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**Memory Based Paper
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100 Questions

Que. 1 **Directions:** Read the following information carefully and answer the questions that follow.

A, B, C, D, E, F, G, and H live on 8 different floors of 8 storey building. Lowermost floor is numbered 1. The one above it is numbered 2. going on like this, the topmost floor is numbered 8. One person lives on each floor.

A lives on an odd-numbered floor below floor 5. Three people live between A and B. The number of people who live above B is equal to the number of people who live below C. There are two people live between C and D. F lives on one of the floors above G but below H. F lives on an even numbered floor. E lives immediately above the floor on which D lives.

Who lives immediately above A?

1. D
2. F
3. C
4. E
5. None of these

Correct Option - 2

Que. 2 Who among following lives exactly between E and H?

1. A
2. G
3. B
4. F
5. C

Correct Option - 3

Que. 3 On which of the following floors F lives?

1. 4th
2. 1st
3. 8th
4. 6th
5. 2nd

Correct Option - 1

Que. 4 Which of the following statements is not correct?

1. H lives on the topmost floor
2. G lives immediately below C
3. There are three people living between E and G
4. D lives on the odd numbered floor
5. All are correct

Correct Option - 3

Que. 5 Four of the following five are alike in a certain way and hence they form a group, which one of the following does not belong to the group?

1. G
2. D
3. B
4. H
5. A

Correct Option - 4

Que. 6 **Direction:** In the question below are given three statements followed by two conclusions numbered I, and II. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows from the given statements disregarding commonly known facts.

Statements:

All dates are appointment.

No appointment is a visit.

Only a few visits are months.

Conclusions:

I. No date is a visit.

II. All months being appointment is a possibility.

1. Only I follows
2. Only II follows
3. Both I or II follow
4. Either I or II follows
5. Neither I or II follows

Correct Option - 1

Que. 7 **Directions:** In the question below are given three statements followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows from the given statements disregarding commonly known facts.

Statements:

Some sign are park.

Some cube are park.

Some park are rare.

Conclusion:

I. Some sign are rare.

II. Some cube are rare.

1. None follows
2. Only I follows
3. Only II follows

4. Both I & II follow
5. Either I or II follows

Correct Option - 1

Que. 8 **Directions:** In the question below are given three statements followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows from the given statements disregarding commonly known facts.

Statements:

All wings are summer.

Some summer are soap.

No soap is an ant.

Conclusion:

- I. At least some wing are soap.
- II. Some ant being summer is a possibility.

1. None follows
2. Only I follows
3. Only II follows
4. Both I & II follow
5. Either I or II follows

Correct Option - 3

Que. 9 **Directions:** In the following question assuming the given statements to be true, find which of the conclusion among the given two conclusion(s) is /are definitely true and then give your answers accordingly.

Statements:

$P \leq Q > R \geq S; T > R < X$

Conclusions:

- I. $X > S$
- II. $T < P$

1. Only conclusion I follows.
2. Only conclusion I & II follow.
3. Only conclusion II follow.
4. Either I or II follows.
5. Neither conclusion I nor conclusion II follows.

Correct Option - 1

Que. 10 **Directions:** In the following question assuming the given statements to be true, find which of the conclusion among the given two conclusion(s) is /are definitely true and then give your answers accordingly.

Statements:

$K \leq U = J \geq H \geq W < B$

Conclusions:

I. $K < B$

II. $U \geq W$

1. Only conclusion I follows.
2. Only conclusion I & II follow.
3. Only conclusion II follow.
4. Either I or II follows.
5. Neither conclusion I nor conclusion II follows.

Correct Option - 3

Que. 11 **Directions:** In the following question assuming the given statements to be true, find which of the conclusion among the given two conclusion(s) is /are definitely true and then give your answers accordingly.

Statements:

$A < B < C \leq D$; $E \geq B \geq F$

Conclusions:

I. $F < D$

II. $E > A$

1. Only conclusion I follows
2. Both I and II follow
3. Only conclusion II follow
4. Either I or II follows
5. Neither conclusion I nor conclusion II follows

Correct Option - 2

Que. 12 **Direction:** Read the following instruction carefully and answer the questions that follow:

Certain people are sitting in a row facing North. There are as many people to the right of Z as there are to the left of Z. Y is third to the left of U who sits fourth from one of the extreme ends of the row. T sits at one of the extreme ends of the row. There are five persons sitting between T and W. X sits exactly in the middle of T and W. Two persons sits between W and Z. Y does not sit at one of the extreme ends of the row. There are as many persons sitting between Y and V as many are sitting between W and Y.

Who is sitting sixth to the right of X?

1. Z
2. V
3. X
4. T
5. U

Correct Option - 1

Que. 13 Who is sitting exactly in the middle of Z and U?

1. Y
2. Z
3. U
4. V

5. Cannot be determined

Correct Option - 1

Que. 14 How many persons are sitting in the row?

1. 20
2. 21
3. 24
4. 19
5. 17

Correct Option - 4

Que. 15 **Direction:** Study the following information carefully and answer the given questions:

Eight persons P, Q, R, S, T, U, V and W are sitting around a circular table, not all of them are facing the centre of table. V, who is facing the centre is second to the left of S and is to the right of U. P is opposite to U and S is not adjacent to U. R is third to the left of U. Q is second to the right of P but is not third to the right of V. T is sitting between S and V but is not the neighbour of R. No three consecutive persons are facing either towards the centre or are away from the centre. If two persons face the same direction, they both either face the centre or away from the centre. If two persons face different directions, then if one faces the centre, the other faces away from the centre.

Who is sitting second to the left of V?

1. U
2. W
3. S
4. P
5. None of these

Correct Option - 2

Que. 16 Which direction is W facing?

1. Towards the centre
2. Away from the centre
3. Same direction as S is facing
4. Same direction as P is facing
5. None of these

Correct Option - 2

Que. 17 Who is sitting to the opposite of S?

1. U
2. Q
3. R
4. W
5. V

Correct Option - 4

Que. 18 Who is sitting third to the right of U?

1. P
2. S
3. R
4. Q
5. T

Correct Option - 2

Que. 19 Who, among the following, are immediate neighbours?

1. P and T
2. T and U
3. P and R
4. V and W
5. Cannot be determined

Correct Option - 3

Que. 20 **Direction:** These questions are based on the following information.

P's mother is the sister of R who is Q's daughter. R's brother-in-law has only one son whose grandparents are Q and S, and they have only two daughters. A's husband B is Q's son-in-law. Who is B's mother-in-law?

1. P
2. Q
3. S
4. B
5. Cannot be determined

Correct Option - 5

Que. 21 What is the relation between Q and A?

1. Father-in law and son-in-law
2. Father and daughter
3. Father/Mother and daughter
4. Mother and daughter
5. Cannot be determined

Correct Option - 3

Que. 22 There are seven boxes A, B, C, D, E, F and G. They are kept one above the other. They are of different colour i.e. Purple, Red, Blue, Yellow, Green, White and Black. They all contain different number of balls i.e. 4, 7, 9, 11, 12, 15 and 16.

There are three boxes between the box D and box G. Box D is of Red colour. Box White is placed immediately below the Red colour box. There are four boxes placed between the box which is of Blue colour and the box which is of White colour. The box which is placed at the top has number of balls which is perfect square of even number. Box having 12 balls is immediately below the box having 4 balls. Sum of balls in box A and box C is 24. Box F is placed immediately above the box D. Difference of balls in box C and box F is 8. There are two

boxes between box E and box A. Difference of balls in box E and box G is 5. Box E is not of Blue colour. There are two boxes placed between the box which is of Purple colour and Yellow colour. Box which is of Black colour is placed immediately below Yellow colour box.

How many balls does Purple colour box contain?

1. 6
2. 11
3. 16
4. 15
5. 7

Correct Option - 3

Que. 23 What is the colour of box C?

1. Black
2. Yellow
3. Blue
4. Green
5. Purple

Correct Option - 4

Que. 24 Which box is placed immediately above box A?

1. G
2. C
3. B
4. D
5. E

Correct Option - 2

Que. 25 Which colour box is placed immediately below Green colour box?

1. Yellow
2. Red
3. Blue
4. Black
5. Purple

Correct Option - 1

Que. 26 What is the sum of balls in box B and C?

1. 19
2. 27
3. 28
4. 16
5. 22

Correct Option - 2

Que. 27 Sum of number of balls in which two boxes is highest?

1. C and E
2. C and G
3. B and E
4. C and B
5. None of these

Correct Option - 1

Que. 28 How many boxes are kept between black colored box and the box containing 11 balls?

1. 4
2. 3
3. 2
4. 1
5. None of these

Correct Option - 3

Que. 29 How many such pairs of letters are there in the word DYNAMIC each of which has as many letters between them in the word (in forward and backward direction) as they have between them in the English alphabetical order?

1. None
2. One
3. Three
4. Two
5. More than three.

Correct Option - 4

Que. 30 In a certain coding language, 'BOUGHT' is coded as 'APVHIS', and 'EATING' is coded as 'DBUJOF', then how 'GROUND' can be coded in the given coding language?

1. FSPVOV
2. FPVSOC
3. FPSVOC
4. FSPVOC
5. FSPVOU

Correct Option - 4

Que. 31 **Direction:** Read the following information carefully and answer the questions that follow:

Seven people P, Q, R, S, T, U, and V have to attend a seminar on seven different days of the same week starting from Monday and ending on Sunday, but not necessarily in the same order.

Q attends a seminar on Thursday. Only one person attends the seminar between R and S. U attends the seminar after S. Only one person attends the seminar between Q and V. The number of people who attend the seminar before P is same as the number of people who attend the seminar after R. P attends the seminar immediately after V.

On which of the following days does T have to attend the seminar?

1. Sunday
2. Monday
3. Tuesday
4. Wednesday
5. Friday

Correct Option - 3

Que. 32 Who among the following has to attend the seminar on Saturday?

1. U
2. V
3. T
4. P
5. Q

Correct Option - 2

Que. 33 If every person is made to attend the seminar in alphabetical order from Monday to Sunday, the day of attending the seminar of how many people will remain unchanged?

1. None
2. One
3. Two
4. Three
5. Four

Correct Option - 1

Que. 34 On which of the following days does S have to attend the seminar?

1. Monday
2. Tuesday
3. Wednesday
4. Thursday
5. Friday

Correct Option - 3

Que. 35 Who among the following has to attend the seminar on Saturday?

1. T
2. V
3. U
4. S
5. P

Correct Option - 2

Que. 36 **Directions:** In the following questions two equations numbered I and II are given. You have to solve both the equations and Give answer:

I. $2x^2 - 9x + 9 = 0$
II. $2y^2 - 9y + 10 = 0$

1. If $x > y$
2. If $x \geq y$
3. If $x < y$
4. If $x \leq y$
5. If $x = y$ or the relationship cannot be established

Correct Option - 5

Que. 37 **Directions:** In the following questions two equations numbered I and II are given. You have to solve both the equations and Give answer:

I. $x^2 - 11x + 24 = 0$

II. $y^2 + 4y - 12 = 0$

1. If $x > y$
2. If $x \geq y$
3. If $x < y$
4. If $x \leq y$
5. If $x = y$ or the relationship cannot be established

Correct Option - 1

Que. 38 **Directions:** In the following questions two equations numbered I and II are given. You have to solve both the equations and Give answer:

I. $x^2 + 2x = 0$

II. $y + 4 + \frac{4}{y} = 0$

1. If $x > y$
2. If $x \geq y$
3. If $x < y$
4. If $x \leq y$
5. If $x = y$ or the relationship cannot be established

Correct Option - 2

Que. 39 **Directions:** In the following questions two equations numbered I and II are given. You have to solve both the equations and Give answer:

I. $3y + 18 = 50 - 5y$

II. $x^2 = 16$

1. If $x > y$
2. If $x \geq y$
3. If $x < y$
4. If $x \leq y$
5. If $x = y$ or the relationship cannot be established

Correct Option - 4

Que. 40 **Directions:** In the following questions two equations numbered I and II are given. You have to solve both the equations and Give answer:

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

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

1. If $x > y$
2. If $x \geq y$
3. If $x < y$
4. If $x \leq y$
5. If $x = y$ or the relationship cannot be established

Correct Option - 5

Que. 41 **Direction:** Find the missing term in the series.

7, 16, 34, 70, ?, 286

1. 136
2. 142
3. 138
4. 132
5. 128

Correct Option - 2

Que. 42 **Direction:** Find the missing term in the series.

77, 82, 72, 87, 67, ?

1. 91
2. 90
3. 92
4. 93
5. None of these

Correct Option - 3

Que. 43 **Direction:** Find the missing term in the series.

5, 12, 24, 40, 59, ?

1. 81
2. 83
3. 82
4. 80
5. None of these

Correct Option - 4

Que. 44 **Direction:** Find the missing term in the series.

17, 22, 39, 76, 141, ?

1. 242

2. 142
3. 240
4. 342
5. 178

Correct Option - 1

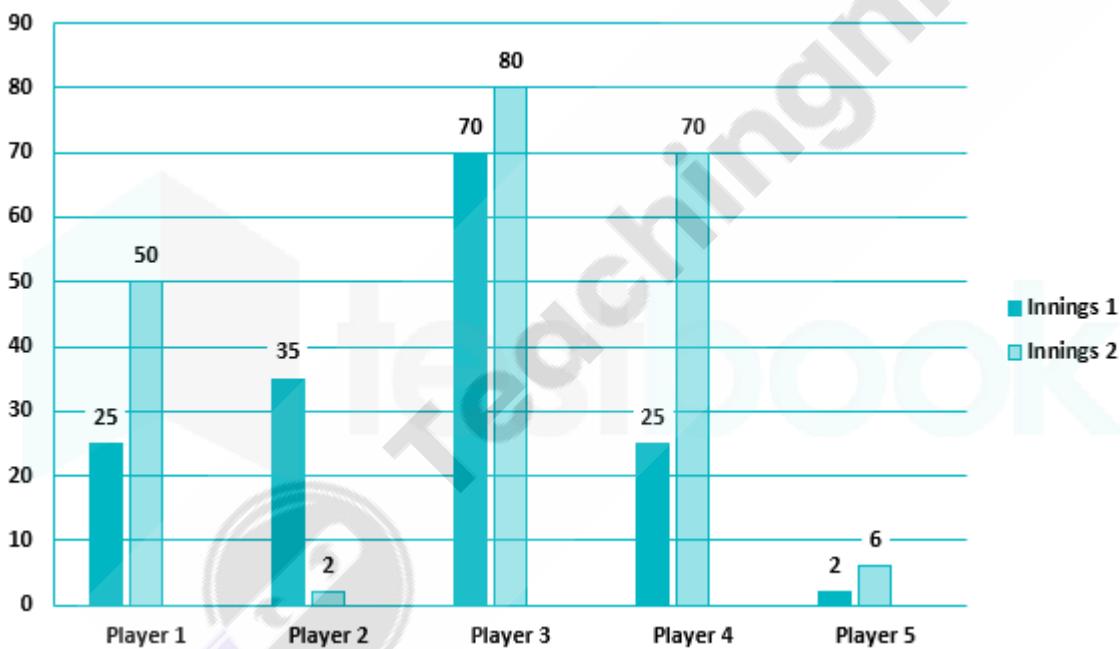
Que. 45 **Direction:** Find the missing term in the series.

14, 37, 64, 95, ?, 169

1. 130
2. 135
3. 139
4. 140
5. 120

Correct Option - 1

Que. 46 The following bar graph shows the runs scored by different players of a team in the two innings of a test match.



Total runs scored by player 1 in both innings is by what percent much more/less than the player 4 in both innings (round off digit)?

1. 25% less
2. 20% more
3. 50% more
4. 21% less
5. Both have scored same runs.

Correct Option - 4

Que. 47 Which player has scored the highest runs in both innings?

1. Player 2
2. Player 5
3. Player 1
4. Player 3
5. Player 4

Correct Option - 4

Que. 48 Runs scored by player 1 in innings 2 is by what percent more/less than innings 1?

1. 50% more
2. 75% less
3. 40% more
4. 25% less
5. 100% more

Correct Option - 5

Que. 49 Find the average runs scored by all the players in innings 1?

1. 24.6
2. 31.4
3. 45
4. 25
5. 35.8

Correct Option - 2

Que. 50 How many players scored more runs than the average runs scored in innings 2?

1. 4
2. 0
3. 2
4. 3
5. 1

Correct Option - 4

Que. 51 **Directions:** Each question below is followed by two statements I and II. You have to determine whether the data given in the statement is sufficient for answering the question. You should use the data and your knowledge of Mathematics to choose the best possible answer.

What is the average age of employees?

I. Age of manager is equal to number of employees in the firm.

II. Average age is increased by 2 when manager's age is added in total age of employees.

1. If the data given in the statement I alone is sufficient to answer the question whereas the data given in statement II alone is not sufficient to answer the question.
2. If the data given in the statement II alone is sufficient to answer the question whereas the data given in statement I alone is not sufficient to answer the question.
3. If the data in either statement I alone or in statement II alone is sufficient to answer the question.
4. If the data in both the statements I & II is not sufficient to answer the question.



5. If the data given in both the statements I & II is necessary to answer the question.

Correct Option - 4

Que. 52 **Directions:** Each question below is followed by two statements I and II. You have to determine whether the data given in the statement is sufficient for answering the question. You should use the data and your knowledge of Mathematics to choose the best possible answer.

Nehal, Mayur and Sujit are running a business firm in partnership. What is Nehal's share in the profit earned by them?

I. Nehal, Mayur and Sujit invested the amounts in the ratio 3 : 9 : 18.

II. Sujit's share in the profit is Rs. 3618.

1. Only I
2. Only II
3. Both I and II
4. Either I or II
5. Neither I nor II

Correct Option - 3

Que. 53 **Directions:** Each question below is followed by two statements I and II. You have to determine whether the data given in the statement is sufficient for answering the question. You should use the data and your knowledge of Mathematics to choose the best possible answer.

A boat takes a total time of three hours to travel downstream from P and Q and upstream back from Q to P. What is the speed of the boat in still water?

I. The speed of the river current is 4 km per hour

II. The distance between P and Q is 16 km.

1. I alone sufficient while II alone not sufficient to answer
2. II alone sufficient while I alone not sufficient to answer
3. Either I or II alone sufficient to answer
4. Both I and II are not sufficient to answer
5. None of above

Correct Option - 5

Que. 54 **Directions:** Each question below is followed by two statements I and II. You have to determine whether the data given in the statement is sufficient for answering the question. You should use the data and your knowledge of Mathematics to choose the best possible answer.

What is the marked price of the book which was sold at a discounted price?

I. The marked price of the book is 36% above the cost price of the table. Two consecutive discounts were given while selling the table.

II. The book was sold for Rs. 567.8. The percentage of discount given for the second time while selling the table is three times the percentage of discount given for the first time while selling the table.

1. The data in both statement I and II together are necessary to answer the question.
2. The data either in statement I alone or in statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question.
3. The data in both statement I and II together are not sufficient to answer the question.
4. The data in statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in statement I alone are not sufficient to answer the question.

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

Correct Option - 3

Que. 55 **Directions:** Each question below is followed by two statements I and II. You have to determine whether the data given in the statement is sufficient for answering the question. You should use the data and your knowledge of Mathematics to choose the best possible answer.

What is the total number of girls in the classroom?

I. The ratio of the number of boys to the number of girls in the classroom is 8 : 7.

II. The average marks of girls in the classroom is 15 less than the average marks of boys in the classroom. The average marks of all the students in the classroom is 64.

1. The data in both statements I and II together are not sufficient to answer the question.
2. The data either in statement I alone or in statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question.
3. The data in statement I alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in statement II alone are not sufficient to answer the question.
4. The data in statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question, while the data in statement I alone are not sufficient to answer the question.
5. The data in both statement I and II together are necessary to answer the question.

Correct Option - 1

Que. 56 The Class 9th of Vidya Mandir School consists of 120 students and the ratio of boys and girls studying in the class is 5 : 7. In an examination, there are five subjects – A, B, C, D and E. The ratio of the average marks obtained by students in Subject A and Subject B is 8 : 7 and for Subject B and Subject C is 35 : 36. The average obtained in Subject E is 5 more than the average marks obtained in Subject D. (Given that the sum of average marks obtained in Subjects A, B and C is 222.)

Find the average marks obtained in Subjects A, B and C respectively.

1. 70, 75, 77
2. 82, 69, 71
3. 80, 70, 72
4. 88, 66, 68
5. None of these

Correct Option - 3

Que. 57 If the average marks obtained in Subject D is 5 more than the average marks obtained in Subject A and the ratio of average marks obtained in Subject D and Subject E is 17 : 18. Find the average marks obtained in Subject E.

1. 84
2. 72
3. 90
4. 54
5. 96

Correct Option - 3

Que. 58 If the average marks obtained by girls in Subject A is 70. Find the average marks obtained by boys in Subject A.

1. 94
2. 90
3. 85
4. 75
5. 100

Correct Option - 1

Que. 59 If the number of students is increased to 150 and there is no increase in sum total of marks. What would be the new average of Subject B, Subject C and Subject E?

1. 56, 90, 55
2. 45, 44, 72
3. 56, 57.6, 72
4. 44.5, 51.2, 74
5. Data insufficient

Correct Option - 3

Que. 60 Suresh gets exactly the same marks in all subjects as their average are. (average marks in each subject = Suresh's individual marks). What is his percentage marks if maximum marks that can be obtained is 100 in each subject?

1. 87.2%
2. 79.40%
3. 80.5%
4. 81.15%
5. 82.30%

Correct Option - 2

Que. 61 A mixture of 40 litres of milk and water contains 10% water. How much water (in litres) should be added so that the water is 20% in the new mixture?

1. 4
2. 5
3. 7
4. 8
5. None of these

Correct Option - 2

Que. 62 Raju and Arun are two business partners. They invest their capital in the ratio 7 : 9. After 6 months, a third person Jitu joins them with a capital of two third of that of Arun. After a year, profit share of Raju was Rs 5600 then find total profit.

1. 15200
2. 12400
3. 16400

- 4. 30400
- 5. 24600

Correct Option - 1

Que. 63 15 man can complete a work in 12 days. 18 woman can complete the same work in 15 days. 6 man and 6 woman can complete the same work in 18 days. In how many days, 6 woman alone will finish the work?

- 1. 50
- 2. 45
- 3. 65
- 4. 40
- 5. None of these

Correct Option - 2

Que. 64 The volume of right circular cylinder is 1078 cm^3 . Also, the curved surface of the cylinder is 308 cm^2 . Find the height of the right circular cylinder in cm.

- 1. 8
- 2. 7
- 3. 6
- 4. 5
- 5. None of these

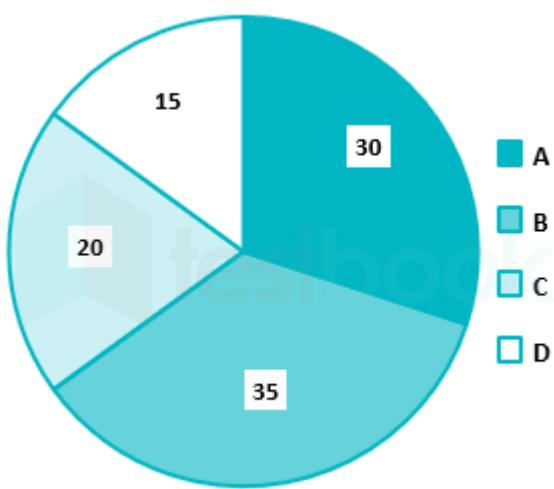
Correct Option - 2

Que. 65 The simple interest on a sum is INR 1600 when the rate of interest is taken as 6% per year and the time is 4 years. Use this information to compute the approx. compound interest on the same amount of money.

- 1. INR 1800
- 2. INR 1750
- 3. INR 1550
- 4. INR 1650
- 5. None of these

Correct Option - 2

Que. 66 **Direction:** Study the following pie-chart carefully & answer the questions given below:
Pie-chart shows the % distribution of students in different colleges. Total number of students are 1200



Male	Colleges
216	A
382	B
132	C
144	D

What is the ratio of female to male students in A and B together ?

1. 2 : 1
2. 3 : 4
3. 5 : 4
4. 9 : 5
5. None of above

Correct Option - 5

Que. 67 Out of total no. of students in college C, what % were female?

1. 30%
2. 33.33%
3. 45%
4. 50%
5. None of above

Correct Option - 3

Que. 68 What is average no. of females in all the colleges?

1. 78.5
2. 81.5
3. 75
4. 90
5. None of above

Correct Option - 2

What is the approx. % of female to male in College B?

Que. 69 10%

- 2. 11%
- 3. 12%
- 4. 13%
- 5. 14%

Correct Option - 1

Que. 70 What is the difference between the number of the males in college A and number of females in college D?

- 1. 180
- 2. 120
- 3. 200
- 4. 240
- 5. 210

Correct Option - 1

Que. 71 The following sentences form a paragraph. The sentences are numbered as A, B, C, D, E, and F. These six parts are not given in their proper order. Read the sentences and choose the alternative that arranges them in a correct order.

- A. For over a year the Authorised Push Payment Scams Steering Group has been working on a voluntary code
- B. The code is squarely aimed at victims of authorized push payment (APP) scams, where a customer is tricked into sending money to a scammer directly
- C. On that date, a new code of conduct comes into play that will require the banks to treat fraud victims better
- D. Bank customers who fall victim to frauds after 28 May will have a greater chance of being refunded
- E. The new code states customers should be reimbursed provided they took "sufficient care and heeded any warnings
- F. that has now been adopted by all the big banks

Which of the following should be the first sentence after rearrangement?

- 1. D
- 2. F
- 3. A
- 4. E
- 5. B

Correct Option - 1

Que. 72 Which of the following should be the second sentence after rearrangement?

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

Correct Option - 3

Que. 73 Which of the following should be the fourth sentence after rearrangement?

1. E
2. A
3. F
4. D
5. C

Correct Option - 3

Que. 74 Which of the following should be the sixth sentence after rearrangement?

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

Correct Option - 5

Que. 75 **Directions:** Read each sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical mistake/error in it.

Choose the option which is CORRECT (without any errors in it). If all sentences are incorrect, mark option 5 as your answer.

A. You should leave a generous tip to reward good service.
B. They ask for 8% extra from customers who pay the insurance by direct debit instead of as a lump sum.
C. The company refused to except responsibility for the accident.

1. Only A
2. Only B
3. Only C
4. Both A and B
5. All are incorrect

Correct Option - 4

Que. 76 **Directions:** Read each sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical mistake/error in it.

Choose the option which is CORRECT (without any errors in it). If all sentences are incorrect, mark option 5 as your answer.

A. The police are trying to trace the mother of a newborn baby found abandoned outside a hospital.
B. After the bars closed, gangs of youths roam the city streets.
C. She hitched her skirt in before wading across the stream.

1. Only A
2. Only B
3. Only C
4. Both A and B
5. All are incorrect

Correct Option - 1

Que. 77 **Directions:** Read each sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical mistake/error in it. Choose the option which is CORRECT (without any errors in it). If all sentences are incorrect, mark option 5 as your answer.

- A. James coughed loudly so attract her attention.
- B. The position of the adverb is important when there is more than one verb in a sentence.
- C. He asked me to leave the house queitly.

- 1. Only A
- 2. Only B
- 3. Only C
- 4. Both A and B
- 5. All are incorrect

Correct Option - 2

Que. 78 **Directions:** Read each sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical mistake/error in it. Choose the option which is CORRECT (without any errors in it). If all sentences are incorrect, mark option 5 as your answer.

- A. Clearly, there has been unacceptable delays.
- B. They were made insane amounts of money.
- C. John cut an aloof and somewhat austere figure.

- 1. Only A
- 2. Only B
- 3. Only C
- 4. Both A and B
- 5. All are incorrect

Correct Option - 3

Que. 79 **Directions:** Read each sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical mistake/error in it. Choose the option which is CORRECT (without any errors in it). If all sentences are incorrect, mark option 5 as your answer.

- A. She imagined him in his desk, his head in his hands.
- B. I cannot even afford to paid the rent on this flat.
- C. After Ned died, everyone imagines that Mabel would move away.

- 1. Only A
- 2. Only B
- 3. Only C
- 4. Both A and B
- 5. All are incorrect

Correct Option - 5

Que. 80 **Fill in the blank with the correct word.**

This awful traffic is definitely going to _____ our trip to the beach

- 1. Hamper
- 2. Dump

3. Hampered
4. Beautify
5. Elaborate

Correct Option - 1

Que. 81 Fill in the blank with the correct word

Since the police will not help her, Helen is going to abduct her daughter from the _____ cult.

1. Cultural
2. Provincial
3. Harmful
4. Delightful
5. Harmless

Correct Option - 3

Que. 82 Fill in the blank with the correct word.

Although she is _____ well rounded, Rashi is definitely a much stronger reader than she is a mathematician.

1. Physically
2. Academic
3. Politically
4. Academically
5. Philosophically

Correct Option - 4

Que. 83 Fill in the blank with the correct word.

During the monthly meeting, the company president will present an _____ to the employee of the month.

1. Reward
2. Accolade
3. Aim
4. Report
5. Gift

Correct Option - 2

Que. 84 Fill in the blank with the correct word.

Staring up at the odd-looking statue with a puzzle, the children _____ who made it and what it stood for.

1. Wonder
2. Wondered
3. Would
4. Wondering
5. Agitate

Correct Option - 2

Que. 85 Fill in the blank with the correct word.

Since the goal is a tough one, you will need a lot of _____ to reach it.

1. Zealous
2. Jealousy
3. Thirsty
4. Zeal
5. Anger

Correct Option - 4

Que. 86 In the following sentence, a part of the sentence is underlined. Below are given alternatives to the underlined part, which may improve the sentence. Choose the correct alternative. In case no improvement is needed, choose the option 'No improvement'.

Bilateral tariff wars are not the solution because Indian consumers will mere buy goods from other countries.

1. Would mere buy
2. Would mere buying
3. Will merely buy
4. Should merely buy
5. No improvement

Correct Option - 3

Que. 87 In the following sentence, a part of the sentence is underlined. Below are given alternatives to the underlined part, which may improve the sentence. Choose the correct alternative. In case no improvement is needed, choose the option 'No improvement'.

It covers a range of issues from domestic economic imbalances to the failure of plug into global supply chains.

1. Failing to plug to
2. Failure in plug into
3. Failures of plugs in
4. Failure of plugging into
5. No improvement

Correct Option - 4

Que. 88 In the following sentence, a part of the sentence is underlined. Below are given alternatives to the underlined part, which may improve the sentence. Choose the correct alternative. In case no improvement is needed, choose the option 'No improvement'.

There is no doubt that India's trade deficit with China is partaker a larger challenge of trade competitiveness.

1. Part to a larger
2. Partakers of a larger
3. Part of a larger
4. Parting off a larger
5. No improvement

Correct Option - 3

Que. 89 In the following sentence, a part of the sentence is underlined. Below are given alternatives to the underlined part, which may improve the sentence. Choose the correct alternative. In case no improvement is needed, choose the option 'No improvement'.

The government has actively used subsidies to promote the domestic industry, giving in an unfair advantage in many areas.

1. Giving it an unfair
2. Giving into unfair
3. Given in an unfair
4. Gave it an unfairly
5. No improvement

Correct Option - 1

Que. 90 In the following sentence, a part of the sentence is underlined. Below are given alternatives to the underlined part, which may improve the sentence. Choose the correct alternative. In case no improvement is needed, choose the option 'No improvement'.

China has also been strongly interventionist in the way it has managed its exchange rate.

1. With the way in which
2. For the way it is
3. From the way it will
4. In the way it have
5. No improvement

Correct Option - 5

Que. 91 Below a word is given in three sentences. Find out which one/ones make/makes a correct usage of the given word and mark the option accordingly. If the sentences are all correct mark option 5 as the answer.

A: The team's manager was **magnanimous** in victory and praised the losing team.

B: "The best man won," he said, **magnanimously** conceding defeat.

C: Ram felt very **magnanimous** after lending him the money.

1. Only A
2. Only B
3. Only C
4. Both A and B
5. All of these.

Correct Option - 4

Que. 92 Below a word is given in three sentences. Find out which one/ones make/makes a correct usage of the given word and mark the option accordingly. If the sentences are all correct mark option 5 as the answer.

A: We were discussing the **roots** of the current economic malaise.

B: Economic degradation **roots** in illiteracy.

C: The high crime rate has its **roots** in unemployment and poverty.

1. Only A



2. Both A and C
3. Only C
4. Only B
5. All of these.

Correct Option - 2

Que. 93 Below a word is given in three sentences. Find out which one/ones make/makes a correct usage of the given word and mark the option accordingly. If the sentences are all correct mark option 5 as the answer.

A: The **retreat** of the French army changed the course of the war.

B: Her body pulsed with the surge and **retreat** of magic.

C: Only then did he turn and **retreat** down the hallway.

1. Only A
2. Only B
3. Only C
4. Both B and C
5. All of these.

Correct Option - 4

Que. 94 **Read the following passage and answer the questions given below.**

More and more people are feeling tired and lonely at work. In analyzing the General Social Survey of 2016, we found that, compared with roughly 20 years ago, people are twice as likely to report that they are always exhausted. Close to 50% of people say they are often or always exhausted due to work. This is a shockingly high statistic — and it's a 32% increase from two decades ago. What's more, there is a significant correlation between feeling lonely and work **exhaustion**: The more people are exhausted, the lonelier they feel.

This loneliness is not a result of social **isolation**, as you might think, but rather is due to the emotional exhaustion of workplace burnout. In researching the book *The Happiness Track*, we found that 50% of people — across professions, from the nonprofit sector to the medical field — are burned out. This isn't just a problem for busy, overworked executives (though the high rates of loneliness and burnout among this group are well known). Our work suggests that the problem is pervasive across professions and up and down corporate hierarchies.

Loneliness, whether it results from social isolation or exhaustion, has serious consequences for individuals. John Cacioppo, a leading expert on loneliness and coauthor of *Loneliness: Human Nature and the Need for Social Connection*, emphasizes its tremendous impact on psychological and physical health and longevity. Research by Sarah Pressman, of the University of California, Irvine, corroborates his work and demonstrates that while obesity reduces longevity by 20%, drinking by 30%, and smoking by 50%, loneliness reduces it by a whopping 70%. In fact, one study suggests that loneliness increases your chance of stroke or coronary heart disease — the leading cause of death in developed countries — by 30%. On the other hand, feelings of social connection can strengthen our immune system, lengthen our life, and lower rates of anxiety and depression.

What was the findings of the General Social Survey of 2016?

1. People are twice as likely to report that they are always exhausted
2. People are very energetic
3. Employers believe it is their job to motivate the employees
4. All of the above
5. None of the above

Correct Option - 1

Que. 95 What is the reason behind loneliness in the passage?

1. Social inclusion
2. Social exclusion
3. The emotional exhaustion of workplace burnout
4. The physical exhaustion of workplace
5. All of the above

Correct Option - 3

Que. 96 What does John Cacioppo say about the impact of loneliness?

1. It hampers physical health
2. It hampers emotional health
3. It hampers longevity
4. Both 1 and 2
5. All of the above

Correct Option - 5

Que. 97 What is the tone of the passage?

1. Cynical
2. Satirical
3. Moral
4. Descriptive
5. None of the above

Correct Option - 4

Que. 98 Given below is a word which is also given in bold in the passage. From the following options choose the one which is closest in meaning to the word.

Isolation

1. Jubilation
2. Satire
3. Addiction
4. Privacy
5. Loneliness

Correct Option - 5

Que. 99 Given below is a word which is also given in bold in the passage. From the following options choose the one which is opposite in meaning to the word.

Exhaustion

1. Rejuvenation
2. Acceleration
3. Attenuation
4. Imagination

5. Exclamation

Correct Option - 1

Que. 100 Given below is a word which is also given in bold in the passage. From the following options choose the one which is opposite in meaning to the word.

Strengthen

1. Construction
2. Cement
3. Weaken
4. Subtraction
5. Action

Correct Option - 3



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