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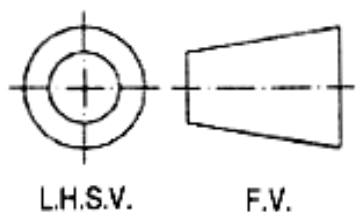
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### SECTION A

1. For which projection method is the following graphical symbol applicable ?



- (a) 1<sup>st</sup> Angle Projection  
 (b) 2<sup>nd</sup> Angle Projection  
 (c) 3<sup>rd</sup> Angle Projection  
 (d) 4<sup>th</sup> Angle Projection
2. How many times is the isometric length shorter than the true length ?
- (a) 0.615  
 (b) 0.715  
 (c) 0.815  
 (d) 0.915
3. What is the inclined angle of letters in case of inclined lettering ?
- (a) 45°  
 (b) 55°  
 (c) 65°  
 (d) 75°
4. The specific gravity of sandstone is
- (a) 1.65 to 1.95  
 (b) 2.65 to 2.95  
 (c) 3.65 to 3.95  
 (d) 4.65 to 4.95

5. In case of brick manufacturing, if the amount of silica in clay is in excess quantity, then excessiveness of silica will

- (a) Make the brick brittle and weak  
 (b) Change the colour from red to yellow  
 (c) Improve permeability and durability  
 (d) Make the brick crack and warp on drying

6. Right proportion of  $\text{SiO}_2$  in chemical composition of Portland cement helps in controlling strength but if it gets excess then what will happen ?

- (a) Reduces strength  
 (b) Setting time increases  
 (c) Discolouration effect occurs  
 (d) Unsoundness occurs

7. What type and composition of mortar is required for RCC tanks and other retaining structures ?

- (a) 1 : 1 2 1 Cement Sand Mortar  
 (b) 1 : 1 2 1 Lime Surkhi Mortar  
 (c) 1 : 1 2 1 Lime Sand Mortar  
 (d) 1 : 1 2 1 Surkhi Sand Mortar

8. What is the proportion of cement : fine aggregate : coarse aggregate in case of M25 grade of concrete ?

- (a) 1 : 3 : 6
- (b) 1 : 2 : 4
- (c)  $1 : 1\frac{1}{2} : 3$
- (d) 1 : 1 : 2

9. The most effective process of repairing concrete work to provide impervious layer is usually done by pouring a mixture of cement and sand (1 : 3) in a cement gun and deposit it on the inferior work by pressure of 20 N/cm<sup>2</sup> to 30 N/cm<sup>2</sup>, is called

- (a) Grouting
- (b) Shotcreting
- (c) Guniting
- (d) Trimming

10. What is the name of the defect when exposed surface of timber dries very rapidly and as a result it shrinks, remains under compression and simultaneously the interior surface has not completely dried, remains under tension ?

- (a) Cup hardening
- (b) Case hardening
- (c) Split hardening
- (d) Twist hardening

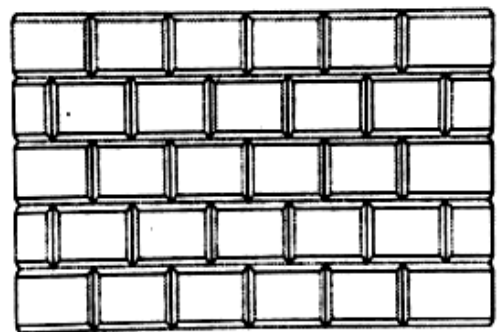
11. The paint having metal oxides such as Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, PbO, ZnO, etc. is called

- (a) Distemper
- (b) Enamel
- (c) Oil
- (d) Emulsion

12. In case of varnish, what type of solvent provides long lasting bright surface ?

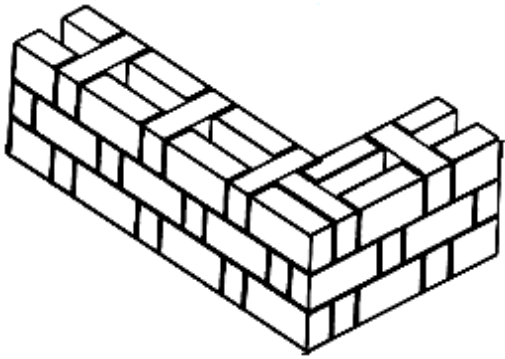
- (a) Oil
- (b) Turpentine
- (c) Water
- (d) Spirit

13. Name the type of the following stone masonry :



- (a) Ashlar Rough tooled
- (b) Ashlar Quarry faced
- (c) Ashlar Chamfered
- (d) Ashlar Fine

14. Name the type of the following brick masonry :



- (a) Brick on Edge Bond  
(b) Rat Trap Bond  
(c) Facing Bond  
(d) Backing Bond
15. For strengthening the corner of a wall, what type of brick bond is used where alternate courses of headers and stretchers are set, including the quoin of stretcher course is  $\frac{3}{4}$  brick bat and also a header is introduced next to the  $\frac{3}{4}$  brick bat in every alternate stretcher course ?
- (a) English Cross Bond  
(b) Flemish Garden Wall Bond  
(c) Dutch Bond  
(d) Monk Bond

16. Which one of the following is the most economical foundation when heavy structural loads from columns are required to be transferred to a soil of low bearing capacity ?

- (a) Grillage  
(b) Deep  
(c) Raft  
(d) Shallow

17. In case of foundation, the net loading intensity at which neither the soil fails in shear nor is there excessive settlement detrimental to the structure is known as

- (a) Foundation bearing capacity  
(b) Safe bearing capacity  
(c) Allowable bearing capacity  
(d) Ultimate bearing capacity

18. The best position for damp proof course (D.P.C.) in buildings without basement lies at

- (a) Ground level  
(b) Plinth level  
(c) 150 mm above ground level  
(d) 150 mm above plinth level

- 19.** A semi-rigid material which forms an excellent impervious layer for damp proofing course is called
- (a) Tar felt
  - (b) Bituminous felt
  - (c) Mastic asphalt
  - (d) Bitumen
- 20.** The roughly curved triangular space above or on either side of the arch bounded by the curved extrados, a line running horizontally through the apex of the arch and a line rising vertically from the springing of the arch is called
- (a) Haunch
  - (b) Skewback
  - (c) Spandrel
  - (d) Voussoir
- 21.** For comfortable ascent and descent, what should be the value of "Tread + 2 x Riser" ?
- (a) 400 mm
  - (b) 500 mm
  - (c) 600 mm
  - (d) 700 mm
- 22.** In a contour plan, if contour lines are drawn with a contour interval of 2 m and if the gradient is 1 in 30, then the horizontal distance required between successive points on consecutive contours will be
- (a) 15 m
  - (b) 30 m
  - (c) 45 m
  - (d) 60 m
- 23.** When the telescope of a theodolite is rotated clockwise then it is called
- (a) Face right
  - (b) Left swing
  - (c) Face left
  - (d) Right swing
- 24.** The distance between individual pixels in a visual display technology calculated by measuring the closeness of individual pixels to one another is called the
- (a) Pix Pitch
  - (b) Bit Pitch
  - (c) Dot Pitch
  - (d) Byte Pitch

- 25.** A strip of land permanently left open for drainage purposes, neither used as an access way nor like a street and never included as a part of setbacks is known as
- Jhamp
  - Ledge
  - Jhot
  - Loft
- 26.** When the angle of splay becomes  $90^\circ$  then the wing walls are known as
- Straight Wing Walls
  - Splayed Wing Walls
  - Return Wing Walls
  - Trestle Wing Walls
- 27.** Which grade of pencil is used for drawing arrowheads ?
- 2H
  - 2B
  - 7H
  - H
- 28.** If top view of a line is a point, its front view is \_\_\_\_\_.
- parallel to xy line and of true length
  - parallel to xy line and of apparent length
  - perpendicular to xy line and of true length
  - perpendicular to xy line and of apparent length
- 29.** Oblique sections are useful to show the \_\_\_\_\_.
- Interior shapes
  - Oblique lines
  - Foreshortened features
  - Projected features
- 30.** Which of the following defects occur in the seasoning process of wood ?
- Bow
  - Brown rot
  - Sap stain
  - Blue stain
- 31.** Which of the following cement is used in sewage and water treatment plants ?
- Sulphate Resisting Cement
  - Quick Setting Cement
  - Low Heat Cement
  - Rapid Hardening Cement
- 32.** The maximum limit of weight of fibreboards is \_\_\_\_\_.
- $960 \text{ kg/m}^3$
  - $1960 \text{ kg/m}^3$
  - $2460 \text{ kg/m}^3$
  - $2960 \text{ kg/m}^3$



33. Which of the following is **not** a variety of industrial timber ?
- (a) Veneers
  - (b) Plywood
  - (c) Fibreboard
  - (d) Baulk
34. The term \_\_\_\_\_ is used to indicate the solution of resins or resinous substances prepared either in alcohol, oil or turpentine.
- (a) Turpentine
  - (b) Varnish
  - (c) Oil
  - (d) Distemper
35. Plastics are divided into thermoplastic and thermosetting on the basis of their \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) Behaviour with respect to heating
  - (b) Structure
  - (c) Physical properties
  - (d) Mechanical properties
36. The height of the plinth should **not** be less than \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) 45 cm
  - (b) 20 cm
  - (c) 1 m
  - (d) 500 cm
37. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a projecting stone which is usually provided to serve as support for roof truss, beam, weather shed, etc.
- (a) Course
  - (b) Cornice
  - (c) Corbel
  - (d) Coping
38. In \_\_\_\_\_ type of construction, the square or rectangular blocks of stones are used.
- (a) Brick masonry
  - (b) Rubble masonry
  - (c) Rock Masonry
  - (d) Ashlar masonry
39. A \_\_\_\_\_ junction is formed when two continuous walls cross or intersect each other.
- (a) Squint
  - (b) Cross
  - (c) Obtuse squint
  - (d) Right angle
40. The usual concrete mix for RCC lintel is \_\_\_\_\_ (cement : sand : aggregate).
- (a) 1 : 2 : 3
  - (b) 1 : 2 : 4
  - (c) 1 : 4 : 8
  - (d) 1 : 3 : 6

41. Which of the following is the first principle of surveying ?
- (a) Whole to whole
  - (b) Part to part
  - (c) Part to whole
  - (d) Whole to part
42. Which of the following **cannot** be done with the help of theodolite in surveying ?
- (a) Measuring horizontal distances
  - (b) Prolonging survey lines
  - (c) Laying off horizontal angles
  - (d) Locating points on lines
43. Which command converts discrete object in polyline ?
- (a) Merge
  - (b) Union
  - (c) Join
  - (d) Add
44. What is the minimum allowable number of layers in a drawing ?
- (a) 0
  - (b) 1
  - (c) 2
  - (d) 10
45. Which key is used to obtain properties palette in AutoCAD ?
- (a) Control + 1
  - (b) Control + 2
  - (c) Control + 3
  - (d) Control + 4
46. Scale command can be accessed easily by typing
- (a) SL
  - (b) S
  - (c) SC
  - (d) C
47. \_\_\_\_\_ refers to the effect produced by deriving the maximum benefits from the minimum dimensions off a room.
- (a) Compactness
  - (b) Roominess
  - (c) Grouping
  - (d) Privacy
48. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a set of rules that specify the standards for constructed objects such as buildings and non-building structures.
- (a) Building code
  - (b) Building bye-laws
  - (c) IS code
  - (d) Procedure

49. Due to change in price level, a revised estimate is prepared if the sanctioned estimate exceeds
- (a) 2.0%
  - (b) 2.5%
  - (c) 4.0%
  - (d) 5.0%
50. Railway rails are made of which of the following ?
- (a) Cast iron
  - (b) Mild steel
  - (c) High carbon steel
  - (d) Wrought iron
51. At what angle should a railway line cross a road ?
- (a) 45°
  - (b) 60°
  - (c) 30°
  - (d) 90°
52. Slab culverts are suitable for maximum span of
- (a) 3 m
  - (b) 6 m
  - (c) 9 m
  - (d) 12 m
53. Which foundation is suitable for the construction of bridge ?
- (a) Pile
  - (b) Shallow
  - (c) Grillage
  - (d) Inverted arch
54. Which of the following is the other name of perennial irrigation system ?
- (a) Flood Irrigation
  - (b) Controlled Irrigation
  - (c) Direct Irrigation
  - (d) Storage Irrigation
55. The maximum permissible total solid content in water for domestic purposes should **not** exceed
- (a) 300 ppm
  - (b) 400 ppm
  - (c) 500 ppm
  - (d) 1000 ppm
56. The minimum diameter of manhole cover should be
- (a) 25 cm
  - (b) 50 cm
  - (c) 75 cm
  - (d) 100 cm

- 57.** For a city or town with roads of rectangular pattern, the type of layout used for the distribution of pipes is
- (a) dead end system
  - (b) ring system
  - (c) radial system
  - (d) grid iron system
- 58.** Closed contours of decreasing values towards their centre, represent a
- (a) Hill
  - (b) Depression
  - (c) Saddle or Pass
  - (d) River bed
- 59.** Ultimate strength to cement is provided by
- (a) Tricalcium silicate
  - (b) Dicalcium silicate
  - (c) Tricalcium aluminate
  - (d) Tetracalcium aluminoferrite
- 60.** Beams composed of more than one material, rigidly connected together so as to behave as one piece, are known as
- (a) Compound beams
  - (b) Indeterminate beams
  - (c) Determinate beams
  - (d) Composite beams
- 61.** The imaginary line passing through points having equal magnetic declination is termed as
- (a) Isogon
  - (b) Agonic line
  - (c) Isoclinic line
  - (d) None of the above
- 62.** The steel generally used in RCC work is
- (a) stainless steel
  - (b) mild steel
  - (c) high carbon steel
  - (d) high tension steel
- 63.** The type of surveying in which curvature of the Earth is taken into account is called
- (a) Geodetic surveying
  - (b) Plane surveying
  - (c) Preliminary surveying
  - (d) Topographical surveying

- 64.** If the length of the chain is found to be short on testing, it can be adjusted by
- (a) straightening the links
  - (b) removing one or more small circular rings
  - (c) closing the joints of the rings if opened up
  - (d) tapping the chain on the ground
- 65.** The maximum tolerance in a 20 m chain is
- (a)  $\pm 2$  mm
  - (b)  $\pm 3$  mm
  - (c)  $\pm 5$  mm
  - (d)  $\pm 8$  mm
- 66.** Size of a theodolite is specified by
- (a) Length of the telescope
  - (b) Diameter of the vertical circle
  - (c) Diameter of the lower plate
  - (d) Diameter of the upper plate
- 67.** For cereal crops the most commonly adopted method of irrigation is
- (a) Free flowing method
  - (b) Check method
  - (c) Furrow method
  - (d) Sprinkler method
- 68.** A canal which is aligned at right angles to the contour is called
- (a) Contour canal
  - (b) Watershed canal
  - (c) Branch canal
  - (d) Side slope canal
- 69.** Bituminous materials are commonly used in highway construction because of their good
- (a) Tensile and compressive properties
  - (b) Binding and waterproofing properties
  - (c) Shear strength and tensile properties
  - (d) Bond and tensile properties
- 70.** The total thickness of pavement by CBR method depends on CBR value of
- (a) Base course
  - (b) Surface course
  - (c) Subgrade
  - (d) All layers
- 71.** Equivalent factor of Passenger Car Unit (PCU) for a passenger car as per IRC is
- (a) 1.0
  - (b) 2.0
  - (c) 0.5
  - (d) 10

- 72.** The science which deals with the sound insulation in a building is known as \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) Reverberation  
(b) Transmission  
(c) Acoustic  
(d) Airborne
- 73.** The pipe in buildings, through which human excreta flows is called  
(a) Soil pipe  
(b) Waste pipe  
(c) Vent pipe  
(d) Anti-siphonage pipe
- 74.** A nahani trap is provided  
(a) At the head of each house drain  
(b) At the outfall end of each house drain  
(c) At the junction of two house drains  
(d) None of the above
- 75.** The most important purpose of frog in brick is to  
(a) emboss manufacturer's name  
(b) reduce the weight of brick  
(c) form keyed joint between brick and mortar  
(d) improve insulation by providing 'hollows'
- 76.** The lime used for finishing coat in plastering is  
(a) Semi-hydraulic lime  
(b) Kankar lime  
(c) Magnesium lime  
(d) Eminently hydraulic lime
- 77.** Surkhi is added to lime mortar to  
(a) Prevent shrinkage  
(b) Decrease setting time  
(c) Increase bulk  
(d) Impart hydraulicity
- 78.** Gypsum is added to cement for  
(a) Colour  
(b) Strength  
(c) Controlling setting time  
(d) None of the above
- 79.** The optimum number of revolutions over which concrete is required to be mixed in a mixer machine is  
(a) 10  
(b) 20  
(c) 50  
(d) 100

- 80.** The age of trees can be predicted by
- (a) length of medulary rays
  - (b) counting the number of rings
  - (c) measuring the diameter of pith
  - (d) the thickness of bark

- 81.** Seasoning of timber is necessary to
- (a) Increase fire resistance
  - (b) Increase vermin resistance
  - (c) Reduce microbial substances
  - (d) Expel moisture present in timber

- 82.** Plywood is specified by
- (a) Weight
  - (b) Volume
  - (c) Thickness
  - (d) Number of layers

- 83.** Which of the following is caused by fungus in timber ?
- (a) Upsets
  - (b) Foxiness
  - (c) Dry rot
  - (d) Wet rot

- 84.** The function of base in paint is to
- (a) provide a film on the surface
  - (b) hide imperfections of the surface
  - (c) reduce shrinkage cracks in paint film
  - (d) bring down the overall cost

- 85.** In fireproof paints, the main constituent is

- (a) Aluminium powder
- (b) Red lead
- (c) Copper powder
- (d) Asbestos fibers

- 86.** In plastic paint, thinner used is

- (a) Oil
- (b) Spirit
- (c) Water
- (d) Naphtha

- 87.** Which of following is an example of spirit varnish ?

- (a) French polish
- (b) Asphalt varnish
- (c) Oil varnish
- (d) Spar varnish

- 88.** Measurement of flooring is done in

- (a) Cubic meter
- (b) Square meter
- (c) Meter
- (d) Number

- 89.** The structure which allows the water to pass under roads, railways is known as
- (a) Bridge
  - (b) Drainage
  - (c) Tunnel
  - (d) Culvert
- 90.** To obtain parallel line and concentric circle or parallel curve, what command is used in AutoCAD ?
- (a) Offset
  - (b) Array
  - (c) Fillet
  - (d) Copy
- 91.** A regular cone is placed on a horizontal plane on its base, the top view is
- (a) Circle
  - (b) Rectangle
  - (c) Square
  - (d) Triangle
- 92.** The placing of various rooms or units of a structure in proper correlation of their functions is known as
- (a) Aspect
  - (b) Grouping
  - (c) Prospect
  - (d) Circulation
- 93.** Which mode allows the user to draw perpendicular straight lines ?
- (a) OSNAP
  - (b) Ortho
  - (c) Linear
  - (d) Polar tracking
- 94.** A type of bond in brick masonry in which each course consists of alternate headers and stretchers is
- (a) English bond
  - (b) Flemish bond
  - (c) Stretching bond
  - (d) Heading bond
- 95.** The type of stone masonry commonly adopted in construction of residential buildings is
- (a) Uncoursed rubble
  - (b) Coursed rubble
  - (c) Random rubble
  - (d) Dry rubble
- 96.** A covering of stone, concrete, brick on the exposed top of an external wall of a building is called
- (a) Jamb
  - (b) Coping
  - (c) Cornice
  - (d) Corbel



**97.** For DPC at plinth level, the commonly adopted material is

- (a) Bitumen sheet
- (b) Plastic sheet
- (c) Mastic Asphalt
- (d) Cement Concrete

**98.** The cavity wall is generally provided for

- (a) Preventing dampness
- (b) Heat insulation
- (c) Sound insulation
- (d) All of the above

**99.** The projection part of tread beyond the face of riser is called

- (a) Pitch
- (b) Baluster
- (c) Nosing
- (d) Rail

**100.** The lower part of a structure which transmits the load to the soil is known as

- (a) Basement
- (b) Foundation
- (c) Plinth
- (d) Superstructure

## SECTION B

**101.** Shaheed Bhagat Singh is associated with

- (a) Republican Party of India
- (b) Ghadar Party
- (c) Hindustan Socialist Republican Association
- (d) Congress Socialist Party

**102.** Where is Baba Banda Singh Bahadur War Memorial located ?

- (a) Chappar Chiri
- (b) Sirhind
- (c) Kartarpur
- (d) Samana

**103.** The characteristic of sound by which we can distinguish between a shrill sound and a grave sound is known as

- (a) quality
- (b) intensity
- (c) loudness
- (d) pitch

**104.** GPS, or the Global Positioning System, is a global navigation satellite system that provides location, velocity and time synchronization. The satellites meant for GPS are placed in

- (a) Low Earth Orbits
- (b) Medium Earth Orbits
- (c) Geostationary Orbits
- (d) Geosynchronous Orbits

**105.** The major source of energy generation in India is

- (a) Nuclear
- (b) Non-conventional
- (c) Thermal
- (d) Hyde

**106.** Which of the following is the best heat and corrosion-resistant material ?

- (a) Polymer
- (b) Metal
- (c) Ceramic
- (d) Semiconductor

**107.** The pollutant responsible for ozone hole is

- (a) CO<sub>2</sub>
- (b) SO<sub>2</sub>
- (c) CO
- (d) CFC

**108.** Who among the following won the 57<sup>th</sup> Jnanpith Award ?

- (a) Nilmani Phookan
- (b) Damodar Mauzo
- (c) Akkitham Achuthan Namboothiri
- (d) Amitav Ghosh

**109.** Which one of the following river drains into the Arabian Sea ?

- (a) Indravati
- (b) Narmada
- (c) Godavari
- (d) Cauvery

**110.** Supertech's twin towers which were demolished in Noida were

- (a) AXA and Capital Plaza
- (b) Richfield and Windsor
- (c) Apex and Ceyane
- (d) Ocean Tower and Landmark Tower

**111.** In a certain code language, if the word 'REJECTION' is coded as SGMIHZIPWW, then how is the word 'MECHANIC' coded in that language ?

- (a) NGFLFTPK
- (b) NGPLFTIK
- (c) NGFKFTPK
- (d) NGPTPKIL

**112.** Total time taken by a person in going to a place by walking, and returning on cycle is 5 hours 45 minutes. He would have gained 2 hours by cycling both ways. The time taken by him to walk both ways is

- (a) 6 hours 45 minutes
- (b) 7 hours 45 minutes
- (c) 8 hours 15 minutes
- (d) 8 hours 30 minutes

**113.** Consider the following matrix.

3	8	10	2	?	1
6	56	90	2	20	0

What is the missing number at “?” in the matrix ?

- (a) 5
- (b) 0
- (c) 7
- (d) 3

**114.** Raju has ₹ 9000 with him and he wants to buy a mobile handset; but he finds that he has only 75% of the amount required to buy the handset. Therefore, he borrows ₹ 2000 from a friend. Then

- (a) Raju still does not have enough amount to buy the handset
- (b) Raju has exactly the same amount as required to buy the handset
- (c) Raju has enough amount to buy the handset and he will have ₹ 500 with him after buying the handset
- (d) Raju has enough amount to buy the handset and he will have ₹ 1000 with him after buying the handset

**115.** In a month of 31 days, the third Wednesday falls on the 15<sup>th</sup>. What will be the last day of that month ?

- (a) 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday
- (b) 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday
- (c) 5<sup>th</sup> Thursday
- (d) 5<sup>th</sup> Friday

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- (b) 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm
- (c) 10.00 am – 12 noon
- (d) 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm

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- (a) ₹ 35 lakh
- (b) ₹ 30 lakh
- (c) ₹ 45 lakh
- (d) ₹ 25 lakh

**118.** In a row of trees, a tree is 7<sup>th</sup> from left end and 14<sup>th</sup> from right end. How many trees are there in a row?

- (a) 20
- (b) 21
- (c) 18
- (d) 19

**119.** A scores more runs than B but less than C. D scores more than B but less than A. Who is the lowest scorer?

- (a) B
- (b) A
- (c) D
- (d) C

**120.** P is the husband of Q. S is the daughter of R. P is the father of R. How is Q related to S?

- (a) Mother
- (b) Grandmother
- (c) Aunt
- (d) Cousin

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### SECTION A

1. A strip of land permanently left open for drainage purposes, neither used as an access way nor like a street and never included as a part of setbacks is known as
  - (a) Jhamp
  - (b) Ledge
  - (c) Jhot
  - (d) Loft
2. When the angle of splay becomes  $90^\circ$  then the wing walls are known as
  - (a) Straight Wing Walls
  - (b) Splayed Wing Walls
  - (c) Return Wing Walls
  - (d) Trestle Wing Walls
3. Which grade of pencil is used for drawing arrowheads ?
  - (a) 2H
  - (b) 2B
  - (c) 7H
  - (d) H
4. If top view of a line is a point, its front view is \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (a) parallel to xy line and of true length
  - (b) parallel to xy line and of apparent length
  - (c) perpendicular to xy line and of true length
  - (d) perpendicular to xy line and of apparent length
5. Oblique sections are useful to show the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (a) Interior shapes
  - (b) Oblique lines
  - (c) Foreshortened features
  - (d) Projected features
6. Which of the following defects occur in the seasoning process of wood ?
  - (a) Bow
  - (b) Brown rot
  - (c) Sap stain
  - (d) Blue stain
7. Which of the following cement is used in sewage and water treatment plants ?
  - (a) Sulphate Resisting Cement
  - (b) Quick Setting Cement
  - (c) Low Heat Cement
  - (d) Rapid Hardening Cement
8. The maximum limit of weight of fibreboards is \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (a)  $960 \text{ kg/m}^3$
  - (b)  $1960 \text{ kg/m}^3$
  - (c)  $2460 \text{ kg/m}^3$
  - (d)  $2960 \text{ kg/m}^3$



9. Which of the following is **not** a variety of industrial timber ?
- (a) Veneers
  - (b) Plywood
  - (c) Fibreboard
  - (d) Baulk
10. The term \_\_\_\_\_ is used to indicate the solution of resins or resinous substances prepared either in alcohol, oil or turpentine.
- (a) Turpentine
  - (b) Varnish
  - (c) Oil
  - (d) Distemper
11. Plastics are divided into thermoplastic and thermosetting on the basis of their \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) Behaviour with respect to heating
  - (b) Structure
  - (c) Physical properties
  - (d) Mechanical properties
12. The height of the plinth should **not** be less than \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) 45 cm
  - (b) 20 cm
  - (c) 1 m
  - (d) 500 cm
13. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a projecting stone which is usually provided to serve as support for roof truss, beam, weather shed, etc.
- (a) Course
  - (b) Cornice
  - (c) Corbel
  - (d) Coping
14. In \_\_\_\_\_ type of construction, the square or rectangular blocks of stones are used.
- (a) Brick masonry
  - (b) Rubble masonry
  - (c) Rock Masonry
  - (d) Ashlar masonry
15. A \_\_\_\_\_ junction is formed when two continuous walls cross or intersect each other.
- (a) Squint
  - (b) Cross
  - (c) Obtuse squint
  - (d) Right angle
16. The usual concrete mix for RCC lintel is \_\_\_\_\_ (cement : sand : aggregate).
- (a) 1 : 2 : 3
  - (b) 1 : 2 : 4
  - (c) 1 : 4 : 8
  - (d) 1 : 3 : 6

17. Which of the following is the first principle of surveying ?
- (a) Whole to whole
  - (b) Part to part
  - (c) Part to whole
  - (d) Whole to part
18. Which of the following **cannot** be done with the help of theodolite in surveying ?
- (a) Measuring horizontal distances
  - (b) Prolonging survey lines
  - (c) Laying off horizontal angles
  - (d) Locating points on lines
19. Which command converts discrete object in polyline ?
- (a) Merge
  - (b) Union
  - (c) Join
  - (d) Add
20. What is the minimum allowable number of layers in a drawing ?
- (a) 0
  - (b) 1
  - (c) 2
  - (d) 10
21. Which key is used to obtain properties palette in AutoCAD ?
- (a) Control + 1
  - (b) Control + 2
  - (c) Control + 3
  - (d) Control + 4
22. Scale command can be accessed easily by typing
- (a) SL
  - (b) S
  - (c) SC
  - (d) C
23. \_\_\_\_\_ refers to the effect produced by deriving the maximum benefits from the minimum dimensions off a room.
- (a) Compactness
  - (b) Roominess
  - (c) Grouping
  - (d) Privacy
24. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a set of rules that specify the standards for constructed objects such as buildings and non-building structures.
- (a) Building code
  - (b) Building bye-laws
  - (c) IS code
  - (d) Procedure

25. Due to change in price level, a revised estimate is prepared if the sanctioned estimate exceeds
- (a) 2.0%
  - (b) 2.5%
  - (c) 4.0%
  - (d) 5.0%
26. Railway rails are made of which of the following ?
- (a) Cast iron
  - (b) Mild steel
  - (c) High carbon steel
  - (d) Wrought iron
27. At what angle should a railway line cross a road ?
- (a) 45°
  - (b) 60°
  - (c) 30°
  - (d) 90°
28. Slab culverts are suitable for maximum span of
- (a) 3 m
  - (b) 6 m
  - (c) 9 m
  - (d) 12 m
29. Which foundation is suitable for the construction of bridge ?
- (a) Pile
  - (b) Shallow
  - (c) Grillage
  - (d) Inverted arch
30. Which of the following is the other name of perennial irrigation system ?
- (a) Flood Irrigation
  - (b) Controlled Irrigation
  - (c) Direct Irrigation
  - (d) Storage Irrigation
31. The maximum permissible total solid content in water for domestic purposes should **not** exceed
- (a) 300 ppm
  - (b) 400 ppm
  - (c) 500 ppm
  - (d) 1000 ppm
32. The minimum diameter of manhole cover should be
- (a) 25 cm
  - (b) 50 cm
  - (c) 75 cm
  - (d) 100 cm

- 33.** For a city or town with roads of rectangular pattern, the type of layout used for the distribution of pipes is
- (a) dead end system
  - (b) ring system
  - (c) radial system
  - (d) grid iron system
- 34.** Closed contours of decreasing values towards their centre, represent a
- (a) Hill
  - (b) Depression
  - (c) Saddle or Pass
  - (d) River bed
- 35.** Ultimate strength to cement is provided by
- (a) Tricalcium silicate
  - (b) Dicalcium silicate
  - (c) Tricalcium aluminate
  - (d) Tetracalcium aluminoferrite
- 36.** Beams composed of more than one material, rigidly connected together so as to behave as one piece, are known as
- (a) Compound beams
  - (b) Indeterminate beams
  - (c) Determinate beams
  - (d) Composite beams
- 37.** The imaginary line passing through points having equal magnetic declination is termed as
- (a) Isogon
  - (b) Agonic line
  - (c) Isoclinic line
  - (d) None of the above
- 38.** The steel generally used in RCC work is
- (a) stainless steel
  - (b) mild steel
  - (c) high carbon steel
  - (d) high tension steel
- 39.** The type of surveying in which curvature of the Earth is taken into account is called
- (a) Geodetic surveying
  - (b) Plane surveying
  - (c) Preliminary surveying
  - (d) Topographical surveying

40. If the length of the chain is found to be short on testing, it can be adjusted by
- straightening the links
  - removing one or more small circular rings
  - closing the joints of the rings if opened up
  - tapping the chain on the ground
41. The maximum tolerance in a 20 m chain is
- $\pm 2$  mm
  - $\pm 3$  mm
  - $\pm 5$  mm
  - $\pm 8$  mm
42. Size of a theodolite is specified by
- Length of the telescope
  - Diameter of the vertical circle
  - Diameter of the lower plate
  - Diameter of the upper plate
43. For cereal crops the most commonly adopted method of irrigation is
- Free flowing method
  - Check method
  - Furrow method
  - Sprinkler method
44. A canal which is aligned at right angles to the contour is called
- Contour canal
  - Watershed canal
  - Branch canal
  - Side slope canal
45. Bituminous materials are commonly used in highway construction because of their good
- Tensile and compressive properties
  - Binding and waterproofing properties
  - Shear strength and tensile properties
  - Bond and tensile properties
46. The total thickness of pavement by CBR method depends on CBR value of
- Base course
  - Surface course
  - Subgrade
  - All layers
47. Equivalent factor of Passenger Car Unit (PCU) for a passenger car as per IRC is
- 1.0
  - 2.0
  - 0.5
  - 10

48. The science which deals with the sound insulation in a building is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) Reverberation
  - (b) Transmission
  - (c) Acoustic
  - (d) Airborne
49. The pipe in buildings, through which human excreta flows is called
- (a) Soil pipe
  - (b) Waste pipe
  - (c) Vent pipe
  - (d) Anti-siphonage pipe
50. A nahani trap is provided
- (a) At the head of each house drain
  - (b) At the outfall end of each house drain
  - (c) At the junction of two house drains
  - (d) None of the above
51. The most important purpose of frog in brick is to
- (a) emboss manufacturer's name
  - (b) reduce the weight of brick
  - (c) form keyed joint between brick and mortar
  - (d) improve insulation by providing 'hollows'
52. The lime used for finishing coat in plastering is
- (a) Semi-hydraulic lime
  - (b) Kankar lime
  - (c) Magnesium lime
  - (d) Eminently hydraulic lime
53. Surkhi is added to lime mortar to
- (a) Prevent shrinkage
  - (b) Decrease setting time
  - (c) Increase bulk
  - (d) Impart hydraulicity
54. Gypsum is added to cement for
- (a) Colour
  - (b) Strength
  - (c) Controlling setting time
  - (d) None of the above
55. The optimum number of revolutions over which concrete is required to be mixed in a mixer machine is
- (a) 10
  - (b) 20
  - (c) 50
  - (d) 100

- 56.** The age of trees can be predicted by
- (a) length of medulary rays
  - (b) counting the number of rings
  - (c) measuring the diameter of pith
  - (d) the thickness of bark
- 57.** Seasoning of timber is necessary to
- (a) Increase fire resistance
  - (b) Increase vermin resistance
  - (c) Reduce microbial substances
  - (d) Expel moisture present in timber
- 58.** Plywood is specified by
- (a) Weight
  - (b) Volume
  - (c) Thickness
  - (d) Number of layers
- 59.** Which of the following is caused by fungus in timber ?
- (a) Upsets
  - (b) Foxiness
  - (c) Dry rot
  - (d) Wet rot
- 60.** The function of base in paint is to
- (a) provide a film on the surface
  - (b) hide imperfections of the surface
  - (c) reduce shrinkage cracks in paint film
  - (d) bring down the overall cost
- 61.** In fireproof paints, the main constituent is
- (a) Aluminium powder
  - (b) Red lead
  - (c) Copper powder
  - (d) Asbestos fibers
- 62.** In plastic paint, thinner used is
- (a) Oil
  - (b) Spirit
  - (c) Water
  - (d) Naphtha
- 63.** Which of following is an example of spirit varnish ?
- (a) French polish
  - (b) Asphalt varnish
  - (c) Oil varnish
  - (d) Spar varnish
- 64.** Measurement of flooring is done in
- (a) Cubic meter
  - (b) Square meter
  - (c) Meter
  - (d) Number

- 65.** The structure which allows the water to pass under roads, railways is known as
- Bridge
  - Drainage
  - Tunnel
  - Culvert
- 66.** To obtain parallel line and concentric circle or parallel curve, what command is used in AutoCAD ?
- Offset
  - Array
  - Fillet
  - Copy
- 67.** A regular cone is placed on a horizontal plane on its base, the top view is
- Circle
  - Rectangle
  - Square
  - Triangle
- 68.** The placing of various rooms or units of a structure in proper correlation of their functions is known as
- Aspect
  - Grouping
  - Prospect
  - Circulation
- 69.** Which mode allows the user to draw perpendicular straight lines ?
- OSNAP
  - Ortho
  - Linear
  - Polar tracking
- 70.** A type of bond in brick masonry in which each course consists of alternate headers and stretchers is
- English bond
  - Flemish bond
  - Stretching bond
  - Heading bond
- 71.** The type of stone masonry commonly adopted in construction of residential buildings is
- Uncoursed rubble
  - Coursed rubble
  - Random rubble
  - Dry rubble
- 72.** A covering of stone, concrete, brick on the exposed top of an external wall of a building is called
- Jamb
  - Coping
  - Cornice
  - Corbel



**73.** For DPC at plinth level, the commonly adopted material is

- (a) Bitumen sheet
- (b) Plastic sheet
- (c) Mastic Asphalt
- (d) Cement Concrete

**74.** The cavity wall is generally provided for

- (a) Preventing dampness
- (b) Heat insulation
- (c) Sound insulation
- (d) All of the above

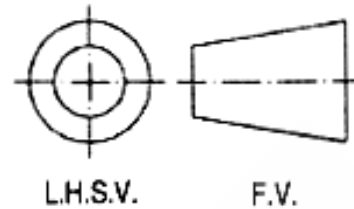
**75.** The projection part of tread beyond the face of riser is called

- (a) Pitch
- (b) Baluster
- (c) Nosing
- (d) Rail

**76.** The lower part of a structure which transmits the load to the soil is known as

- (a) Basement
- (b) Foundation
- (c) Plinth
- (d) Superstructure

**77.** For which projection method is the following graphical symbol applicable ?



- (a) 1<sup>st</sup> Angle Projection
- (b) 2<sup>nd</sup> Angle Projection
- (c) 3<sup>rd</sup> Angle Projection
- (d) 4<sup>th</sup> Angle Projection

**78.** How many times is the isometric length shorter than the true length ?

- (a) 0.615
- (b) 0.715
- (c) 0.815
- (d) 0.915

**79.** What is the inclined angle of letters in case of inclined lettering ?

- (a) 45°
- (b) 55°
- (c) 65°
- (d) 75°

**80.** The specific gravity of sandstone is

- (a) 1.65 to 1.95
- (b) 2.65 to 2.95
- (c) 3.65 to 3.95
- (d) 4.65 to 4.95

81. In case of brick manufacturing, if the amount of silica in clay is in excess quantity, then excessiveness of silica will
- Make the brick brittle and weak
  - Change the colour from red to yellow
  - Improve permeability and durability
  - Make the brick crack and warp on drying
82. Right proportion of  $\text{SiO}_2$  in chemical composition of Portland cement helps in controlling strength but if it gets excess then what will happen ?
- Reduces strength
  - Setting time increases
  - Discolouration effect occurs
  - Unsoundness occurs
83. What type and composition of mortar is required for RCC tanks and other retaining structures ?
- 1 : 1 2 1 Cement Sand Mortar
  - 1 : 1 2 1 Lime Surkhi Mortar
  - 1 : 1 2 1 Lime Sand Mortar
  - 1 : 1 2 1 Surkhi Sand Mortar
84. What is the proportion of cement : fine aggregate : coarse aggregate in case of M25 grade of concrete ?
- 1 : 3 : 6
  - 1 : 2 : 4
  - $1 : 1\frac{1}{2} : 3$
  - 1 : 1 : 2
85. The most effective process of repairing concrete work to provide impervious layer is usually done by pouring a mixture of cement and sand (1 : 3) in a cement gun and deposit it on the inferior work by pressure of  $20 \text{ N/cm}^2$  to  $30 \text{ N/cm}^2$ , is called
- Grouting
  - Shotcreting
  - Guniting
  - Trimming
86. What is the name of the defect when exposed surface of timber dries very rapidly and as a result it shrinks, remains under compression and simultaneously the interior surface has not completely dried, remains under tension ?
- Cup hardening
  - Case hardening
  - Split hardening
  - Twist hardening

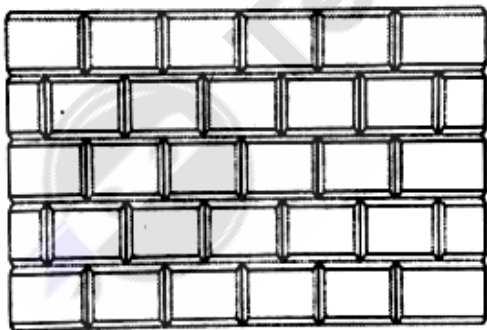
87. The paint having metal oxides such as  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$ ,  $\text{PbO}$ ,  $\text{ZnO}$ , etc. is called

- (a) Distemper
- (b) Enamel
- (c) Oil
- (d) Emulsion

88. In case of varnish, what type of solvent provides long lasting bright surface ?

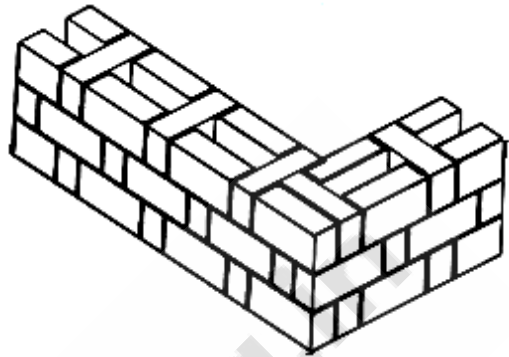
- (a) Oil
- (b) Turpentine
- (c) Water
- (d) Spirit

89. Name the type of the following stone masonry :



- (a) Ashlar Rough tooled
- (b) Ashlar Quarry faced
- (c) Ashlar Chamfered
- (d) Ashlar Fine

90. Name the type of the following brick masonry :



- (a) Brick on Edge Bond
- (b) Rat Trap Bond
- (c) Facing Bond
- (d) Backing Bond

91. For strengthening the corner of a wall, what type of brick bond is used where alternate courses of headers and stretchers are set, including the quoin of stretcher course is  $\frac{3}{4}$  brick bat and also a header is introduced next to the  $\frac{3}{4}$  brick bat in every alternate stretcher course ?

- (a) English Cross Bond
- (b) Flemish Garden Wall Bond
- (c) Dutch Bond
- (d) Monk Bond

- 92.** Which one of the following is the most economical foundation when heavy structural loads from columns are required to be transferred to a soil of low bearing capacity ?
- (a) Grillage
  - (b) Deep
  - (c) Raft
  - (d) Shallow
- 93.** In case of foundation, the net loading intensity at which neither the soil fails in shear nor is there excessive settlement detrimental to the structure is known as
- (a) Foundation bearing capacity
  - (b) Safe bearing capacity
  - (c) Allowable bearing capacity
  - (d) Ultimate bearing capacity
- 94.** The best position for damp proof course (D.P.C.) in buildings without basement lies at
- (a) Ground level
  - (b) Plinth level
  - (c) 150 mm above ground level
  - (d) 150 mm above plinth level
- 95.** A semi-rigid material which forms an excellent impervious layer for damp proofing course is called
- (a) Tar felt
  - (b) Bituminous felt
  - (c) Mastic asphalt
  - (d) Bitumen
- 96.** The roughly curved triangular space above or on either side of the arch bounded by the curved extrados, a line running horizontally through the apex of the arch and a line rising vertically from the springing of the arch is called
- (a) Haunch
  - (b) Skewback
  - (c) Spandrel
  - (d) Voussoir
- 97.** For comfortable ascent and descent, what should be the value of "Tread + 2 x Riser" ?
- (a) 400 mm
  - (b) 500 mm
  - (c) 600 mm
  - (d) 700 mm

**98.** In a contour plan, if contour lines are drawn with a contour interval of 2 m and if the gradient is 1 in 30, then the horizontal distance required between successive points on consecutive contours will be

- (a) 15 m
- (b) 30 m
- (c) 45 m
- (d) 60 m

**99.** When the telescope of a theodolite is rotated clockwise then it is called

- (a) Face right
- (b) Left swing
- (c) Face left
- (d) Right swing

**100.** The distance between individual pixels in a visual display technology calculated by measuring the closeness of individual pixels to one another is called the

- (a) Pix Pitch
- (b) Bit Pitch
- (c) Dot Pitch
- (d) Byte Pitch

## SECTION B

**101.** Which one of the following river drains into the Arabian Sea ?

- (a) Indravati
- (b) Narmada
- (c) Godavari
- (d) Cauvery

**102.** Supertech's twin towers which were demolished in Noida were

- (a) AXA and Capital Plaza
- (b) Richfield and Windsor
- (c) Apex and Ceyane
- (d) Ocean Tower and Landmark Tower

**103.** In a certain code language, if the word 'REJECTION' is coded as SGMIHZPWW, then how is the word 'MECHANIC' coded in that language ?

- (a) NGFLFTP K
- (b) NGPLFTIK
- (c) NGFKFTP K
- (d) NGPTPKIL

**104.** Total time taken by a person in going to a place by walking, and returning on cycle is 5 hours 45 minutes. He would have gained 2 hours by cycling both ways. The time taken by him to walk both ways is

- (a) 6 hours 45 minutes
- (b) 7 hours 45 minutes
- (c) 8 hours 15 minutes
- (d) 8 hours 30 minutes

**105.** Consider the following matrix.

3	8	10	2	?	1
6	56	90	2	20	0

What is the missing number at “?” in the matrix ?

- (a) 5
- (b) 0
- (c) 7
- (d) 3

**106.** Raju has ₹ 9000 with him and he wants to buy a mobile handset; but he finds that he has only 75% of the amount required to buy the handset. Therefore, he borrows ₹ 2000 from a friend. Then

- (a) Raju still does not have enough amount to buy the handset
- (b) Raju has exactly the same amount as required to buy the handset
- (c) Raju has enough amount to buy the handset and he will have ₹ 500 with him after buying the handset
- (d) Raju has enough amount to buy the handset and he will have ₹ 1000 with him after buying the handset

**107.** In a month of 31 days, the third Wednesday falls on the 15<sup>th</sup>. What will be the last day of that month ?

- (a) 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday
- (b) 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday
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**109.** A hall  $200\text{ m} \times 50\text{ m}$  is to be paved with square tiles. If the price of one tile of  $10\text{ cm} \times 10\text{ cm}$  is ₹ 3.50, then find the cost of paving the hall.

- (a) ₹ 35 lakh
- (b) ₹ 30 lakh
- (c) ₹ 45 lakh
- (d) ₹ 25 lakh

**110.** In a row of trees, a tree is 7<sup>th</sup> from left end and 14<sup>th</sup> from right end. How many trees are there in a row ?

- (a) 20
- (b) 21
- (c) 18
- (d) 19

**111.** A scores more runs than B but less than C. D scores more than B but less than A. Who is the lowest scorer ?

- (a) B
- (b) A
- (c) D
- (d) C

**112.** P is the husband of Q. S is the daughter of R. P is the father of R. How is Q related to S ?

- (a) Mother
- (b) Grandmother
- (c) Aunt
- (d) Cousin

**113.** Shaheed Bhagat Singh is associated with

- (a) Republican Party of India
- (b) Ghadar Party
- (c) Hindustan Socialist Republican Association
- (d) Congress Socialist Party

**114.** Where is Baba Banda Singh Bahadur War Memorial located ?

- (a) Chappar Chiri
- (b) Sirhind
- (c) Kartarpur
- (d) Samana

**115.** The characteristic of sound by which we can distinguish between a shrill sound and a grave sound is known as

- (a) quality
- (b) intensity
- (c) loudness
- (d) pitch

**116.** GPS, or the Global Positioning System, is a global navigation satellite system that provides location, velocity and time synchronization. The satellites meant for GPS are placed in

- (a) Low Earth Orbits
- (b) Medium Earth Orbits
- (c) Geostationary Orbits
- (d) Geosynchronous Orbits

**117.** The major source of energy generation in India is

- (a) Nuclear
- (b) Non-conventional
- (c) Thermal
- (d) Hyde

**118.** Which of the following is the best heat and corrosion-resistant material ?

- (a) Polymer
- (b) Metal
- (c) Ceramic
- (d) Semiconductor

**119.** The pollutant responsible for ozone hole is

- (a) CO<sub>2</sub>
- (b) SO<sub>2</sub>
- (c) CO
- (d) CFC

**120.** Who among the following won the 57<sup>th</sup> Jnanpith Award ?

- (a) Nilmani Phookan
- (b) Damodar Mauzo
- (c) Akkitham Achuthan Namboothiri
- (d) Amitav Ghosh



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### SECTION A

1. The imaginary line passing through points having equal magnetic declination is termed as

- (a) Isogon
- (b) Agonic line
- (c) Isoclinic line
- (d) None of the above

2. The steel generally used in RCC work is

- (a) stainless steel
- (b) mild steel
- (c) high carbon steel
- (d) high tension steel

3. The type of surveying in which curvature of the Earth is taken into account is called

- (a) Geodetic surveying
- (b) Plane surveying
- (c) Preliminary surveying
- (d) Topographical surveying

4. If the length of the chain is found to be short on testing, it can be adjusted by

- (a) straightening the links
- (b) removing one or more small circular rings
- (c) closing the joints of the rings if opened up
- (d) tapping the chain on the ground

5. The maximum tolerance in a 20 m chain is

- (a)  $\pm 2$  mm
- (b)  $\pm 3$  mm
- (c)  $\pm 5$  mm
- (d)  $\pm 8$  mm

6. Size of a theodolite is specified by

- (a) Length of the telescope
- (b) Diameter of the vertical circle
- (c) Diameter of the lower plate
- (d) Diameter of the upper plate

7. For cereal crops the most commonly adopted method of irrigation is

- (a) Free flowing method
- (b) Check method
- (c) Furrow method
- (d) Sprinkler method

8. A canal which is aligned at right angles to the contour is called
- Contour canal
  - Watershed canal
  - Branch canal
  - Side slope canal
9. Bituminous materials are commonly used in highway construction because of their good
- Tensile and compressive properties
  - Binding and waterproofing properties
  - Shear strength and tensile properties
  - Bond and tensile properties
10. The total thickness of pavement by CBR method depends on CBR value of
- Base course
  - Surface course
  - Subgrade
  - All layers
11. Equivalent factor of Passenger Car Unit (PCU) for a passenger car as per IRC is
- 1.0
  - 2.0
  - 0.5
  - 10
12. The science which deals with the sound insulation in a building is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
- Reverberation
  - Transmission
  - Acoustic
  - Airborne
13. The pipe in buildings, through which human excreta flows is called
- Soil pipe
  - Waste pipe
  - Vent pipe
  - Anti-siphonage pipe
14. A nahani trap is provided
- At the head of each house drain
  - At the outfall end of each house drain
  - At the junction of two house drains
  - None of the above
15. The most important purpose of frog in brick is to
- emboss manufacturer's name
  - reduce the weight of brick
  - form keyed joint between brick and mortar
  - improve insulation by providing 'hollows'

**16.** The lime used for finishing coat in plastering is

- (a) Semi-hydraulic lime
- (b) Kankar lime
- (c) Magnesium lime
- (d) Eminently hydraulic lime

**17.** Surkhi is added to lime mortar to

- (a) Prevent shrinkage
- (b) Decrease setting time
- (c) Increase bulk
- (d) Impart hydraulicity

**18.** Gypsum is added to cement for

- (a) Colour
- (b) Strength
- (c) Controlling setting time
- (d) None of the above

**19.** The optimum number of revolutions over which concrete is required to be mixed in a mixer machine is

- (a) 10
- (b) 20
- (c) 50
- (d) 100

**20.** The age of trees can be predicted by

- (a) length of medulary rays
- (b) counting the number of rings
- (c) measuring the diameter of pith
- (d) the thickness of bark

**21.** Seasoning of timber is necessary to

- (a) Increase fire resistance
- (b) Increase vermin resistance
- (c) Reduce microbial substances
- (d) Expel moisture present in timber

**22.** Plywood is specified by

- (a) Weight
- (b) Volume
- (c) Thickness
- (d) Number of layers

**23.** Which of the following is caused by fungus in timber ?

- (a) Upsets
- (b) Foxiness
- (c) Dry rot
- (d) Wet rot

**24.** The function of base in paint is to

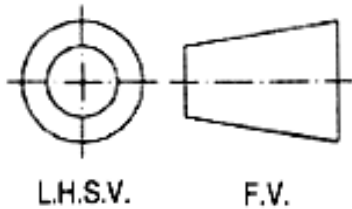
- (a) provide a film on the surface
- (b) hide imperfections of the surface
- (c) reduce shrinkage cracks in paint film
- (d) bring down the overall cost

- 25.** In fireproof paints, the main constituent is
- (a) Aluminium powder
  - (b) Red lead
  - (c) Copper powder
  - (d) Asbestos fibers
- 26.** In plastic paint, thinner used is
- (a) Oil
  - (b) Spirit
  - (c) Water
  - (d) Naphtha
- 27.** Which of following is an example of spirit varnish ?
- (a) French polish
  - (b) Asphalt varnish
  - (c) Oil varnish
  - (d) Spar varnish
- 28.** Measurement of flooring is done in
- (a) Cubic meter
  - (b) Square meter
  - (c) Meter
  - (d) Number
- 29.** The structure which allows the water to pass under roads, railways is known as
- (a) Bridge
  - (b) Drainage
  - (c) Tunnel
  - (d) Culvert
- 30.** To obtain parallel line and concentric circle or parallel curve, what command is used in AutoCAD ?
- (a) Offset
  - (b) Array
  - (c) Fillet
  - (d) Copy
- 31.** A regular cone is placed on a horizontal plane on its base, the top view is
- (a) Circle
  - (b) Rectangle
  - (c) Square
  - (d) Triangle
- 32.** The placing of various rooms or units of a structure in proper correlation of their functions is known as
- (a) Aspect
  - (b) Grouping
  - (c) Prospect
  - (d) Circulation

- 33.** Which mode allows the user to draw perpendicular straight lines ?
- (a) OSNAP
  - (b) Ortho
  - (c) Linear
  - (d) Polar tracking
- 34.** A type of bond in brick masonry in which each course consists of alternate headers and stretchers is
- (a) English bond
  - (b) Flemish bond
  - (c) Stretching bond
  - (d) Heading bond
- 35.** The type of stone masonry commonly adopted in construction of residential buildings is
- (a) Uncoursed rubble
  - (b) Coursed rubble
  - (c) Random rubble
  - (d) Dry rubble
- 36.** A covering of stone, concrete, brick on the exposed top of an external wall of a building is called
- (a) Jamb
  - (b) Coping
  - (c) Cornice
  - (d) Corbel
- 37.** For DPC at plinth level, the commonly adopted material is
- (a) Bitumen sheet
  - (b) Plastic sheet
  - (c) Mastic Asphalt
  - (d) Cement Concrete
- 38.** The cavity wall is generally provided for
- (a) Preventing dampness
  - (b) Heat insulation
  - (c) Sound insulation
  - (d) All of the above
- 39.** The projection part of tread beyond the face of riser is called
- (a) Pitch
  - (b) Baluster
  - (c) Nosing
  - (d) Rail
- 40.** The lower part of a structure which transmits the load to the soil is known as
- (a) Basement
  - (b) Foundation
  - (c) Plinth
  - (d) Superstructure



41. For which projection method is the following graphical symbol applicable ?



- (a) 1<sup>st</sup> Angle Projection  
(b) 2<sup>nd</sup> Angle Projection  
(c) 3<sup>rd</sup> Angle Projection  
(d) 4<sup>th</sup> Angle Projection
42. How many times is the isometric length shorter than the true length ?
- (a) 0.615  
(b) 0.715  
(c) 0.815  
(d) 0.915
43. What is the inclined angle of letters in case of inclined lettering ?
- (a) 45°  
(b) 55°  
(c) 65°  
(d) 75°
44. The specific gravity of sandstone is
- (a) 1.65 to 1.95  
(b) 2.65 to 2.95  
(c) 3.65 to 3.95  
(d) 4.65 to 4.95

45. In case of brick manufacturing, if the amount of silica in clay is in excess quantity, then excessiveness of silica will

- (a) Make the brick brittle and weak  
(b) Change the colour from red to yellow  
(c) Improve permeability and durability  
(d) Make the brick crack and warp on drying
46. Right proportion of  $\text{SiO}_2$  in chemical composition of Portland cement helps in controlling strength but if it gets excess then what will happen ?
- (a) Reduces strength  
(b) Setting time increases  
(c) Discolouration effect occurs  
(d) Unsoundness occurs
47. What type and composition of mortar is required for RCC tanks and other retaining structures ?
- (a) 1 : 1 2 1 Cement Sand Mortar  
(b) 1 : 1 2 1 Lime Surkhi Mortar  
(c) 1 : 1 2 1 Lime Sand Mortar  
(d) 1 : 1 2 1 Surkhi Sand Mortar

48. What is the proportion of cement : fine aggregate : coarse aggregate in case of M25 grade of concrete ?

- (a) 1 : 3 : 6
- (b) 1 : 2 : 4
- (c)  $1 : 1\frac{1}{2} : 3$
- (d) 1 : 1 : 2

49. The most effective process of repairing concrete work to provide impervious layer is usually done by pouring a mixture of cement and sand (1 : 3) in a cement gun and deposit it on the inferior work by pressure of 20 N/cm<sup>2</sup> to 30 N/cm<sup>2</sup>, is called

- (a) Grouting
- (b) Shotcreting
- (c) Guniting
- (d) Trimming

50. What is the name of the defect when exposed surface of timber dries very rapidly and as a result it shrinks, remains under compression and simultaneously the interior surface has not completely dried, remains under tension ?

- (a) Cup hardening
- (b) Case hardening
- (c) Split hardening
- (d) Twist hardening

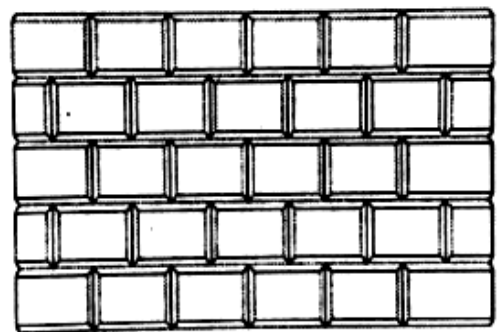
51. The paint having metal oxides such as Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, PbO, ZnO, etc. is called

- (a) Distemper
- (b) Enamel
- (c) Oil
- (d) Emulsion

52. In case of varnish, what type of solvent provides long lasting bright surface ?

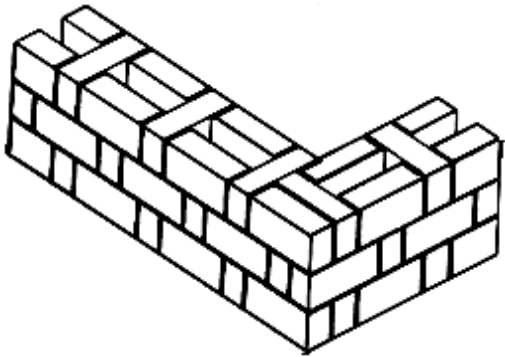
- (a) Oil
- (b) Turpentine
- (c) Water
- (d) Spirit

53. Name the type of the following stone masonry :



- (a) Ashlar Rough tooled
- (b) Ashlar Quarry faced
- (c) Ashlar Chamfered
- (d) Ashlar Fine

54. Name the type of the following brick masonry :



- (a) Brick on Edge Bond
- (b) Rat Trap Bond
- (c) Facing Bond
- (d) Backing Bond
55. For strengthening the corner of a wall, what type of brick bond is used where alternate courses of headers and stretchers are set, including the quoin of stretcher course is  $\frac{3}{4}$  brick bat and also a header is introduced next to the  $\frac{3}{4}$  brick bat in every alternate stretcher course ?
- (a) English Cross Bond
- (b) Flemish Garden Wall Bond
- (c) Dutch Bond
- (d) Monk Bond

56. Which one of the following is the most economical foundation when heavy structural loads from columns are required to be transferred to a soil of low bearing capacity ?

- (a) Grillage
- (b) Deep
- (c) Raft
- (d) Shallow

57. In case of foundation, the net loading intensity at which neither the soil fails in shear nor is there excessive settlement detrimental to the structure is known as

- (a) Foundation bearing capacity
- (b) Safe bearing capacity
- (c) Allowable bearing capacity
- (d) Ultimate bearing capacity

58. The best position for damp proof course (D.P.C.) in buildings without basement lies at

- (a) Ground level
- (b) Plinth level
- (c) 150 mm above ground level
- (d) 150 mm above plinth level

- 59.** A semi-rigid material which forms an excellent impervious layer for damp proofing course is called
- (a) Tar felt
  - (b) Bituminous felt
  - (c) Mastic asphalt
  - (d) Bitumen
- 60.** The roughly curved triangular space above or on either side of the arch bounded by the curved extrados, a line running horizontally through the apex of the arch and a line rising vertically from the springing of the arch is called
- (a) Haunch
  - (b) Skewback
  - (c) Spandrel
  - (d) Voussoir
- 61.** For comfortable ascent and descent, what should be the value of "Tread + 2 x Riser" ?
- (a) 400 mm
  - (b) 500 mm
  - (c) 600 mm
  - (d) 700 mm
- 62.** In a contour plan, if contour lines are drawn with a contour interval of 2 m and if the gradient is 1 in 30, then the horizontal distance required between successive points on consecutive contours will be
- (a) 15 m
  - (b) 30 m
  - (c) 45 m
  - (d) 60 m
- 63.** When the telescope of a theodolite is rotated clockwise then it is called
- (a) Face right
  - (b) Left swing
  - (c) Face left
  - (d) Right swing
- 64.** The distance between individual pixels in a visual display technology calculated by measuring the closeness of individual pixels to one another is called the
- (a) Pix Pitch
  - (b) Bit Pitch
  - (c) Dot Pitch
  - (d) Byte Pitch

- 65.** A strip of land permanently left open for drainage purposes, neither used as an access way nor like a street and never included as a part of setbacks is known as
- Jhamp
  - Ledge
  - Jhot
  - Loft
- 66.** When the angle of splay becomes  $90^\circ$  then the wing walls are known as
- Straight Wing Walls
  - Splayed Wing Walls
  - Return Wing Walls
  - Trestle Wing Walls
- 67.** Which grade of pencil is used for drawing arrowheads ?
- 2H
  - 2B
  - 7H
  - H
- 68.** If top view of a line is a point, its front view is \_\_\_\_\_.
- parallel to xy line and of true length
  - parallel to xy line and of apparent length
  - perpendicular to xy line and of true length
  - perpendicular to xy line and of apparent length
- 69.** Oblique sections are useful to show the \_\_\_\_\_.
- Interior shapes
  - Oblique lines
  - Foreshortened features
  - Projected features
- 70.** Which of the following defects occur in the seasoning process of wood ?
- Bow
  - Brown rot
  - Sap stain
  - Blue stain
- 71.** Which of the following cement is used in sewage and water treatment plants ?
- Sulphate Resisting Cement
  - Quick Setting Cement
  - Low Heat Cement
  - Rapid Hardening Cement
- 72.** The maximum limit of weight of fibreboards is \_\_\_\_\_.
- $960 \text{ kg/m}^3$
  - $1960 \text{ kg/m}^3$
  - $2460 \text{ kg/m}^3$
  - $2960 \text{ kg/m}^3$

73. Which of the following is **not** a variety of industrial timber ?
- (a) Veneers
  - (b) Plywood
  - (c) Fibreboard
  - (d) Baulk
74. The term \_\_\_\_\_ is used to indicate the solution of resins or resinous substances prepared either in alcohol, oil or turpentine.
- (a) Turpentine
  - (b) Varnish
  - (c) Oil
  - (d) Distemper
75. Plastics are divided into thermoplastic and thermosetting on the basis of their \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) Behaviour with respect to heating
  - (b) Structure
  - (c) Physical properties
  - (d) Mechanical properties
76. The height of the plinth should **not** be less than \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) 45 cm
  - (b) 20 cm
  - (c) 1 m
  - (d) 500 cm
77. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a projecting stone which is usually provided to serve as support for roof truss, beam, weather shed, etc.
- (a) Course
  - (b) Cornice
  - (c) Corbel
  - (d) Coping
78. In \_\_\_\_\_ type of construction, the square or rectangular blocks of stones are used.
- (a) Brick masonry
  - (b) Rubble masonry
  - (c) Rock Masonry
  - (d) Ashlar masonry
79. A \_\_\_\_\_ junction is formed when two continuous walls cross or intersect each other.
- (a) Squint
  - (b) Cross
  - (c) Obtuse squint
  - (d) Right angle
80. The usual concrete mix for RCC lintel is \_\_\_\_\_ (cement : sand : aggregate).
- (a) 1 : 2 : 3
  - (b) 1 : 2 : 4
  - (c) 1 : 4 : 8
  - (d) 1 : 3 : 6

81. Which of the following is the first principle of surveying ?
- (a) Whole to whole
  - (b) Part to part
  - (c) Part to whole
  - (d) Whole to part
82. Which of the following **cannot** be done with the help of theodolite in surveying ?
- (a) Measuring horizontal distances
  - (b) Prolonging survey lines
  - (c) Laying off horizontal angles
  - (d) Locating points on lines
83. Which command converts discrete object in polyline ?
- (a) Merge
  - (b) Union
  - (c) Join
  - (d) Add
84. What is the minimum allowable number of layers in a drawing ?
- (a) 0
  - (b) 1
  - (c) 2
  - (d) 10
85. Which key is used to obtain properties palette in AutoCAD ?
- (a) Control + 1
  - (b) Control + 2
  - (c) Control + 3
  - (d) Control + 4
86. Scale command can be accessed easily by typing
- (a) SL
  - (b) S
  - (c) SC
  - (d) C
87. \_\_\_\_\_ refers to the effect produced by deriving the maximum benefits from the minimum dimensions off a room.
- (a) Compactness
  - (b) Roominess
  - (c) Grouping
  - (d) Privacy
88. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a set of rules that specify the standards for constructed objects such as buildings and non-building structures.
- (a) Building code
  - (b) Building bye-laws
  - (c) IS code
  - (d) Procedure

89. Due to change in price level, a revised estimate is prepared if the sanctioned estimate exceeds
- (a) 2.0%
  - (b) 2.5%
  - (c) 4.0%
  - (d) 5.0%
90. Railway rails are made of which of the following ?
- (a) Cast iron
  - (b) Mild steel
  - (c) High carbon steel
  - (d) Wrought iron
91. At what angle should a railway line cross a road ?
- (a) 45°
  - (b) 60°
  - (c) 30°
  - (d) 90°
92. Slab culverts are suitable for maximum span of
- (a) 3 m
  - (b) 6 m
  - (c) 9 m
  - (d) 12 m
93. Which foundation is suitable for the construction of bridge ?
- (a) Pile
  - (b) Shallow
  - (c) Grillage
  - (d) Inverted arch
94. Which of the following is the other name of perennial irrigation system ?
- (a) Flood Irrigation
  - (b) Controlled Irrigation
  - (c) Direct Irrigation
  - (d) Storage Irrigation
95. The maximum permissible total solid content in water for domestic purposes should **not** exceed
- (a) 300 ppm
  - (b) 400 ppm
  - (c) 500 ppm
  - (d) 1000 ppm
96. The minimum diameter of manhole cover should be
- (a) 25 cm
  - (b) 50 cm
  - (c) 75 cm
  - (d) 100 cm



**97.** For a city or town with roads of rectangular pattern, the type of layout used for the distribution of pipes is

- (a) dead end system
- (b) ring system
- (c) radial system
- (d) grid iron system

**98.** Closed contours of decreasing values towards their centre, represent a

- (a) Hill
- (b) Depression
- (c) Saddle or Pass
- (d) River bed

**99.** Ultimate strength to cement is provided by

- (a) Tricalcium silicate
- (b) Dicalcium silicate
- (c) Tricalcium aluminate
- (d) Tetracalcium aluminoferrite

**100.** Beams composed of more than one material, rigidly connected together so as to behave as one piece, are known as

- (a) Compound beams
- (b) Indeterminate beams
- (c) Determinate beams
- (d) Composite beams

## SECTION B

**101.** In a month of 31 days, the third Wednesday falls on the 15<sup>th</sup>. What will be the last day of that month ?

- (a) 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday
- (b) 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday
- (c) 5<sup>th</sup> Thursday
- (d) 5<sup>th</sup> Friday

**102.** There are twenty people working in an office. The first group of five works between 8.00 A.M. and 2.00 P.M. The second group of ten works between 10.00 A.M. and 4.00 P.M. And the third group of five works between 12 noon and 6.00 P.M. There are three computers in the office which all the employees frequently use. During which of the following hours are the computers likely to be used most ?

- (a) 12 noon – 2.00 pm
- (b) 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm
- (c) 10.00 am – 12 noon
- (d) 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm

**103.** A hall  $200\text{ m} \times 50\text{ m}$  is to be paved with square tiles. If the price of one tile of  $10\text{ cm} \times 10\text{ cm}$  is ₹ 3.50, then find the cost of paving the hall.

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- (c) ₹ 45 lakh
- (d) ₹ 25 lakh

**104.** In a row of trees, a tree is 7<sup>th</sup> from left end and 14<sup>th</sup> from right end. How many trees are there in a row ?

- (a) 20
- (b) 21
- (c) 18
- (d) 19

**105.** A scores more runs than B but less than C. D scores more than B but less than A. Who is the lowest scorer ?

- (a) B
- (b) A
- (c) D
- (d) C

**106.** P is the husband of Q. S is the daughter of R. P is the father of R. How is Q related to S ?

- (a) Mother
- (b) Grandmother
- (c) Aunt
- (d) Cousin

**107.** Shaheed Bhagat Singh is associated with

- (a) Republican Party of India
- (b) Ghadar Party
- (c) Hindustan Socialist Republican Association
- (d) Congress Socialist Party

**108.** Where is Baba Banda Singh Bahadur War Memorial located ?

- (a) Chappar Chiri
- (b) Sirhind
- (c) Kartarpur
- (d) Samana

**109.** The characteristic of sound by which we can distinguish between a shrill sound and a grave sound is known as

- (a) quality
- (b) intensity
- (c) loudness
- (d) pitch

**110.** GPS, or the Global Positioning System, is a global navigation satellite system that provides location, velocity and time synchronization. The satellites meant for GPS are placed in

- (a) Low Earth Orbits
- (b) Medium Earth Orbits
- (c) Geostationary Orbits
- (d) Geosynchronous Orbits

**111.** The major source of energy generation in India is

- (a) Nuclear
- (b) Non-conventional
- (c) Thermal
- (d) Hyde

**112.** Which of the following is the best heat and corrosion-resistant material ?

- (a) Polymer
- (b) Metal
- (c) Ceramic
- (d) Semiconductor

**113.** The pollutant responsible for ozone hole is

- (a) CO<sub>2</sub>
- (b) SO<sub>2</sub>
- (c) CO
- (d) CFC

**114.** Who among the following won the 57<sup>th</sup> Jnanpith Award ?

- (a) Nilmani Phookan
- (b) Damodar Mauzo
- (c) Akkitham Achuthan Namboothiri
- (d) Amitav Ghosh

**115.** Which one of the following river drains into the Arabian Sea ?

- (a) Indravati
- (b) Narmada
- (c) Godavari
- (d) Cauvery

**116.** Supertech's twin towers which were demolished in Noida were

- (a) AXA and Capital Plaza
- (b) Richfield and Windsor
- (c) Apex and Ceyane
- (d) Ocean Tower and Landmark Tower

**117.** In a certain code language, if the word 'REJECTION' is coded as SGMHWPWW, then how is the word 'MECHANIC' coded in that language ?

- (a) NGFLFTPK
- (b) NGPLFTIK
- (c) NGFKFTPK
- (d) NGPTPKIL

**118.** Total time taken by a person in going to a place by walking, and returning on cycle is 5 hours 45 minutes. He would have gained 2 hours by cycling both ways. The time taken by him to walk both ways is

- (a) 6 hours 45 minutes
- (b) 7 hours 45 minutes
- (c) 8 hours 15 minutes
- (d) 8 hours 30 minutes

**119.** Consider the following matrix.

3	8	10	2	?	1
6	56	90	2	20	0

What is the missing number at "?" in the matrix ?

- (a) 5
- (b) 0
- (c) 7
- (d) 3

**120.** Raju has ₹ 9000 with him and he wants to buy a mobile handset; but he finds that he has only 75% of the amount required to buy the handset. Therefore, he borrows ₹ 2000 from a friend. Then

- (a) Raju still does not have enough amount to buy the handset
- (b) Raju has exactly the same amount as required to buy the handset
- (c) Raju has enough amount to buy the handset and he will have ₹ 500 with him after buying the handset
- (d) Raju has enough amount to buy the handset and he will have ₹ 1000 with him after buying the handset

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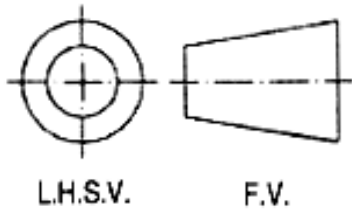
1. In fireproof paints, the main constituent is
  - (a) Aluminium powder
  - (b) Red lead
  - (c) Copper powder
  - (d) Asbestos fibers
2. In plastic paint, thinner used is
  - (a) Oil
  - (b) Spirit
  - (c) Water
  - (d) Naphtha
3. Which of following is an example of spirit varnish ?
  - (a) French polish
  - (b) Asphalt varnish
  - (c) Oil varnish
  - (d) Spar varnish
4. Measurement of flooring is done in
  - (a) Cubic meter
  - (b) Square meter
  - (c) Meter
  - (d) Number

5. The structure which allows the water to pass under roads, railways is known as
  - (a) Bridge
  - (b) Drainage
  - (c) Tunnel
  - (d) Culvert
6. To obtain parallel line and concentric circle or parallel curve, what command is used in AutoCAD ?
  - (a) Offset
  - (b) Array
  - (c) Fillet
  - (d) Copy
7. A regular cone is placed on a horizontal plane on its base, the top view is
  - (a) Circle
  - (b) Rectangle
  - (c) Square
  - (d) Triangle
8. The placing of various rooms or units of a structure in proper correlation of their functions is known as
  - (a) Aspect
  - (b) Grouping
  - (c) Prospect
  - (d) Circulation



9. Which mode allows the user to draw perpendicular straight lines ?
- (a) OSNAP
  - (b) Ortho
  - (c) Linear
  - (d) Polar tracking
10. A type of bond in brick masonry in which each course consists of alternate headers and stretchers is
- (a) English bond
  - (b) Flemish bond
  - (c) Stretching bond
  - (d) Heading bond
11. The type of stone masonry commonly adopted in construction of residential buildings is
- (a) Uncoursed rubble
  - (b) Coursed rubble
  - (c) Random rubble
  - (d) Dry rubble
12. A covering of stone, concrete, brick on the exposed top of an external wall of a building is called
- (a) Jamb
  - (b) Coping
  - (c) Cornice
  - (d) Corbel
13. For DPC at plinth level, the commonly adopted material is
- (a) Bitumen sheet
  - (b) Plastic sheet
  - (c) Mastic Asphalt
  - (d) Cement Concrete
14. The cavity wall is generally provided for
- (a) Preventing dampness
  - (b) Heat insulation
  - (c) Sound insulation
  - (d) All of the above
15. The projection part of tread beyond the face of riser is called
- (a) Pitch
  - (b) Baluster
  - (c) Nosing
  - (d) Rail
16. The lower part of a structure which transmits the load to the soil is known as
- (a) Basement
  - (b) Foundation
  - (c) Plinth
  - (d) Superstructure

17. For which projection method is the following graphical symbol applicable ?



- (a) 1<sup>st</sup> Angle Projection  
 (b) 2<sup>nd</sup> Angle Projection  
 (c) 3<sup>rd</sup> Angle Projection  
 (d) 4<sup>th</sup> Angle Projection
18. How many times is the isometric length shorter than the true length ?
- (a) 0.615  
 (b) 0.715  
 (c) 0.815  
 (d) 0.915
19. What is the inclined angle of letters in case of inclined lettering ?
- (a) 45°  
 (b) 55°  
 (c) 65°  
 (d) 75°
20. The specific gravity of sandstone is
- (a) 1.65 to 1.95  
 (b) 2.65 to 2.95  
 (c) 3.65 to 3.95  
 (d) 4.65 to 4.95

21. In case of brick manufacturing, if the amount of silica in clay is in excess quantity, then excessiveness of silica will

- (a) Make the brick brittle and weak  
 (b) Change the colour from red to yellow  
 (c) Improve permeability and durability  
 (d) Make the brick crack and warp on drying

22. Right proportion of  $\text{SiO}_2$  in chemical composition of Portland cement helps in controlling strength but if it gets excess then what will happen ?

- (a) Reduces strength  
 (b) Setting time increases  
 (c) Discolouration effect occurs  
 (d) Unsoundness occurs

23. What type and composition of mortar is required for RCC tanks and other retaining structures ?

- (a) 1 : 1 2 1 Cement Sand Mortar  
 (b) 1 : 1 2 1 Lime Surkhi Mortar  
 (c) 1 : 1 2 1 Lime Sand Mortar  
 (d) 1 : 1 2 1 Surkhi Sand Mortar

**24.** What is the proportion of cement : fine aggregate : coarse aggregate in case of M25 grade of concrete ?

- (a) 1 : 3 : 6
- (b) 1 : 2 : 4
- (c)  $1 : 1\frac{1}{2} : 3$
- (d) 1 : 1 : 2

**25.** The most effective process of repairing concrete work to provide impervious layer is usually done by pouring a mixture of cement and sand (1 : 3) in a cement gun and deposit it on the inferior work by pressure of 20 N/cm<sup>2</sup> to 30 N/cm<sup>2</sup>, is called

- (a) Grouting
- (b) Shotcreting
- (c) Guniting
- (d) Trimming

**26.** What is the name of the defect when exposed surface of timber dries very rapidly and as a result it shrinks, remains under compression and simultaneously the interior surface has not completely dried, remains under tension ?

- (a) Cup hardening
- (b) Case hardening
- (c) Split hardening
- (d) Twist hardening

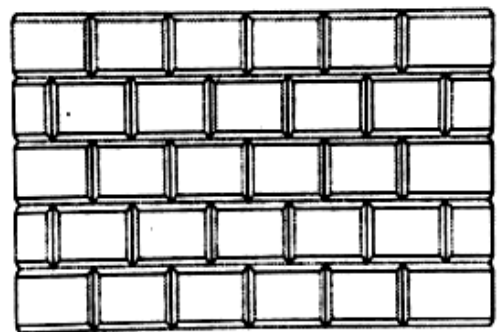
**27.** The paint having metal oxides such as Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, PbO, ZnO, etc. is called

- (a) Distemper
- (b) Enamel
- (c) Oil
- (d) Emulsion

**28.** In case of varnish, what type of solvent provides long lasting bright surface ?

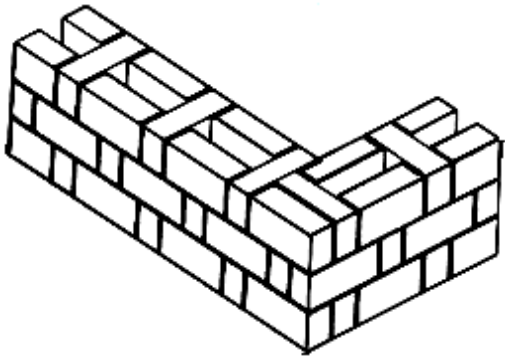
- (a) Oil
- (b) Turpentine
- (c) Water
- (d) Spirit

**29.** Name the type of the following stone masonry :



- (a) Ashlar Rough tooled
- (b) Ashlar Quarry faced
- (c) Ashlar Chamfered
- (d) Ashlar Fine

30. Name the type of the following brick masonry :



- (a) Brick on Edge Bond
- (b) Rat Trap Bond
- (c) Facing Bond
- (d) Backing Bond
31. For strengthening the corner of a wall, what type of brick bond is used where alternate courses of headers and stretchers are set, including the quoin of stretcher course is  $\frac{3}{4}$  brick bat and also a header is introduced next to the  $\frac{3}{4}$  brick bat in every alternate stretcher course ?
- (a) English Cross Bond
- (b) Flemish Garden Wall Bond
- (c) Dutch Bond
- (d) Monk Bond

32. Which one of the following is the most economical foundation when heavy structural loads from columns are required to be transferred to a soil of low bearing capacity ?

- (a) Grillage
- (b) Deep
- (c) Raft
- (d) Shallow

33. In case of foundation, the net loading intensity at which neither the soil fails in shear nor is there excessive settlement detrimental to the structure is known as

- (a) Foundation bearing capacity
- (b) Safe bearing capacity
- (c) Allowable bearing capacity
- (d) Ultimate bearing capacity

34. The best position for damp proof course (D.P.C.) in buildings without basement lies at

- (a) Ground level
- (b) Plinth level
- (c) 150 mm above ground level
- (d) 150 mm above plinth level

- 35.** A semi-rigid material which forms an excellent impervious layer for damp proofing course is called
- (a) Tar felt
  - (b) Bituminous felt
  - (c) Mastic asphalt
  - (d) Bitumen
- 36.** The roughly curved triangular space above or on either side of the arch bounded by the curved extrados, a line running horizontally through the apex of the arch and a line rising vertically from the springing of the arch is called
- (a) Haunch
  - (b) Skewback
  - (c) Spandrel
  - (d) Voussoir
- 37.** For comfortable ascent and descent, what should be the value of "Tread + 2 x Riser" ?
- (a) 400 mm
  - (b) 500 mm
  - (c) 600 mm
  - (d) 700 mm
- 38.** In a contour plan, if contour lines are drawn with a contour interval of 2 m and if the gradient is 1 in 30, then the horizontal distance required between successive points on consecutive contours will be
- (a) 15 m
  - (b) 30 m
  - (c) 45 m
  - (d) 60 m
- 39.** When the telescope of a theodolite is rotated clockwise then it is called
- (a) Face right
  - (b) Left swing
  - (c) Face left
  - (d) Right swing
- 40.** The distance between individual pixels in a visual display technology calculated by measuring the closeness of individual pixels to one another is called the
- (a) Pix Pitch
  - (b) Bit Pitch
  - (c) Dot Pitch
  - (d) Byte Pitch

41. A strip of land permanently left open for drainage purposes, neither used as an access way nor like a street and never included as a part of setbacks is known as
- Jhamp
  - Ledge
  - Jhot
  - Loft
42. When the angle of splay becomes  $90^\circ$  then the wing walls are known as
- Straight Wing Walls
  - Splayed Wing Walls
  - Return Wing Walls
  - Trestle Wing Walls
43. Which grade of pencil is used for drawing arrowheads ?
- 2H
  - 2B
  - 7H
  - H
44. If top view of a line is a point, its front view is \_\_\_\_\_.
- parallel to xy line and of true length
  - parallel to xy line and of apparent length
  - perpendicular to xy line and of true length
  - perpendicular to xy line and of apparent length
45. Oblique sections are useful to show the \_\_\_\_\_.
- Interior shapes
  - Oblique lines
  - Foreshortened features
  - Projected features
46. Which of the following defects occur in the seasoning process of wood ?
- Bow
  - Brown rot
  - Sap stain
  - Blue stain
47. Which of the following cement is used in sewage and water treatment plants ?
- Sulphate Resisting Cement
  - Quick Setting Cement
  - Low Heat Cement
  - Rapid Hardening Cement
48. The maximum limit of weight of fibreboards is \_\_\_\_\_.
- $960 \text{ kg/m}^3$
  - $1960 \text{ kg/m}^3$
  - $2460 \text{ kg/m}^3$
  - $2960 \text{ kg/m}^3$

49. Which of the following is **not** a variety of industrial timber ?
- (a) Veneers
  - (b) Plywood
  - (c) Fibreboard
  - (d) Baulk
50. The term \_\_\_\_\_ is used to indicate the solution of resins or resinous substances prepared either in alcohol, oil or turpentine.
- (a) Turpentine
  - (b) Varnish
  - (c) Oil
  - (d) Distemper
51. Plastics are divided into thermoplastic and thermosetting on the basis of their \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) Behaviour with respect to heating
  - (b) Structure
  - (c) Physical properties
  - (d) Mechanical properties
52. The height of the plinth should **not** be less than \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) 45 cm
  - (b) 20 cm
  - (c) 1 m
  - (d) 500 cm
53. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a projecting stone which is usually provided to serve as support for roof truss, beam, weather shed, etc.
- (a) Course
  - (b) Cornice
  - (c) Corbel
  - (d) Coping
54. In \_\_\_\_\_ type of construction, the square or rectangular blocks of stones are used.
- (a) Brick masonry
  - (b) Rubble masonry
  - (c) Rock Masonry
  - (d) Ashlar masonry
55. A \_\_\_\_\_ junction is formed when two continuous walls cross or intersect each other.
- (a) Squint
  - (b) Cross
  - (c) Obtuse squint
  - (d) Right angle
56. The usual concrete mix for RCC lintel is \_\_\_\_\_ (cement : sand : aggregate).
- (a) 1 : 2 : 3
  - (b) 1 : 2 : 4
  - (c) 1 : 4 : 8
  - (d) 1 : 3 : 6

57. Which of the following is the first principle of surveying ?
- (a) Whole to whole
  - (b) Part to part
  - (c) Part to whole
  - (d) Whole to part
58. Which of the following **cannot** be done with the help of theodolite in surveying ?
- (a) Measuring horizontal distances
  - (b) Prolonging survey lines
  - (c) Laying off horizontal angles
  - (d) Locating points on lines
59. Which command converts discrete object in polyline ?
- (a) Merge
  - (b) Union
  - (c) Join
  - (d) Add
60. What is the minimum allowable number of layers in a drawing ?
- (a) 0
  - (b) 1
  - (c) 2
  - (d) 10
61. Which key is used to obtain properties palette in AutoCAD ?
- (a) Control + 1
  - (b) Control + 2
  - (c) Control + 3
  - (d) Control + 4
62. Scale command can be accessed easily by typing
- (a) SL
  - (b) S
  - (c) SC
  - (d) C
63. \_\_\_\_\_ refers to the effect produced by deriving the maximum benefits from the minimum dimensions off a room.
- (a) Compactness
  - (b) Roominess
  - (c) Grouping
  - (d) Privacy
64. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a set of rules that specify the standards for constructed objects such as buildings and non-building structures.
- (a) Building code
  - (b) Building bye-laws
  - (c) IS code
  - (d) Procedure



65. Due to change in price level, a revised estimate is prepared if the sanctioned estimate exceeds
- (a) 2.0%
  - (b) 2.5%
  - (c) 4.0%
  - (d) 5.0%
66. Railway rails are made of which of the following ?
- (a) Cast iron
  - (b) Mild steel
  - (c) High carbon steel
  - (d) Wrought iron
67. At what angle should a railway line cross a road ?
- (a) 45°
  - (b) 60°
  - (c) 30°
  - (d) 90°
68. Slab culverts are suitable for maximum span of
- (a) 3 m
  - (b) 6 m
  - (c) 9 m
  - (d) 12 m
69. Which foundation is suitable for the construction of bridge ?
- (a) Pile
  - (b) Shallow
  - (c) Grillage
  - (d) Inverted arch
70. Which of the following is the other name of perennial irrigation system ?
- (a) Flood Irrigation
  - (b) Controlled Irrigation
  - (c) Direct Irrigation
  - (d) Storage Irrigation
71. The maximum permissible total solid content in water for domestic purposes should **not** exceed
- (a) 300 ppm
  - (b) 400 ppm
  - (c) 500 ppm
  - (d) 1000 ppm
72. The minimum diameter of manhole cover should be
- (a) 25 cm
  - (b) 50 cm
  - (c) 75 cm
  - (d) 100 cm

- 73.** For a city or town with roads of rectangular pattern, the type of layout used for the distribution of pipes is
- (a) dead end system
  - (b) ring system
  - (c) radial system
  - (d) grid iron system
- 74.** Closed contours of decreasing values towards their centre, represent a
- (a) Hill
  - (b) Depression
  - (c) Saddle or Pass
  - (d) River bed
- 75.** Ultimate strength to cement is provided by
- (a) Tricalcium silicate
  - (b) Dicalcium silicate
  - (c) Tricalcium aluminate
  - (d) Tetracalcium aluminoferrite
- 76.** Beams composed of more than one material, rigidly connected together so as to behave as one piece, are known as
- (a) Compound beams
  - (b) Indeterminate beams
  - (c) Determinate beams
  - (d) Composite beams
- 77.** The imaginary line passing through points having equal magnetic declination is termed as
- (a) Isogon
  - (b) Agonic line
  - (c) Isoclinic line
  - (d) None of the above
- 78.** The steel generally used in RCC work is
- (a) stainless steel
  - (b) mild steel
  - (c) high carbon steel
  - (d) high tension steel
- 79.** The type of surveying in which curvature of the Earth is taken into account is called
- (a) Geodetic surveying
  - (b) Plane surveying
  - (c) Preliminary surveying
  - (d) Topographical surveying

80. If the length of the chain is found to be short on testing, it can be adjusted by
- (a) straightening the links
  - (b) removing one or more small circular rings
  - (c) closing the joints of the rings if opened up
  - (d) tapping the chain on the ground
81. The maximum tolerance in a 20 m chain is
- (a)  $\pm 2$  mm
  - (b)  $\pm 3$  mm
  - (c)  $\pm 5$  mm
  - (d)  $\pm 8$  mm
82. Size of a theodolite is specified by
- (a) Length of the telescope
  - (b) Diameter of the vertical circle
  - (c) Diameter of the lower plate
  - (d) Diameter of the upper plate
83. For cereal crops the most commonly adopted method of irrigation is
- (a) Free flowing method
  - (b) Check method
  - (c) Furrow method
  - (d) Sprinkler method
84. A canal which is aligned at right angles to the contour is called
- (a) Contour canal
  - (b) Watershed canal
  - (c) Branch canal
  - (d) Side slope canal
85. Bituminous materials are commonly used in highway construction because of their good
- (a) Tensile and compressive properties
  - (b) Binding and waterproofing properties
  - (c) Shear strength and tensile properties
  - (d) Bond and tensile properties
86. The total thickness of pavement by CBR method depends on CBR value of
- (a) Base course
  - (b) Surface course
  - (c) Subgrade
  - (d) All layers
87. Equivalent factor of Passenger Car Unit (PCU) for a passenger car as per IRC is
- (a) 1.0
  - (b) 2.0
  - (c) 0.5
  - (d) 10

88. The science which deals with the sound insulation in a building is known as \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) Reverberation  
(b) Transmission  
(c) Acoustic  
(d) Airborne
89. The pipe in buildings, through which human excreta flows is called  
(a) Soil pipe  
(b) Waste pipe  
(c) Vent pipe  
(d) Anti-siphonage pipe
90. A nahani trap is provided  
(a) At the head of each house drain  
(b) At the outfall end of each house drain  
(c) At the junction of two house drains  
(d) None of the above
91. The most important purpose of frog in brick is to  
(a) emboss manufacturer's name  
(b) reduce the weight of brick  
(c) form keyed joint between brick and mortar  
(d) improve insulation by providing 'hollows'
92. The lime used for finishing coat in plastering is  
(a) Semi-hydraulic lime  
(b) Kankar lime  
(c) Magnesium lime  
(d) Eminently hydraulic lime
93. Surkhi is added to lime mortar to  
(a) Prevent shrinkage  
(b) Decrease setting time  
(c) Increase bulk  
(d) Impart hydraulicity
94. Gypsum is added to cement for  
(a) Colour  
(b) Strength  
(c) Controlling setting time  
(d) None of the above
95. The optimum number of revolutions over which concrete is required to be mixed in a mixer machine is  
(a) 10  
(b) 20  
(c) 50  
(d) 100

**96.** The age of trees can be predicted by

- (a) length of medulary rays
- (b) counting the number of rings
- (c) measuring the diameter of pith
- (d) the thickness of bark

**97.** Seasoning of timber is necessary to

- (a) Increase fire resistance
- (b) Increase vermin resistance
- (c) Reduce microbial substances
- (d) Expel moisture present in timber

**98.** Plywood is specified by

- (a) Weight
- (b) Volume
- (c) Thickness
- (d) Number of layers

**99.** Which of the following is caused by fungus in timber ?

- (a) Upsets
- (b) Foxiness
- (c) Dry rot
- (d) Wet rot

**100.** The function of base in paint is to

- (a) provide a film on the surface
- (b) hide imperfections of the surface
- (c) reduce shrinkage cracks in paint film
- (d) bring down the overall cost

## SECTION B

**101.** A scores more runs than B but less than C. D scores more than B but less than A. Who is the lowest scorer ?

(a) B

(b) A

(c) D

(d) C

**102.** P is the husband of Q. S is the daughter of R. P is the father of R. How is Q related to S ?

(a) Mother

(b) Grandmother

(c) Aunt

(d) Cousin

**103.** Shaheed Bhagat Singh is associated with

- (a) Republican Party of India
- (b) Ghadar Party
- (c) Hindustan Socialist Republican Association
- (d) Congress Socialist Party

**104.** Where is Baba Banda Singh Bahadur War Memorial located ?

- (a) Chappar Chiri
- (b) Sirhind
- (c) Kartarpur
- (d) Samana

**105.** The characteristic of sound by which we can distinguish between a shrill sound and a grave sound is known as

- (a) quality
- (b) intensity
- (c) loudness
- (d) pitch

**106.** GPS, or the Global Positioning System, is a global navigation satellite system that provides location, velocity and time synchronization. The satellites meant for GPS are placed in

- (a) Low Earth Orbits
- (b) Medium Earth Orbits
- (c) Geostationary Orbits
- (d) Geosynchronous Orbits

**107.** The major source of energy generation in India is

- (a) Nuclear
- (b) Non-conventional
- (c) Thermal
- (d) Hyde

**108.** Which of the following is the best heat and corrosion-resistant material ?

- (a) Polymer
- (b) Metal
- (c) Ceramic
- (d) Semiconductor

**109.** The pollutant responsible for ozone hole is

- (a) CO<sub>2</sub>
- (b) SO<sub>2</sub>
- (c) CO
- (d) CFC

**110.** Who among the following won the 57<sup>th</sup> Jnanpith Award ?

- (a) Nilmani Phookan
- (b) Damodar Mauzo
- (c) Akkitham Achuthan Namboothiri
- (d) Amitav Ghosh

111. Which one of the following river drains into the Arabian Sea ?

- (a) Indravati
- (b) Narmada
- (c) Godavari
- (d) Cauvery

112. Supertech's twin towers which were demolished in Noida were

- (a) AXA and Capital Plaza
- (b) Richfield and Windsor
- (c) Apex and Ceyane
- (d) Ocean Tower and Landmark Tower

113. In a certain code language, if the word 'REJECTION' is coded as SGMHJPWW, then how is the word 'MECHANIC' coded in that language ?

- (a) NGFLFTPK
- (b) NGPLFTIK
- (c) NGFKFTPK
- (d) NGPTPKIL

114. Total time taken by a person in going to a place by walking, and returning on cycle is 5 hours 45 minutes. He would have gained 2 hours by cycling both ways. The time taken by him to walk both ways is

- (a) 6 hours 45 minutes
- (b) 7 hours 45 minutes
- (c) 8 hours 15 minutes
- (d) 8 hours 30 minutes

115. Consider the following matrix.

3	8	10	2	?	1
6	56	90	2	20	0

What is the missing number at "?" in the matrix ?

- (a) 5
- (b) 0
- (c) 7
- (d) 3

116. Raju has ₹ 9000 with him and he wants to buy a mobile handset; but he finds that he has only 75% of the amount required to buy the handset. Therefore, he borrows ₹ 2000 from a friend. Then

- (a) Raju still does not have enough amount to buy the handset
- (b) Raju has exactly the same amount as required to buy the handset
- (c) Raju has enough amount to buy the handset and he will have ₹ 500 with him after buying the handset
- (d) Raju has enough amount to buy the handset and he will have ₹ 1000 with him after buying the handset

**117.** In a month of 31 days, the third Wednesday falls on the 15<sup>th</sup>. What will be the last day of that month ?

- (a) 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday
- (b) 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday
- (c) 5<sup>th</sup> Thursday
- (d) 5<sup>th</sup> Friday

**118.** There are twenty people working in an office. The first group of five works between 8.00 A.M. and 2.00 P.M. The second group of ten works between 10.00 A.M. and 4.00 P.M. And the third group of five works between 12 noon and 6.00 P.M. There are three computers in the office which all the employees frequently use. During which of the following hours are the computers likely to be used most ?

- (a) 12 noon – 2.00 pm
- (b) 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm
- (c) 10.00 am – 12 noon
- (d) 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm

**119.** A hall  $200\text{ m} \times 50\text{ m}$  is to be paved with square tiles. If the price of one tile of  $10\text{ cm} \times 10\text{ cm}$  is ₹ 3.50, then find the cost of paving the hall.

- (a) ₹ 35 lakh
- (b) ₹ 30 lakh
- (c) ₹ 45 lakh
- (d) ₹ 25 lakh

**120.** In a row of trees, a tree is 7<sup>th</sup> from left end and 14<sup>th</sup> from right end. How many trees are there in a row ?

- (a) 20
- (b) 21
- (c) 18
- (d) 19



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