative in India refers to:

A. Income Tax B. Corporate Tax C. Goods and Services Tax (GST) D. Import Duties

Correct Ans: C

Q49. Match the following Articles with their provisions:

A. Article 50	1. Original jurisdiction of Supreme Court
B. Article 131	2. Separation of Judiciary from Executive
C. Article 312	3. Creation of All India Services
D. Article 263	4. Inter-State Council

A. A-2, B-1, C-3, D-4 B. A-1, B-2, C-4, D-3 C. A-4, B-3, C-1, D-2 D. A-3, B-4, C-2, D-1

Correct Ans: A

Q50. Match the atmospheric phenomenon with its primary measurement instrument

1. Wind Speed
2. Humidity
3. Atmospheric Pressure

1-Hygrometer	1-Barometer	1-Anemometer	1-Hygrometer
A. 2-Barometer	B. 2-Anemometer	C. 2-Hygrometer	D. 2-Anemometer
3-Anemometer	3-Hygrometer	3-Barometer	3-Barometer

Correct Ans: C

PART-C (Quantitative Aptitude (Basic Arithmetic Skill))

Q51. What is the largest five-digit number that is divisible by **9, 15, 16, 21**, and **5**?

A. 95760 B. 98320 C. 92680 D. 99120

Correct Ans: A

Q52. Evaluate: $(\frac{1}{28}) + (\frac{1}{35}) + (\frac{1}{49}) + (\frac{1}{56})$

A. 0.09285 B. 0.08565 C. 0.10255 D. 0.07755

Correct Ans: C

Q53. M and N invest ₹80,000 and ₹1,20,000. After a year, the total profit, including 10% interest, is ₹33,000. What is N's share?

A. ₹20,000 B. ₹19,000 C. ₹20,800 D. ₹19,800

Correct Ans: D

Q54. The average age of a group of 8 people increases by 2 years when a person aged 14 is replaced by a new person. Find the age of the new person.

A. 30 B. 40 C. 50 D. 60

Correct Ans: A

Q55. The price of cooking oil increased by 8%. A family uses 12 litres of cooking oil per month. If the original price was ₹150 per litre, what is the additional annual expenditure (to the nearest Rs.) for the family due to the price hike?

A. ₹1,789 B. ₹1,700 C. ₹1,728 D. ₹1,765

Correct Ans: C

Q56. A certain amount of money triples in 8 years under compound interest. How many years will it take for that amount to increase to nine times its original value?

A. 16 B. 19 C. 17 D. 18

Correct Ans: A

Q57. A milkman bought 50 liters of milk for ₹2000. 5 liters of milk spoiled. At what rate per liter should he sell the remaining milk to make a profit of 20% on his total outlay?

A. ₹53.33 per liter B. ₹56.24 per liter C. ₹59.36 per liter D. ₹52.82 per liter

Correct Ans: A

Q58. A merchant mixes 60 kg of coffee at ₹90 /kg with a dearer variety at ₹120 /kg. He sells the blend at ₹110 /kg and gains 10 % profit. How many kg of the dearer variety did he add?

A. 30 kg B. 28 kg C. 15 kg D. 17 kg

Correct Ans: A

Q59. A can complete a job in 36 days. Every third day, he is assisted by B who can complete the job alone in 48 days. In how many days will the job be completed?

A. 28 days B. $25\frac{1}{7}$ days C. $29\frac{1}{7}$ days D. 35 days

Correct Ans: C

Q60. A large ship consumes 0.2 liters of fuel per km, and a smaller ship consumes 0.15 liters per km. If the large ship travels 500 km and the small ship travels 400 km, what is the total fuel cost at a rate of ₹110 per liter?

A. ₹16,500 B. ₹17,600 C. ₹18,000 D. ₹19,200

Correct Ans: B

Q61. If $x + \frac{1}{x+2} = 6$, determine the value of $(x + 2)^3 + \frac{1}{(x+2)^3}$

A. 488 B. 386 C. 250 D. 405

Correct Ans: A

Q62. There are 6 doors. Behind one is a car, and behind the other five are goats. You pick one door. The host, knowing the car's location, then opens 4 of the remaining doors, all revealing goats. You are then offered the opportunity to switch your choice to the one remaining unopened door. What is the probability of winning the car if you decide to switch?

A. $\frac{1}{2}$ B. $\frac{2}{3}$ C. $\frac{3}{4}$ D. $\frac{5}{6}$

Correct Ans: D

Q63. A 150-meter-tall tower stands on level ground. From the top of the tower, two cyclists are seen on the same side, moving directly towards the tower in straight lines. Initially, the angles of depression to the two cyclists are 35° and 20° , respectively. After 6 minutes, the angles change to 60° and 40° , respectively. Assuming both cyclists maintain a constant speed, find the approximate initial distance between them.

A. 198 m B. 188 m C. 185 m D. 190 m

Wrong Question Marked by SSC

Q64. A researcher collected data on the growth of a specific bacteria strain in a new nutrient medium. The following table shows the colony diameter (in mm) for a sample of $n=10$ colonies after 24 hours. The average colony diameter is 5.65 mm, rounded to two places. Find the sample standard deviation, rounded to two decimal places.

4.5	6	6.5	5	7	4	6.5	7	5.5	4.5
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A. 2.90 mm B. 0.92 mm C. 1.11 mm D. 3.85 mm

Correct Ans: C

Q65. A solid hemisphere is drilled with a cylindrical hole through its center. If the height of the removed cylinder equals the hemisphere's radius R , find the ratio of the volume removed to the volume remaining.

A. 4:1 B. 7:4 C. 6:5 D. 3:5

Correct Ans: D

Q66. The base of a right prism is a regular hexagon with a side length of 8 cm. The height of the prism is 15 cm. Find the volume of the prism.

A. 1536 cm^3 B. 2494 cm^3 C. 2048 cm^3 D. 2304 cm^3

Correct Ans: B

Q67. If $Y^x = 121$, what will $(Y - 1)^{(x-2)} = ?$

A. 2 B. 11 C. 0 D. 1

Correct Ans: D

Q68. A composite shape has a rectangle ($10 \text{ cm} \times 4 \text{ cm}$) with a semicircle on one short side. What is the total area of the shape?

A. 54.22 cm^2 B. 58.34 cm^2 C. 46.28 cm^2 D. 56.42 cm^2

Correct Ans: C

Q69. Find the angle if 3 times its complement equals the angle itself.

A. 22.5° B. 30° C. 45° D. 67.5°

Correct Ans: D

Q70. If $\sec A + \tan A = 10$ and A is acute, find the value of $\sec A - \tan A$.

A. 0.1 B. 0.2 C. 1 D. 0.5

Correct Ans: A

Q71. In triangle ABC, the coordinates of vertices A and B are $(0,0)$ and $(6,0)$, respectively. Vertex C lies somewhere on the line $y=x$, and the centroid of triangle ABC is $(3,5)$.

What are the coordinates of point C?

A. $(3,3)$ B. $(4,4)$ C. $(5,5)$ D. $(9,9)$

Wrong Question Marked by SSC

Q72. What is the slope of the line perpendicular to $7x+4y=6$?

A. $2/4$ B. $4/3$ C. $7/4$ D. $4/7$

Correct Ans: D

Q73. In a given circle, if PQ is the diameter, the value of $2x$ is:

A. 24° B. 36° C. 48° D. 96°

Wrong Question Marked by SSC

Q74. The data given below shows the marks scored by 5 different students in two different subjects.

Marks scored in Science: 64, 72, 55, 90, 47

Marks scored in Mathematics: 35, 66, 94, 80, 48

Find the difference between the median marks scored in Science and the mean marks scored in Mathematics.

A. 0.6 B. 0.4 C. 0.2 D. 0.7

Correct Ans: A

Q75. There are two circles with radii of 5 cm and 3 cm are positioned so that they touch each other internally. What is the distance between their centers?

A. 2 cm B. 3 cm C. 5 cm D. 8 cm

Correct Ans: A

PART-D (English Language (Basic Knowledge))

Q76. Read the passage and answer the questions:

"The truth of the self-conscious individual lies not in its immediate certainty, but in the dialectical movement of its becoming. Consciousness, in its pursuit of knowledge, initially assumes that its object is something external and independent. Yet, through the labor of experience, it discovers that this object is not truly separate but is mediated by consciousness itself. The apparent duality of subject and object is thus sublated in the dialectic, revealing that knowledge is not the passive reception of an external truth but an active process in which consciousness shapes and transforms its own reality."

This movement unfolds through a series of contradictions, in which each stage of consciousness, believing itself to have attained certainty, encounters its own inadequacy. The master-slave dialectic exemplifies this: self-consciousness seeks recognition from another, yet in asserting its dominance over the other, it paradoxically undermines its own freedom. The master, in reducing the slave to a mere instrument, deprives himself of a fully realized recognition. Meanwhile, the slave, through labor and self-transformation, attains a deeper awareness of autonomy, demonstrating that freedom is not given but achieved through negation and overcoming.

Which of the following best identifies the grammatical role of the phrase "in its pursuit of knowledge" in the sentence:

"Consciousness, **in its pursuit of knowledge**, initially assumes that its object is something external and independent."

A. Adjective modifying "Consciousness" B. Adverbial phrase modifying "assumes"
C. Noun phrase functioning as the subject D. Appositive explaining "object"

Correct Ans: B

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In the clause:

"...believing itself to have attained certainty,"

What grammatical structure is "believing" a part of?

A. A relative clause B. A passive voice C. A participial phrase D. A finite verb in past tense **Correct Ans: C**

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What is the best synonym for the word "sublated" in the context:

"...the apparent duality of subject and object is thus sublated in the dialectic..."

A. Removed B. Repressed C. Preserved and transformed D. Ignored **Correct Ans: C**

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In the passage, what does "**mediate**" most closely mean in this sentence?

"...it discovers that this object is not truly separate but is mediated by consciousness itself."

A. Interrupted B. Negotiated C. Filtered through or structured by D. Removed from

Correct Ans: C

Q80. Read the passage and answer the questions:

"The truth of the self-conscious individual lies not in its immediate certainty, but in the dialectical movement of its becoming. Consciousness, in its pursuit of knowledge, initially assumes that its object is something external and independent. Yet, through the labor of experience, it discovers that this object is not truly separate but is mediated by consciousness itself. The apparent duality of subject and object is thus sublated in the dialectic, revealing that knowledge is not the passive reception of an external truth but an active process in which consciousness shapes and transforms its own reality."

This movement unfolds through a series of contradictions, in which each stage of consciousness, believing itself to have attained certainty, encounters its own inadequacy. The master-slave dialectic exemplifies this: self-consciousness seeks recognition from another, yet in asserting its dominance over the other, it paradoxically undermines its own freedom. The master, in reducing the slave to a mere instrument, deprives himself of a fully realized recognition. Meanwhile, the slave, through labor and self-transformation, attains a deeper awareness of autonomy, demonstrating that freedom is not given but achieved through negation and overcoming.

What paradox does Hegel highlight through the **master-slave dialectic**?

A. That true knowledge comes from dominance over others
B. That the slave remains forever inferior in self-awareness
C. That the master loses recognition by denying the slave's autonomy
D. That consciousness cannot exist without subjugation

Correct Ans: C

Q81. Which of the following is incorrectly spelled?

A. Chauvinism B. Quiesence C. Melancholy D. Ubiquitous

Correct Ans: B

Q82. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word. **INCESSANT**

A. Frequent B. Recurring C. Continuous D. Repetitive

Correct Ans: C

Q83. Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word. **Blistering**

A. Scorching B. Chilly C. Burning D. Incendiary

Correct Ans: B

Q84. Select the correctly spelt word meaning 'a person who lives a self-denying life for spiritual discipline'.

A. Ascetic B. Asetic C. Ascetic D. Aescetic

Correct Ans: C

Q85. Identify the misspelt word:

A. Hermeneutics B. Phallocentrism C. Structuralism D. Metafiction

Correct Ans: B

Q86. What term describes: "The view that all human knowledge and experience are shaped by the limitations of the human mind, and thus we cannot know things as they truly are."

A. Empiricism B. Phenomenalism C. Idealism D. Kantianism

Correct Ans: D

Q87. What is the term for : "A literary or rhetorical device in which the opposite of what is expected occurs"?

A. Antithesis B. Verbal Irony C. Paradox D. Situational Irony

Correct Ans: D

Q88. Choose the correct meaning of idiom given below:

"Steal a march on someone"

A. Imitate someone's tactics B. Win by cheating C. Gain an advantage secretly
D. Announce plans publicly

Correct Ans: C

Q89. Find the part of the sentence that contains an error:

The CEO (1)/ called off (2)/ the meeting (3)/ without giving any reason out. (4)

A. (1) B. (2) C. (3) D. (4)

Correct Ans: D

Q90. Find the part of the sentence that contains an error:

The team leader called up (1)/ each employee separately (2)/ but failed to bring on (3)/ their actual grievances. (4)

A. (1) B. (2) C. (3) D. (4)

Correct Ans: C

Q91. Fill in the blank with the most appropriate option:

Of all the analysts on the panel, Priya was considered the ___ in macroeconomic interpretation.

A. best B. better C. most better D. more best

Correct Ans: A

Q92. Choose the most suitable option to replace the underlined part of the sentence :

She sings as better as a trained vocalist.

A. as well as B. as good as C. so better than D. as better than

Correct Ans: A

Q93. Change the following from active to passive:

Industry leaders have been challenging the proposed legislation for its lack of clarity and enforcement mechanisms.

- A. The proposed legislation has been being challenged for its lack of clarity and enforcement mechanisms by industry leaders.
- B. The proposed legislation was challenged by industry leaders for clarity and mechanism.
- C. The legislation has been challenged by leaders for its lack of clarity.
- D. The legislation is being challenged by industry leaders for for its lack of clarity.

Correct Ans: A

Q94. Convert the sentence provided below from its passive voice structure to an active voice structure:

The invitation will have been sent by the secretary before noon.

- A. The secretary sends the invitation before noon.
- B. The secretary has sent the invitation before noon.
- C. The secretary will have sent the invitation before noon.
- D. The secretary will be sending the invitation before noon.

Correct Ans: C

Q95. Convert the sentence provided below from its passive voice structure to an active voice structure:

The rare manuscripts had been preserved meticulously by the archivists before the fire broke out.

- A. The archivists have preserved the rare manuscripts meticulously before the fire broke out.
- B. The archivists preserved the rare manuscripts meticulously before the fire broke out.
- C. The archivists had preserved the rare manuscripts meticulously before the fire broke out.
- D. The archivists has preserved the rare manuscripts meticulously before the fire broke out.

Correct Ans: C

Q96. A sentence is provided in direct speech. From the four given options, choose the one that most accurately conveys the sentence in its corresponding indirect speech.

"How strange that nobody noticed the missing file until today!" exclaimed the clerk.

- A. The clerk exclaimed it was strange that nobody noticed the missing file until today.
- B. The clerk exclaimed that it was strange that no one had noticed the missing file until that day.
- C. The clerk said that it was strange no one had noticed file till now.
- D. The clerk exclaimed how strange nobody had noticed the file.

Correct Ans: B

Q97. A sentence is provided in indirect speech. From the four given options, choose the one that most accurately conveys the sentence in its corresponding direct speech.

She asked whether, in view of the delays caused by external vendors, the timeline for delivery could be reconsidered.

A. "Could the delivery timeline be reconsidered because of the delays by external vendors?" she asked.

B. "Given the vendor delays, can you review the delivery schedule?" she asked.

Correct Ans: A

C. "Would it be possible to reconsider the timeline due to the external delays?" she asked.

D. "Is there any chance the delivery deadline can be extended due to the vendor delays?" she asked.

Q98. Rearrange the following sentences in correct order to make a meaningful sentence

P: while the committee deliberated on the proposed reforms, Q: numerous stakeholders voiced their concerns R: regarding the potential impacts S: during the public consultation process

A. RSPQ B. QPRS C. QSRP D. PRQS

Correct Ans: B

Q99. Rearrange the following sentences in correct order to make a meaningful passage.

1. The team submitted the compiled data to the analytics division.
2. Raw survey responses were extracted from multiple sources.
3. Each dataset underwent preprocessing and standardization.
4. Redundant entries were eliminated using automated filters.

A. 2-3-4-1 B. 2-4-3-1 C. 3-2-4-1 D. 1-3-2-4

Correct Ans: A

Q100. Rearrange the following sentences in correct order to make a meaningful passage

1. The compiled dossier is submitted to the inter-ministerial review desk.
2. Algorithmic screening filters inconsistencies within submitted declarations.
3. Field-level reports are aggregated at the nodal coordination center.
4. Structured summaries are generated post-filtering.

A. 3-2-4-1 B. 2-3-1-4 C. 4-3-2-1 D. 1-4-2-3

Correct Ans: A