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English Language

Directions(1-10): Read the passage carefully and answer the following questions.

It has been a year since the news of tensions between Indian and Chinese troops on the Line of Actual Control (LAC) in Ladakh first broke. Dismissed as a "routine" event in the first few weeks by officials, the truth about the extent of Chinese **ingress** could no longer be hidden when India lost 20 soldiers in a violent clash with soldiers of the People's Liberation Army (PLA) in mid-June. As has been evident from commercial satellite imagery, sparse official statements and a few interviews, the crisis eventually involved seven places: Depsang plains, Galwan, Gogra, Hot Springs, North bank of Pangong Tso, Kailash range and Demchok.

The situation at Galwan was resolved a few weeks after the deadly clash, and the two sides disengaged from the face-off site. The Indian Army had occupied certain heights on the Kailash range in end-August, where it was in an eyeball-to-eyeball confrontation with the Chinese. In February this year, the two sides agreed to **disengage** from this location and from the north bank of Pangong Tso. This was announced by India's Defence Minister in Parliament, where he also said that the two armies will convene the next meeting of the senior commanders within 48 hours after the complete disengagement in the Pangong lake area "to address and resolve all other remaining issues". The last such meeting of commanders was held on April 9, but the Chinese have refused to even discuss the remaining issues.

In each statement, both India and China **reiterate** the need "to ensure peace and tranquillity" in border areas. Even if there have been no further deaths after June and no firing after early September, the peace on the border is both unstable and unsustainable. Ongoing tensions, with massive deployments on each side, belie any hope of tranquillity.

Even as the situation on the border poses a tricky challenge for India, its geopolitical concerns have been exacerbated by the devastation caused by the mismanagement of COVID-19. Through its 'Vaccine Maitri' programme, New Delhi was presenting itself as a better alternative to Beijing's vaccine diplomacy, particularly in South Asia. Shaken by scenes of massive suffering and public criticism, the government has backtracked on existing contractual commitments to supply vaccines to its friendly neighbours. Countries such as Bangladesh and Sri Lanka have started procuring vaccines from China, further casting doubts on India's reliability as a partner and raising questions about its ability to act as a counter to China. Sensing the opportunity, Beijing also moved in quickly, organising a meeting with all South Asian countries except India, ostensibly to deal with the pandemic.

New Delhi was also the lynchpin of the Quad's pledge to deliver a billion doses of COVID-19 vaccine throughout the Indo-Pacific by the end of 2022, an effort focused on countering Chinese influence in the region. With India now trying to import vaccines for its own population and reneging on its commitments to other poor countries under GAVI's COVAX scheme, the proposal now seems to be on a weak footing. The **abysmal** failure of the government to anticipate and deal with a public health crisis has diminished India's aura as an emergent power. A Prime Minister tom-tomming the mantra of 'Atmanirbharata' or self-reliance has been forced to reverse a 16-year-old policy to accept global aid has laid bare India's vulnerabilities, further reducing its standing as the Quad's anchor.

A weaker India is not only less attractive as a partner globally, it makes New Delhi more dependent on the United States to deal with China. That India has been acting at the behest of the U.S. has been one of China's presumptions and this would only confirm Beijing's worst fears. It would further strain India-China ties, directly linking them to the vagaries of the China-U.S. relationship. The hypothesis that India can safeguard its land borders by strengthening its oceanic prowess could then be put to test, a scenario New Delhi wants to avoid at all costs.

[Source: Opinion, The Hindu, 17 May 2021]

1. How can we understand that the tension between India and China a year ago was not a routine event, as it was reported by the officials?

1) The lives of 20 Indian soldiers were lost in the clash.

2) China released a statement saying it was an attack

3) Commercial satellite imagery showed clashes

4) Seven places of China were affected due to the crisis

5) All of the above

Ans: 1

In the passage, it is mentioned that

"Dismissed as a "routine" event in the first few weeks by officials, the truth about the extent of Chinese ingress could no longer be hidden when India lost 20 soldiers in a violent clash with soldiers of the People's Liberation Army (PLA) in mid-June".

The other statements are not given in the passage or are wrong.

2. How was the situation in Galwan resolved after the deadly clash?

1) The Chinese occupied the territory

2) The Indian Army occupied certain heights on the Kailash range.

3) The two parties agreed to disengage from the clash site.

4) The refusal of Chinese to attend the meeting finally led India to occupy the region

5) B, C and D

Ans: 3

The situation was resolved when the two parties agreed to disengage from the face-off site.

3. Why did the government backtrack on existing contractual commitments to supply vaccines to its friendly neighbours?

1) because of Quad's pledge

2) because Beijing outsmarted India in supplying vaccines

3) because of low demand of Indian vaccine

4) because the government was shaken by scenes of mass suffering and public criticism.

5) because of lack of raw materials in India.

Ans: 4

In the passage, it is said that "Shaken by scenes of massive suffering and public criticism, the government has backtracked on existing contractual commitments to supply vaccines to its friendly neighbours". So, D is correct.

4. What has reduced India's glow as an emergent power?

1) The government failed to anticipate and deal with public health crisis.

2) India's less attractiveness as a global partner.

3) India's dependence on United States to deal with China.

4) Both B and C

5) All of these

Ans:1

The aura of India as an emerging power was diminished because of government's failure to anticipate and deal with public health crisis.

B and C are the consequences of becoming a weaker India.

5. Which of the following statements is correct according to the passage?

(i) North bank of Pangong Tso is one of the regions affected because of the tension between India and China.

(ii) Indian army disengaged from the Kailash range.

(iii) China also disengaged from the Kailash region, but have refused to discuss the remaining issues.

(iv) New Delhi is still a better alternative to Beijing's vaccine diplomacy, particularly in South Asia, because of 'Vaccine Maitri' programme.

1) Only i

2) i, ii and iii

3) ii, iii and iv

4) Only iii and iv

5) All are correct

Ans: 2

6. Which of the following statement(s) (i, ii and iii) is/are not correct according to the passage?

(i) According to the statements released, both India and China want to ensure peace and tranquillity in border areas.

(ii) China took the leadership and organised a meeting with all South Asian countries.

(iii) India has pledged to deliver a billion doses of COVID-19 vaccine throughout the Indo-Pacific by the end of 2022.

1) Only ii is wrong

2) Both i and iii are wrong

3) Both ii and iii are wrong

4) Only iii is wrong

5) All are wrong

Ans: 1

Statements i and iii are correct.

ii is wrong because, India was not a part of the meeting.

7. Which of the following is the near synonym of the word 'disengage'?

1) pull out

2) put out

3) stand out

4) break out

5) fill out

Ans: 1

The word 'disengage' means 'to stop being involved in something, or to stop someone being involved in something'.

A- to stop being involved in an activity.

B- to stop something that is burning from continuing to burn

C- to be very noticeable

D- If something dangerous or unpleasant breaks out, it suddenly starts

E- If someone who is thin fills out, they become heavier and more rounded, often because they have grown older.

8. Which of the following is the near synonym of the word 'reiterate'?

1) repeat

2) resize

3) redraw

4) reinstate

5) reinvestigate

Ans: 1

The word 'reiterate' means 'to say something again, once or several times'.

'repeat' means 'to say or tell people something more than once'.

9. Which of the following is the near opposite of the word 'ingress'?

1) access

2) approach

3) exit

4) honesty

5) attitude

Ans: 3

The word 'ingress' means 'the act of entering something'.

The opposite of which is 'exit'.

10. Which of the following is the near opposite of the word 'abysmal'?

1) inadequate

2) inferior

3) expensive

4) deep

5) superb

Ans: 5

The word 'abysmal' means 'very bad'. The near antonym of it is 'superb'.

Direction(11-13): In each of the questions given below, four words are given in bold. These four words may or may not be in their correct position. The sentence is then followed by options with the correct combination of words that should replace each other in order to make the sentence grammatically and contextually correct. Find the correct combination of words that replace each other. If the sentence is correct as it is, select 'E' as your option.

11. Justice Umesh Tiwari **sought (A)** a notice to the school **education (B)** and the **management (C)** authorities and **issued (D)** a reply by April 16.

1) A and B only

2) A-B and C-D

3) A-D and B-C

4) B-C only

5) The sentence is correct.

Ans: 3

A notice cannot be given to 'school education'. So, it clearly needs to be interchanged. The perfect option is exchanging it with C. Also, the judge is the one who issues a notice. So, A and C also should be interchanged.

*Justice Umesh Tiwari **issued** a notice to the school **management** and the **education** authorities and **sought** a reply by April 16.*

12. **Recommended (A)** the data, the parliamentary standing committee on home affairs **chaired (B)** by the MP **highlighting (C)** that the home ministry advise states/UTs to **conduct (D)** periodic sensitisation and briefings of ground level officials.

1) Only A and C

2) A-C and B-D

3) A-Band C-D

4) A-D and B-C

5) The sentence is correct

Ans: 1

Exchanging A-C would make the sentence grammatically and contextually correct.

Highlighting the data, the parliamentary standing committee on home affairs chaired by the MP recommended that the home ministry advise states/UTs to conduct periodic sensitisation and briefings of ground level officials.

13. Southern Railway will **stretch (A)** cancel four **suburban (B)** trains due to **engineering (C)** work on Elavur-Gummidipoondi **partially (D)** of Chennai Central-Guntur section.

1) Only B-D

2) A-C and B-D

3) A-D and B-C

4) Only A-D

5) The sentence is correct

Ans: 4- The term 'stretch cancel' is wrong, whereas, 'partially cancel' is correct. So, switching it will make the sentence correct. B and C are correct at their respective places.

Southern Railway will partially cancel four suburban trains due to engineering work on Elavur-Gummidipoondi stretch of Chennai Central-Guntur section.

Direction(14-19): Five statements are given below, which are jumbled in any random order. These statements will form a coherent and meaningful paragraph, when arranged in the correct sequence. Arrange the sentences in the right order and answer the questions that follow.

(a) The house came with a tiny front yard which she wanted to cover with grass.

(b) Bunny and I had always lived in apartments, and it was her dream to one day have a home with a small patch of grass, a lawn.

(c) Without sunlight, there would be no lawn so, we paved our front yard with bricks and turned it into a patio, enlivening the space with potted plants and flowers.

(d) Her hope was soon dashed, however, because along came a greedy developer who built monstrous office buildings around us which blocked all our sunlight.

(e) When some 20-odd years ago we moved to our house in Gurgaon, Bunny thought her dream was finally about to be realised.

14. Which of the following is the second sentence of the paragraph?

1)b

2)d

3)e

4)a

5)c

Ans: 3

*The correct order of the paragraph is **b, e, a, d and c***

Here, there must be, at first, a mention of a dream, a hope or a want. This is in the second sentence 'b'. So, it is more likely to be the first sentence of the passage. Then, the dream must come to reality. So, 'e' is the next in line. A small description about the house is more likely to be the next sentence. So, 'a' is the third sentence. Then, out of 'c' and 'd', we can understand that the sunlight is getting blocked first. So, 'd' is first and then comes 'c'.

15. Which of the following is the fourth sentence of the paragraph?

1)a

2)c

3)e

4)d

5)b

Ans: 4

*The correct order of the paragraph is **b, e, a, d and c***

Here, there must be, at first, a mention of a dream, a hope or a want. This is in the second sentence 'b'. So, it is more likely to be the first sentence of the passage. Then, the dream must come to reality. So, 'e' is the next in line. A small description about the house is more likely to be the next sentence. So, 'a' is the third sentence. Then, out of 'c' and 'd', we can understand that the sunlight is getting blocked first. So, 'd' is first and then comes 'c'.

16. Which of the following is the first sentence of the paragraph?

1)c

2)d

3)e

4)a

5)b

Ans: 5

*The correct order of the paragraph is **b, e, a, d and c***

Here, there must be, at first, a mention of a dream, a hope or a want. This is in the second sentence 'b'. So, it is more likely to be the first sentence of the passage. Then, the dream must come to reality. So, 'e' is the next in line. A small description about the house is more likely to be the next sentence. So, 'a' is the third sentence. Then, out of 'c' and 'd', we can understand that the sunlight is getting blocked first. So, 'd' is first and then comes 'c'.

17. Which of the following is the last sentence of the paragraph?

1)e

2)d

3)c

4)b

5)a

Ans: 3

*The correct order of the paragraph is **b, e, a, d and c***

Here, there must be, at first, a mention of a dream, a hope or a want. This is in the second sentence 'b'. So, it is more likely to be the first sentence of the passage. Then, the dream must come to reality. So, 'e' is the next in line. A small description about the house is more likely to be the next sentence. So, 'a' is the third sentence. Then, out of 'c' and 'd', we can understand that the sunlight is getting blocked first. So, 'd' is first and then comes 'c'.

18. Which of the following is the third sentence of the paragraph?

1)d

2)a

3)e

4)b

5)c

Ans: 2

*The correct order of the paragraph is **b, e, a, d and c***

Here, there must be, at first, a mention of a dream, a hope or a want. This is in the second sentence 'b'. So, it is more likely to be the first sentence of the passage. Then, the dream must come to reality. So, 'e' is the next in line. A small description about the house is more likely to be the next sentence. So, 'a' is the third sentence. Then, out of 'c' and 'd', we can understand that the sunlight is getting blocked first. So, 'd' is first and then comes 'c'.

Direction(19-25): In the following questions, each sentence has two blanks. Choose the appropriate set of words for the blanks that best fits in the context of the sentence.

19. Industry leaders from across the country stand _____ with the government and are _____ to vaccinate half the country.

1) seated, trying

2) out, using

3) united, prepared

4) together, examine

5) None of these

Ans: 3- Here, 'united' is an adjective, but can be used here to modify the quality of 'leaders' that they are united. Also, 'prepared' fits the second blank.

In B and D, the first words could be used in the first blank, but the second words do not fit the second blank.

20. Modern women are _____ up the _____ of neanderthal netajis.

1) explaining, war

2) listing, wish

3) holding, unique

4) ripping, composure

5) None of these

Ans: 4

The word 'ripping up' means 'tearing up' and 'composure' means 'the feeling of being calm, confident, and in control'. These words are apt here.

In A, 'explaining up' is not correct.

In B, if it was 'wishes', then it could have been a possibility.

In C, the word 'unique' is wrong. 'uniqueness' would have been correct.

21. In a bid to _____ construction of roads and highways and to cut delays, the road transport and highways Ministry will seek _____ from environment clearance for all brownfield roads and lane expansion projects.

1) expedite, exemption

2) experience, advise

3) expand, asking

4) move, doubt

5) None of these

Ans: 1

The word 'expedite' means 'to make something happen more quickly', and 'exemption' means 'special permission not to do or pay something'. This combination is most suitable at the respective places.

In B, though 'advise' is correct, 'experience' is wrong.

In C, the word 'asking' is wrong, as seek itself means 'to ask'.

In D, both the words do not fit the respective places, as much as A.

22. Even as it continues to remind Sri Lanka of its _____ to address the aspirations of Tamils, India is aware that voting in favour of, or even _____, the resolution can further drive the strategically located Indian Ocean country into the arms of China.

1) incidence, attribute

2) commitment, abstaining

3) journey, supporting

4) attitude, less

5) None of these

Ans: 2

The word 'commitment' means 'a promise or firm decision to do something' and 'abstaining' means 'not doing something, especially something enjoyable that you think might be bad'. These words are appropriate here.

In A, 'incidence' means 'an event, or the rate at which something happens' and 'attribute' means 'a quality or characteristic that someone or something has'. These words are not appropriate.

In C, the word 'supporting' is similar in meaning to the word 'in favour of'. So, it is not likely to come there.

D is also inappropriate.

23. Europe _____ with resurgent coronavirus infections on Sunday, as Germany considered extending restrictions into April _____ street protests.

1) fought, desperate

2) sickened, with

3) revived, without

4) grappled, despite

5) None of these

Ans: 4

The word 'grapple' means 'to fight, especially in order to win something'. The word 'despite' means 'without taking any notice of or being influenced by; not prevented by'. These words are appropriate at the respective blanks.

In A, the second word does not fit the blank.

In B and C, the first words do not math.

24. The Gujarat high court has _____ the district education officer to cancel the registration of Euro School in case the school management does not resume online teaching for a Class VIII student, whose link for online classes was _____ by the school following fee dispute.

1) regretted, snatched

2) withheld, stole

3) permitted, snipped

4) asked, attracted

5) None of these

Ans: 3

The word 'permitted' means 'allowed' and 'snipped' means 'to cut something with scissors, usually with small, quick cuts'. These words are appropriate.

In A, the first word is wrong.

In B and D, the second words do not fit their respective places.

25. The money was _____ utilised for setting up several welfare measures in prisons such as training, brick-making, tag making and flat files making to _____ self-employment.

1) took, cultivate

2) properly, generate

3) actually, proportionate

4) worked, accelerate

5) None of these

Ans: 2

Here, 'properly' is an adverb, which qualifies 'utilised' and 'generate' is a verb. Both fit at their respective places.

In A and D, the first word does not fit.

In C, the second word is inappropriate.

Direction(26-30): In each of the questions, a sentence is divided into five parts namely 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5. In which one of the parts is given in bold and is grammatically and contextually correct. You have to identify which fragment, apart from the bold one, is correct in terms of grammar and usage.

26. Moscow reacted furiously to Czech accusations that two Russian spy, (1)/**who were accused of a nerve agent poisoning** (2)/of former Russian spy Skripal and his daughter on Britain, (3)/were behind an explosion at a Czech ammunition dump (4)/four years earlier, which kills two people (5).

1)1

2)3

3)4

4)5

5) All are correct

Ans:- 1- Since there are ***Ans: 3***

two Russians, 'spy' should be 'spies'.

3- The preposition 'on' is incorrect here. It should be 'in' Britain.

4- Correct.

5- Since the action has already taken place, 'killed' is correct, not 'kills'.

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27. 1- Since there are two Russians, 'spy' should be 'spies'.

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1)1

2)2

3)3

4)5

5) All are correct

Ans: 4

1- While referring to days of a week, 'on' is the correct preposition to be used, not 'in'.

2- Since the action has already taken place, 'barred' is correct, not 'bar'.

2- The preposition 'as' is incorrect and doesn't make much sense here. It should be changed to 'from'.

5- Correct.

*Earlier **on** Sunday, Hong Kong has **barred** Vistara **from** operating flights from Mumbai till May 2 after its April 18 flight saw three incoming passengers testing positive.*

28. Despite the steady increased in active caseload (1)/for over month now, farmers and farm outputs (2)/has no plans to vacate the protest sites (3)/and are determined to continue (4)/**on the path of confrontation** (5).

1)1

2)2

3)3

4)4

5) All are correct

Ans: 4

1- The word 'increased' should be changed to 'increase'.

2- Here, either 'for over a month' or 'for over months' should be used.

3- Here, 'has' is wrong. Since farmers and farm outputs are 2 different things, 'have' is correct.

4- Correct.

*Despite the steady **increase** in active caseload for over **a** month now, farmers and farm outputs **have** no plans to vacate the protest sites and are determined to continue on the path of confrontation.*

29. With politicians from ruling parties made allegations of foul play (1)/and said there was a bar on procurement of the scarce drug by anyone (2)/the other than the government, the Minister said the pharmaceutical company (3)/had obtained all permissions and were providing (4)/**the injections to the state and no one else** (5).

1)1

2)2

3)3

4)4

5) All are correct

Ans: 2

1- The preposition 'With' does not make any sense here. It should be changed to 'While'.

2- Correct.

3- Here, the first 'the' is unnecessary. It should be removed.

4- Since the pharmaceutical company is singular, 'was' is correct, not 'were'.

***While** politicians from ruling parties made allegations of foul play and said there was a bar on procurement of the scarce drug by anyone **other** than the government, the Minister said the pharmaceutical company had obtained all permissions and **was** providing the injections to the state and no one else.*

30. A tanker carry 30 tonnes of oxygen from Gujarat arrived (1)/with Covid-battered Indore on Saturday night, (2)/only as politicians to make a media spectacle out of it (3)/**and hold up the vehicle for photo ops** (4)/at two places even as the city was counting its breaths (5).

1) 1

2) 2

3) 3

4) 5

5) All are correct

Ans: 4

1- Here, the word 'carry' should be changed to 'carrying'.

2- Here, the preposition 'with' is wrong. The correct preposition is 'in'.

3- Here, 'as' is incorrect and 'for' should be used.

5- Correct

*A tanker **carrying** 30 tonnes of oxygen from Gujarat arrived **in** Covid-battered Indore on Saturday night, only **for** politicians to make a media spectacle out of it and hold up the vehicle for photo ops at two places even as the city was counting its breaths.*

Direction(31-35): In each question below, a sentence is given with a part of it printed in bold type. That part may contain a grammatical error. Each sentence is followed by phrases A, B, C and D. Find out which phrase should replace the phrase given in bold to correct the error, if there is any, and to make the sentence grammatically meaningful and correct. If the sentence is correct as it is and 'No correction is required', mark E as the answer.

31. Starting this year, the exam **will be conducted four times annually to give flexible** to students and a chance to improve their score.

1) will be conducted four times annually to giving flexible

2) will be conducted four times annually to be given flexible

3) will be conducted four times annually to give flexibility

4) will be conducted four times annual to give flexible

5) No correction is required

Ans: 3

The word 'flexible' is an adjective. This is not correct here. 'flexibility', which is a noun is correct here.

*Starting this year, the exam **will be conducted four times annually to give flexibility** to students and a chance to improve their score.*

32. The commission recommended that the state compensates for the social stigma, the mental, emotional and physical harassment, and for **the expense incurred along the innocent victims** of miscarriage of justice.

1) the expense incurred by the innocent victims

2) the expense incur along the innocent victims

3) the expense incurred along with the innocent victims

4) the expense incurred about the innocent victims

5) No correction is required

Ans: 1

Here, the correct preposition is 'by' and not 'along'. The phrase 'along with' is also incorrect because it is said that the state should compensate for the many difficulties incurred by the victims.

*The commission recommended that the state compensates for the social stigma, the mental, emotional and physical harassment, and for the expense incurred **by** the innocent victims of miscarriage of justice.*

33. **The better performance is the result of rising demand** for digital transformation, a trend that is positively impacting most major IT services companies.

1) The better the performance is the result of rising demand

2) The better performance are the result of rising demand

3) The better performance is the result of raise demand

4) The better the performances are the result of rising demand

5) No correction is required

Ans: 5

The given sentence is correct. The phrase is correct here.

The better performance is the result of rising demand for digital transformation, a trend that is positively impacting most major IT services companies.

34 Budget private schools that were fancied over decrepit government schools **have sudden taken a severe beating, with many teachers** losing jobs and students drop out.

1) has sudden taken a severe beating, with many teachers

2) have suddenly taken a severe beating, with many teachers

3) have sudden taken a severe beating, with much teachers

4) have sudden taken severe beatings, with many teacher

5) No correction is required

Ans: 2

The word 'sudden' is an adjective. Here, an adverb 'suddenly' is appropriate.

*Budget private schools that were fancied over decrepit government schools **have suddenly taken a severe beating, with many teachers** losing jobs and students drop out.*

35. **To ensure that the trained workforce doesn't deviated from the standard** while doing it, there will be two international experts at the welding facility throughout the fabrication process at the workshop.

1) To ensuring that the trained workforce doesn't deviated from the standard

2) To ensure that the trained workforce do not deviated from the standard

3) To ensured that the trained workforce doesn't deviated from the standard

4) To ensure that the trained workforce doesn't deviate from the standard

5) No correction is required

Ans: 4

The usage 'doesn't deviated' is wrong. Instead, 'doesn't deviate' is correct.

To ensure that the trained workforce doesn't deviate from the standard *while doing it, there will be two international experts at the welding facility throughout the fabrication process at the workshop.*

Direction(36-38): In each of the following questions a sentence is given with four of its words printed in bold. One of the four bold words may be misspelt or inappropriate. You have to identify that word and choose the appropriate option as your answer. If all words given in the bold are correctly spelt and also appropriate in the context of the sentence, then 'All Correct' is your answer.

36. As the Union government is yet to take a policy **decision** on **universal** vaccination, only **priority** sections are getting **assess** to vaccination now. As the Union government is yet to take a policy **decision** on **universal** vaccination, only **priority** sections are getting **assess** to vaccination now.

1) decision

2) universal

3) priority

4) assess

5) All correct

Ans: 4

Here, the word 'assess' is wrong. The correct spelling of the word that should be used here is 'access', which means 'to be able to get to or get inside a place'.

*As the Union government is yet to take a policy decision on universal vaccination, only priority sections are getting **access** to vaccination now.*

37. Without the presence of the American firepower to **boldster** the Afghan security forces, it is almost self-**evident** that they will not prove to be an effective **counter** to the **tenacious** and ruthless Taliban fighters.

1) boldster

2) evident

3) counter

4) tenacious

5) All correct

Ans: 1

The spelling if A is incorrect. The correct spelling is 'bolster', which means 'to support or improve something or make it stronger'.

38. **Acknowledging** that India among other countries in the region has a significant **steak** in Afghanistan, the Biden administration has **pledged** to ask regional nations to do more to support Kabul even as Washington packs up from the **strife**-torn country by September.

1) Acknowledging

2) steak

3) pledged

4) strife

5) All correct.

Ans: 2

The word 'steak' is not correct. The correct word is 'stake', which means 'a share in something, esp. a financial share in a business, or an emotional investment in something'.

Direction(39-40): The following question consists of two sentences. Read each sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical error in it and mark your answer accordingly from the given options.

39. I. As long as a man has followed the fresh guidance and obeyed divine laws of successive manifestations, he has progressed and his life has fruitful.

II. The winter season of materialism will assure be dispelled by the rising and promised spiritual Sun of a divine spring.

1) If there is an error only in the first sentence;

2) If there is an error only in the second sentence;

3) If there are errors in both sentences;

4) If there is no error in either of the sentences

5) If there are more than two errors in either of the sentences

Ans: 3

Sentence I

Here, the portion towards the end is wrong. The phrase 'life has fruitful' should be replaced with 'life has been fruitful'.

*As long as a man has followed the fresh guidance and obeyed divine laws of successive manifestations, he has progressed and his life has **been** fruitful.*

Sentence II

Here, the word 'assure' is wrong. It is a verb. The correct word here is the adverb 'assuredly'.

*The winter season of materialism will **assuredly** be dispelled by the rising and promised spiritual Sun of a divine spring.*

40. I. Buoyed by its recent success in combating up the corona virus, Israel lifted its outdoor mask mandate on Sunday, while schools fully reopened for the first time since September.

II. The country has been taking rapid steps back to normalcy in the wake of its world-leading vaccination campaign and plummeting infection rates.

1) If there is an error only in the first sentence;

2) If there is an error only in the second sentence;

3) If there are errors in both sentences;

4) If there is no error in either of the sentences

5) If there are more than two errors in either of the sentences

Ans: 1

Sentence I

The preposition 'up' after 'combating' is unnecessary. It should be removed.

*Buoyed by its recent success in **combating the corona virus**, Israel lifted its outdoor mask mandate on Sunday, while schools fully reopened for the first time since September.*

Sentence II is correct.

The country has been taking rapid steps back to normalcy in the wake of its world-leading vaccination campaign and plummeting infection rates.

Quantitative Aptitude

41. The income of A is 145% of the income of B and the income of C is 120% of the income of A. If the total income of A, B and C together is Rs. 62850, what is C's income?

1) Rs 3900

2) Rs 3500

3) Rs 26100

4) Rs 1980

5) Rs 3800

Ans: 3

Solution: Let's take B's income as ₹ 100, then

A : B : C = 145 : 100 : 145 × (120/100)

= 145:100:174

∴ C's share = (174/419) × 62850 = ₹ 26100

42. Ratio of age of Sheetal to age of Komal 3:4 and average age of Komal, Sheetal and Reena is 28. When Himani joins the group average age of these 4 persons is 30 years. Calculate sum of age Himani and Reena, if Reena is 14 years older than Sheetal?

1) 63 years

2) 89 years

3) 56 years

4) 71 years

5) None of these

Ans: 4

Solution: Let ages of Sheetal and Komal be 3a and 4a respectively.

Komal + Sheetal + Reena = 28 × 3

4a + 3a + Reena = 84

Reena = 84 – 7a ------ (i)

Komal + Sheetal + Reena + Himani = 30 × 4

4a + 3a + (84 – 7a) + Himani = 120

Himani = 120 – 84

Himani = 36 years

Reena is 14 years older than Sheetal,

Reena = 14 + 3a

Putting value of (i),

84 – 7a = 14 + 3a

10a = 70

a = 7

Now putting value of 'a' in (i),

Reena = 84 – (7× 7)

Reena = 35 years

Sum of the ages Himani and Reena = (36+35) years = 71 years.

43. Bhaskar spends 8% of an amount of money on grocery. 22% on taxi fare, 10% on consumable items and 32% on entertainment. He deposits the remaining amount of Rs. 4200 in bank. How much total amount does he spend on grocery and taxi fare together?

1) Rs. 3360

2) Rs. 3500

3) Rs. 7800

4) Rs. 4500

5) None of these

Ans: 4

Solution: Let the total amount be ₹ x

Total expenditure = (8 + 22 + 10 + 32)% = 72%

Remaining money = (100 – 72)% of x = 4200

⇒28% of x = 4200

⇒x = 4200 × 100/28= Rs. 15000

Now, total money (grocery + taxi)% = (8 + 22)% of x = 30% of x

= 30% of 15000 = Rs. 4500.

44. A profit of 30% is earned on a certain good when a discount of 22% is allowed on the marked price. What profit percentage will be earned when a discount of 7% is allowed on the marked price?

1) 50%

2) 55%

3) 68%

4) 58%

5) None of these

Ans: 2

Solution: MP of goods = Rs. 100, then SP = 100 – 22 = 78

According to the question,

In first case CP of goods = 78 100/130 = Rs. 60*

In second case SP of goods = 100 – 7 = Rs. 93

*Percentage profit = (93 – 60) * 100/60 = 55%*

45. 25 men or 40 women or 50 children can do a work in 10 days. In how many days 5 men and 8 women and 10 children can do the work together?

1) 16(2/3)

2) 30

3) 60

4) 27

5) None of these

Ans: 1

Solution: Work done by 25 men = 40 women = 50 boys

1 man = 50/25 = 2 boys.

1 woman = 50/40 boys = 1.25 boys

*Again, 5 men + 8 women + 10 boys = 5*2 + 8*1.25 + 10 = 30 boys*

Let 'x' be the number of required days.

*50*10 = 30*x*

=> x = 16 (2/3) days.

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Direction: Find out the wrong number in following number series:

46. 110   279   400   471   530   555

1) 279

2) 471

3) 555

4) 110

5) 530

Ans: 2

Solution: $110 + 13^2 = 279$

$279 + 11^2 = 400$

$400 + 9^2 = 481$

$481 + 7^2 = 530$

$530 + 5^2 = 555$

Direction(47-50): In each of the following giving number series, a wrong number is given. Find out the wrong number?

47. 138, 71, 70, 107, 207, 528.5

1) 138

2) 71

3) 70

4) 107

5) 207

Ans: 3

Solution: 138 x 0.5 + 2 = 71

71 x 1 − 3 = 68

68 x 1.5 + 5 = 107

107 x 2 − 7 = 207

207 x 2.5 + 1 1 = 528.5

48. 105, 111, 217, 655, 2619, 13087

1) 13087

2) 111

3) 217

4) 655

5) 2619

Ans: 5

Solution: 105 × 1 + 6 = 111

111 × 2 - 5 = 217

217 × 3 + 4 = 655

655 × 4 - 3 = 2617

2617 × 5 + 2 = 13087

49. 18, 107, 533, 2129, 6383, 12766

1) 12766

2) 107

3) 533

4) 2129

5) 6383

Ans: 1

Solution: 18 x 6 − 1 = 107

107 x 5 − 2 = 533

533 x 4 − 3 = 2129

2129 x 3 − 4 = 6383

6383 x 2 − 5 = 12761

50. 28, 12, 16, 26, 115, 886

1) 28

2) 12

3) 16

4) 26

5) 115

Ans: 5

Solution: 28 × 0.5 − 2 = 12

12 × 1 + 4 = 16

16 × 2 − 6 = 26

26 × 4 + 8 = 112

112 × 8 − 10 = 886

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Group Direction(51-55): Study the following graph carefully to answer the questions that follow.

Number of people enrolled in three different dance classes in five different dance schools.
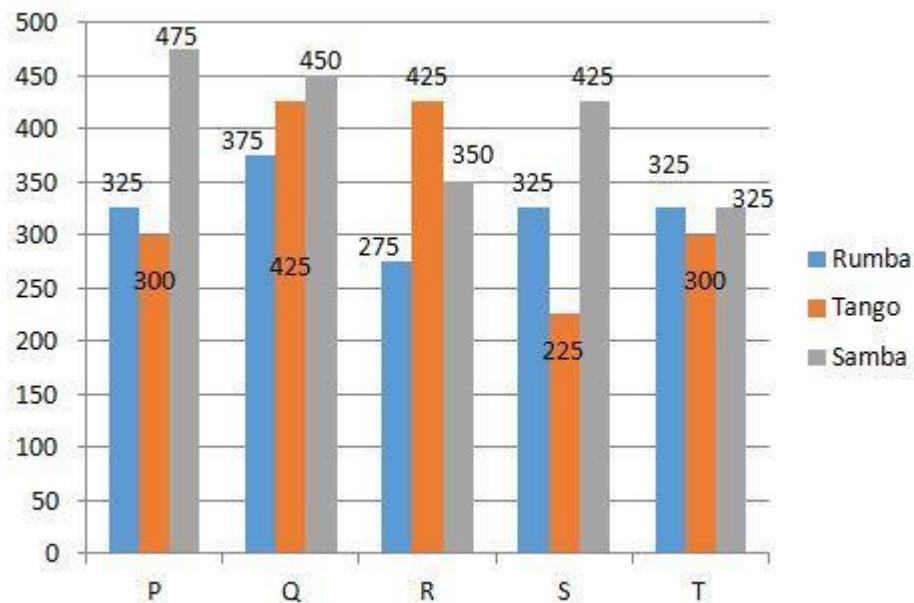
51. What is the total number of people learning Tango in all the dance classes together?

1) 1675

2) 1525

3) 1250

4) 1450

5) None of these

Ans: 1

Solution: Total number of people learning Tango in all the dance classes together = 300 + 425 + 425 + 225 + 300

= 1675

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52. What is the respective ratio of total number of people learning Tango in the classes R and T together to those learning Rumba in the classes P and Q together?

1) 19:18

2) 29 : 23

3) 29 : 28

4) 23 : 18

5) None of these

Ans: 3

Solution: Total number of people learning Tango in the classes R and T together = 425 + 300 = 725

Total number of learning Rumba in the classes P and Q together = 325 + 375 = 700

Required ratio = 725 : 700 = 29 : 28

53. What is the respective ratio of total number of people learning Tango, Rumba and Samba in all the Classes together?

1) 63 : 61 : 71

2) 67 : 65 : 81

3) 68 : 63 : 72

4) 62 : 69 : 80

5) None of these

Ans: 2

Solution: Total number of people learning Tango in all the classes together = 300 + 425 + 425 + 225 + 300 = 1675

Total number of people learning Rumba in all the classes together = 325 + 375 + 275 + 325 + 325 = 1625

Total number of people learning Samba in all the classes together = 475 + 450 + 350 + 425 + 325 = 2025. Required ratio = 1675 : 1625 : 2025 = 67 : 65 : 81

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54. Number of people learning Samba in Classes R forms approximately what per cent of the total number of people learning Samba in all the classes together?

1) 16%

2) 20%

3) 10%

4) 28%

5) None of these

Ans: 1

Solution: Number of people learning Samba in class R = 325

Total number of people learning Samba in all the classes together = 475 + 450 + 350 + 425 + 325 = 2025

Percentage = (325/2025) x 100 = 16.04 % = 16% approx

55. Number of people learning Rumba in class Q forms what per cent of total number of people learning in all the dance classes together in that class? (Round off to two digits after decimal)

1) 20%

2) 10%

3) 15%

4) 30%

5) None of these

Ans: 4- Number of people learning Rumba in class Q = 375

Total number of people learning in all the dance together in that class = 375 + 425 + 450 = 1250

Percentage = (375/1250) x 100 = 30%

Direction: Simplify the following questions:

56. ? = 20% of 25% of (18 x 480) + 35% of 3600

1) 1208

2) 2312

3) 3168

4) 1692

5) 1584

Ans: 4

Solution: ? = 432 + 1260

? = 1692

Direction: What will come in place of question mark (?) in the following question?

57. 52% of 1950 + ?% of 24430 = 5900

1) 25

2) 50

3) 20

4) 35

5) 40

Ans: 3

Solution: 1014 + ?% of 24430 = 5900

?% of 24430 = 5900 – 1014

?% of 24430 = 4886

? = (4886 x 100)/ 24430

? = 20

Group Direction(58-60): Simplify the following questions:

58. $[(\sqrt{3249} + \sqrt{784}) - (25 + 5)] \div 5 = ?^{1/2}$

1) 100

2) 49

3) 81

4) 36

5) 121

Ans: 5

59. $396 \div 18 \times 30 - 542 + 142 = ?$

1) 128

2) 98

3) 238

4) 368

5) 260

Ans: 5

Solution: 396 ÷ 18 x 30 – 542 + 142 = ?

= 22 x 30 – 542 + 142

= 660 - 542 + 142

= 260

60. $?^2 + \sqrt{100}$ x 100 + $\sqrt{144}$ x 5 = 1460

1) 30

2) 35

3) 34

4) 10

5) 20

Ans: 5

Solution: $?^2$ + 1000 + 60 = 1460

$?^2$ = 400

? = 20

61. Shekhar bought an article at 40% discount on MRP, and claims to sell it at profit of 20% of MRP. When Sunil offered him Rs. 2000 banknote, he cheated again by giving him Rs. 1200 instead of Rs. 680. Find the overall profit% of Shekhar?

1) 20%

2) 32.5%

3) 21.2%

4) 11.9%

5) None of these

Ans: 3

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Solution: Sunil gave Rs. 2000 note, & Shekhar have to actually pay him Rs.680.

Hence Shekhar sold it at Rs. 2000 – 680 = 1320 to Nikhil.

Now, Let MRP is 100x.

If he will get 20% profit, then SP will becomes 120x.

120x = 1320

x = 11

∴ MRP is Rs. 1100

And CP for Shekhar = 60/100 × 1100 = Rs. 660.

He got Rs. (2000 – 1200) = Rs. 800 from Sunil.

Hence Profit % = (800 - 660)/660 x 100 = (140/660) x 100 = 21.2%

62. In a team, there are 15 players whose average age is decreased by 4 months when one player aged 22 years is replaced by a new player. The age of the new player is:

1) 17 years

2) 18 years

3) 22 years

4) 24 years

5) None of these

Ans: 1

Solution: Total decreased age = (15 X 4/12) years = 5 years

Therefore, age of the new boy = 22 - 5 = 17 years.

63. Find the difference between the simple interest and the compound interest at 12% per annum for 2 years on principal of Rs. 25000.

1) ₹ 270

2) ₹ 360

3) ₹ 225

4) ₹ 310

5) None of these

Ans: 2

Solution: The difference between compound interest and simple interest for 2 years = $P(r/100)^2$

Here, Principal (P) = Rs. 25000

Rate (r) = 12%

Now difference, D = (25000×12×12)/(100×100)

D = Rs. 360

64. At present Sonali is twice Anita's age. 12 years hence the respective ratio between Sonali and Anita's age will be 7:5. What is Sonali's age after 5 years?

1) 27 years

2) 21 years

3) 29 years

4) 24 years

5) None of these

Ans: 2

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Solution: Let Anita's present age be 'x' and Sonali's present age be '2x'.

(2x+12)/(x+12)= 7/5

=>10x+60 = 7x+84

=>x = 8

Sonali's age after 5 years = 2*8 + 5 = 21 years

65. Train P running at the speed of 216 km/hr crosses a man, who is running in the opposite direction at the speed of 24 km/hr in 14.4 sec. If speed of train P increased by 25% and it takes 96 seconds to cross another train Q, which is running at the speed of 180 km/hr in same direction. Find the length of train Q?

1) 1150 meters

2) 1440 meters

3) 1230 meters

4) 1500 meters

5) None of these

Ans: 2

Solution: Let length of train P be L meters.

(216 + 24) × 5/18 = L/14.4

L = 960 meters

New speed of train P = 216 × 125/100 = 270 km/hr

Let length of train Q be S meters,

(270 – 180) × 5/18 = (960 + S)/96

S = 1440 meters

Group Direction(66-70): Simplify the following questions:

66. 362 x 2100 ÷ 25% of 600 = 28 x 250 ÷ 4 + ? + 2400

1) 3984

2) 270

3) 1710

4) 2950

5) 946

Ans: 5

Solution: 5096 = 1750 + x + 2400

x = 5096 - 4150

x = 946

67. 112 × 28 ÷ 16 + ? % of 400 = 531 + 13

1) 126

2) 58.6

3) 16

4) 58.5

5) 41.5

Ans: 1

Solution: 196 + 4x = 531 + 169

4x = 504

x = 126

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68. $\sqrt[3]{2197} \times \sqrt[4]{4096} \times \sqrt{2304} \div 6 = ?$

1) 1120

2) 832

3) 420

4) 946

5) 1575

Ans: 2- ? = (13 x 8 x 48)/6

? = 832

69. $30^2 \div 6 \times 14 + 66^2 = 4 \times ? - 15\%$ of 4000

1) 918

2) 1177

3) 1764

4) 1089

5) 1370

Ans: 3- 2100 + 4356 = 4x - 600

2100 + 4356+ 600 = 4x

x = 1764

70. $\sqrt{12544} + \sqrt[3]{185193} + 54\%$ of 800 = 204 + ?

1) 130

2) 397

3) 195

4) 256

5) 260

Ans: 2- 112 + 57 + 432 - 397 = x

x = 397

Reasoning Aptitude

Direction(Q.71-75): Study the following information carefully and answer the question below:

There are seven persons, namely P, Q, R, S, T, V and W. All of them go to park in a week starting from Monday to Sunday but not necessarily in the same order.

Only one person goes to park on each day. Only one person goes to park between P and W. Three persons go to park between V and P. Two persons go to park between W and Q. Only one person goes to park between Q and T. S does not go to park immediately before or immediately after the days on which W goes to park. R goes to park immediately before the days on which S goes to park. V goes to park one of the days before on which P goes to park.

Solution:

Explanation:

We are given with the following information,

Three persons go to park between V and P. V goes to park one of the days before on which P goes to park. Only one person goes to park between P and W .Two persons go to park between W and Q.

Case 1 - If V goes to park on Monday then P goes to park on Friday.

Days	Persons
Monday	V
Tuesday	
Wednesday	
Thursday	Q
Friday	P
Saturday	
Sunday	W

Case 1.a,

Days	Persons
Monday	V
Tuesday	
Wednesday	W
Thursday	
Friday	P
Saturday	Q
Sunday	

Case 2 - If V goes to park on Tuesday then P goes to park on Saturday.

Days	Persons
Monday	Q
Tuesday	V
Wednesday	
Thursday	W
Friday	
Saturday	P
Sunday	

Case 2.a -

Days	Persons
Monday	
Tuesday	V
Wednesday	
Thursday	W
Friday	
Saturday	P
Sunday	Q

Case 3 - If V goes to park on Wednesday then P goes to park on Sunday.

Days	Persons
Monday	
Tuesday	Q
Wednesday	V
Thursday	
Friday	W
Saturday	
Sunday	P

Only one person goes to park between Q and T. S does not go to park immediately before or immediately after the days on which W goes to park. S goes to park immediately before the days on which R goes to park.

According to the given information, S cannot go to park immediately before or after W and R goes to park just before S. So this is not possible in case 1, case 1.a, case 2, case 2.a and case 3.

So 1 case is following this statement in case 1.b.

Case 1 -

Days	Persons
Monday	V
Tuesday	T
Wednesday	
Thursday	Q
Friday	P
Saturday	
Sunday	W

Case 1.a,

Days	Persons
Monday	V
Tuesday	
Wednesday	W
Thursday	T
Friday	P
Saturday	Q
Sunday	

For this one more subcase will be formed for case 1-

Case 1.b -

Days	Persons
Monday	V
Tuesday	
Wednesday	
Thursday	Q
Friday	P
Saturday	T
Sunday	W

Case 2 - If V goes to park on Tuesday then P goes to park on Saturday.

Days	Persons
Monday	Q
Tuesday	V
Wednesday	T
Thursday	W
Friday	
Saturday	P
Sunday	

Case 2.a -

Days	Persons
Monday	
Tuesday	V
Wednesday	
Thursday	W
Friday	T
Saturday	P
Sunday	Q

Case 3 - If V goes to park on Wednesday then P goes to park on Sunday.

Days	Persons
Monday	
Tuesday	Q
Wednesday	V
Thursday	T
Friday	W
Saturday	
Sunday	P

Thus the final arrangement is as:-

Case 1.b -

Days	Persons
Monday	V
Tuesday	R
Wednesday	S
Thursday	Q
Friday	P
Saturday	T
Sunday	W

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71. On which of the following day does Q go to park?

1) Tuesday

2) Sunday

3) Thursday

4) Wednesday

5) None of these

Ans: 3

72. If R is related to P, S is related to T, in the same way to whom V is related to?

1) P

2) T

3) Q

4) W

5) None of these

Ans: 4

73. How many days are between the one who goes to the park on Saturday and S?

1) Three

2) Two

3) Four

4) One

5) None of these

Ans: 1

74. T goes to the park on which of the following day?

1) Sunday

2) Monday

3) Saturday

4) Thursday

5) None of these

Ans: 3

75. Find the incorrect one?

1) V – Monday

2) Q - Thursday

3) T - Saturday

4) W - Friday

5) All are correct

Ans: 4

Direction(Q.77-78): In each of the questions, relationships between some elements are shown in the statements these statements are followed by conclusions numbered I and II. Read the statements and give the answer.

76. **Statements:** A ≥ B ≥ C = D > E ≤ F < G

Conclusions:

I. A < D

II. G > E

1) If only conclusion I follow

2) If only conclusion II follow

3) If either conclusion I or II follows

4) If neither conclusion I nor II follows

5) If both conclusion I and II follows

Ans: 2

As given, A ≥ B ≥ C = D > E ≤ F < G

I. A < D = It doesn't follows

II. G > E = It follows

77. **Statements:** P ≤ R < T = U, Q ≥ T ≤ S ≥ U

Conclusions:

I. Q > U

II. S ≥ P

1) If only conclusion I follow

2) If only conclusion II follow

3) If either conclusion I or II follows

4) If neither conclusion I nor II follows

5) If both conclusion I and II follows

Ans: 4

As given, P ≤ R < T = U, Q ≥ T ≤ S ≥ U

I. Q > U = we will check in this, Q ≥ T ≤ S ≥ U, It doesn't follows

II. S ≥ P = we will check in this, S ≥ U = T > R ≥ P, It doesn't follows

78. **Statements:** L > M = O ≥ P, N ≤ M ≥ S ≥ T

Conclusions:

I. T ≤ P

II. N < L

1) If only conclusion I follow

2) If only conclusion II follow

3) If either conclusion I or II follows

4) If neither conclusion I nor II follows

5) If both conclusion I and II follows

Ans: 2

As given, L > M = O ≥ P, N ≤ M ≥ S ≥ T

I. T ≤ P   = we will check in this, P ≤ O = M ≥ S ≥ T, It doesn't follows

II. N < L = we will check in this, N ≤ M < L, It follows.

Direction(Q.79-83): In each of the questions below are given some statements followed by some conclusions numbered I, II, III and IV. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be ta variance from 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.

79. **Statements:** Some tumblers are plates

Some bottles are tumblers

All plates are spoons

Conclusions:

I. Some spoons are tumblers

II. Some spoons are plates

III. Some bottles are plates

IV. No bottle is a plate

1) Only I and II follows

2) Only III and IV follows

3) All follows

4) Only I, II and either III or IV follows

5) None of these

Ans: 4
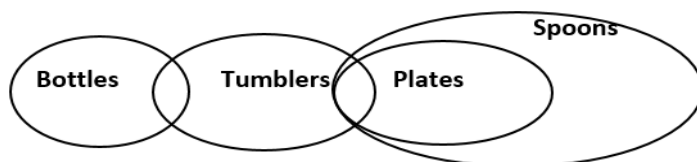
80. **Statements:** All musicians are directors

All dancers are musicians

No dancers is a composer

Conclusions:

I. Some composer are musicians

II. No composer is dancer

III. No composer is a director
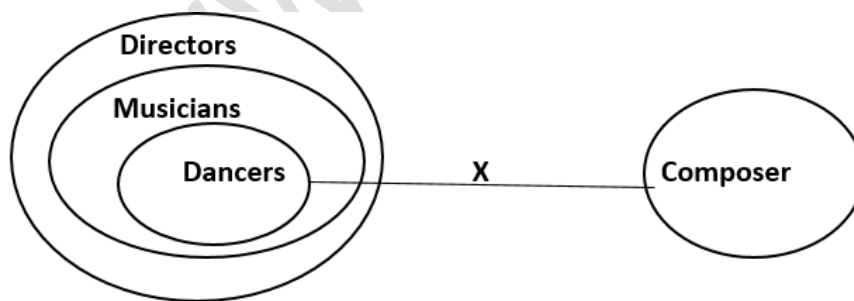
IV. No composer is a musician

1) Only I and III follows

2) Only II follows

3) Either I or III follows

4) Both II and III follows

5) Either I or IV and II follows

Ans: 5

81. **Statements:** All stones are gems

No gem is a plane

Some stones are rings

Conclusions:

I. No plane is a stone

II. Some rings are gems

III. Some planes are not rings

IV. Some rings are not planes

1) Only I follows

2) Only II and IV follows

3) None follows

4) Only I, II and IV follows

5) All follows

Ans: 4
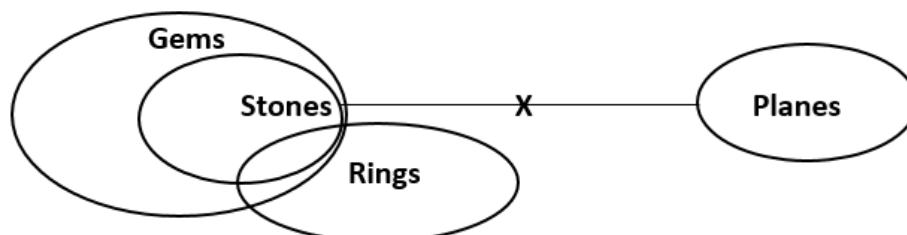
82. **Statements:** No mat is a fan

Some fans are cars

All cars are shirts

Conclusions:

I. All mats are cars

II. All shirts are cars

III. Some shirts are fans
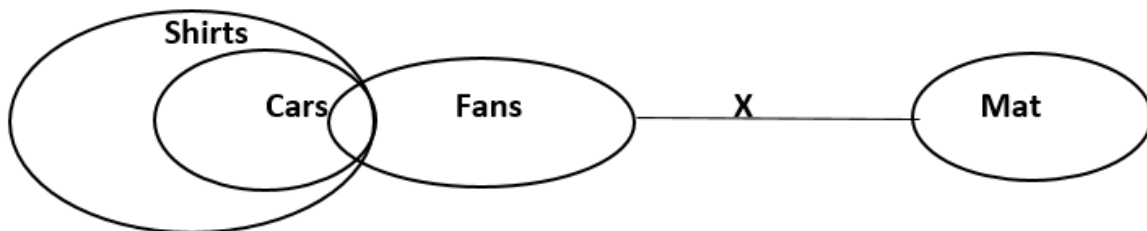
IV. No shirt is a mat

1) Only I and IV follows

2) Only II and III follows

3) Only III follows

4) None follows

5) All follows

Ans: 3

83. **Statements:** All red are green

Some green are brown

All brown are blue

Conclusion:

I. Some blue are red

II. Some blue are green

III. Some brown are red

IV. Some brown are blue
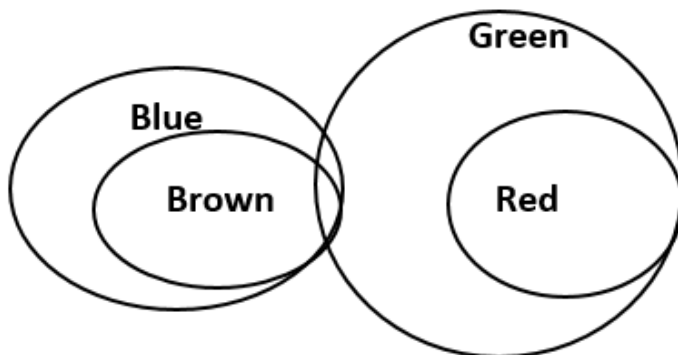
1) If only conclusion I follows

2) If only conclusion I and III follows

3) If only conclusion II and IV follows

4) All I, II and III follows

5) None of these

Ans: 3

Direction(Q.84-86): Study the information given below carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Mona, Sona, Ritesh, Somesh, Vinay, Rahat and Shobhit are seven friends standing at different places. Ritesh is 5m to the east of Mona and 4m to the North of Sona. Somesh is 13m to the east of Mona. Shobhit is 8m to the west of Sona. Vinay is 5m to the south east of Sona and 4m east of Rahat. If Vinay goes 7 m north he will be exactly in the middle of Ritesh and Somesh .

Solution:
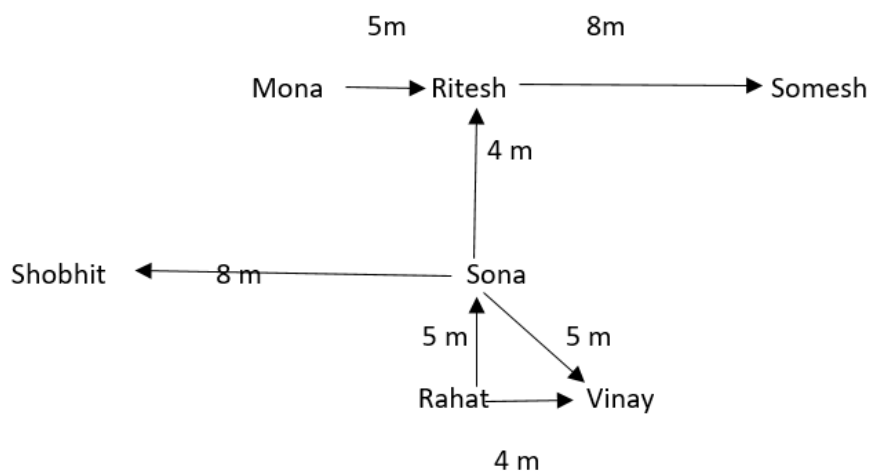
84. Shobhit is in which direction and how many meters with respect to Mona?

1) South

2) 5m south east

3) 5m south west

4) North

5) None of these

Ans: 3

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85. What is direction of Mona with respect to Vinay?

1) North west

2) North east

3) South east

4) South west

5) None of these

Ans: 1

86. What is the total distance between point Ritesh and point Rahat?

1) 8 m

2) 7 m

3) 9 m

4) Cannot be determined

5) None of these

Ans: 3

Direction(Q.87-91): Study the following information carefully and answer the given questions.

In a certain code language,

'College time are very awesome' means 'dt sa re to oh'

'school time are very busy' means 'ma sa re to lu'

'college and school' means 'dt dn ma'

'school time are awesome' means 'ma sa re oh'

'college life are busy' means 'dt gt re lu'

Solution:

Awesome	oh
And	dn
College	dt
Life	gt
Very	to
Busy	lu
School	ma
Are	re
Time	sa

87. Which of the following means 'awesome' in that code language?

1) tu

2) ho

3) lu

4) Cannot be determined

5) None of these

Ans: 2

88. Code 'dn' is for which word in the given language?

1) and

2) awesome

3) busy

4) are

5) None of these

Ans: 1

89. What would be the code for 'College and school are busy and awesome'?

1) dt dn ma sa lu dn oh

2) dt dn to lu re dn oh

3) dt ma lu dn oh dn re

4) Either a or b

5) None of these

Ans: 3

90. In a certain language 'College life are busy and school time are beautiful' is coded as 'dt gt lu re pn ma dn re sa' what would be the code for 'beautiful'?

1) fr

2) pn

3) pa

4) Either fr or pn

5) None of these

Ans: 2

91. Code 'dt re gt lu to' is for which of the following sentence in given language?

1) College life are school awesome

2) school life are very busy

3) busy school life college are

4) College life are very busy
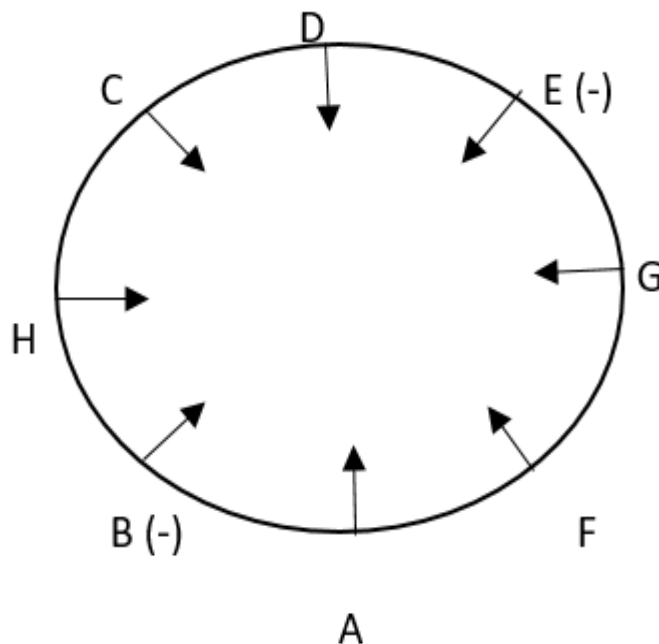
5) None of these

Ans: 4

Direction(Q.92-96): Study the information given below carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Eight friends A, B, C, D, E, F, G and H are sitting around a circular table facing the centre, nut not in the same order. There are only two females in the group of eight members.

C sits third to the left of A and second to the right of E, who is not a male member. B is second to the right of C. D is second to the right of G, who is second to the right of A. There are three male members sitting between two female members. F is not an immediate neighbour of C.

Solution:

C sits third to the left of A and second to the right of E, who is not a male member. B is second to the right of C. D is second to the right of G, who is second to the right of A. F is not an immediate neighbour of C. F sits on the immediate right of A. There are three male members sitting between two female members. E is a female and B is a female. H is an immediate neighbour of both B and C.

92. Who is sitting on the immediate left of C?

1) E

2) H

3) D

4) A

5) B

Ans: 3

93. Which of the following pairs are immediate neighbours of F?

1) B and C

2) A and G

3) D and C

4) H and C

5) None of these

Ans: 2

94. Who is sitting opposite to H?

1) B

2) G

3) A

4) E

5) None of these

Ans: 2

95. What is the position of E with respect to D?

1) Immediate left

2) Second to left

3) Third to right

4) Immediate right

5) None of these

Ans: 1

96. If F is related to A, E is related to G then to whom H is related to?

1) B

2) C

3) D

4) Cannot be determined

5) None of these

Ans: 2

Direction(Q.97-100): Study the information given below carefully and answer the questions that follow.

There are nine persons K, L, M, N, O , P, Q, R, and S live on a different floor each on a nine storey apartment but not in the same order. The ground floor is numbered 1 and topmost floor is numbered nine. S lives on an odd numbered floor above the floor numbered 5. There are two persons living between S and N. M lives on an odd number floor but not immediate below or immediate above the floor of N.

L lives on ground floor. There is one person living between the floor of S and the floor on which O lives.   P lives below N. the number of persons living between N and P is equal to the number of persons live between N and Q. R does not live on an even numbered floor. K lives on even numbered floor but above on the 2nd floor.

Solution:

As we are given with the information,

S lives on an odd numbered floor above the floor numbered 5. There are two persons living between S and N. There is one person living between the floor of S and the floor on which O lives. One subcase will be formed for case 1. M lives on an odd number floor but not immediate below or immediate above the floor of N. L lives on ground floor. So in case 1, no of odd floor on which M lives is only one that is floor 1st, but L lives on ground floor, so the case will be void.

Case 1-

Floor	Persons
9	O
8	
7	S
6	
5	
4	N
3	
2	
1	M

Case 1.a -

Floor	Persons
9	M
8	
7	S
6	
5	O
4	N
3	
2	
1	L

Case 2-

Floor	Persons
9	S
8	
7	O
6	N
5	
4	
3	M
2	
1	L

P lives below N. The number of persons living between N and P is equal to the number of persons live between N and Q. R does not live on an even numbered floor. K lives on even numbered floor but above on the 2ⁿᵈ floor.

The case 2 will be wrong here.

Case 2-

Floor	Persons
9	S
8	Q
7	O
6	N
5	R
4	P
3	M
2	K
1	L

Floor	Persons
9	M
8	K
7	S
6	Q
5	O
4	N
3	R
2	P
1	L

97. How many floors are there in between the floor on which R lives and on which M lives?

1) Five

2) Four

3) Three

4) Two

5) None

Ans: 1

98. Q, lives on which floor?

1) 7th

2) 5th

3) 6th

4) 4th

5) None of these

Ans: 3

99. If M is related to L, K is related to P, in the same way to whom is Q related to?

1) S

2) O

3) N

4) R

5) None of these

Ans: 3

100. How many floors are there above the floor on which N lives?

1) Three

2) None

3) Four

4) Five

5) None of these

Ans: 4