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- (1) All the suggestion should be submitted in prescribed format of suggestion sheet Physically.
- (2) Question wise suggestion to be submitted in the prescribed format (Suggestion Sheet) published on the website.
- (3) All suggestions are to be submitted with reference to the Master Question Paper with provisional answer key (Master Question Paper), published herewith on the website. Objections should be sent referring to the Question, Question No. & options of the Master Question Paper.
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- (5) Objections and answers suggested by the candidate should be in compliance with the responses given by him in his answer sheet. Objections shall not be considered, in case, if responses given in the answer sheet /response sheet and submitted suggestions are differed.
- (6) Objection for each question shall be made on separate sheet. Objection for more than one question in single sheet shall not be considered & treated as Cancelled.
- (7) Candidate who is present in the exam entitled to submit the objection/(s).
- (8) Candidate should attach copy of his/her OMR (Answer sheet) with objection/(s).

ઉમેદવારે નીચેની સૂચનાઓનું પાલન કરવાની તકેદારી રાખવી, અન્યથા વાંધા-સૂચન અંગે કરેલ રજૂઆતો ધ્યાને લેવાશે નહીં

- (1) ઉમેદવારે વાંધા-સૂચનો નિયત કરવામાં આવેલ વાંધા-સૂચન પત્રકથી રજૂ કરવાના રહેશે.
- (2) ઉમેદવારે પ્રશ્નપ્રમાણે વાંધા-સૂચનો રજૂ કરવા વેબસાઈટ પર પ્રસિદ્ધ થયેલ નિયત વાંધા-સૂચન પત્રકના નમૂનાનો જ ઉપયોગ કરવો.
- (3) ઉમેદવારે પોતાને પરીક્ષામાં મળેલ પ્રશ્નપુસ્તિકામાં છપાયેલ પ્રશ્નકમાંક મુજબ વાંધા-સૂચનો રજૂ ન કરતા તમામ વાંધા-સૂચનો વેબસાઈટ પર પ્રસિદ્ધ થયેલ પ્રોવિઝનલ આન્સર કી (માસ્ટર પ્રશ્નપત્ર)ના પ્રશ્ન કમાંક મુજબ અને તે સંદર્ભમાં રજૂ કરવા.
- (4) માસ્ટર પ્રશ્નપત્ર માં નિર્દિષ્ટ પ્રશ્ન અને વિકલ્પ સિવાયના વાંધા-સૂચન ધ્યાને લેવામાં આવશે નહીં.
- (5) ઉમેદવારે જે પ્રશ્નના વિકલ્પ પર વાંધો રજૂ કરેલ છે અને વિકલ્પ રૂપે જે જવાબ સૂચયેલ છે એ જવાબ ઉમેદવારે પોતાની ઉત્તરવહીમાં આપેલ હોવો જોઈએ. ઉમેદવારે સૂચયેલ જવાબ અને ઉત્તરવહીનો જવાબ બિના હશે તો ઉમેદવારે રજૂ કરેલ વાંધા-સૂચન ધ્યાનમાં લેવાશે નહીં.
- (6) એક પ્રશ્ન માટે એક જ વાંધા-સૂચન પત્રક વાપરવું, એક જ વાંધા-સૂચન પત્રકમાં એકથી વધારે પ્રશ્નોની રજૂઆત કરેલ હશે તો તે અંગેના વાંધા-સૂચનો ધ્યાન લેવાશે નહીં.
- (7) પરીક્ષામાં હાજર રહેલ ઉમેદવાર જ વાંધા - સૂચન રજુ કરી શકશે .
- (8) ઉમેદવારે વાંધા-સૂચન સાથે પોતાની જવાબવહીની નકલ બિડાણ કરવાની રહેશે.

001. નીચેના પૈકી કઈ જોરીઓ યોગ્ય રીતે જોડાયેલી છે ?

- તમિલનાડુ – પુથન્ડુ (Puthandu)
- ાંધ્રપ્રદેશ – ઉગાડી (Ugadi)
- કેરળ – વિશુ (Vishu)
- વૈશાખી – શીખ (Sikhs)

(A) 1, 2, 3 અને 4 (B) માત્ર 2, 3 અને 4
(C) માત્ર 1, 2 અને 3 (D) માત્ર 1 અને 2

002. નીચે આપેલા સંવતને તે શરૂ થવાના વર્ષ સાથે યોગ્ય રીતે જોડો.

સંવત	શરૂ થવાનું વર્ષ
1. વિક્રમ સંવત	a. ઈ.સ. 78
2. શક સંવત	b. ઈ.સ. પૂર્વ 58
3. કલયૂરી સંવત	c. ઈ.સ. 248
4. હર્ષ સંવત	d. ઈ.સ. 606

(A) 1 - a, 2 - b, 3 - d, 4 - c (B) 1 - c, 2 - b, 3 - a, 4 - d
(C) 1 - d, 2 - c, 3 - b, 4 - a (D) 1 - b, 2 - a, 3 - c, 4 - d

003. ‘નમસ્તે’ની પરંપરા સંસ્કૃતમાંથી ઉદ્ભબવેલી છે અને તે ‘નમહ’ તથા ‘તે’ શબ્દોના જોડાણથી બનેલો શબ્દ છે. અહીં ‘નમહ’ શબ્દનો અર્થ થાય છે.

(A) આદરણીય વંદન (Reverential salutation)
(B) તમને (to you)
(C) આત્મા (soul)
(D) મનોભાવ (spirit)

004. ખંભાલીડા બૌદ્ધ ગુફાઓ ખાતે સ્થિત છે.

(A) અમરેલી (B) ભૂજ (C) રાજકોટ (D) વડોદરા

005. ભારતના rock-cut (ખડક કાપીને આકાર આપેલા) સ્થાપત્યના ઈતિહાસ બાબતે નીચેના પૈકી ક્યું / ક્યાં વિધાન / વિધાનો સાચું / સાચાં છે ?

- બદામી ખાતેની ગુફાઓ એ ભારતમાં હયાત rock-cut ગુફાઓમાંની સૌથી જૂની છે.
- બારાબર (Barabar) rock-cut ગુફાઓ એ સમાટ ચંદ્રગુપ્ત મૌર્ય દ્વારા અસલમાં આજીવિકા માટે બનાવવામાં આવી હતી.
- ઈલોરા ખાતે ગુફાઓ વિવિધ ધાર્મિક આસ્થાઓ (faiths) માટે બનાવવામાં આવી હતી.

(A) માત્ર 1 અને 2 (B) માત્ર 2 અને 3
(C) માત્ર 3 (D) 1, 2 અને 3

001. Which of the following pairs are correctly matched?

1. Tamil Nadu – Puthandu

2. Andhra Pradesh – Ugadi

3. Kerala – Vishu

4. Vaisakhi – Sikhs

(A) 1, 2, 3 and 4

(B) 2, 3 and 4 only

(C) 1, 2 and 3 only

(D) 1 and 2 only

002. Correctly match the eras with their respective year of beginning:

Eras

1. Vikrama Era

2. Saka Era

3. Kalchuri Era

4. Harsha Era

(A) 1 - a, 2 - b, 3 - d, 4 - c

(C) 1 - d, 2 - c, 3 - b, 4 - a

Year of beginning

a. 78 A.D.

b. 58 B.C.

c. 248 A.D.

d. 606 A.D.

(B) 1 - c, 2 - b, 3 - a, 4 - d

(D) 1 - b, 2 - a, 3 - c, 4 - d

003. The tradition of ‘Namaste’ is derived from Sanskrit and is a combination of the word ‘namah’ and ‘te’- the word ‘namah’ means _____.

(A) Reverential Salutation

(B) To you

(C) Soul

(D) Spirit

004. The Khamhalida Buddhist caves are situated at _____.

(A) Amreli

(B) Bhuj

(C) Rajkot

(D) Vadodara

005. Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding to history of Indian rock-cut architecture?

1. The caves at Badami are the oldest surviving rock-cut caves in India.

2. The Barabar rock-cut caves were originally made for Ajivikas by the emperor Chandragupta Maurya.

3. At Ellora, caves were made for different faiths.

(A) 1 and 2 only

(B) 2 and 3 only

(C) 3 only

(D) 1, 2 and 3

006. હરઘન મુદ્રાઓ અંગે નીચેના પૈકી કયું / કયાં વિધાન / વિધાનો સાચું / સાચાં છે ?

- મુદ્રાઓમાં પ્રાકૃત લિપિનો ઉપયોગ થયો હતો.
- લિપિ જમણી બાજુથી ડાબી બાજુ તરફ લખાઈ હતી.
- મુદ્રાઓ એ આધ્યાત્મિક હેતુઓ માટે તાવીજ તરીકે ઉપયોગમાં લેવાતી હતી.

(A) માત્ર 1 અને 2 (B) માત્ર 2 અને 3
(C) માત્ર 2 (D) માત્ર 1 અને 3

007. ભારતીય શાસ્ત્રીય સંગીતમાં રાગ એ છે.

(A) સમય નિર્દિષ્ટ (specific) (B) મનોભાવ (mood) નિર્દિષ્ટ (sp)
(C) ઋતુ નિર્દિષ્ટ (specific) (D) ઉપરોક્ત તમામ

008. દિવાળીના તહેવાર બાબતે નીચેના પૈકી કયું / કયાં વિધાન / વિધાનો સાચું / સાચાં છે ?

(A) દિવાળી એ પૂર્ણિમા અર્થાત પૂર્ણ ચંદ્રના શુભ દિવસે આવે છે.
(B) આ તહેવાર મહાભારત ઉપર આધારિત છે.
(C) (A) તથા (B) બંને
(D) (A) અથવા (B) એકપણ નહિ

009. ભૂજનું ફર્યુસન સંગ્રહાલય એ ના સમય દરમ્યાન સ્થાપવામાં આવ્યું હતું.

(A) ખેંગારજી - ગ્રીજા (B) રાવ પ્રાગમલજી
(C) દેસાદજી (D) વિજયરાજજી

010. ખજૂરાહો સ્થાપત્ય પાઠશાળા બાબતે નીચેના પૈકી કયાં વિધાનો સાચાં છે ?

- આ પાઠશાળાએ ચંડેલા સ્થાપત્ય પાઠશાળા તરીકે પણ ઓળખાય છે.
- આ પાઠશાળામાં મંદિર બાંધકામની પંચાયતન શૈલીને અનુસરવામાં આવતી હતી.
- મંદિરની દિવાલો એ કોઈપણ પ્રકારની કોતરણી વિનાની હતી.

(A) 1, 2 અને 3 (B) માત્ર 2 અને 3
(C) માત્ર 1 અને 2 (D) માત્ર 1 અને 3

011. નીચેના પૈકી કયું / કયાં કેન્દ્રો એ પ્રાચીન સમયમાં ઔષધીય શિક્ષણના કેન્દ્ર હતા ?

(A) તક્ષણિલા (B) ઉજ્જેન
(C) (A) તથા (B) બંને (D) (A) અથવા (B) એકપણ નહિ

012. 'તારામતી સ્વયંવર' એ કૃતિની રચના દ્વારા કરવામાં આવી હતી.

(A) બાપુલાલ નાયક (B) રણધોડભાઈ ઉદ્યરામ દવે
(C) ય. સી. મહેતા (D) વીર નરમદ

006. Which of the following statements is/are correct Harappan seals?

1. The script used in seals is Prakrit.
2. The script was written from right to left.
3. The seals were used as amulets for spiritual purposes.

(A) 1 and 2 only	(B) 2 and 3 only
(C) 2 only	(D) 1 and 3 only

007. In the Indian classical music, ragas are _____

(A) Time specific	(B) Mood specific
(C) Season specific	(D) All of the above

008. Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding festival Diwali?

- (A) Diwali falls on the auspicious day of Poornima, i.e. full moon.
- (B) This festival is based on Mahabharata.
- (C) Both (A) and (B)
- (D) Neither (A) nor (B)

009. Ferguson Museum in Bhuj was established during the time of _____.

(A) Khengarji III	(B) Rao Pragmlji
(C) Desadji	(D) Vijayrajjji

010. Which of the following statements are correct regarding Kahjuraho School of architecture?

1. This school is also known as Chandela school of architecture
2. Panchyatana Style of temple making was followed in this school
3. The temple walls were devoid of any carvings

(A) 1, 2 and 3	(B) 2 and 3 only
(C) 1 and 2 only	(D) 1 and 3 only

011. Which of the following was/were centres of medicinal learning during ancient times?

(A) Takshashila	(B) Ujjain
(C) Both (A) and (B)	(D) Neither (A) nor (B)

012. The work “Taramati Swayamvar” was written by _____.

(A) Bapulal Naik	(B) Ranchhodhbhai Udayram Dave
(C) UC Mehta	(D) Veer Narmad

013. 'સરસ્વતીયંત્ર' કૃતિ બાબતે નીચેના પૈકી ક્યાં વિધાનો સાચાં છે ?

1. તે એક નવલક્ષણ છે જે ચાર ભાગ ધરાવે છે.
2. તે ગોવર્ધનરામ ત્રિપાઠી દ્વારા લખવામાં આવી હતી.
3. આ કૃતિમાં સરસ્વતીયંત્ર પોતે એ એક વકીલનું પાત્ર છે.

(A) 1, 2 અને 3 (B) માત્ર 2 અને 3
(C) માત્ર 1 અને 2 (D) માત્ર 1 અને 3

014. નીચે આપેલા વિધાનોને આધારે સ્મારક / મંદિરનું નામ આપો.

1. આ ઈમારત છઢી સદીની છે અને તે ગુજરાતમાં હ્યાત હોય તેવી પ્રાચીનકાળની પથ્થરોની ઈમારતોમાંની એક છે.
2. ટાવરની છત એ આમલકા ચક્કદાંતના પૈડા આકારના મુગટની નીચે કમાન આકારની ગવાલ બારી થી શાંખગારવામાં આવેલ છે.
3. તે વરતુ નદીના કાંડે સ્થિત છે.

(A) રાણકી વાવ (B) ધુમલી
(C) ગોપ મંદિર (D) ઉપરના પૈકી એકપણ નહીં

015. મહમુદ બેગડાએ જૂનાગઢમાં વૈકલ્પિક રાજ્યાની ઉભી કરી અને તેનું નામ બદલીને કર્યું.

(A) દૌલતાબાદ (B) અલીમપુર
(C) મુસ્તફાબાદ (D) મહમુદાબાદ

016. યાદી-I ને યાદી-II સાથે જોડો અને નીચે આપેલા કોડમાંથી યોગ્ય ઉત્તર પસંદ કરો.

યાદી-I

- a. પ્રાંતિક સ્વાયત્તતા
- b. ભારતના રાજ્ય સંચિવ
- c. મુસ્લીમો માટે અલાયદુર્મંત્રીમંડળ
- d. મોન્ટેઝુ-ચેમ્સફોર્ડ સુધારા

(A) a - 1, b - 2, c - 3, d - 4
(C) a - 4, b - 2, c - 1, d - 3

યાદી-II

1. ભારત સરકાર અધિનિયમ 1935
2. ભારત સરકાર અધિનિયમ 1858
3. ભારત સરકાર અધિનિયમ 1919
4. ભારત સરકાર અધિનિયમ 1909

(B) a - 1, b - 4, c - 3, d - 2
(D) a - 1, b - 2, c - 4, d - 3

017. નીચે આપેલા વડોદરાના શાસકોને સમયાનુક્રમિક ગોઠવો.

1. મલ્હારરાવ ગાયકવાડ
2. પ્રતાપસિંહ ગાયકવાડ
3. મહારાજા સયાજીરાવ - ત્રીજા
4. ગણપતરાવ ગાયકવાડ

(A) 1, 2, 3 અને 4 (B) 2, 1, 4 અને 3
(C) 4, 1, 3 અને 2 (D) 3, 2, 4 અને 1

018. શુદ્રોને ખેડૂતવર્ગના સમુદ્દરીય તરીકે સૌ પ્રથમ વર્ષાવનાર નીચેના પૈકી કોણ હતા ?
 (A) મનુ (B) ફાહીયાન (Fa-Hien)
 (C) હુએન ત્સાંગ (Hiuen Tsang) (D) નારદ

019. નીચેના પૈકી કોણે ભાવનગર રાજ્યમાં રાજ્ય પરિષદની સ્થાપના કરીને બંધારણીય શાસન લાગુ કર્યું ?
 (A) ભાવસિંહજ બીજા (B) જસવંતસિંહજ
 (C) ધુષ્ણસિંહજ (D) ઉપરના પૈકી એકપણ નહીં

020. ભારતમાં જોડાણ સમયે જૂનાગઢના નવાબ નીચેના પૈકી કોણ હતા ?
 (A) મહેમદ મહબતખાનજ ત્રીજા (B) શાહનવાજ ખાન
 (C) મહેમદ જૈનાખાનજખક્ષ (D) મહેમદ હુસેનખાનજ બીજા

021. નીચેના પૈકી કોણે 1470 પછી શાસન કર્યું અને અમદાવાદના સુલતાનને જ્યારે જરૂરત ઉભી થઈ ત્યારે પાયદળ અને અશ્વદળ પૂરા પાડ્યાં ?
 (A) કોળીઓ (Kolis) (B) ગોહિલો (Gohils)
 (C) તોમરો (Tomaras) (D) પ્રતિહારો (Pratiharas)

022. મહારાષ્ટ્ર ઉગ્રવાદ (extremism) એ શહેર સ્થિત અભિનવ ભારત જૂથ સાથે વ્યક્તિગત આતંકનો માર્ગ અપનાવ્યો.
 (A) પૂણો (B) બેલગામ
 (C) નાસિક (D) કોલખાપુર

023. સિંહુ ખીણની સંસ્કૃતિ વિશે નીચેના પૈકી કયું / કયાં વિધાન / વિધાનો સાચું / સાચાં છે ?
 1. મોહેંજો-દારોમાં સૌથી વિશાળ ઈમારત એ અનાજનો કોઈાર છે.
 2. ધોલાવીરાની સૌથી આકર્ષક અને અજોડ વિશેષતા એ તેની જળ સંઘણ અને વ્યવસ્થાપન પણ્ણતિ છે.
 3. લોથલની સૌથી આગવી વિશેષતા એ તેનો વહાણવાડો (dockyard) છે.
 (A) માત્ર 1 અને 3 (B) માત્ર 3
 (C) માત્ર 2 અને 3 (D) 1, 2 અને 3

024. 1937 માં લાગુ કરેલી વર્ધા યોજનાનો મુખ્ય ધોય નીચેના પૈકી ક્યો હતો ?
 (A) ભારતમાં બુનિયાદી (basic) શિક્ષણ માટે વિગતવાર રાષ્ટ્રીય યોજના ઘડવી.
 (B) ભારતમાં વિશ્વવિદ્યાલયના શિક્ષણમાં સુધારો કરવો.
 (C) શિક્ષણના માધ્યમ તરીકે સ્થાનિક ભાષાઓ (Vernacular languages) શી ઉપર અંગ્રેજ રાખવી.
 (D) પસંદગી કરેલા ભારતીયોને પશ્ચિમી વિજાન અને સાહિત્યની તાલીમ આપવી.

025. બકસરના યુધ્યના પરિણામો વિશે નીચેના પૈકી કયું / કયાં વિધાન / વિધાનો સાચું / સાચાં છે ?
 1. કંપનીના અધિકારીઓ દ્વારા દસ્તક (Dastaks) ના દુરૂપયોગ બાદ અસંતોષ વધવાને કારણે તે લડવામાં આવ્યું હતું.
 2. અવધને ઈસ્ટ ઈરીયા કંપની સાથે જોડવામાં આવ્યું.
 3. ઈસ્ટ ઈરીયા કંપનીએ બંગાળમાં દિવાની અને વહીવટી (વ્યવસ્થાપન) (Nizamat) ના હક્કો હસ્તગત કર્યા.
 (A) માત્ર 2 (B) 1, 2 અને 3
 (C) માત્ર 1 અને 3 (D) માત્ર 3

018. Who among the following was the first to describe Sudras as a class of agriculturists?

(A) Manu (B) Fa-Hien
(C) Hiuen Tsang (D) Narad

019. Who introduced the constitutional rule in Bhavnagar State by establishing a council of state?

(A) Bhavsinhji II (B) Jaswantsinhji
(C) Dhunasinji (D) None of the above

020. Who among the following was the Nawab of Junagadh at the time of its accession to India?

(A) Muhammad Mahabat Khanji III
(B) Shahnawaz Khan
(C) Muhammad Jauna Khanji Baksh
(D) Muhammad Hussain Khanji II

021. Who among the following ruled after 1470 and provided the Ahmedabad Sultan with infantry and cavalry whenever necessary.

(A) Kolis (B) Gohils
(C) Tomaras (D) Pratiharas

022. Maharashtra extremism took the path of individual terror with _____ city based, Abhinav Bharat group.

(A) Pune (B) Belgam (C) Nasik (D) Kohlapur

023. Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding Indus Valley Civilization?

1. In Mohenjo-daro the largest building is a granary.
2. Most impressive and unique feature of Dholavira is its water harvesting and management system.
3. Most distinctive feature of Lothal is the dockyard

(A) 1 and 3 only (B) 3 only (C) 2 and 3 only (D) 1, 2 and 3

024. Which of the following was the main aim of Wardha Scheme brought in 1937?

(A) To formulate a detailed national scheme for basic education in India
(B) Improvement of University education in India.
(C) To keep English over vernacular languages as a medium of instruction
(D) To train selected Indians in western science and literature.

025. Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding the consequences of Battle of Buxar?

1. It was fought due to the rise in discontent following misuse of Dastaks by the company's officials.
2. Awadh was annexed by East India Company.
3. The East India Company acquired both the Diwani and Nizamat rights in Bengal.

(A) 2 only (B) 1, 2 and 3 (C) 1 and 3 only (D) 3 only

026. નીચેના પૈકી ક્યા મત વિસ્તારમાંથી ડૉ. બી. આર. આંબેડકર 1946 માં સંવિધાન સભામાં ચૂટાયા હતા ?

(A) બોમ્બે (B) નાગપુર
(C) દિલ્હી (D) ઉપરના પૈકી એકપણ નહીં

027. મૌર્ય શાસન દરમ્યાન રજવાડી માર્ગ (royal highway) કે જેણે વ્યાપારને ઉત્તેજન આપ્યું હતું તે સુધીનો હતો.

(A) પાટલીપુત્ર થી મુલતાન (B) પાટલીપુત્ર થી તક્ષશિલા
(C) પાટલીપુત્ર થી કાખુલ (D) પાટલીપુત્ર થી સિયાલકોટ

028. સ્વાતંત્ર્ય સંગ્રહ દરમ્યાન નીચેના પૈકી કોણ Hindustan Socialist Republic Association (હિન્દુસ્તાન સમાજવાદી પ્રજાસત્તાક સંગઠન) સાથે સંકળાયેલા હતા ?

1. ચંદ્રશેખર આણાંડ
2. સુખદેવ થાપર
3. જોગેશચંદ્ર ચેટરજી
4. ભગતસિહ

(A) માત્ર 1, 2 અને 3 (B) માત્ર 1, 2 અને 4
(C) માત્ર 1 અને 2 (D) 1, 2, 3 અને 4

029. નીચેના પૈકી ક્યા બે ગ્રહો એ સૂર્ય અને પૃથ્વીની વચ્ચે આવેલા છે ?

(A) બુધ અને મંગળ (B) શુક અને મંગળ
(C) બુધ અને શુક (D) ગુરૂ અને શની

030. જો ઉષ્ણકટિબંધીય વરસાદી વનને દૂર કરવામાં આવે તો તે ઉષ્ણકટિબંધીય પાનખર વનની સરખામણીમાં ઝડપથી પુનઃનિર્માણ થઈ શકતા નથી. તેનું કારણ છે.

(A) વરસાદી વનની જમીન પોષક તત્વોની ઉષ્ણપ ધરાવે છે.
(B) વરસાદી વનમાં વૃક્ષોનો પ્રસાર નબળી અંકુરણ ક્ષમતા ધરાવે છે.
(C) વરસાદી વનની પ્રજાતિઓની વૃદ્ધિ ધીમી હોય છે.
(D) વિલાયતી પ્રજાતિઓ (Exotic Species) વરસાદી વનની ફળકુપ જમીન પર આકમણ કરે છે.

031. ભારતમાં, જ્યાં વાર્ષિક વરસાદ ની વચ્ચે હોય તેવા મોટાભાગના સ્થળો એ ઉષ્ણકટિબંધીય પાનખર વનો કુદરતી આવરણ બનાવે છે.

(A) 201 સેમી અને 250 સેમી (B) 251 સેમી અને 300 સેમી
(C) 70 સેમી અને 100 સેમી (D) 101 સેમી અને 200 સેમી

032. નીચેના પૈકી ક્યો અનુક્રમ એ ભારતીય હિમાલયની દક્ષિણથી ઉત્તર તરફની સાચી હારમાળા દર્શાવે છે ?

(A) Trans Himalaya – Great Himalaya – Lesser Himalaya – Sub Himalaya
(B) Great Himalaya – Trans Himalaya – Lesser Himalaya – Sub Himalaya
(C) Sub Himalaya – Trans Himalaya – Great Himalaya – Lesser Himalaya
(D) Sub Himalaya – Lesser Himalaya – Great Himalaya – Trans Himalaya

026. From which of the following constituencies Dr. BR Ambedkar elected to the constituent Assembly in 1946?

(A) Bombay (B) Nagpur
(C) Delhi (D) None of the above

027. Under Mauryan rule, the royal highway that encouraged trade was from _____.
(A) Patliputra to Multan (B) Patliputra to Taxila
(C) Patliputra to Kabul (D) Patliputra to Sialkot

028. Who among the following were associated with Hindustan Socialist Republic Association during the freedom struggle?

1. Chandra Shekar Azad
2. Sukhdev Thapar
3. Jogesh Chandra Chatarjee
4. Bhagat Singh
(A) 1, 2 and 3 only (B) 1, 2 and 4 only
(C) 1 and 2 only (D) 1, 2, 3 and 4

029. Which of the following two planets lying between the Sun and the Earth?
(A) Mercury and Mars (B) Venus and Mars
(C) Mercury and Venus (D) Jupiter and Saturn

030. If a tropical rain forest is removed, it does not regenerate quickly as compared to a tropical deciduous forest. This is because of _____.
(A) The soil of rain forest is deficient in nutrients
(B) Propagates of the trees in a rain forest have a poor viability
(C) The rain forest species are slow-growing
(D) Exotic species invade the fertile soil of rain forest

031. In India, the tropical deciduous forests form the natural cover in nearly all the places where the annual rainfall is between _____.
(A) 201 cm and 250 cm (B) 251 cm and 300 cm
(C) 70 cm and 100 cm (D) 101 cm and 200 cm

032. Which of the following is the correct sequence of the ranges of the Indian Himalaya from South to North?
(A) Trans Himalaya – Great Himalaya – Lesser Himalaya – Sub Himalaya
(B) Great Himalaya – Trans Himalaya – Lesser Himalaya – Sub Himalaya
(C) Sub Himalaya – Trans Himalaya – Great Himalaya – Lesser Himalaya
(D) Sub Himalaya – Lesser Himalaya – Great Himalaya – Trans Himalaya

033. ભારતના પૂર્વ ધાર અને પશ્ચિમ ધાર ખાતે મળે છે.

(A) કાર્બોમ ટેકરીઓ (B) અન્નામલાઈ ટેકરીઓ
(C) નિલગીરી ટેકરીઓ (D) પાલાની ટેકરીઓ

034. મેધાલયનો ઉચ્ચ પ્રદેશ મહદાંશો થી રચાયેલો છે.

(A) કેટાસીઅસ લાવા (Cretaceous lava)
(B) ગોંડવાના ખડકો (Gondwana rocks)
(C) ધારવારીયન કવાર્ટાઈટ્સ (Dharwarian Quartzites)
(D) ત્રીજા કમના નિક્ષેપના ખડકો (Tertiary sedimentary rocks)

035. નીચેના પૈકી કઈ જોડિઓ યોગ્ય રીતે જોડાયેલી છે ?

1. જીંક – જારવાર ખાણ, રાજસ્થાન
2. મેંગેનીઝ – ચાઈબાસા ખાણ, ઝારખંડ
3. મેનેટાઈટ – બાબા હડાન ટેકરીઓ, કષાર્ટક
4. યુરેનિયમ – ડોમીઆસટ, મેધાલય

(A) 1, 2, 3 અને 4 (B) માત્ર 2, 3 અને 4
(C) માત્ર 1, 2 અને 3 (D) માત્ર 1, 3 અને 4

036. નીચેના પૈકી કયા એ રાસાયણિક રીતે રચાયેલા નિક્ષેપના ખડકો છે ?

(A) જ્લાસમ (ચિરડી) (B) કોલસો
(C) રેતીનો પથ્ર (sandstone) (D) ચૂનાનો પથ્ર (limestone)

037. ડંકન માર્ગ (passage) એ વચ્ચે સ્થિત છે.

(A) South and Little Andaman (B) Little and Great Nicobar
(C) North and South Andaman (D) Middle and Little Andaman

038. વનો વિશે નીચેના પૈકી કયાં વિધાનો સાચાં છે ?

1. આરક્ષિત વનોમાં ઈમારતી લાકડા એકત્રિત કરવા પર જાહેર પ્રવેશ નિષેધ છે.
2. સુરક્ષિત વનોમાં લોકો ઈમારતી લાકડું એકત્રિત કરી શકે છે તેમજ તેમના ઠોરને ચરાવી શકે છે.
3. ભારતમાં દેશના કુલ વનોનો 53% હિસ્સો સુરક્ષિત વનો ધરાવે છે.

(A) 1, 2 અને 3 (B) માત્ર 1 અને 2
(C) માત્ર 2 અને 3 (D) માત્ર 1 અને 3

039. ગુજરાતની સરહદો વિશે નીચેના પૈકી કયા વિધાનો સાચાં છે ?

1. ગુજરાત એ અરબી સમુદ્ર અને ઉત્તરમાં પાકિસ્તાનના સિંધ પ્રાંતની સરહદ ધરાવે છે.
2. ગુજરાત એ ઉત્તરપૂર્વમાં રાજસ્થાનની સરહદ ધરાવે છે.
3. ગુજરાત એ દક્ષિણમાં દાદરા અને નગર હવેલી તથા દમણ અને દીવની સરહદ ધરાવે છે.

(A) 1, 2 અને 3 (B) માત્ર 1 અને 2
(C) માત્ર 2 અને 3 (D) માત્ર 1 અને 3

033. India's Eastern Ghats and Western Ghats meet at the _____.
 (A) Cardamom hills (B) Aanamalai hills
 (C) Nilgiri hills (D) Palani hills

034. The Meghalaya Plateaus are largely formed of _____.
 (A) Cretaceous lava
 (B) Gondwana rocks
 (C) Dharwarian Quartzites
 (D) Tertiary sedimentary rocks

035. Which of the following pairs are correctly matched?
 1. Zinc – Zarwar Mines, Rajasthan
 2. Manganese – Chaibasa mines, Jharkhand
 3. Magnetite – Baba Hudan hills, Karnataka
 4. Uranium – Domiasat, Meghalaya
 (A) 1, 2, 3 and 4 (B) 2, 3 and 4 only
 (C) 1, 2 and 3 only (D) 1, 3 and 4 only

036. Which one of the following is chemically formed sedimentary rocks?
 (A) Gypsum (B) Coal
 (C) Sandstone (D) Limestone

037. Duncan passage is located between _____.
 (A) South and Little Andaman (B) Little and Great Nicobar
 (C) North and South Andaman (D) Middle and Little Andaman

038. Which of the following statements are correct regarding forests?
 1. No public entry is allowed for the collection of timber in reserved forests.
 2. In protected forests people are allowed collect timber and graze their cattle
 3. In India protected forests occupied 53% of the total forest of the country
 (A) 1, 2 and 3 (B) 1 and 2 only
 (C) 2 and 3 only (D) 1 and 3 only

039. Which of the following statements are correct regarding Boundaries of Gujarat?
 1. Gujarat is bordered by Arabian Sea and the Pakistani province of Sindh to the North.
 2. Gujarat is bordered by Rajasthan to the northeast
 3. Gujarat is bordered by Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu to the south
 (A) 1, 2, and 3 (B) 1 and 2 only
 (C) 2 and 3 only (D) 1 and 3 only

040. ગુજરાતની નીચેના પૈકી કઈ જાતિમાં દક્ષિણ આફ્રિકાના લોકોના લક્ષણોનું લાક્ષણિક પ્રતિબિંબ જોવા મળે છે ?

(A) બરડા

(B) સિદ્ધી

(C) ભીલ

(D) રબારી

041. ભારતના મુખ્ય દરિયાઈ બંદરોમાં નીચેના પૈકીનું ક્યું બંદર એ કુદરતી બંદર નથી ?

(A) મુંબઈ

(B) કોચીન

(C) પારાડીપ

(D) માર્મગાઓ (Mormugao)

042. અરવલ્લીના પર્વતો વિશે નીચેના પૈકી ક્યું / કયાં વિધાન / વિધાનો સાચું / સાચાં છે ?

(A) અરવલ્લી એ જૂનો ગરી પર્વત છે કે જે ઉત્તર કરતાં દક્ષિણમાં વધુ વિસ્તૃત અને ઊંચો છે.

(B) અરવલ્લી હારમાળા એ પૂર્ણ જળ વિભાજક છે તે સાબરમતી, લૂણી અને બનાસનદીનો સ્ત્રોત છે.

(C) (A) તથા (B) બંને

(D) (A) અથવા (B) એકપણ નહિ

043. વિવિધ પ્રકારની મિસાઈલો બાબતે નીચેના પૈકી ક્યાં વિધાનો સાચાં છે ?

1. કુઝ મિસાઈલ તેમના સમગ્ર માર્ગમાં માર્ગદર્શિત હોય છે અને તે વાતાવરણમાં રહે છે.

2. બેલેસ્ટીક મિસાઈલ્સ કરતાં કુઝ મિસાઈલ્સમાં પેલોડ વહન ક્ષમતા ઘણી વધારે હોય છે.

3. કુઝ મિસાઈલ ટેકનોલોજીએ ટૂંકા અંતરના મિસાઈલ્સ માટે યોગ્ય છે.

(A) 1, 2 અને 3

(B) માત્ર 1 અને 3

(C) માત્ર 1 અને 2

(D) માત્ર 2 અને 3

044. Air Quality Index (AQI) (હવા ગુણવત્તા સૂચકાંક)ના સંદર્ભમાં નીચેના પૈકી ક્યાં વિધાન / વિધાનો સાચું / સાચાં છે ?

(A) AQI ના કુલ સાત પ્રકાર હોય છે.

(B) તે 'એક નંબર - એક રંગ - એક વર્ણન' (One number - One color - one Description) બંધારણ ધરાવે છે.

(C) (A) તથા (B) બંને

(D) (A) અથવા (B) એકપણ નહિ

045. નીચેના પૈકી ક્યાં વિધાનો સાચાં છે ?

1. કેલરીનો સામાન્ય વપરાશ પુરુષોમાં 2200 કિલો કેલરી પ્રતિદિન છે.

2. કેલરીનો સામાન્ય વપરાશ સ્ત્રીઓમાં 1500 કિલો કેલરી પ્રતિદિન છે.

3. જો જમ્બા પણી લોહીમાં શર્કરાનું સ્તર 160 mg થી વધે તો તે શર્કરા શરીરમાં દેખાવવાનું શરૂ કરે છે.

(A) 1, 2 અને 3

(B) માત્ર 2 અને 3

(C) માત્ર 1 અને 2

(D) માત્ર 1 અને 3

040. Among the following which Gujarati tribe has reflection of typical traits of South African people?

(A) Barda (B) Siddi
 (C) Bhil (D) Rabari

041. Which one of the following major seaports of India is not a natural harbor?

(A) Mumbai (B) Cochin
 (C) Paradeep (D) Mormugao

042. Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding Aravalli Mountains?

(A) Aravalli is an old fold mountain, it is broader and higher in the south than in the north.
 (B) Aravalli range is a perfect water divide, it is a source of Sabarmati, Luni and Banas rivers.
 (C) Both (A) and (B)
 (D) Neither (A) nor (B)

043. Which of the following statements are correct regarding different kinds of missiles?

1. Cruise missiles are guided throughout their path and remain in the atmosphere
 2. Payload carrying capacity is very high in cruise missiles than ballistic missiles
 3. Cruise missile technology is suitable for short range missiles
 (A) 1, 2 and 3 (B) 1 and 3 only
 (C) 1 and 2 only (D) 2 and 3 only

044. With reference to Air Quality Index (AQI), which of the following statements is/are correct?

(A) There are seven AQI categories.
 (B) It follows the format 'One Number-One Color-One Description'
 (C) Both (A) and (B)
 (D) Neither (A) nor (B)

045. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. Normal consumption of calories among males is 2200 kcal per day.
 2. Normal consumption of calories among females is 1500 kcal per day
 3. Post-meal, if the blood glucose level rises more than 160 mg then the glucose starts appearing in the body
 (A) 1, 2 and 3 (B) 2 and 3 only
 (C) 1 and 2 only (D) 1 and 3 only

059. પરંપરાગત કૃષિ વિકાસ યોજના (PKVY)નું લક્ષ્ય છે.

(A) દેશમાં સેન્દ્રીય ખેતીને પ્રોત્સાહન આપવાનું
 (B) રસાયણો અને જંતુનાશકોના અવશેષોથી મુક્ત બેચી કૃષિ પેદાશોનું ઉત્પાદન કરવાનું
 (C) સેન્દ્રીય ખેતીમાં અતિ આધુનિક તકનીકોનો પ્રસાર કરવાનું
 (D) ઉપરના તમામ

060. નીચેના પૈકી ક્યા દેશો એ �South Asian Free Trade Agreement (SAFTA) ના સંદર્ભો છે ?

1. ભૂતાન
 2. માલદીવ
 3. પાકિસ્તાન
 4. ભ્યાનમાર
 5. અફધાનિસ્તાન

(A) માત્ર 1, 2, 3 અને 5 (B) માત્ર 1, 3, 4 અને 5
 (C) માત્ર 1, 2, 4 અને 5 (D) 1, 2, 3, 4 અને 5

061. નીચેના પૈકી કઈ એ ચલાણા અવમૂલ્યનની સંભવિત અસરો છે ?

1. Forex બજારોમાં ચલાણા મૂલ્યમાં ઘટાડો
 2. ઊંચી નિકાસ સ્પર્ધાત્મકતા
 3. ઊંચો ફૂશાવો

4. આયાતની ડિંમતમાં વધારો

(A) માત્ર 1 (B) માત્ર 1, 2 અને 4
 (C) માત્ર 2 અને 3 (D) 1, 2, 3 અને 4

062. વાયબ્રાન્ટ ગુજરાત વૈશ્વિક સમિટ 2019 નું મુખ્ય વિષયવસ્તુ (Main Theme) ક્યું છે ?

(A) ટકાઉ આર્થિક અને સામાજિક વિકાસ
 (B) Gujarat Going Global
 (C) નવા ભારતનું નિર્માણ (Shaping a new India)
 (D) ગુજરાત વૈશ્વિક વ્યાપારી કેન્દ્ર (Gujarat Global Business Hub)

063. કોઈ દેશની વસ્તુઓ, સેવાઓ અને સંપત્તિની બાકીના વિશ્વ સાથે લેવડ દેવડની નોંધ એ તેની કહેવાય છે.

(A) ચાલુ ખાતુ (Current account)
 (B) ચૂકવણી સંતુલન (Balance of Payments)
 (C) વ્યાપાર સંતુલન (Balance of Trade)
 (D) મૂડી ખાતુ (Capital account)

064. ગુજરાતમાં કૃષિમાં ભૌગોલિક સંકેતો (indications) એ ને પૂરા પાડવામાં આવે છે.

(A) માત્ર ભાલીયા ઘઉં (B) માત્ર ગીર કેસર કેરી
 (C) ભાલીયા ઘઉં અને ગીર કેસર કેરી (D) ગીર, કચ્છ અને વલસાડ કેસર કેરી

059. Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY) aims at _____.

- (A) To promote organic farming in the country
- (B) Producing agricultural products free from chemicals and pesticides residues
- (C) Disseminating latest technologies in organic farming
- (D) All of the above

060. Which of the following countries are members of South Asian Free Trade Agreement (SAFTA)?

- 1. Bhutan
- 2. Maldives
- 3. Pakistan
- 4. Myanmar
- 5. Afghanistan

- (A) 1, 2, 3 and 5 only
- (B) 1, 3, 4 and 5 only
- (C) 1, 2, 4 and 5 only
- (D) 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5

061. Which of the following are the likely implications of currency devaluation?

- 1. The decline in value of the currency in forex markets.
- 2. Higher export competitiveness
- 3. Higher inflation
- 4. Rise in cost of imports.

- (A) 1 only
- (B) 1, 2 and 4 only
- (C) 2 and 3 only
- (D) 1, 2, 3 and 4

062. What is main theme of Vibrant Gujarat Global Summit 2019?

- (A) Sustainable Economic and Social Development
- (B) Gujarat Going Global
- (C) Shaping a new India
- (D) Gujarat Global Business Hub

063. The record of a country's transactions in goods, services and assets with the rest of the world is its

- (A) Current account
- (B) Balance of payments
- (C) Balance of trade
- (D) Capital account

064. In Gujarat, Geographical Indications in agriculture are provided to _____.

- (A) Bhalia wheat only
- (B) Gir Kesar mango only
- (C) Bhalia wheat and Gir Kesar mango
- (D) Gir, Kutch and Valsad Kesar Mango

065. આર્થિક વસ્તી ગણતરી એ છે.
 (A) ઉત્પાદનમાં રોકાયેલી તમામ સંસ્થાઓની ગણતરી (B) માત્ર કૃષિ સંસ્થાઓની ગણતરી
 (C) માત્ર લઘુ કક્ષાના ઉદ્યોગોની ગણતરી (D) માત્ર સૂક્ષ્મ (micro) ઉદ્યોગોની ગણતરી

066. SEZ અધિનિયમ, 2005 અંતર્ગત વિશિષ્ટ આર્થિક ક્ષેત્ર (Special Economic Zone) દ્વારા સ્થાપી શકાય.
 (A) માત્ર કેન્દ્ર સરકાર (B) માત્ર રાજ્ય સરકાર
 (C) માત્ર વ્યક્તિગત રીતે (D) તમામ દ્વારા સ્વતંત્ર રીતે અથવા ભાગીદારીમાં

067. નીચેના પૈકી કયું મંત્રાલય / ક્યા મંત્રાલયો પ્રધાનમંત્રી કૃષિ સિંચાઈ યોજનાના અમલીકરણ માટે જવાબદાર છે ?
 1. ગ્રામીણ વિકાસ મંત્રાલય
 2. કૃષિ અને ખેડૂત કલ્યાણ મંત્રાલય
 3. જળ સંસાધન, નદી વિકાસ અને ગંગા સંરક્ષણ મંત્રાલય
 (A) 1, 2 અને 3 (B) માત્ર 2 અને 3 (C) માત્ર 1 અને 3 (D) માત્ર 1 અને 2

068. નીચેના પૈકી કયું Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) (ભારતીય પ્રતિભૂતિ અને વિનિમય બોર્ડ)નું કાર્ય નથી ?
 (A) સ્ટોક એક્સચેન્જની કામગીરીનું નિરીક્ષણ
 (B) નવી મૂડી બાબતોનું વીમાકરણ (underwriting) કરવું
 (C) વેપારી બેંકો અને ભ્યુચ્યુઅલ ફંડનું નિયમન
 (D) સ્વસ્થ (healthy) મૂડી બજારના વિકાસને પ્રોત્સાહન આપવું

069. 'Make in India' યોજના વિશે નીચેના પૈકી કયું / ક્યાં વિધાન / વિધાનો સાચું / સાચાં છે ?
 (A) તે અર્થતંત્રના 25 ક્ષેત્રો ઉપર ધ્યાન કેન્દ્રીત કરે છે.
 (B) Make in India હેઠળ આવરી લેવામાં આવેલા તમામ ક્ષેત્રોમાં 100% સીધા વિદેશી રોકાણ (Foreign Direct Investment) ની મંજૂરી છે.
 (C) (A) તથા (B) બંને
 (D) (A) અથવા (B) એકપણ નહિ

070. ભારતમાં 'સાવર્નિક બેંકિંગ' (Universal Banking) ની વિભાવના ની ભલામણાથી લાગુ કરવામાં આવી.
 (A) આર. એચ. ખાન સમિતિ (B) આબીદ હુસેન સમિતિ
 (C) પદ્મનાભન સમિતિ (D) મેલાગમ સમિતિ

071. ભારતમાં જાહેર સેવાઓ બાબતે નીચેના પૈકી કયું / ક્યાં વિધાન / વિધાનો સાચું / સાચાં છે ?
 1. અભિલ ભારતીય સેવાઓનું નિયંત્રણ માત્ર કેન્દ્ર સરકાર દ્વારા થાય છે.
 2. અભિલ ભારતીય સેવાના કોઈપણ અધિકારી વિરુદ્ધ શિસ્તને લગતી કોઈપણ કાર્યવાહી (શિક્ષા લાદવી) એ માત્ર કેન્દ્ર સરકાર દ્વારા જ થઈ શકે છે.
 3. લોકસભાએ 2/3 બહુમતીથી નવી અભિલ ભારતીય સેવાઓનું નિર્માણ કરી શકે છે.
 (A) માત્ર 1 અને 3 (B) માત્ર 2
 (C) માત્ર 2 અને 3 (D) 1, 2 અને 3

072. સંસદમાં 'Cut-motion' (કાપ દરખાસ્ત)નો હેતુ શું છે ?
 (A) સરકારના દૈનિક આર્થિક ખર્ચાઓ મર્યાદિત કરવા.
 (B) સરકારમાં અનુદાન મર્યાદિત કરવું.
 (C) બજેટ દરખાસ્તોમાં ખર્ચને ઘટાડવા માટેનો દરખાસ્ત પ્રસ્તાવ રજૂ કરવો.
 (D) ભારતના સંચિત નિધિ (consolidate fund) માંથી અનુદાનને મર્યાદિત કરવું.

073. નીચેના પૈકી કઈ પરિસ્થિતિ / ઘટનામાં રાજ્યના રાજ્યપાલ એ મુખ્યમંત્રીની નિયુક્તિમાં પોતાની વ્યક્તિગત વિવેકશક્તિનો ઉપયોગ કરે છે ?
 (A) ચૂંટણી પછી જ્યારે કોઈપણ પક્ષને સ્પષ્ટ બહુમતી ન મળી હોય.
 (B) જ્યારે હોદા પરના મુખ્યમંત્રીનું એકાએક મૃત્યુ થયું હોય.
 (C) (A) તથા (B) બંને
 (D) (A) અથવા (B) એકપણ નહિં

074. નીચેના પૈકી કઈ પદ્ધતિ દ્વારા વડી અદાલતના ન્યાયાધીશોને તેમના કાર્યકાળ દરમાન તેમના હોદા ઉપરથી દૂર કરી શકાય છે ?
 (A) જો રાજ્યની વિધાનસભા એ આ બાબતનો ઠરાવ 2/3 બહુમતીથી પસાર કરે તો રાજ્યપાલ દ્વારા
 (B) સંસદની ભલામણથી મુખ્ય ન્યાયમૂર્તિ દ્વારા
 (C) સંસદ દ્વારા 2/3 બહુમતીથી પસાર કરવામાં આવેલ ઠરાવના આધારે રાષ્ટ્રપતિ દ્વારા
 (D) ઉપરના પૈકી એકપણ નહિં

075. જો કે મંત્રીમંડળ એ સંયુક્ત રીતે લોકસભાને જવાબદાર છે તેમ છતાં બંધારણીય રીતે વ્યક્તિગત રીતે મંત્રીએ ને જવાબદાર હોય છે.
 (A) રાષ્ટ્રપતિ (B) વડાપ્રધાન
 (C) અધ્યક્ષ (D) ઉપરના પૈકી એકપણ નહિં

076. ભારતના ઉપરાષ્ટ્રપતિની ચૂંટણી બાબતે નીચેના પૈકી કયું / કયાં વિધાન / વિધાનો સાચું / સાચાં છે ?
 1. રાજ્યસભાના નામાંકિત સભ્ય એ રાષ્ટ્રપતિની ચૂંટણીમાં મતદાન કરી શકતા નથી પરંતુ તે ઉપરાષ્ટ્રપતિની ચૂંટણીમાં મતદાન કરી શકે છે.
 2. ઉપરાષ્ટ્રપતિની ચૂંટણીમાં પ્રત્યેક મતદાતાના મતનું મૂલ્ય સમાન હોય છે.
 3. પક્ષ પલટા વિરોધી કાયદાની જોગવાઈઓ એ ઉપરાષ્ટ્રપતિની ચૂંટણીમાં લાગુ પડતી નથી.
 (A) માત્ર 1 (B) માત્ર 1 અને 2
 (C) માત્ર 2 અને 3 (D) 1, 2 અને 3

077. ભારતમાં અન્ન સુરક્ષા અંગેનો હક એ છે.
 (A) કાનૂની હક (B) મૂળભૂત હક
 (C) બંધારણીય હક (D) ઉપરના પૈકી એકપણ નહિં

072. What is the objective of the 'Cut-motion' in Parliament?

- (A) To restrict day-to-day financial expenditure of Government
- (B) To restrict the Grants in Government
- (C) To move a proposal to reduce expenditure in the Budget proposals
- (D) To restrict grant from Consolidated Fund of India

073. In which of the following conditions/events, the Governor of a state can use his individual discretion in appointing the Chief Minister?

- (A) When after the elections, no political party has clear majority
- (B) When the Chief Minister in office dies suddenly
- (C) Both (A) and (B)
- (D) Neither (A) nor (B)

074. In which of the following manner the judges of the High Court can be removed from their office during their tenure?

- (A) By the Governor, if the State Legislature passes a resolution to this effect by two-thirds majority
- (B) By the Chief Justice on the recommendation of the Parliament
- (C) By the President on the basis of a resolution passed by the Parliament by two-thirds majority
- (D) None of the above

075. Though the Council of Ministers is collectively responsible to the Lok Sabha, the individual Ministers are constitutionally responsible to _____.

(A) The President	(B) The Prime Minister
(C) The Speaker	(D) None of the above

076. Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding Election of a Vice-President of India?

1. The Nominated member of Rajya Sabha will not be able to vote for President's Election but can vote for Vice-Presidential Election
2. Value of vote of each voter is equal in Vice-Presidential Election
3. Provisions of the Anti-Defection Law are not applicable in Vice-Presidential Elections

(A) 1 only	(B) 1 and 2 only
(C) 2 and 3 only	(D) 1, 2 and 3

077. The Right to Food Security in India is a _____.

(A) Legal Right	(B) Fundamental Right
(C) Constitutional Right	(D) None of the above

078. Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding Interim Cabinet (1946)?

1. The members of the Interim Cabinet were members of the Viceroy's executive council.
2. Dr Babu Rajendra Prasad was the vice president of the Viceroy's Executive Council.
3. Jawaharlal Nehru was the minister for Home, Information and Broadcasting in the Interim Cabinet.

(A) 1, 2 and 3 (B) 1 only (C) 2 and 3 only (D) 1 and 2 only

079. Which of the following pairs is/are correctly matched?

1. Fourth Schedule - Allocation of seats in the Rajya Sabha
2. Tenth Schedule - Provisions relating to the Disqualification of members in legislative bodies.
3. Seventh Schedule - Division of powers between Centre and State
4. Sixth Schedule - Provisions relating to the administration of Tribal areas in some states.

(A) 1 and 3 only (B) 2 and 4 only (C) 2, 3 and 4 only (D) 1, 2, 3 and 4

080. Which of the following statements are correct regarding Preamble of the Indian Constitution?

1. The Preamble emphasises the ultimate authority of the people
2. The Preamble is based on the 'objectives resolution' moved by J.L. Nehru in constituent Assembly
3. The word 'Democratic' embraces not only Political but social and economic democracy as well

(A) 1, 2 and 3 (B) 2 and 3 only (C) 1 and 2 only (D) 1 and 3 only

081. Rights given to the people by the Constitution are called Fundamental Rights because _____.
 (A) They are natural rights
 (B) They can't be suspended
 (C) They are a part of the Constitution
 (D) They can be enforced and safeguarded by the courts

082. Which one of the following Commissions/Committees recommended that 'there should be provision for impeachment of the Governor by the State Legislature along the same line as that of President of India'

(A) Dave Committee (B) G. V. Ramkrishna Committee
 (C) M. M. Punchi Commission (D) K. Santhanam Committee

083. Which of the following statements are correct regarding constitutional amendments?

1. An Amendment to the Constitution of India can be initiated by an introduction of a bill in either of the two Houses of the Parliament
2. Article 368 of the Indian Constitution provides for Constitutional Amendment
3. In Shankari Prasad case, 1951 the Supreme Court of India upheld the constitutional validity of Fourth Amendment Act
4. The basic structure doctrine was propounded by the Supreme Court of India in Sajjan Singh case

(A) 1, 2 and 3 only (B) 1 and 3 only (C) 1 and 2 only (D) 1, 2, 3 and 4

084. ભારતના બંધારણમાં નીચેના પૈકી કયો અધિકાર એ મૂળભૂત અધિકાર નથી ?
 (A) પ્રદુષણ મુક્ત હવાનો અધિકાર
 (B) આશ્રયનો અધિકાર (Right to shelter)
 (C) કાયદાકીય સહાયનો અધિકાર
 (D) શિક્ષણનો અધિકાર

085. ભારતીય સુરક્ષા બળોએ સ્વદેશી રીતે વિકસાવેલ ઉપકરણ 'Sahayak-NG' નું સફળ પરિક્ષણ કર્યું તે છે.
 (A) હવામાં છોડી શકાય તેવા કન્ટેનર (Air Droppable Container)
 (B) યુદ્ધ જહાજ (Frigate)
 (C) વાયુ સેના માટે રડાર પ્રણાલી (Radar System for Air Force)
 (D) સ્વયં સંચાલિત તોપ બંદૂક (Self propelled artillery gun)

086. તાજેતરમાં, જાપાન Five Eye Network માં જોડાયું છે અને નેટવર્કમાં Sixth eye બન્યું છે. નીચેના પૈકી કયા દેશો એ Five eye network ના સભ્યો છે ?
 (A) ઓસ્ટ્રેલિયા, કેનેડા, બ્રિટન, યુ.એસ.એ. અને ભારત
 (B) કેનેડા, બ્રિટન, ભારત, ઇન્ડોનેશિયા અને ઓસ્ટ્રેલિયા
 (C) ભારત, મલેશિયા, ઇન્ડોનેશિયા, વિયેટનામ અને થાઇલેન્ડ
 (D) ઓસ્ટ્રેલિયા, કેનેડા, બ્રિટન, યુ.એસ.એ. અને ન્યૂઝીલેન્ડ

087. તાજેતરમાં ભારતે Tso Khar જલપ્લાવિત સંકુલને તેના 42મા રામસર સ્થળ તરીકે ઉમેર્યું છે. આ સ્થળ ખાતે સ્થિત છે.
 (A) મેધાલય
 (B) સિક્કિમ
 (C) લદાખ
 (D) હિમાચલ પ્રદેશ

088. તાજેતરમાં આસામે તેના રાજભાષા વિધેયકમાં સુધારો કરેલ છે અને ને તેમના રાજ્યની રાજભાષા તરીકે ઉમેરી છે.
 (A) નાગા (Naga)
 (B) બોડો (Bodo)
 (C) કાર્મી (Karmi)
 (D) ઉપરના પૈકી એકપણ નહીં

089. સરકારના તાજેતરના નિર્ણય અનુસાર DTH ક્ષેત્રને % સીધા વિદેશી રોકાણની મંજૂરી આપવામાં આવી છે.
 (A) 51%
 (B) 66%
 (C) 99%
 (D) 100%

090. તાજેતરમાં ભારતે તેના Medium Range Surface to Air Missile (MRSAM) નું પરીક્ષણ કર્યું. આ મિસાઈલ એ DRDO અને દ્વારા વિકસાવવામાં આવ્યું છે.
 (A) French Dassault Aviation
 (B) Israel Aerospace Industries
 (C) Russian Tungaska Aviation
 (D) Britain Jaguar Industries

091. ગૃહ અને શહેરી બાબતોના મંત્રાલય અનુસાર નીચેના પૈકી કયું શહેર એ ઇન્ટિરા આવાસ યોજના - શહેરી 2019 એવોર્ડમાં પ્રથમ કર્મે આવ્યું ?
 (A) વિઝાગ
 (B) હેદરાબાદ
 (C) કોચી
 (D) સુરત

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109. If $Q = \int_1^{\infty} x^{-3} dx$, then the value of Q is

(A) $-\frac{1}{2}$ (B) $\frac{1}{2}$ (C) 1 (D) 0

110. If a function is continuous at a point then

(A) the limit of the function may not exist at that point.
 (B) the function must be derivable at that point.
 (C) the limit of the function at that point tends to infinity.
 (D) the limit must exist at that point and the value of limit should be same as the value of the function at that point.

111. Given that $y = x^3 + 2x + 100$, then the value of $\frac{dy}{dx}$ at $x = 1$.

(A) 5 (B) 4
 (C) 3 (D) 2

112. It is known that two roots of the nonlinear equation $x^3 - 6x^2 + 11x - 6 = 0$ are 1 and 2. The third root will be.

(A) 5 (B) 6
 (C) 3 (D) 0

113. The differential equation $4 \left(\frac{d^3y}{dt^3} \right) + 10 \left(\frac{dy}{dt} \right) + y^2 + 10 = x$ has

(A) Order = 1, Degree = 3 (B) Order = 2, Degree = 1
 (C) Order = 3, Degree = 1 (D) Order = 3, Degree = 0

114. The solution of at $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x}{y}$ $x = 1$ and $y = \sqrt{3}$ is

(A) $x - y^2 = -2$ (B) $x + y^2 = -4$
 (C) $x^2 - y^2 = -2$ (D) $x^2 + y^2 = 4$

115. If $x = \sqrt{-1}$ then the value of x^x is.

(A) 1 (B) x
 (C) $e^{\pi/2}$ (D) $e^{-\pi/2}$

116. Solutions of Laplace equation having continuous second-order partial derivatives are called

(A) Error functions (B) Conjugate harmonic functions
 (C) Biharmonic functions (D) Harmonic functions

117. A dice is thrown twice. What is the probability that the sum is neither 8 nor 9?

(A) 1/9 (B) 5/36
 (C) 1/4 (D) 3/4

118. If $P(X) = 1/2$, $P(Y) = 1/4$, and $P(XY) = 1/20$ then the value of $P(Y/X)$ is
(A) 1/5 (B) 1/10
(C) 1/8 (D) 1/6

119. Which of the following methods is most adopted in solving the ordinary differential equations?
(A) Gauss elimination method
(B) Newton-Raphson method
(C) Range-Kutta method
(D) Simpson's rule

120. Using Simpson's 1/3 rule for numerical integration, the consecutive points are joined by
(A) Line
(B) Polynomial with power 1/3
(C) Polynomial with power 3
(D) Parabola

121. The variance of an activity may be calculated by using following formula.
(A) $\left(\frac{t_p - t_o}{3}\right)^2$ (B) $\left(\frac{t_p - 2t_o}{6}\right)^{-1}$
(C) $\left(\frac{t_p - t_o}{6}\right)$ (D) $\left(\frac{t_p - t_o}{6}\right)^2$

122. The critical path has
(A) Infinite slack (B) Minimum slack
(C) Maximum slack (D) Zero slack

123. Interfering float is equal to
(A) Total float – Free float
(B) Total float – Independent float
(C) Free float – Independent float
(D) Independent float + Activity time

124. Milestone chart is an improvement over
(A) Bar chart (B) PERT schedule
(C) CPM schedule (D) All of the above

125. Total float

- (A) affects only preceding activity.
- (B) affects only succeeding activity.
- (C) affects both preceding and succeeding activity.
- (D) is independent of preceding and succeeding activity.

126. Negative slack occurs when

- (A) Events follow the schedule.
- (B) Dummy activities are large in number.
- (C) Deficiency of resources occurs.
- (D) Dummy activities do not exist.

127. Which one of the following project management techniques is deterministic in nature?

(A) CPM	(B) PERT
(C) GERT	(D) LCES

128. The cost slope is defined as

- (A)
$$\frac{\text{crash cost} - \text{normal cost}}{\text{crash time}}$$
- (B)
$$\frac{\text{crash cost}}{\text{normal time} - \text{crash time}}$$
- (C)
$$\frac{\text{crash cost} - \text{normal cost}}{\text{normal time}}$$
- (D)
$$\frac{\text{crash cost} - \text{normal cost}}{\text{normal time} - \text{crash time}}$$

129. The reduction in project time normally results in

- (A) Decreasing the direct cost but increasing indirect cost
- (B) Increasing the direct cost but decreasing the indirect cost
- (C) Increasing both - the direct and indirect cost
- (D) Decreasing both - the direct and indirect cost

130. Site order book is used for recording.

- (A) Instruction of the executive engineer
- (B) Construction measurement
- (C) Requisition of plants and equipment
- (D) Indents for material to be ordered.

131. Earliest finish time of an activity is equal to
(A) Earliest start time + activity time
(B) Earliest start time – activity time
(C) Latest start time + activity time
(D) Latest finish time – activity time

132. PERT network analysis is _____ oriented.
(A) event (B) activity
(C) float (D) slack

133. In cost time optimization of a project, the project can be crashed by expediting
(A) all the activities on the network
(B) all the activities on the sub critical path
(C) all the critical activities having minimum cost slope
(D) all the activities on the critical path

134. Total project cost versus time curve is a/an
(A) S-shaped curve (B) U-shaped curve
(C) Parabola (D) Straight line

135. The constraints in case of resource smoothing operation would be
(A) Project duration time
(B) Resources
(C) Both project duration time and resources
(D) None of the above

136. The CPM network is updated
(A) at regular interval
(B) at fixed times
(C) at any time
(D) whenever there is difference in the planned activity and actual performance

137. At work site, statistical quality control of concrete means
(A) Measurement of risks to eliminate failures.
(B) Applying the theory of probability to sample testing or inspection
(C) Reduction in wastage of inspection costs
(D) Reduction in costs for the removal of defects

138. The probability of completion of any activity within its expected time is
 (A) 25% (B) 50%
 (C) 75% (D) 82.5%

139. During the construction period, price variation clause in contracts caters to
 (A) Increase in rates of only important materials.
 (B) Variation in cost in material element, labour element and petrol-oil-lubricant element
 (C) Variation in total cost of the project on an ad hoc basis
 (D) Rate of inflation

140. Sinking fund is
 (A) the fund for rebuilding a structure when its economic life is over.
 (B) the fund raised to meet maintenance costs.
 (C) the total sum to be paid to the municipal authorities by the tenants.
 (D) the fund reserved for providing additional structures and carry out structural modifications.

141. Which of the following is a basic principle of total quality management?
 (A) Continuous process improvement
 (B) Continuous defect elimination
 (C) Continuous value enhancement
 (D) Continuous productivity improvement

142. Who is often referred to as the 'Father of Quality Control'?
 (A) J.M. Juran (B) Armand Feigenbaum
 (C) Edward Deming (D) Kaoru Ishikawa

143. Which of the following is a type of Variable Control Chart?
 (A) P-chart (B) X-chart
 (C) C-chart (D) U-chart

144. The percentage of defects which consumers are willing to accept as 'good' is defined by the
 (A) Consumer risk level (B) Producer risk level
 (C) Acceptance quality level (D) Average outgoing quality

145. Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award (MBNQA) is for
 (A) Total Quality Management
 (B) Total Quality Control
 (C) Total Productive Maintenance
 (D) Organization of International Standards

146. To maintain six sigma quality, a process must not produce more than _____ defects per million opportunities.

(A) 6.2 (B) 5.0
(C) 4.8 (D) 3.4

147. Six Sigma is a business-driven, multi-dimensional structural approach for:

(i) Reducing process variability
(ii) Increasing customer satisfaction
(iii) Lowering defects

(A) Only (i) (B) (i) and (ii)
(C) (ii) and (iii) (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

148. ISO 14010 to ISO 14015 is for

(A) Environmental Labelling
(B) Environmental Auditing and related activities
(C) Environmental performance evaluation
(D) Life cycle assessment

149. An environmental impact refers to

(i) any change to the environment, whether adverse or beneficial
(ii) those activities, products or services which can pollute the environment.
(iii) poor environmental management that results in pollution

(A) Only (i) (B) Only (ii)
(C) (ii) and (iii) (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

150. The inventory which is built up due to anticipated demand of product in future is called as

(i) Anticipation Inventory
(ii) Seasonal Inventory
(iii) Transit or pipeline inventory
(iv) Buffer or safety stock

(A) Only (i) (B) (i) and (ii)
(C) (ii) and (iii) (D) (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv)

151. Which of the following shows the Shortage or Stockout Cost (SC) estimation?

(A) Number of units short – Shortage cost/unit
(B) Number of units short + Shortage cost/unit
(C) Number of units short \times Shortage cost/unit
(D) Number of units short / Shortage cost/unit

152. A circle will appear on an isometric drawing as a(n) _____

(A) Circle (B) Cycloid
(C) Ellipse (D) Parabola

153. Select the type of line which is part of a dimension in drawings

(A) Break lines (B) Cutting plane lines
(C) Extension lines (D) Phantom lines

154. The cube can also be called a regular _____

(A) Hexahedron (B) Isocohedron
(C) Octahedron (D) Tetrahedron

155. Select the tool which can be used to draw a 90-degree angle

(i) Drafting machine
(ii) Protractor
(iii) 30/60 triangle

(A) Only (i) (B) (i) and (ii)
(C) (i) and (iii) (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

156. How many tangents can be drawn to a given circle, parallel to a given line?

(A) 1 (B) 2
(C) 4 (D) ∞ (infinite)

157. What will be the top view of an egg when it is placed vertically on a horizontal plane?

(A) Circle (B) Ellipse
(C) Oval (D) Sphere

158. A circular plate of a negligible thickness is placed vertically to a horizontal plane; the front view will be:

(A) Circle (B) Ellipse
(C) Line (D) Rectangle

159. Steel is used as reinforcing material in RCC because

(A) its thermal expansion is almost equal to that of concrete
(B) its thermal expansion is lower to that of concrete
(C) it can easily manufactured in the factory
(D) it's the cheapest tensile load bearing substance

160. Atoms bond primarily to

(A) Increase their potential energy and lose stability
(B) Increase their potential energy and gain stability
(C) Reduce their potential energy and lose stability
(D) Reduce their potential energy and gain stability

161. Aluminum alloys are widely used in the aircraft industry due to its
(A) Good corrosion resistance (B) Good weldability
(C) High strength (D) Low specific gravity

162. The purest form of iron is
(A) Cast iron (B) Pig iron
(C) Stainless Steel (D) Wrought iron

163. A material is considered to be linear elastic if
(A) Energy \propto Displacement (B) Energy \propto Load
(C) Load \propto Displacement (D) Load \propto 1/ Displacement

164. Poisson's ratio of a perfectly plastic material is
(A) 0.25 (B) 0.50
(C) 1.0 (D) -1.0

165. Progressive deformation of a material at a slow rate for applied constant loading is called as
(A) Creep (B) Consolidation
(C) Fatigue (D) Yielding

166. Resilient Modulus (Mr) can be represented by:
(A) $Mr = \frac{Stress}{Strain}$ (B) $Mr = \frac{Deviatoric\ stress}{Recoverable\ strain}$
(C) $Mr = \frac{Direct\ stress}{Linear\ strain}$ (D) $Mr = \frac{Direct\ stress}{Volumetric\ strain}$

167. Breaking of a wire due to repeated bending is an example of
(A) Creep failure (B) Ductile failure
(C) Fatigue failure (D) Shear failure

168. Bauschinger effect refers to
(A) anelastic deformation
(B) the dependence of yield stress on path and direction
(C) the Hysteresis loss during loading and unloading
(D) the unchanged stress-strain characteristics

169. In general, the true stress-strain curve is _____ when compared with the conventional stress-strain curve.
(A) above and left (B) above and right
(C) below and left (D) below and right

170. For the isentropic materials, the stress-strain relationship is known as
(A) Coulomb's law (B) Hooke's law
(C) Newton's law (D) Ohm's law

171. The viscous component of viscoelastic material is modelled as _____
(A) Dashpot (B) Locknut
(C) Spring (D) Plunger

172. Study of materials at cryogenic level deals with temperatures around _____
(A) -45°C (B) -90°C
(C) -180°C (D) -360°C

173. The face-centered cubic (FCC) crystal structure possesses _____ atomic packing factor.
(A) 0.63 (B) 6.30
(C) 0.74 (D) 7.40

174. The basic source of magnetism is due to
(A) Charged particles alone
(B) Magnetic dipoles
(C) Magnetic domains
(D) Movement of charged particles

175. Annealing is generally done on
(A) High carbon steels (B) Medium carbon steels
(C) Low carbon steels (D) Steel castings

176. Flame hardening can only be performed on steels with a minimum of _____ carbon content.
(A) 0.4% (B) 0.8%
(C) 1.2% (D) 1.6%

177. The factor of safety for brittle materials (having elongation less than 5%) is based on
(A) Endurance limit (B) Limit of proportionality
(C) Ultimate stress (D) Yield stress

178. Select the welding process in which no filler metal is used
(A) Autogenous (B) Fusion
(C) Heterogeneous (D) Homogeneous

185. Whistle blowing is the exposure of abuses for

(A) Protecting public interest	(B) Personal interest
(C) Organizational gains	(D) None of the above

186. Plagiarism is

(i) the representation of another author's language, thoughts, ideas, or expressions as one's own original work	
(ii) Using the intellectual property of others without their permission	
(A) Only (i)	(B) Only (ii)
(C) Both (i) and (ii)	(D) Neither (i) nor (ii)

187. Work ethics in an organization can be improved by

(i) Appointing formal ethical committees to look into ethical issues	
(ii) Establishing a code of ethics	
(iii) Teaching ethics in training programs	
(A) Only (i)	(B) (i) and (ii)
(C) (i) and (iii)	(D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

188. In India, when is the National Pollution Prevention Day observed?

(A) 22 nd April	(B) 05 th June
(C) 2 nd December	(D) 13 th December

189. Which of the following air pollutant is not considered while calculating the Air Quality Index?

(A) Ozone	(B) NO ₂
(C) SO ₂	(D) CO ₂

190. The theme of the World Meteorological Day for the year 2021 was

(A) The Ocean, our climate and weather
(B) Climate and Water
(C) The Sun, the Earth and the weather
(D) Weather-ready, Climate-smart

191. Unified Mobile Application for New-age Governance (UMANG) is a Digital India initiative is associated with

(A) a platform for all Indian Citizens to access pan India e-Gov services
(B) children's education by enhancing interaction between schools as well as parents
(C) a platform offering online courses for school and college students
(D) a platform to provide High Quality Educational Channels through DTH (Direct to Home) across the length and breadth of the country

192. Which of the following process is used for the production of Biodiesel oils and fats?

(A) Fermentation (B) Transesterification
(C) Distillation (D) None of the above

193. Which substance is used as a primary fuel in Fuel Cells?

(A) Oxygen (B) Hydrogen
(C) Lithium (D) Phosphorus

194. An area comprising not less than _____ metres around hospitals, educational institutions and courts may be declared as silence area / zone.

(A) 50 (B) 100
(C) 250 (D) 500

195. _____ air pollutants have been notified in the National Ambient Air Quality Standards 2009 under the Environmental Protection Act 1986

(A) 11 (B) 12
(C) 13 (D) 14

196. Which of the following is/are a part of the National Action Plan on Climate Change (NAPCC)

(i) National Water Mission
(ii) National Solar Mission
(iii) National Mission for a Green India
(iv) National Mission for Sustaining the Himalayan Ecosystem

(A) (i) and (ii) (B) (ii) and (iii)
(C) (i), (iii) and (iv) (D) (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv)

197. Which of the following statement is /are correct about Government Instant Messaging System (GIMS)?

(i) It is designed and developed by Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI)
(ii) It is an Indian equivalent of popular messaging platforms, such as WhatsApp and Telegram, for secure internal use.

(A) Only (i) (B) Only (ii)
(C) Both (i) and (ii) (D) Neither (i) nor (ii)

198. To deal with the problem of air pollution recently, Supreme Court of India has directed the Central Government to look into the feasibility of introducing vehicles based on _____

(A) Hydrogen cell technology. (B) Oxygen cell technology.
(C) Recycling cell technology. (D) Renewable cell technology

199. Which of the following is/are correct with respect to targets under the National Solar Mission?

- (i) Solar power generation capacity addition target of 100,000 MW by the year 2022.
- (ii) The target principally comprises 60 GW Rooftop and 40 GW through Large and Medium Scale Grid Connected Solar Power Projects.

(A) Only (i) (B) Only (ii)
(C) Both (i) and (ii) (D) Neither (i) nor (ii)

200. The term 'Dark sky reserve' is related to:

- (A) an area in space with high concentration of artificial satellites
- (B) an area kept free of light pollution
- (C) an area of high ozone layer depletion
- (D) an area of high particulate pollution completely obstructing the sunlight

CEP-2
PROVISIONAL ANSWER KEY

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Candidate must ensure compliance to the instructions mentioned below, else objections shall not be considered: -

- (1) All the suggestion should be submitted in prescribed format of suggestion sheet Physically.
- (2) Question wise suggestion to be submitted in the prescribed format (Suggestion Sheet) published on the website.
- (3) All suggestions are to be submitted with reference to the Master Question Paper with provisional answer key (Master Question Paper), published herewith on the website. Objections should be sent referring to the Question, Question No. & options of the Master Question Paper.
- (4) Suggestions regarding question nos. and options other than provisional answer key (Master Question Paper) shall not be considered.
- (5) Objections and answers suggested by the candidate should be in compliance with the responses given by him in his answer sheet. Objections shall not be considered, in case, if responses given in the answer sheet /response sheet and submitted suggestions are differed.
- (6) Objection for each question shall be made on separate sheet. Objection for more than one question in single sheet shall not be considered & treated as Cancelled.
- (7) Candidate who is present in the exam entitled to submit the objection/(s).
- (8) Candidate should attach copy of his/her OMR (Answer sheet) with objection/(s).

ઉમેદવારે નીચેની સૂચનાઓનું પાલન કરવાની તકેદારી રાખવી, અન્યથા વાંધા-સૂચન અંગે કરેલ રજૂઆતો ધ્યાને લેવાશે નહીં

- (1) ઉમેદવારે વાંધા-સૂચનો નિયત કરવામાં આવેલ વાંધા-સૂચન પત્રકથી રજૂ કરવાના રહેશે.
- (2) ઉમેદવારે પ્રશ્નપ્રમાણે વાંધા-સૂચનો રજૂ કરવા વેબસાઈટ પર પ્રસિદ્ધ થયેલ નિયત વાંધા-સૂચન પત્રકના નમૂનાનો જ ઉપયોગ કરવો.
- (3) ઉમેદવારે પોતાને પરીક્ષામાં મળેલ પ્રશ્નપુસ્તિકામાં છપાયેલ પ્રશ્નકમાંક મુજબ વાંધા-સૂચનો રજૂ ન કરતા તમામ વાંધા-સૂચનો વેબસાઈટ પર પ્રસિદ્ધ થયેલ પ્રોવિઝનલ આન્સર કી (માસ્ટર પ્રશ્નપત્ર)ના પ્રશ્ન કમાંક મુજબ અને તે સંદર્ભમાં રજૂ કરવા.
- (4) માસ્ટર પ્રશ્નપત્ર માં નિર્દિષ્ટ પ્રશ્ન અને વિકલ્પ સિવાયના વાંધા-સૂચન ધ્યાને લેવામાં આવશે નહીં.
- (5) ઉમેદવારે જે પ્રશ્નના વિકલ્પ પર વાંધો રજૂ કરેલ છે અને વિકલ્પ રૂપે જે જવાબ સૂચયેલ છે એ જવાબ ઉમેદવારે પોતાની ઉત્તરવહીમાં આપેલ હોવો જોઈએ. ઉમેદવારે સૂચયેલ જવાબ અને ઉત્તરવહીનો જવાબ બિના હશે તો ઉમેદવારે રજૂ કરેલ વાંધા-સૂચન ધ્યાનમાં લેવાશે નહીં.
- (6) એક પ્રશ્ન માટે એક જ વાંધા-સૂચન પત્રક વાપરવું, એક જ વાંધા-સૂચન પત્રકમાં એકથી વધારે પ્રશ્નોની રજૂઆત કરેલ હશે તો તે અંગેના વાંધા-સૂચનો ધ્યાન લેવાશે નહીં.
- (7) પરીક્ષામાં હાજર રહેલ ઉમેદવાર જ વાંધા - સૂચન રજુ કરી શકશે .
- (8) ઉમેદવારે વાંધા-સૂચન સાથે પોતાની જવાબવહીની નકલ બિડાણ કરવાની રહેશે.

001. Which of the following statement(s) is/are TRUE for 'Boulder-Clay'?

- (i) It is an unstratified deposit formed by melting of a glacier
- (ii) It is generally well graded
- (iii) It can be easily densified by compaction

(A) Only (i) (B) (i) and (ii)
(C) (ii) and (iii) (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

002. Both 'Porosity' and 'Void Ratio' are measures of denseness of soils, however in soil engineering, it is more convenient to use

- (A) void ratio because when the volume of the soil mass changes only the numerator changes and the denominator remains constant
- (B) void ratio because when the volume of the soil mass changes only the denominator changes and the numerator remains constant
- (C) porosity because when the volume of the soil mass changes both the numerator and the denominator change proportionately
- (D) porosity because when the volume of the soil mass changes only the numerator changes and the denominator remains constant

003. For determining the water content of soils containing significant amount of organic matter, the temperature range recommended for overdrying is

- (A) $60^\circ - 80^\circ \text{ C}$ (B) $90^\circ - 100^\circ \text{ C}$
- (C) $100^\circ - 110^\circ \text{ C}$ (D) $110^\circ - 120^\circ \text{ C}$

004. Sand Bath method for determination of water content of soil is a

- (A) Rapid but not very accurate method (B) Slow but very accurate method
- (C) Rapid and accurate method (D) Slow and not very accurate method

005. Which of the following is not a method for determination of Mass Density of soil?

- (A) Sand replacement method (B) Water balloon method
- (C) Radiation method (D) Calcium-carbide method

006. Particle size distribution of soils finer than _____ size is determined by sedimentation analysis

- (A) 4.75 mm (B) $150 \mu\text{m}$
- (C) $75 \mu\text{m}$ (D) $7.5 \mu\text{m}$

007. In a Hydrometer test for particle size distribution analysis if the temperature is more than the standard temperature, then

- (A) the suspension is lighter and the temperature correction is positive
- (B) the suspension is lighter and the temperature correction is negative
- (C) the suspension is denser and the temperature correction is positive
- (D) the suspension is denser and the temperature correction is negative

008. In a 'Gradation Curve' representing the distribution of particles of different sizes in a soil mass

- (A) the percentage finer than a given size is plotted as abscissa on log-scale and the particle size as ordinate on natural scale
- (B) the percentage finer than a given size is plotted as ordinate on log-scale and the particle size as abscissa on natural scale
- (C) the percentage finer than a given size is plotted as abscissa on natural scale and the particle size as ordinate on log-scale
- (D) the percentage finer than a given size is plotted as ordinate on natural scale and the particle size as abscissa on log-scale

009. For a well-graded soil, the value of coefficient of curvature is

- (A) less than 1
- (B) between 1-3
- (C) between 3-5
- (D) greater than 5

010. A soil at water content equal to plastic limit has a Consistency Index of

- (A) 0%
- (B) 50%
- (C) 100%
- (D) 200%

011. Activity of a soil is the ratio of

- (A) Plasticity Index and percentage of clay fraction
- (B) Consistency Index and percentage of clay fraction
- (C) Plasticity Index and percentage of sand fraction
- (D) Consistency Index and percentage of sand fraction

012. Of the 4 soil type A-1, A-2, A-3 and A-4 (classified as per the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Official), which one would be most suitable as a highway material or subgrade?

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

013. Which of the following factor(s) affect the permeability of the soil?

- (i) structure of the soil mass
- (ii) degree of saturation of the soil
- (iii) presence of adsorbed water

- (A) Only (i)
- (B) (i) and (ii)
- (C) (ii) and (iii)
- (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

014. Fluctuation in water table level

- (A) causes change in the pore water pressure and the corresponding change in the effective stress
- (B) causes change in the pore water pressure but the effective stress remains the same
- (C) does not change the pore water pressure but changes the effective stress
- (D) neither changes the pore water pressure nor the effective stress

015. Which of the following statement(s) is/are TRUE for the Quick Sand Condition?

- (i) Any cohesionless soil can become 'quick' when the upward seepage force is large enough to carry the soil particles upward
- (ii) Quick Sand condition may develop in gravel when the hydraulic gradient exceeds the critical gradient
- (A) Only (i) (B) Only (ii)
- (C) Both (i) and (ii) (D) Neither (i) nor (ii)

016. What is the intensity of the active earth pressure at a depth of 5.0 m in dry sand with an angle of shearing resistance of 30° and unit weight of 18 kN/m^3 ?

- (A) 270 kN/m^2 (B) 120 kN/m^2
- (C) 90 kN/m^2 (D) 30 kN/m^2

017. The 'Stability Number' for an infinite slope of clay at a depth of 10 m which has a cohesion of 1 t/m^2 and unit weight of 2 t/m^3 will be

- (A) 0.05 (B) 0.5
- (C) 5 (D) 20

018. Standard Penetration Test is used to determine

- (i) consistency of clays
- (ii) undrained shear strength of soft sensitive clays
- (iii) drain shear strength of fine loose sand
- (A) Only (i) (B) (i) and (ii)
- (C) (ii) and (iii) (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

019. Vane Test is associated with which of the following terms?

- (A) Grain Size analysis (B) Shear strength
- (C) Bearing capacity (D) Compaction

020. Which of the following factors does not affect the bearing capacity of the cohesive soils?

- (A) Width of the footing (B) Depth of the footing
- (C) Density of the soil (D) Angle of the shearing resistance of the soil

021. In a plate load test on a soil, at a particular magnitude of settlement, it was observed that the bearing pressure beneath the footing is 50 kN/m^2 and the perimeter shear is 25 kN/m . What will be the corresponding load capacity of a 3 m square footing at the same settlement?

- (A) 375 kN (B) 750 kN
- (C) 1000 kN (D) 1500 kN

022. Which of the following statement(s) is/are true?

- (i) The group efficiency of a pile group may be more than 100%
- (ii) Friction piles are also called as floating piles
- (iii) Minimum number of piles to qualify as a pile group is 4
- (A) Only (i) (B) (i) and (ii)
- (C) (ii) and (iii) (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

032. In a geological study, the angle between the line in an inclined plane and the horizontal in a vertical plane is called as
(A) Rake (B) Strike
(C) Plunge (D) Pitch

033. A location where an earthquake originates is termed as
(A) Hypocenter (B) Epicenter
(C) Horst (D) Source

034. When the hanging wall moves down relative to the footwall, the fault is called as a
(A) Reverse fault (B) Strike slip fault
(C) Normal fault (D) Thrust fault

035. Which of the following is a rock?
(A) Hematite (B) Quartz
(C) Chert (D) Graphite

036. A chord scale is used for measuring _____
(A) angles (B) curved lines
(C) straight lines (D) areas

037. Correction due to the tape being laid along a slope
(A) is always positive
(B) is always negative
(C) can be positive or negative
(D) depends on whether the measurement is down the slope or upwards the slope

038. Prismatic compass is an instrument to measure
(A) the vertical angle between the two lines (B) the horizontal angle between the two lines
(C) the magnetic bearing of the lines (D) the true bearing on the lines

039. The magnetic bearing of a line AB in a map is given as $67^{\circ}30'$. The magnetic declination at that time was $3^{\circ}30'$ W. If the present declination is $1^{\circ}30'$ E, the magnetic bearing of the line at present is
(A) $62^{\circ}30'$ (B) $69^{\circ}00'$
(C) $71^{\circ}00'$ (D) $72^{\circ}30'$

040. In the method of repetition for measuring horizontal angles, to rotate the instrument without changing the reading
(A) lower clamp screw is tightened and upper clamp is loosened
(B) lower clamp is loosened and the upper clamp screw is tightened
(C) any one of the clamp screws is loosened
(D) both the clamp screws are loosened

041. Which of the following statements are true for a telescopic alidade?

- (i) Telescopic alidade consists of a telescope which provides a very accurate line of sight
- (ii) The telescope is fitted onto an A-frame which is fitted onto a heavy rule
- (iii) The telescope may be provided with a spirit level to help level the table

(A) Only (i) (B) (i) and (ii)
(C) (ii) and (iii) (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

042. The departure of a line of a traverse is

- (A) the deviation in the alignment of the line
- (B) the projection of the line on the east-west direction
- (C) the project of the line on the north-south meridian
- (D) the project of the line in any reference direction

043. The sum of external angles of an n-sided traverse is

- (A) $n \times$ right angles (B) $2n \times$ right angles
- (C) $(2n - 4) \times$ right angles (D) $(2n + 4) \times$ right angles

044. The three consecutive reading taken from a level are 1.325 m, 0.985 m and 2.546 m. If the instrument was shifted after the first reading, the rise or fall of the last point is

- (A) 1.221 m rise (B) 1.221 m fall
- (C) 1.561 m rise (D) 1.561 m fall

045. An arithmetic check for checking the reduction of the level data in the height of collimation method is that 'Last R.L. – First R.L.' is equal to

- (A) sum of back sights – sum of intermediate sights
- (B) sum of intermediate sights – sum of fore sights
- (C) sum of back sights – sum of fore sights
- (D) sum of back sights and fore sights – sum of intermediate sights

046. Which of the following statement(s) is/are true?

- i. The effect of the curvature is to make the staff reading higher than what it should be
- ii. The effect of the curvature is to make the staff reading lower than what it should be
- iii. The line of sight, which is horizontal, gets refracted due to atmospheric influences and bends down with concavity towards earth surface and make the staff reading lower than what it should be
- iv. The line of sight, which is horizontal, gets refracted due to atmospheric influences and bends up with convexity towards earth surface and make the staff reading higher than what it should be

(A) Only (i) (B) Only (iii)
(C) (i) and (iii) (D) (ii) and (iv)

047. Hypsometry is a method of
(A) Surveying of water bodies
(B) Determining of elevations based on the boiling point of liquids
(C) Measuring distances
(D) Finding temperatures at different heights

048. One hectare is equal to
(A) 100 m²
(B) 1000 m²
(C) 10000 m²
(D) 100000 m²

049. Area obtained by which of the following methods will give the same value
(A) Average ordinate method and trapezoidal rule method
(B) Trapezoidal rule method and parabolic rule method
(C) Trapezoidal rule method and coordinate method
(D) Parabolic rule method and coordinate method

050. Contour Interval is
(A) the horizontal distance between the contours in a contour map
(B) the difference in the elevation between the two successive contours
(C) the distance between the points of a contour line whose elevations are to be found
(D) the distance between the level and a point selected for contouring

051. Clinometer is a hand-held instrument used for
(A) rough measurement of vertical angles
(B) precise measurement of vertical angles
(C) rough measurement of horizontal angles
(D) precise measurement of horizontal angles

052. The box sextant can be used to
(A) enlarge or reduce plans
(B) measure distances
(C) determine reduced levels of given points
(D) measure angles and set gradients

053. Vertical control in surveying means
(A) using precise levelling instruments
(B) accurately measuring the vertical angles
(C) accurately establishing the benchmarks
(D) accurately establishing the contour lines

054. Using the usual notations, Centrifugal Ratio is given by
(A) $v/(gr)$
(B) v^2/g
(C) v/r
(D) $v^2/(gr)$

055. The process of turning the telescope about the vertical axis in a horizontal plan is called as
(A) transiting
(B) swinging
(C) setting
(D) centering

063. Bar AB of uniform cross-section and material throughout the length is fixed at point A. It is subjected to axial force of P at free end B. Simultaneously another force of 100 N opposite to direction of P is applied at midpoint of bar AB. What is value of force P, if after application of both the loads, point B remains at the same initial position?

(A) 0 (B) 50 N
 (C) 100 N (D) 200 N

064. Stress-strain curve (upto proportional limit) of material A and B makes an angle of 30° and 60° respectively with horizontal. What is the relation between Modulus of Elasticity E of both these materials?

(A) $E_A = 2E_B$ (B) $E_B = 2E_A$
 (C) $E_A = 3E_B$ (D) $E_B = 3E_A$

065. Breaking stress of a wire having circular cross-section depends upon

(A) Amount of applied force (B) Material of the wire
 (C) Shape of the cross-section (D) Radius of the wire

066. Which of the following is also called as the True Stress?

(A) First Piola – Kirchhoff Stress (B) Second Piola – Kirchhoff Stress
 (C) Biot Stress (D) Cauchy Stress

067. In three dimensions, Mohr's stress plane in general has three circles. What happens to it when all the principal stress components become equal?

(A) It reduces to a point (B) It has two non-overlapping circles
 (C) One of the circles become an ellipse (D) It has three overlapping circles

068. If the bulk modulus of a material is twice of its modulus of rigidity then the Poisson's ratio of the material will be

(A) $1/7$ (B) $2/7$
 (C) $3/7$ (D) $4/7$

069. Which of the following theories of failure represents its yield surface as a rectangular shape?

(A) Rankine Theory (B) St. Venant's Theory
 (C) Tresca Theory (D) Beltrami's Theory

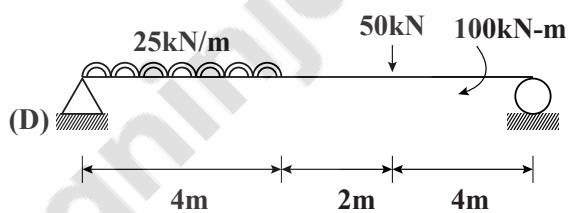
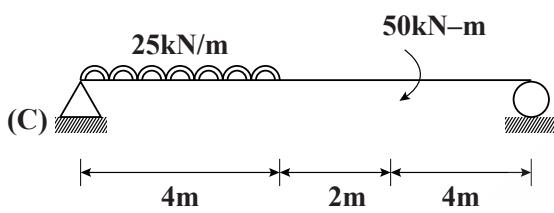
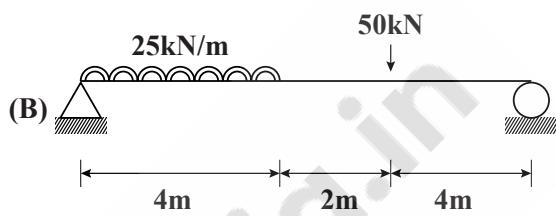
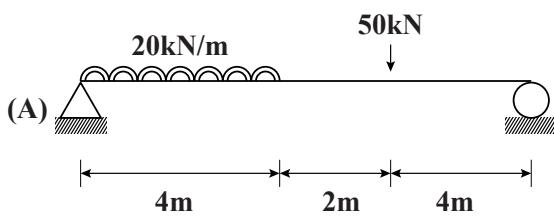
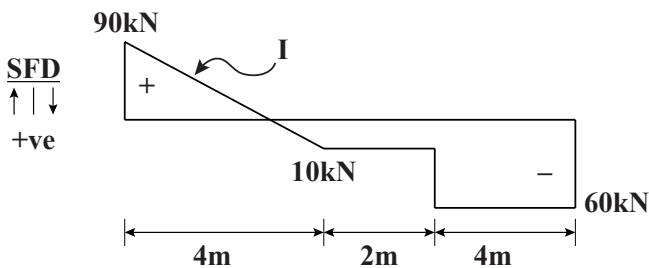
070. If an element is subjected to pure shearing stress of 100 MPa, then the Maximum normal stress and the maximum shear stress in MPa will be _____ & _____ respectively.

(A) 0, 0 (B) 0, 100
 (C) 100, 0 (D) 100, 100

071. Using strain gauges, the number of strain readings needed on a plane surface to determine the principal strains and their directions is / are

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

079. For the Shear Force Diagram shown in the figure, loading diagram is



080. Which of these statement(s) is/are correct?

(i) Design of Statically Determinate beam gives lesser cross sectional dimensions than Statically Indeterminate beam.

(ii) Kinematic Indeterminacy can be negative.

(iii) Static Indeterminacy can be negative.

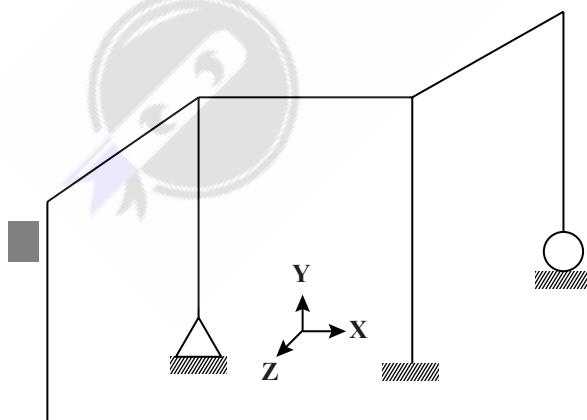
(A) (i) and (ii)

(B) (ii) and (iii)

(C) (iii) only

(D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

081. Total Static Indeterminacy of the given Space Frame is:



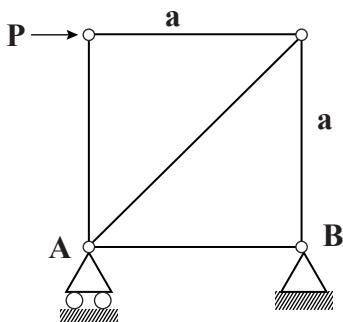
(A) 3

(B) 6

(C) 10

(D) 13

082. Force in the member AB for the given truss system is



(A) P (Compressive) (B) $\sqrt{2} P$ (Tensile)
 (C) $\sqrt{2} P$ (Compressive) (D) zero

083. If a Cantilever Beam of length L is subjected to a moment of M at its midpoint, then the Slope at the free end will be

(A) $(ML)/(EI)$ (B) $(ML)/(2EI)$
 (C) $(ML)/(3EI)$ (D) $(ML)/(8EI)$

084. If a Fixed beam of span L is subjected to moment of M at its midpoint, then the Fixed End Moment produced will be

(A) M (B) $M/2$
 (C) $M/4$ (D) M/L

085. For a Simply Supported Beam of span 10 m, which of the following Influence Line Diagrams (ILD) contain(s) maximum ordinate value as 1?

(i) ILD of Support Reaction (B) (i) and (ii)
 (ii) ILD of Shear Force at section located at $0.4L$ from the support (C) (iii) only
 (iii) ILD of Bending Moment at midpoint of the beam (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

086. Point P is situated at $3L/4$ distance from the left support of a Simply Supported beam having span L . If a UDL of length shorter than L is moving on the beam from left to right, maximum bending moment at P will occur when the UDL has crossed the point P by

(A) $\frac{1}{4}$ of its length (B) $\frac{1}{2}$ of its length
 (C) $\frac{3}{4}$ of its length (D) Its full length

087. As per Kani's Method, sum of Displacement Factors at a joint, while analysing frames with fixed bases, must be

(A) 0 (B) -1
 (C) -0.75 (D) -1.5

095. Maximum Bending Moment produced in a Three-hinged Semicircular Arch of radius R , subjected to Uniformly Distributed Load w throughout the span, is
(A) $wR^2/8$ (B) $2wR^2/(3\pi)$
(C) $wR^2/2$ (D) 0

096. Which of the following pairs of Shapes and their Shape Factors is/are correct?
(i) Circular Section – 2.34
(ii) Triangular Section – 1.5
(iii) Rectangular Section – 1.7
(A) Only (i) (B) Only (ii)
(C) Only (iii) (D) None of the above

097. Which of the following statements is/are correct for stresses developed in hemispherical Dome?
(i) Meridional stress in entire dome is of compressive nature.
(ii) Circumferential Hoop stress in upper part of the dome is of tensile nature.
(iii) Circumferential Hoop stress in lower part of the dome is of compressive nature.
(A) (i) only (B) (i) and (ii)
(C) (ii) and (iii) (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

098. Which of the following Structural Forms do not have uniform stress over the depth of the section?
(A) Membrane (B) Shell
(C) Plate (D) Arch

099. Which of the following statements is/are correct?
(i) Neglecting axial forces, statically determinate real beams have statically determinate conjugate beams.
(ii) Neglecting axial forces, statically indeterminate real beams have unstable conjugate beams.
(A) (i) only (B) (ii) only
(C) Both (i) and (ii) (D) Neither (i) nor (ii)

100. Which of the following is NOT an example of Indeterminate Structures?
(A) Fixed Beam (B) Continuous Beam
(C) Two-hinged Arch (D) Beam overhanging on both sides

101. A cross-section, which can develop plastic moment but has inadequate plastic rotation capacity needed for formation of a plastic collapse mechanism of the member, is known as
(A) Slender Section (B) Semi-compact Section
(C) Compact Section (D) Plastic Section

102. Characteristic Yield Stress refers to the minimum value of stress, below which not more than _____ % of yield stress values of tested samples are expected to occur.
(A) 2.5 (B) 5.0
(C) 7.5 (D) 10.0

103. The stress to which high strength friction grip bolts are pre-tensioned is known as
(A) Ultimate Stress (B) Prying Stress
(C) Stress Range (D) Proof Stress

104. Net tensile area of threaded bolt at root of the thread is approximately _____ % of the gross area.
(A) 68 (B) 78
(C) 88 (D) 98

105. The size of the Bolt Hole for the bolt of 24 mm nominal diameter is
(A) 24.0 mm (B) 26.0 mm
(C) 27.0 mm (D) 28.0 mm

106. Which of the following should not be considered as a criterion for designing the bolted joints with axially loaded members?
(A) The length of joint should be as small as possible to save material on cover plates and gusset plates.
(B) The centre line of all the members meeting at a joint should coincide at one point only.
(C) The reduction in area due to bolt holes can be minimized by arranging them in a zig-zag form.
(D) The number of bolts should be decreased gradually towards the joint.

107. According to IS 800:2007, the main function of a Diagonal Stiffener in a plate girder is
(A) to provide torsional restraint to beams and girders at supports
(B) to transmit tensile forces applied to a web through a flange
(C) to prevent local crushing of the web due to concentrated loading
(D) to provide local reinforcement to a web under shear and bearing

108. Which of the following statement(s) is / are correct for the Castellated Beams?
(i) For the same amount of bending strength, Castellated Beams are lighter than Rolled Sections.
(ii) When very high requirements are set for fire resistance, Castellated Beams are preferred in place of Rolled Sections.
(iii) Castellated Beams are preferred than Rolled Sections because of less possibility of occurrence of Vierendeel mechanism.
(A) (i) only (B) (i) and (ii)
(C) (ii) & (iii) (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

109. In a bolted gusseted base, critical section for the design of thickness of the base plate is considered at
(A) edge of the column (B) outer edge of the gusset plate
(C) centroid of the gusset angle (D) root of the fillet of the gusset angle

116. From the energy dissipation point of view, which of the following bracing systems perform better compared to the others?

(A) Eccentric bracing (B) Diagonal bracing
(C) Cross bracing (D) Chevron bracing

117. The value of imperfection factor for Buckling Class A is _____.
(A) 0.34 (B) 0.75
(C) 0.21 (D) 0.5

118. Web splice in a plate girder is designed to withstand
(A) Design shear force (B) Design shear force and bending moment
(C) Design bending moment (D) Design axial force

119. In an eccentric riveted connection, if the plane of the load is lying in the same plane of the rivet group, all rivets in the rivet group are subjected to
(A) Shear force and bending moment (B) Twisting moment only
(C) Bending moment only (D) Shear force and Twisting moment

120. The square root of the ratio of moment of inertia of cross section to its cross sectional area is called
(A) Second moment of area (B) Section modulus
(C) Radius of gyration (D) Slenderness ratio

121. Which of the following measures does not enhance the bond strength between the reinforcement bars and concrete in the RCC structures?
(A) Providing increased cover around each bar
(B) Usage of higher grade of concrete
(C) Avoiding termination of longitudinal reinforcements in tension zones
(D) Usage of larger bar diameters

122. Effective cover of an RCC beam depends upon
(A) Grade of the Reinforcement bars (B) Effective depth of the beam
(C) Width of the beam (D) Diameter of the Main Reinforcement

123. As per the limit state method followed in IS 456:2000, the nominal shear stress for solid slabs shall not exceed ____ % of the appropriate values of maximum shear stress based on concrete grades given in the code?
(A) 50 (B) 63
(C) 87 (D) 100

124. A RCC column cross-section has width 'b', overall depth 'D' and effective depth 'd'. As per IS 456:2000, the minimum cross-sectional area of the longitudinal reinforcement is
(A) $0.006bd$ (B) $0.006bD$
(C) $0.008bd$ (D) $0.008bD$

125. According to IS 456:2000, an RCC Continuous Beam shall be deemed to be a Deep Beam when the ratio of the effective span to the overall depth is less than
(A) 1.75 (B) 2.00
(C) 2.25 (D) 2.50

126. The increase in stiffness over the stiffness of cracked section, on account of the ability of concrete to resist tension, is referred to as
(A) Uncracked-transformed effect (B) Cracked-stiffening effect
(C) Uncracked-stiffening effect (D) Tension stiffening effect

127. Match the following lists of criteria for determining thickness of RCC footing and the location of their critical sections: (d = effective depth of footing)

Criteria	Location of critical sections
a. One-way Shear	1. at the face of the column
b. Bending Moment	2. at a distance $d/2$ from face of the column
c. Two-way Shear	3. at a distance d from face of the column
(A) a - 1, b - 3, c - 2	(B) a - 2, b - 1, c - 3
(C) a - 3, b - 2, c - 1	(D) a - 3, b - 1, c - 2

128. Which of the following types of panel has Maximum Positive Moment at mid-span for the same loading conditions and l_y/l_x ratio of 1.5?
(A) One short edge discontinuous (B) One short edge continuous
(C) One long edge discontinuous (D) One long edge continuous

129. For a RCC Column of size $300 \text{ mm} \times 600 \text{ mm}$, the value of p/f_{ck} is taken as 0.10 by using interaction curve of columns given in SP16. If the grade of steel and concrete are Fe 415 and M20 respectively, then the area of steel will be
(A) 900 mm^2 (B) 1800 mm^2
(C) 2700 mm^2 (D) 3600 mm^2

130. Main reinforcement in the staircase slab supported between two stringer beams is arranged
(A) parallel to the width of flight & at the bottom of the slab
(B) parallel to the width of flight & at the top of slab
(C) parallel to the length of flight & at the bottom of slab
(D) parallel to the length of flight & at the top of slab

131. A beam of $230 \text{ mm} \times 300 \text{ mm}$ has all the longitudinal bars of 12 mm diameter. As per IS:13920-2016, what should be the minimum dimension of the column in which this beam is anchored into?
(A) 230 mm (B) 242 mm
(C) 276 mm (D) 300 mm

132. For an economical design of a Cantilever Retaining Wall, the resultant vertical soil reaction at the base should be aligned with
(A) the face of stem on toe side (B) the face of stem on retained earth side
(C) the midpoint of stem thickness (D) the midpoint of heel

133. As per the Working Stress Method of RCC design, the neutral axis depth factor of a balanced section depends upon the
(i) Grade of concrete
(ii) Permissible tensile stress in steel
(iii) Percentage steel
(A) (i) only
(C) (i) and (ii) (B) (ii) only
(D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

134. Strain distribution in Limit State Design of Prestressed Concrete Structures is assumed to be
(A) Linear
(C) Rectangular (B) Parabolic
(D) Combination of Parabolic and Rectangular

135. Which of the following cannot be classified as a masonry construction?
(A) Cement concrete block construction
(C) Random rubble construction (B) Adobe construction
(D) Hollow concrete block construction

136. What will be the effective span of the slab for below given deck slab bridge: Clear span = 9 m, Overall depth = 700 mm, diameter of the bar used = 20 mm, Clear cover to reinforcement = 40 mm, Width of the bearing = 400 mm
(A) 9.00 m
(C) 9.65 m (B) 9.40 m
(D) 9.70 m

137. Which of the following is correct decreasing order of total weight of IRC loading vehicles as per IRC: 6-2016? [70R_{tracked} = Class 70R tracked vehicle, 70R_{wheeled} = Class 70R wheeled seven axles vehicle, A_{train} = Class A train of vehicles]
(A) 70R_{tracked} > 70R_{wheeled} > A_{train}
(C) 70R_{tracked} > A_{train} > 70R_{wheeled} (B) 70R_{wheeled} > 70R_{tracked} > A_{train}
(D) 70R_{wheeled} > A_{train} > 70R_{tracked}

138. Shear span is defined as the zone where
(A) Bending Moment is constant
(C) Bending moment is zero (B) Shear force is constant
(D) Shear force is zero

139. Which one of the following sections of equal cross sectional area can resist the torsional moment of a R.C.C beam section more efficiently.
(A) A box section
(C) A Symmetrical I- section (B) A solid rectangular section
(D) An unsymmetrical I-section

140. Drops are provided in a Flat Slab to resist
(A) Bending moment
(C) Compression (B) Shear
(D) Torsion

141. Which of the following aggregates give the least coefficient of thermal expansion of concrete?
(A) Quartzite
(C) Limestone (B) Sandstone
(D) Cherts

142. Match the following lists of Ingredients of bricks and the properties they impart in the bricks:

Ingredients	Properties
a. Alumina	1. renders the clay plastic
b. Lime	2. lowers the fusing point in carbonated form
c. Silica	3. prevents the shrinking and warping
d. Ferric Oxide	4. improves the impermeability
(A) a - 1, b - 2, c - 3, d - 4	(B) a - 2, b - 1, c - 3, d - 4
(C) a - 1, b - 2, c - 4, d - 3	(D) a - 2, b - 1, c - 4, d - 3

143. Following data is available in mix design, for batching in dry condition:

	Batch Weight	Water Absorption
Coarse Aggregate	1300 kg/m³	2%
Fine Aggregate	500 kg/m³	0.4%

The inference made from above data is/are:

144. Which of the following is not an objective of seasoning the timber?

- (A) Reduction of the weight of the timber
- (B) Rectifying the natural defects in the timber
- (C) Increase in the strength and durability of the timber
- (D) Reduction in the shrinkage and warping of the timber

145. Which of the following types of steel is used in manufacturing of rails?

146. Which of the following stone possesses minimum crushing strength?

147. According to IS: 1121(Part-3) – 2012, the split tensile strength (in N/mm²) of test specimen of stones is given by (all symbols have their usual mean)

(A) $W/\pi dL$ (B) $2W/\pi dL$
(C) $2W/dL$ (D) $5W/\pi dL$

148. Which of the following is a good fire-resistant stone?

(A) Marble **(B) Limestone**
(C) Compact sandstone **(D) Granite**

149. The dimension of modular bricks when tested in accordance with IS: 1077 – 1992, the maximum tolerance in length of brick is limited per 20 bricks as
(A) ± 10 mm (B) ± 40 mm
(C) ± 60 mm (D) ± 80 mm

150. The maximum quantity of water per 50 kg of cement for M20 nominal mix concrete is
(A) 30 liters (B) 34 liters
(C) 42 liters (D) 50 liters

151. Maximum amount by which an activity can be delayed without delaying the project but will cause delay to the Early Start of some following activity, is known as
(A) Total Float (B) Free Float
(C) Independent Float (D) Interfering Float

152. Which of the following is the correct sequence of tasks in a Project Cycle:
(A) Project Appraisal – Feasibility Analysis – Negotiation – Project Selection
(B) Project Appraisal – Feasibility Analysis – Project Selection – Negotiation
(C) Feasibility Analysis – Project Appraisal – Project Selection – Negotiation
(D) Feasibility Analysis – Project Appraisal – Negotiation – Project Selection

153. The amount of capital that a company can potentially issue, as per its memorandum, represents the
(A) Paid-up Capital (B) Authorized Capital
(C) Subscribed Capital (D) Issued Capital

154. Which of the following is not one of the constraints of a project?
(A) Budget (B) Scope
(C) Resources (D) Team

155. If the Optimistic time, the most probable estimate and the pessimistic time for a given activity are 7, 10 and 19 days respectively then the 'expected time' for this activity will be _____ days ?
(A) 9 (B) 10
(C) 11 (D) 15

156. Match the following lists of contracts and their descriptions:

Contracts	Descriptions
a. Measurement Contract	1. is used to reduce design and contract administration cost.
b. Schedule Contract	2. can be used in situations where design can be described in reasonable detail, but the amount can't.
c. Lump Sum Contract	3. Contractor undertakes the execution of work on item rate basis.
d. Cost Reimbursement Contract	4. Contractor is paid for all of its allowed expenses, plus additional payment to allow for a profit.

(A) a - 2, b - 3, c - 1, d - 4 (B) a - 2, b - 3, c - 4, d - 1
(C) a - 3, b - 2, c - 1, d - 4 (D) a - 3, b - 2, c - 4, d - 1

157. Which of the following works are measured in m^3 unit?

- (i) RC Chhajja
- (ii) Damp Proof Course
- (iii) Half brick Masonry Wall
- (iv) Brick bats Chhara

(A) (i) and (iii) (B) (ii) and (iv)
(C) (ii) and (iii) (D) (i) and (iv)

158. In construction project management, Minimum Moment Method is mainly used for

- (A) Precedence Diagramming Process (B) Resource Levelling
- (C) PERT Analysis (D) Float Diagram

159. Which of the following statements are correct, with respect to network rules?

- i. An event cannot occur until all the activities leading to it are completed.
- ii. An event can occur twice.
- iii. Its usual practice to show the time flow from left to right.
- iv. No activity can start until its head end event has occurred.

(A) (i) and (ii) (B) (i) and (iii)
(C) (ii) and (iv) (D) (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv)

160. Which of the following statements are correct pertaining to Free Float?

- (A) Free Float is equal to difference of Earliest Start Time of succeeding activity to Earliest Finish Time of the activity under consideration.
- (B) Free Float is equal to difference of total float and head event slack.
- (C) Free Float is based on the possibility that all the events occur at their latest time.
- (D) Free Float cannot be equal to total float.

(A) (i) and (ii) (B) (i) and (iii)
(C) (ii) and (iv) (D) (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv)

161. All the tenders received may be rejected if

- i. Radical changes in design are found necessary during the internal deliberations preceding the opening of the tenders.
- ii. The highest tenderer has quoted the estimated cost, which is lower than the funds available for the execution of the work.
- iii. There exists a well-grounded suspicious of collusion between the tenderers or some other form of fraud has been detected.
- iv. The minimum number of tenders to assure adequate competition has not been received.

(A) (i) and (iii) (B) (ii) only
(C) (i), (iii) and (iv) (D) (iii) and (iv)

162. Centering work of brickwork in arch is measured in square metres, only if the respective span is more than

- (A) More than 3m. (B) More than 6m.
- (C) More than 9m. (D) More than 12m.

163. In plastering measurement deduction for opening of door and window is made for one face only, if the opening is

- Exceeding 0.25 m² but not exceeding 2.0 m²
- Exceeding 0.50 m² but not exceeding 2.0 m²
- Exceeding 0.25 m² but not exceeding 3.0 m²
- Exceeding 0.50 m² but not exceeding 3.0 m²

164. Slack time is associated with

- A real activity
- An event
- Both event and real activity
- Dummy activity

165. Which of the following statements are correct for the Critical Path?

- Critical Path has the most important sequence of activities which leads to maximum economic gains
- Critical Path has the most important sequence of activities which has no float and determines the project completion period
- Critical Path is the shortest path with shortest duration within which the project can be completed
- Critical Path is the largest path with shortest duration within which the project can be completed.

- Only (i)
- (i) and (ii)
- (ii) and (iv)
- (i), (ii) and (iv)

166. For the first time, 'Expressway' was planned by / in

- Nagpur road Plan
- Bombay Plan
- Lucknow Plan
- Jayakar Committee

167. The approximate total length of National Highways in India as on 31.03.2019

- 80,000 km
- 1,30,000 km
- 1,80,000 km
- 2,30,000 km

168. In India, the material used for the tack coat application for the flexible pavement construction is

- Bitumen
- Tar
- Bitumen emulsion
- Industrial grade glue

169. The width of a 4-lane carriageway is

- 13 m
- 14 m
- 15 m
- 16 m

170. If V = the design speed in kmph, 'R' is the radius of the curve (m), the design super elevation 'e' is expressed as

- $e = V / 127R$
- $e = V^2 / 127R$
- $e = V / 225R$
- $e = V^2 / 225R$

171. The thickness of desire lines in a typical Origin-Destination plot represents:

- Number of trips
- Number of modes
- Connectivity between two zones

(A) (i) Only (B) (i) and (ii)
(C) (ii) and (iii) (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

172. The value of standard axle load considered for flexible pavement design is:

(A) 80 Ton (B) 100 Ton
(C) 80 kN (D) 100 kN

173. As per recent IRC 37-2018 guidelines, the analysis of flexible pavement is performed based on subgrade soil strength in terms of:

(A) California Bearing Ratio (B) Unconfined Compressive Strength
(C) Confined Compressive Strength (D) Resilient Modulus

174. The tie bars in a rigid pavement are provided at:

(A) Expansion joints (B) Contraction joints
(C) Transverse joints (D) Longitudinal joints

175. The critical combination of stresses for corner region in rigid pavements is:

(A) Load stress + frictional stress
(B) Load stress + warping stress
(C) Load stress + warping stress + frictional stress
(D) Load stress + warping stress + frictional stress + thermal stress

176. A bridge is treated as a 'long-span bridge' if its span is more than

(A) 90 m (B) 120 m
(C) 150 m (D) 240 m

177. A bridge constructed over an obstacle to convey water is known as

(A) Through bridge (B) Grade separator
(C) Aqueduct (D) Viaduct

178. As far as possible, the alignment of a bridge should be

(A) Circular (B) Skewed
(C) Square (D) Parabolic

179. Arrange in the correct order of component of bridge starting from river-bed.

(1) Abutment (2) Girder (3) Foundation (4) Flooring
(A) 3 - 1 - 2 - 4 (B) 3 - 2 - 1 - 4
(C) 3 - 1 - 4 - 2 (D) 3 - 4 - 2 - 1

180. The end support of a bridge sub-structure is known as:

(A) Wing wall (B) Pier
(C) Abutment (D) Girder

181. In the design of piers, the water pressure is considered
(i) as Static pressure
(ii) as Dynamic pressure
(iii) due to Impact of cross current
(A) Only (i) (B) (i) and (ii)
(C) (ii) and (iii) (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

182. Which of the following is a type of Elastomeric bearing?
(A) Roller bearing (B) Neoprene rubber bearing
(C) Tar paper bearing (D) Rocker bearing

183. In bridge construction, the width of the expansion joint is:
(A) 25 mm (B) 50 mm
(C) 75 mm (D) 100 mm

184. For bridges of National Highways, the class of loading considered as per IRC is
(A) AA (B) BB
(C) A (D) B

185. In a proof testing of a bridge, the load 'W' shall be applied in the stage of
(A) $3W/4$, $W/2$, $W/4$ (B) $3W/4$, $W/4$, $W/2$
(C) $W/2$, $W/4$, $3W/4$ (D) $W/4$, $W/2$, $3W/4$

186. Select the most suitable method of tunneling for long tunnels at great depths.
(A) Army method (B) Austrian method
(C) English method (D) Needle beam method

187. The Drift method of tunneling is best suited for
(A) Rock ground (B) Running ground
(C) Soft ground (D) Broken ground

188. Select the most suitable shape of the tunnel to be made in soft grounds
(A) Egg shaped (B) Horse-shoe shaped
(C) Circular section (D) Segmental roof section

189. Which of the following is / are the methods of providing ventilation in a tunnel?
i. To exhaust fumes and gases those are injurious to health and explosive in nature
ii. To blow in fresh air
(A) Only (i) (B) Only (ii)
(C) Both (i) and (ii) (D) Neither (i) nor (ii)

190. Weisbach Triangle method may be used for which of the following?
(A) To carry out surface alignment of a tunnel
(B) To transfer the surface level details to underground
(C) To connect the two ends of an underground tunnel
(D) To interface the surface and underground tunnel surveys

191. The symbol “6WS12” represents
 (A) Window of size 60 inches \times 120 inches
 (C) Double shutter window opening
 (B) Window of size 600 mm \times 1200 mm
 (D) Without shutter window

192. In order to provide an effective control of termite, which of the following chemical(s) is/are normally used in a residential location?
 (i) Aldrin
 (ii) Toluene.
 (iii) Heptachlor.
 (A) Only (i)
 (C) (i) and (iii)
 (B) Only (ii)
 (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

193. The size of ‘power shovel’ is referred in
 (A) m^2
 (C) Tons
 (B) m^3
 (D) Kilogram

194. King-post roof truss consists of
 (i) Lower tie beam.
 (ii) Two inclined principal rafters.
 (iii) Span of 5 to 8 meter.
 (A) (i) and (ii)
 (C) (ii) and (iii)
 (B) (i) and (iii)
 (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

195. The overall height of Indian type Water Closet is normally in the range of
 (A) 300 to 400 mm
 (C) 550 to 650 mm
 (B) 450 to 500 mm
 (D) 650 to 800 mm

196. The size of a step commonly adopted for residential buildings is
 (A) 250 mm \times 160 mm
 (C) 300 mm \times 130 mm
 (B) 270 mm \times 150 mm
 (D) 350 mm \times 100 mm

197. Glass essentially consists of which of the following ingredient?
 (A) Silica
 (C) Manganese
 (B) Carbon
 (D) Lead

198. Which of the following is used for varnishing maps and pictures?
 (A) Spirit varnish
 (C) Spar varnish
 (B) Water varnish
 (D) Oil varnish

199. The ratio of cement-mortar for stone masonry is generally _____
 (A) 1:3
 (C) 1:6
 (B) 1:4
 (D) 1:8

200. In which of the bond every alternate course starts with a quinon header?
 (A) Stretcher bond
 (C) Header bond
 (B) English bond
 (D) Double Flemish bond

201. Imaginary vertical line which includes the vertical joint separating two adjoining bricks is called
(A) Perpend (B) Lap
(C) Splay (D) Arise

202. The formation of very small loose mass on the plastered surface is known as
(A) Peeling (B) Popping
(C) Flaking (D) Cracking

203. Which one of the following is related to 'forebays' in a hydropower plant?
(A) It reduces the distance between the turbine and free surface
(B) It helps in absorbing the sudden pressure rise
(C) It helps in dissipating the energy
(D) It stores temporarily the water rejected by plant for adjusting electrical load

204. 'Fourneyron' is a / an
(A) Axial flow turbine (B) Tangential flow turbine
(C) Mixed flow turbine (D) Outward radial flow turbine

205. In reciprocating pumps, the equation for 'acceleration head' is best valid for
(Note: θ = angle made by turning of crank)
(A) $90^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ$ (B) $0 \leq \theta \leq 90^\circ$
(C) $\theta \geq 180^\circ$ (D) $0 \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ$

206. What is the frequency of a 12 pole 400 rpm alternator?
(A) 40 Hz (B) 50 Hz
(C) 60 Hz (D) 80 Hz

207. The function(s) of air-foil stay ring of fixed vanes in large reaction turbines is/are
(i) to direct water from guide vanes to casing.
(ii) to transfer the weight of non-rotating parts of turbine to the power house.
(A) Only (i) (B) Only (ii)
(C) Both (i) and (ii) (D) Neither (i) nor (ii)

208. Water is supplied to a height of 3.2 m at the rate of 36 liters per second to a hydraulic ram which delivers 2 liters per second to a height of 32 m above the ram. What would be the Rankine's efficiency?
(A) 42% (B) 50% (C) 54% (D) 63%

209. Which of the following statement(s) is/are true for Ferrock?
i. It is a type of rock largely containing Iron
ii. It is a carbon-negative environmentally-friendly compound
iii. It is made by combining steel dust waste with silica
iv. It is largely made up of recycled materials
(A) Only (i) (B) (ii) and (iii)
(C) (ii), (iii) and (iv) (D) (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv)

210. India's first Net Zero Energy building is
(A) Statue of Unity, Gujarat
(B) Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, New Delhi
(C) Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, New Delhi
(D) Atal Paryavaran Bhawan, Lucknow

211. Modular houses are very popular globally. These are constructed in accordance with _____ codes.
(A) Housing and Urban Development
(B) Bureau of International Standards
(C) South Carolina Code
(D) International Residential Code

212. Carbon fibres used primarily in construction material have fibres of diameter in range of
(A) 0.2 to 0.4 micrometer
(B) 0.5 to 0.6 micrometer
(C) 2 to 4 micrometer
(D) 5 to 6.5 micrometer

213. In pink noise, each octave interval (halving or doubling in frequency) carries _____ the amount of noise energy.
(A) half
(B) equal
(C) twice
(D) thrice

214. In sound, an octave band is a frequency band where the highest frequency is _____ the lowest frequency.
(A) thrice
(B) twice
(C) half
(D) equal to

215. Most appropriate resultant from two sound pressure levels of 60 dB is
(A) 57 dB
(B) 60 dB
(C) 63 dB
(D) 120 dB

216. 1 Sone sound is defined as a sound whose loudness is equal to _____
(A) 20 Phons
(B) 30 Phons
(C) 40 Phons
(D) 50 Phons

217. Ambient Air Quality Standards in respect of Noise for any category of area/zone, Limits in dB(A) Leq are given for day time and night time, where day time shall mean from:
(A) 6 am to 10 pm
(B) 6 am to 9 pm
(C) 7 am to 7 pm
(D) Sun rise to sun set

218. Which of the following air pollutant(s) is / are having different air quality concentration limits for Residential and Ecologically sensitive area?
(i) SO₂ (ii) NO₂ (iii) CO (iv) O₃
(A) Only (i)
(B) (i) and (ii)
(C) (iii) and (iv)
(D) (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv)

219. Non-dispersive Infra Red Spectroscopy method is used for estimating the concentration of which of the following air pollutants?

(A) CO (B) NH_3
(C) C_6H_6 (D) Arsenic

220. For which of the following air pollutant(s), there are standards available only for the annually averaged concentrations?

(A) Lead (B) Carbon monoxide
(C) Ammonia (D) Benzene

221. Which of the following statement(s) is / are true regarding the ambient air quality monitoring

(i) The arithmetic mean of minimum 104 measurements at a particular site in a year taken twice a week for 24 hours at uniform intervals gives the annually averaged concentration of a particular air pollutant
(ii) 24 hourly monitored values, as applicable shall be complied with 50% of the time in a year, and for remaining 50% of the time, they may exceed the limit but not on the two consecutive days of monitoring.

(A) Only (i) (B) Only (ii)
(C) Both (i) and (ii) (D) Neither (i) nor (ii)

222. In a Gaussian Plume Model for air pollution dispersion, the unit of the standard deviation σ_y and σ_z is

(A) meter / second (B) meter
(C) meter² (D) meter³

223. The rate at which the temperature of the parcel of gas decreases with height is called as the

(A) Dry Adiabatic Lapse Rate (B) Saturated Adiabatic Lapse Rate
(C) Environmental Lapse Rate (D) Tropospheric Thermal Gradient

224. A thermal power plant burns coal at the rate of 10 tonnes / hour. If the coal has sulphur content of 9%, then the rate of emission of SO_2 will be _____

(A) 250 grams / second (B) 500 grams / second
(C) 750 grams / second (D) 1000 grams / second

225. Which one of the following conditions of automobiles gives the maximum unburned hydrocarbons?

(A) Uniform acceleration (B) Gradually varying acceleration
(C) Deceleration (D) Idling

226. Which type of plume behaviour may occur during winter nights?

(A) Trapping (B) Conning
(C) Fanning (D) Looping

227. Which of the following statements are true for the bed material used in a 'packed tower' for removing particulate matter from gaseous emissions?

(i) It has a large surface to volume ratio
(ii) It has a small void ratio

(A) Only (i) (B) Only (ii) (C) Both (i) and (ii) (D) Neither (i) nor (ii)

228. Which of the following statements are true for sampling of stack gases for measurements of concentration of Suspended Particulate Matter?

- (i) The suction velocity should be such that isokinetic conditions prevail
- (ii) The position of the probe should be such that isothermal conditions prevail
- (A) Only (i) (B) Only (ii)
- (C) Both (i) and (ii) (D) Neither (i) nor (ii)

229. If the particle size in the air is between $1-5 \mu\text{m}$, then which of the following device would be best suited for purifying the air?

- (A) Gravity settling chamber (B) Cyclone separators
- (C) Electrostatic precipitator (D) Fabric Filters

230. How many levels the Ringelmann scale (which is used for measuring the apparent density or opacity of smoke) has?

- (A) 4 (B) 5
- (C) 6 (D) 7

231. Many empirical formulae are being used for estimating Manning's coefficient 'n' in natural channels. According to Strickler's formula, 'n' is proportional to ____.

(Note: d_{50} = particle size in which 50 percent of the bed material is finer)

- (A) $[d_{50}]^{1/2}$ (B) $[d_{50}]^{1/6}$
- (C) $[d_{50}]^{1/3}$ (D) $[d_{50}]^{1/5}$

232. Consider the following equations related to fluid flow.

- (i) Darcy-Weisbach equation
- (ii) Bernoulli's equation.
- (iii) Momentum equation
- (iv) Cauchy's distribution equation

Which of the above equation(s) is / are required to solve branching of pipe problems?

- (A) Only (i) (B) (i) and (ii)
- (C) (i), (ii) and (iii) (D) (ii), (iv)

233. A proposed model of river stretch of 20 km is to have a horizontal scale of (1/1000) and vertical scale of (1/400). If the normal discharge, width and depth of river are $182 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$, 100 m and 2 m, respectively, then model discharge would be

- (A) $0.2275 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ (B) $0.2275 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$
- (C) $0.2275 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ (D) $0.2275 \times 10^{-8} \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$

234. A hydraulic pipeline 2.7 km is in length and 60 cm in diameter is used to convey water in a chemical industry. Determine the maximum time required for pressure wave velocity of 1200 m/s, if the valve provided at the outflow is suddenly closed.

- (A) 5.0 seconds (B) 7.5 seconds
- (C) 10.0 seconds (D) None of above

244. If the probability of occurrence of a drought at a place is more than 40%, then such an area is called
(A) Drought prone area
(B) Severely drought prone area
(C) Acutely drought prone area
(D) Chronically drought prone area

245. A 1-day rainfall of 13 cm was found at a particular place with a return period of 20 years. The probability that a 1-day rainfall of this or larger magnitude will occur at least once in next 1 year would be
(A) 1/10
(B) 1/20
(C) 1/100
(D) 1/200

246. The rainfall on three successive 4-h periods is respectively 1.5, 5.0 and 3.5 cm. If the surface runoff resulting from this storm is 2.5 cm, then x-index (in cm/h) for this storm would be
(A) 0.550 cm/hr
(B) 0.625 cm/hr
(C) 0.675 cm/hr
(D) 0.750 cm/hr

247. Theory of unit hydrograph has application in
(i) Flood forecasting by using very short data.
(ii) Checking the reliability of flows obtained by using statistical methods.
(iii) Representing the snow-melt runoff.
Considering the above, which of the following is the correct option?
(A) Only (i)
(B) (i) and (iii)
(C) (ii) and (iii)
(D) (i) and (ii)

248. A catchment of area 500 hectares has a runoff coefficient of 0.5. A storm of duration larger than the time of concentration of the catchment and of intensity 3.6 cm/h causes a peak discharge of _____
(A) 5 m³/s
(B) 10 m³/s
(C) 25 m³/s
(D) 50 m³/s

249. Water existing in capillary zone is a part of
(A) phreatic water
(B) ground water
(C) gravity water
(D) vadose water

250. The upper limit of Reynold's number for the Darcy's law to be valid for groundwater flow is
(A) 0.1
(B) 1
(C) 10
(D) 50

251. If the intensity of rainfall is less than the infiltration capacity of the soil, then the infiltration rate will be
(A) Equal to the rainfall intensity
(B) Equal to the infiltration capacity
(C) More than the rainfall intensity but less than the infiltration capacity
(D) More than the infiltration capacity but less than the rainfall intensity

252. Probable maximum precipitation is defined as

- (A) the greatest depth of precipitation for a given duration meteorologically possible at a particular location at a particular time of the year
- (B) the greatest rainfall that is possible with the worst meteorological conditions
- (C) the rainfall of a given duration with maximum probability of occurrence
- (D) the rainfall for a given duration that is most unlikely to occur

253. Conjunctive use of water in a basin means

- (A) combined use of water for irrigation and for hydropower generation
- (B) combined use of surface and ground water resources
- (C) use of irrigation water for both rabi and kharif season
- (D) use of irrigation water by community participation

254. A Check Dam is a

- (A) small dam to check the floods
- (B) small dam to counteract erosion by reducing water flow velocity water storage structure
- (C) river training structure
- (D) water storage structure

255. L. K. Sherman propounded the theory for

- (A) Exit gradient
- (B) Regime canal
- (C) Unit hydrograph
- (D) Boundary Layer

256. For row crops and orchards which of the following irrigation system is best suited?

- (A) Drip irrigation
- (B) Sprinkler irrigation
- (C) Furrow irrigation
- (D) Basin flooding

257. If the irrigation water is having concentration of sodium, calcium and magnesium as 30, 4 and 4 mg/l respectively, then the Sodium Absorption Ratio would be

- (A) 7.5
- (B) 10
- (C) 15
- (D) 20

258. The depth of moisture in root zone at field capacity and permanent wilting point per meter depth of soil are 0.5 m/m and 0.3 m/m, respectively. If dry weight of soil is 14.7 kN/m³, then permanent wilting point would be

- (A) 33.3%
- (B) 20%
- (C) 15%
- (D) 25%

259. Soil moisture tension at field capacity ranges between

- (A) 7 – 32 atmospheres
- (B) 2 – 11 atmospheres
- (C) 0.33 – 2.0 atmospheres
- (D) 0.10 – 0.33 atmospheres

260. The left branch canal carrying a discharge of 30 cumec and has culturable area as 30,000 ha. The right branch canal carrying a discharge of 6 cumec and has culturable area of 9,000 ha. By what percent, right branch canal would be more efficient than left branch canal?

(A) 20% (B) 33%
(C) 50% (D) 100%

261. Duty of well water is more than canal water because

(i) Conveyance losses in well irrigation are less
(ii) Well water is cleaner than the canal water.
(iii) Well water is used more judiciously or as per specific requirements.

Which of the following option(s) is / are correct?

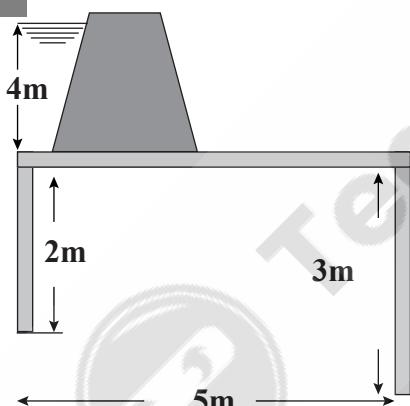
(A) Only (i) (B) (i) and (ii)
(C) (i) and (iii) (D) (i), (ii) and (iii)

262. For a gravity dam if the length of the water expanse is 40 km and wind velocity is 10 km/h, then the height of the wave would be

(A) 6.4 cm (B) 64 cm
(C) 640 cm (D) 6400 cm

263. Consider the following hydraulic structure with two piles each at downstream and upstream.

According to Bligh's theory, coefficient of creep would be



(A) 0.26 (B) 0.86 (C) 0.95 (D) 3.75

264. The straight glacis falls are suited for a discharge

(A) less than 25 m³/s (B) upto 60 m³/s
(C) more than 100 m³/s (D) of any value

265. R.G. Kennedy carried out extensive investigations in the _____ to select some straight reaches those had not posed any problem of silting and scouring since long time.

(A) Indira Gandhi Canal System (B) Ganga Canal System
(C) Upper Bari Doab Canal System (D) Bhakhra Canal System

293. The main purpose of providing a balancing reservoir in a water supply distribution system is to
 (A) equalize pressures in the distribution system
 (B) store adequate quantity of water to meet the requirement in case of break-down of inflow
 (C) store adequate firefighting reserve
 (D) take care of the fluctuations in the rate of consumption

294. The environment-friendly _____ can be installed with 'mass-fired incinerators' to extract heat from the combustion gases.
 (A) Combustion chambers (B) Superheaters
 (C) Waste-heat boilers (D) Steam generators

295. Leachate is an effluent generated from which of the following?
 (A) Landfill (B) Aerated lagoons
 (C) Trickling filter (D) Septic tank

296. The optimum range of C/N ratio for a good compost is
 (A) 12-18 (B) 34-39
 (C) 20-25 (D) 26-31

297. Which of the following statement(s) is / are true for a sedimentation tank?
 (i) Depth does not have any effect on the efficiency of the sediment removal
 (ii) Surface Overflow Rate is the most important design parameter
 (A) Only (i) (B) Only (ii)
 (C) Both (i) and (ii) (D) Neither (i) nor (ii)

298. In which treatment unit is Schmutzdecke formed?
 (A) Trickling Filter (B) Slow Sand Filter
 (C) Rapid Sand Filter (D) Septic Tank

299. An ideal fluid is a fluid
 (A) which obeys Newton's law of viscosity
 (B) which is incompressible and is having no viscosity
 (C) in which shear stress is directly proportional to the rate of shear strain
 (D) in which the boundary layer is zero.

300. Compression Index on a soil helps to determine
 (A) total time required for consolidation (B) time required for 50% consolidation
 (C) total settlement of clay layer (D) pre-consolidation pressure of clay