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## Answers & Solutions

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## NTSE (Stage-I) 2018-19

### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Use blue/black ball point pen only. There is no negative marking.
2. All the questions are compulsory. This test booklet contains 200 questions (Paper-I : 100 & Paper-II : 100) of one mark each.
3. Paper-I : MAT : 1 - 100 questions  
Paper-II : SAT : 1 - 100 questions
4. Answer each question by darkening the one correct alternative among the four choices on the OMR Sheet with blue/black ball point pen.
5. Students are not allowed to scratch/alter/change out an answer once marked on OMR Sheet, by using white fluid/eraser/blade/tearing/wearing or in any other form.
6. Separate sheet has been provided for rough work in this test booklet.
7. Please handover the OMR sheet to the invigilator before leaving the Examination Hall.
8. Darken completely the ovals of your answers on OMR Sheet in the time limit allotted for that particular paper.
9. Your OMR Sheet will be evaluated through electronic scanning process. Incomplete and incorrect entries may render your OMR sheet invalid.
10. Use of electronic gadgets, calculator, mobile etc., is strictly prohibited.

**PAPER-I : MENTAL ABILITY TEST (MAT)**

**Directions (Q.1 to Q.9) :** Complete the given number / letter / figure analogy by choosing the correct answer from the given alternatives

1. 496 : 204 :: 329 : ?

- (1) 90 (2) 110  
(3) 115 (4) 135

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

2.  $\frac{7}{11} : \frac{336}{110} :: ? : \frac{720}{156}$

- (1)  $\frac{9}{17}$  (2)  $\frac{9}{13}$   
(3)  $\frac{11}{13}$  (4)  $\frac{11}{17}$

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

3. 11 18 32 60 : 17 30 56 108 :: 13 24 46 90 : ?

- (1) 17 36 68 138 (2) 19 30 52 124  
(3) 19 36 70 136 (4) 19 36 70 138

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

4. FLOWERY : 21 O 12 D 22 I 2 :: BUNCHES :

- (1) 25 F 13 X 19 V 8 (2) 2 F 14 X 8 V 19  
(3) 25 H 13 P 19 R 8 (4) 2 H 14 P 8 R 19

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

5. A W S X C : R N J O T :: ? : U Q M R W

- (1) F A V Z D (2) D Z V A F  
(3) I N R M H (4) D I N J F

**Answer (2)**

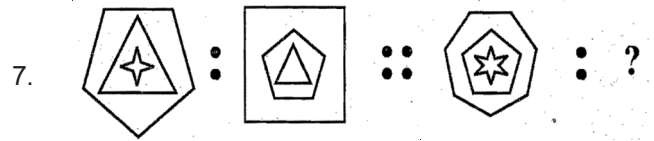
**Sol.** Conceptual

6. E H K A M : Y M W T Q :: P W O R Z : ?

- (1) D K C F A (2) B I A D L  
(3) A F C K D (4) L D A I B

**Answer (4)**

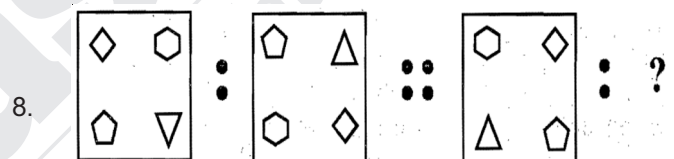
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**Answer (1)**

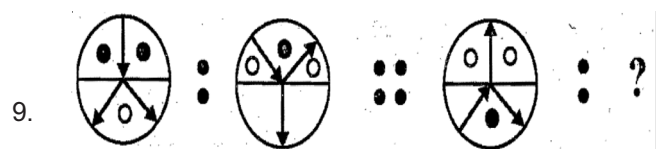
**Sol.** Conceptual



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**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

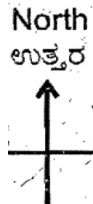
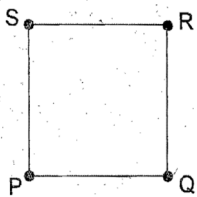


- (1)
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

10. P, Q, R AND S are four persons standing at the corners of a square park of area  $100 \text{ m} \times 100 \text{ m}$ . They move anticlockwise along the edge of the park by 100m, 150m, 200m and 250m respectively. Now in which direction is Q with respect to S?



- (1) Southeast                      (2) Southwest  
(3) Northeast                      (4) Northwest

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

11. A person starts from point A and walks 800m in the northeast direction to reach B. Then he turns towards east and walks 350m and reaches C. He then moves in the southwest direction by 650m to reach D. He again moves by 250m eastward and reaches E. He now walks 150m in the southwest direction and finally arrives at F. Find the distance between A and F.

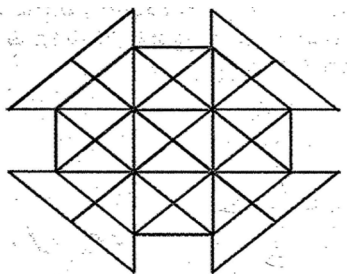
- (1) 400m                              (2) 500m  
(3) 600m                              (4) 800m

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.12 to Q.16) :** Identify the number of specified geometric shapes in the given diagrams and make the correct answers.

12. How many SQUARES are there in the given figure?

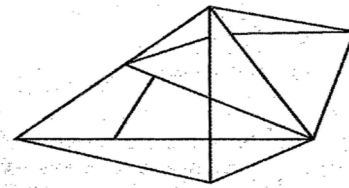


- (1) 23                                      (2) 22  
(3) 21                                      (4) 20

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

13. How many TRIANGLES are there in the given figure?

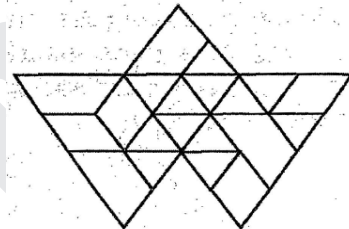


- (1) 23                                      (2) 22  
(3) 21                                      (4) 20

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

14. How many RHOMBUS are there in the given figure?

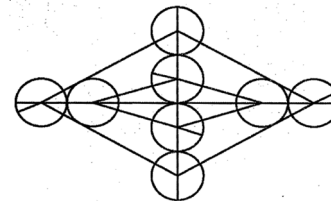


- (1) 16                                      (2) 17  
(3) 18                                      (4) 19

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

15. How many SEMICIRCLES are there in the given figure?

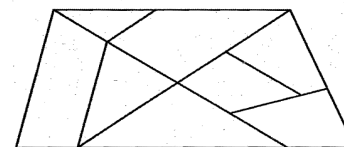


- (1) 28                                      (2) 26  
(3) 24                                      (4) 22

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

16. How many TRAPEZIUMS are there in the given figure?

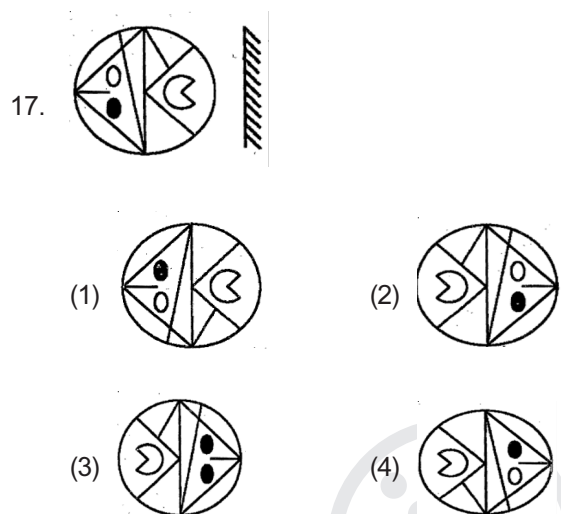


- (1) 6    (2) 7  
(3) 8    (4) 9

**Answer (1)**

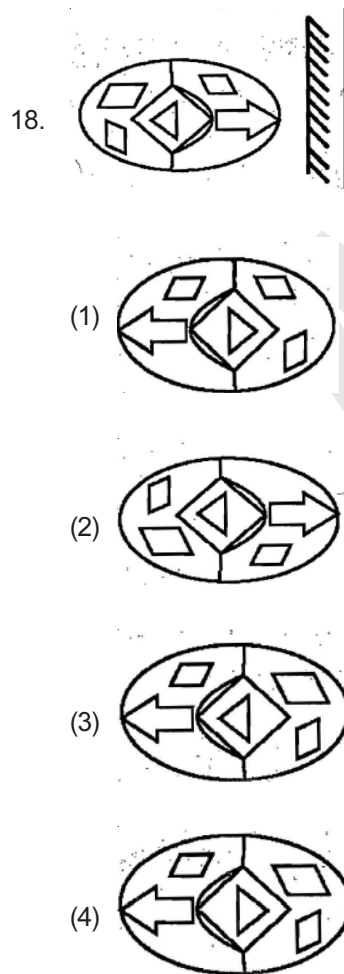
**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.17 & Q.18) :** Find the correct mirror images for the following problem figures choosing from the alternatives



**Answer (2)**

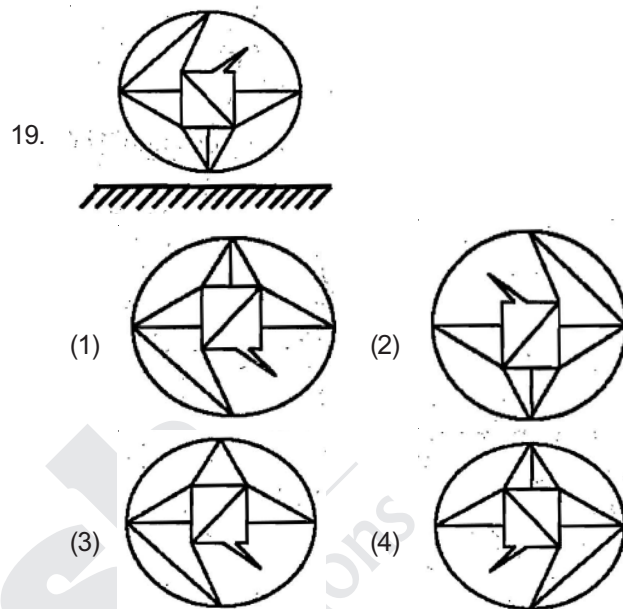
**Sol.** Conceptual



**Answer (4)**

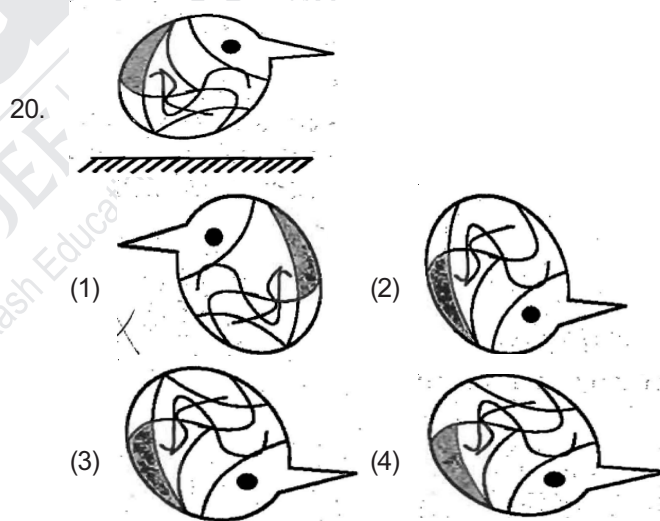
**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.19 & Q.20) :** Find the correct WATER images for the following problem figures choosing from the alternatives.



**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual



**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

21. At present a boy's father is 6 times older and his grandfather 13 times older than the boy. If six years later, the grandfather will be seven times older than the boy, what is the present age of the boy's father?

- (1) 36 years                      (2) 42 years  
(3) 30 years                      (4) 48 years

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Let present age of Boy = x, Father = 6x & Grandfather = 13x

According to Q

$$13x + 6 = 7 \times (x + 6)$$

$$\therefore \text{Fathers age} = 6 \times 6 = 36 \text{ years}$$

22. The present ages of son and his father are in the ratio 5:21. Four years earlier their ages were in the ratio 3:19. What is the present age of the son?

- (1) 4 years                      (2) 6 years  
(3) 8 years                      (4) 10 years

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Let the present age of son & father be  $5x$  &  $21x$   
4 years earlier their ages will be  $(5x-4)$  &  $(21x-4)$  years

$$\frac{5x-4}{21x-4} = \frac{3}{19} \Rightarrow x = 2$$

Present age of son =  $5 \times 2 = 10$

**Directions (Q.23 to Q.32) :** Complete the following number / letter / figural series by choosing the correct answer from the given alternatives

23. ? , 22, 31, 58, 139, 382

- (1) 17                              (2) 18  
(3) 19                              (4) 20

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.**  $16+3, 22+3^2, 31+3^3, 58+3^4$   
19              31              58              139

24. 12, 9, 27, 23, 92, 87, ?, ?

- (1) 355, 158                      (2) 385, 379  
(3) 425, 419                      (4) 435, 429

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

25. 47, 7, 69, 28, ?, ?, 125, 1344, 159, 13440

- (1) 94, 158                      (2) 95, 168  
(3) 95, 178                      (4) 96, 268

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Alternate Series

$$\begin{aligned} 7 \times 4 &= 28 & 47 + 22 &= 69 \\ 28 \times 6 &= 168 & 63 + 26 &= 95 \\ 168 \times 8 &= 1344 & 95 + 30 &= 125 \\ 1344 \times 10 &= 13440 & 125 + 34 &= 159 \end{aligned}$$

26.  $\frac{5}{11}, \frac{25}{30}, \frac{105}{87}, ?, \frac{1705}{771}$

- (1)  $\frac{425}{258}$                       (2)  $\frac{525}{261}$   
(3)  $\frac{625}{389}$                       (4)  $\frac{1125}{760}$

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.**  $11 \times 3 - 3 = 30$   
 $30 \times 3 - 3 = 87$   
 $87 \times 3 - 3 = 258$   
 $258 \times 3 - 3 = 771$

27. m \_ m \_ n \_ m \_ \_ n n \_

- (1) m m n n m n  
(2) m n n m n m  
(3) n m m m n m  
(4) n m n m m n

**Answer (2)**

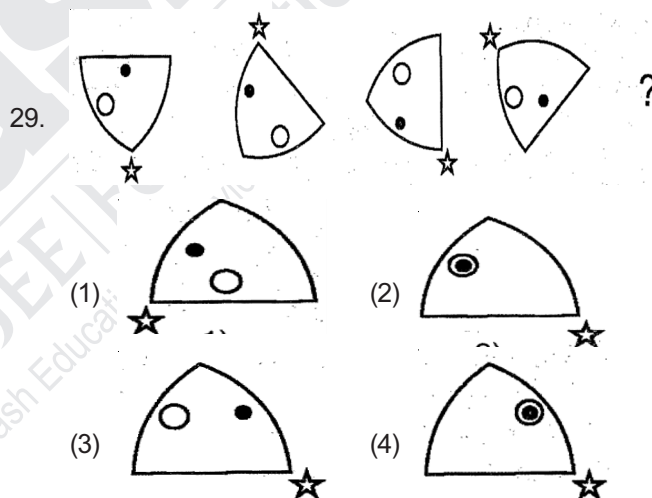
**Sol.** Conceptual

28. W M C S, I Y O E, \_ \_ \_ \_ , G W M C

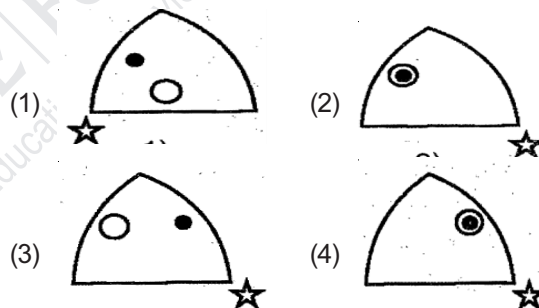
- (1) U Y O E  
(2) Q A K U  
(3) U K A Q  
(4) P B J T

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Position of letter - 10

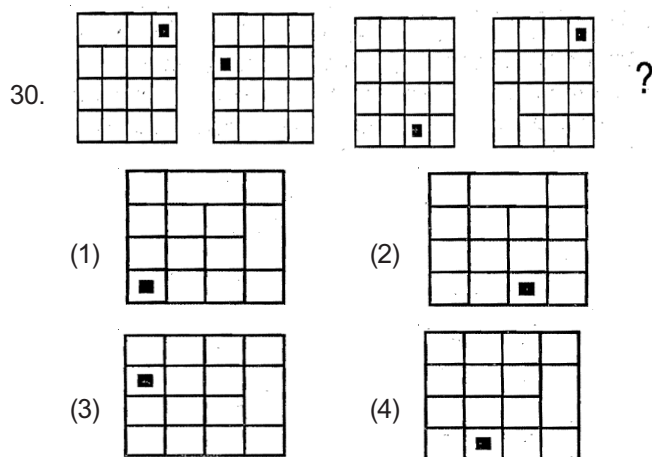


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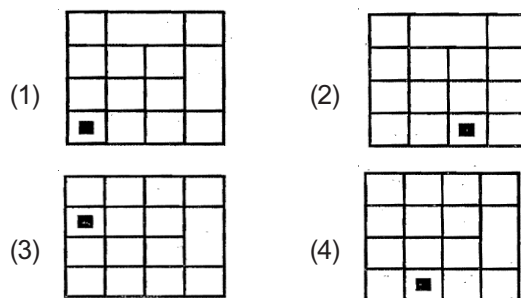


**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

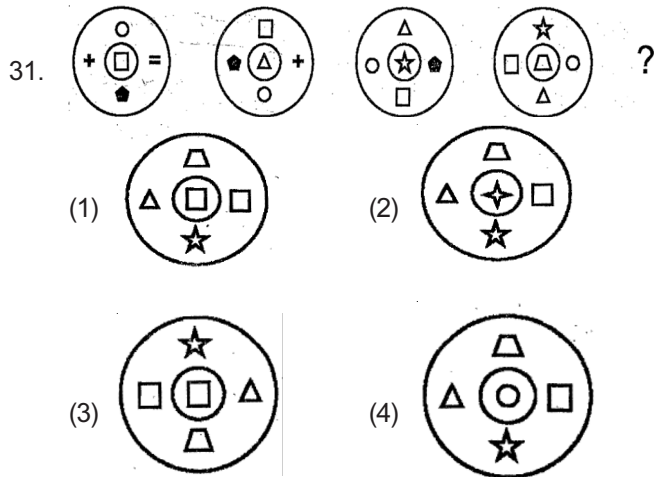


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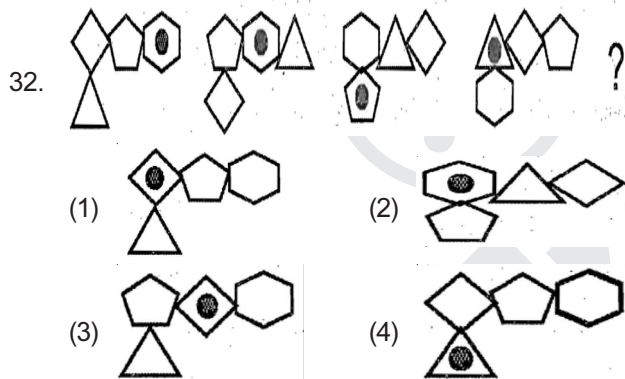
**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual



**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual



**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

33. A, B, C, D, E AND F are sitting around a round table facing its centre.

- C is just left of E
- A is the only one between D and E
- B is sitting opposite to E
- D is the only one between A and B

Then where is F sitting?

- Between B and D
- Between A and D
- Between B and C
- Between A and C

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

34. Six elephants P, Q, R, S, T and U are weighed. The elephant U is heavier than R but lighter than T. Elephants P and S are of same weight. Elephant Q is lighter than P and R is heavier than S. Which one of the elephants is the heaviest?

- Q
- T
- R
- U

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.**  $\begin{matrix} Q \\ S, P \\ R \\ U \end{matrix}$   
Heaviest  $\rightarrow$  T

**Directions (Q.35 to Q.40) :** In the following questions four groups of numbers/letters/ pairs of numbers are given. Of these are alike and one is different. Find the one which is different

35. (1) 210 (2) 135  
(3) 72 (4) 33

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

36. (1) 193 (2) 283  
(3) 293 (4) 323

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Not a prime number

37. (1) 12,156 (2) 14,182  
(3) 16,272 (4) 18,342

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.**  $\begin{matrix} 12 \times 13 & [n \times (n+1)] \\ 14 \times 13 & [n \times (n-1)] \\ 16 \times 14 & [n \times (n+1)] \\ 18 \times 19 & [n \times (n+1)] \end{matrix}$

38. (1) 1,4 (2) 2,12  
(3) 3,36 (4) 4,80

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

39. (1) LONGITUDINAL (2) TRIBUTARIES  
(3) AGRICULTURAL (4) MOUNTAINOUS

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

40. (1) ASYLUM (2) RHYTHM  
(3) FLYFOT (4) PHYSIC

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Except (1) all other have 2 syllables

41. If R E L I C is coded as 7 4 3 6 5 and A N T H E M as 2 9 0 1 4 8 then M E R C A N T I L E can be written as:

- 8 4 2 7 3 6 9 0 5 4
- 8 4 3 9 6 9 5 7 0 4
- 8 4 5 7 6 3 0 2 1 4
- 8 4 7 5 2 9 0 6 3 4

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

42. The minute hand of a clock in the horizontal plane is on the number 6 of the clock and is pointing towards west. If the hour hand is pointing towards southeast, what time will the clock show exactly after three hours from now?

- (1) 1.30 hour                      (2) 4.30 hour  
(3) 7.30 hour                      (4) 10.30 hour

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.43 & Q.44) :** To get the correct equation, choose which set of signs from the given alternatives to be substituted sequentially in places of (\*)

43.  $15 * 3 * 5 * 16 * 41$

- (1) = + - ÷                      (2) ÷ + = -  
(3) - + ÷ =                      (4) ÷ × + =

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.**  $15 \div 3 \times 5 + 16 = 41$

44.  $13 * 4 * 5 * 12 * 6$

- (1) > + × ÷                      (2) × + = ÷  
(3) × + > ÷                      (4) × + = -

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.**  $13 \times 4 + 5 > 12 \div 6$

45. **Directions:** When - and =, 60 and 20 are interchanged, find which one of the following equations will be correct.

- (1)  $100 - 80 + 60 \times 2 = 20$   
(2)  $80 - 20 = 60 \times 3 + 80$   
(3)  $100 = 80 - 20 + 60 \times 2$   
(4)  $80 = 20 = 60 \times 2 + 40$

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

46. **Directions:** The interchange of which of the given numbers/ signs in the alternatives will make the given equation meaningful?

- (1) 8 and 6                      (2) + and -  
(3) 3 and 8                      (4) × and +

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.**  $(20 \times 3) + (6 \times 8) - 32 = 76$

47. Direction: If

- V stands for ×                      Λ stands for +  
∇ stands for -                      A stands for ÷

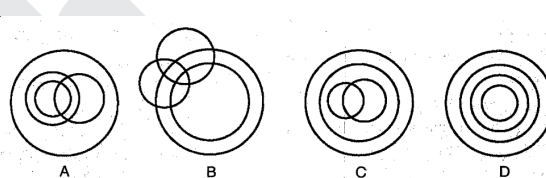
Then, which of the following will be correct equations?

- (1)  $72 \wedge 64 \text{ A } 16 < 16 \vee 8 \nabla 72$   
(2)  $48 \text{ A } 12 \vee 16 > 80 \nabla 32 \wedge 24$   
(3)  $72 \text{ A } 24 \vee 8 < 48 \wedge 16 \nabla 32$   
(4)  $16 \vee 8 \nabla 72 > 80 \text{ A } 8 \wedge 48$

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.**  $72 \div 24 \times 8 < 48 + 16 - 32$

**Directions (Q.48 & Q.49) :** The following Venn diagrams represent the relation among four given objects. Indicate the appropriate Venn diagram to represent the relationship.



48. Quadrilaterals, Rhombus, Parallelograms, Squares

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

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

49. Grandmothers, Sister, Mothers, Sisters-in-law

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

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.50 & Q.51) :** There are 120 students in a class. Among them,

- a. 20 students play both hockey and kabaddi, as well the same number of students play only football.  
b. 25 students play both hockey and football.  
c. 15 students play both football and kabaddi.  
d. The number of students who play only hockey are the same as the number of students who do not play any of the three games.  
e. The number of students who play only hockey is half of the number of students who play football only

50. How many students play only kabaddi?

- (1) 10                                      (2) 20  
(3) 30                                      (4) 40

**Answer (\*) No option is correct**

51. How many students do not play any of the three games?

- (1) 5 (2) 10  
(3) 15 (4) 20

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.52 & Q.53) :** Take the given statements as true and decide which of the conclusions logically follow from the statements

52. **Statements :**

- a. All buses are ships.  
b. All ships are aeroplanes.

**Conclusions :**

- I. Some aeroplanes are ships.  
II. All buses are aeroplanes  
(1) Only conclusion I follows  
(2) Only conclusion II follows  
(3) Both conclusions I and II follow  
(4) Neither conclusion I nor II follows

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

53. **Statements :**

- a. All sparrows are crows.  
b. Some pigeons are sparrows

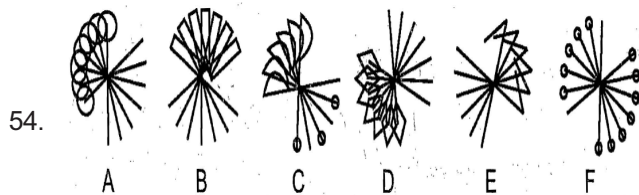
**Conclusions :**

- I. Some crows are pigeons.  
II. All pigeons are sparrows.  
(1) Only conclusion I follows  
(2) Only conclusion II follows  
(3) Both conclusion I and II follows  
(4) Neither conclusion I nor II follows

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

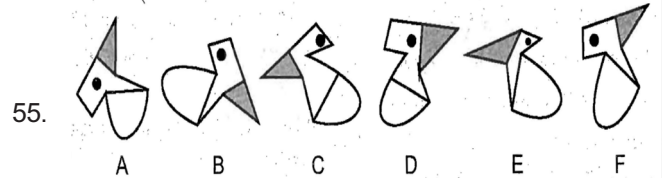
**Directions (Q.54 & Q.55) :** Find the set of figures which have similar characteristics, choosing from the given alternatives.



- (1) A and C (2) B and E  
(3) D and A (4) F and D

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual



- (1) A and D (2) C and E  
(3) D and F (4) B and F

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.56 to Q.58) :** Identify the wrong number/group of letters in the series

56. 5, 35, 220, 1050, 4200

- (1) 35 (2) 220  
(3) 1050 (4) 4200

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

57. 256, 343, 64, 49, 16, 7, 2, 1

- (1) 256 (2) 49  
(3) 2 (4) 1

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Alternate series

$$256 \quad 64 \quad 16 \quad 2$$

$$4^4 \quad 4^3 \quad 4^2 \quad 4^1$$

58. Y W T P Z, V T Q M W, S Q N J T, P N L I Q, M K H D N

- (1) P N L I Q (2) S Q N J T  
(3) V T Q M W (4) Y W T P Z

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

59. The difference between two numbers is 6 and the average of their squares is 234. What is the average of the two numbers?

- (1) 13 (2) 15  
(3) 16 (4) 18

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.60 to Q.63) :** Find the missing number in the given matrices

$$10 \quad 12 \quad 29$$

$$22 \quad 8 \quad 27$$

$$32 \quad 14 \quad ?$$

- (1) 31 (2) 34  
(3) 38 (4) 44

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual



128 76 14  
61. 132 58 18  
137 ? 23

- (1) 74 (2) 72  
(3) 64 (4) 60

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

87 42 19  
93 63 13  
62. 31 ? 8  
37 36 2

- (1) 13 (2) 14  
(3) 15 (4) 16

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

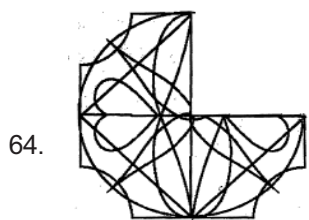
9 6 39  
63. 12 13 ?  
5 14 43

- (1) 50 (2) 62  
(3) 63 (4) 69

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

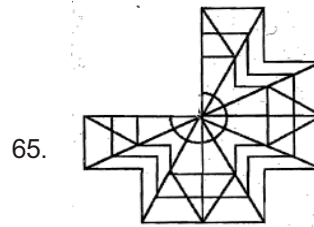
**Directions (Q.64 to Q.67) :** Find the missing part of the given figure from the alternatives.



- (1)
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)

**Answer (4)**

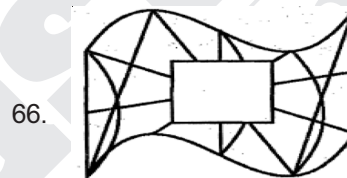
**Sol.** Conceptual



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- (3)
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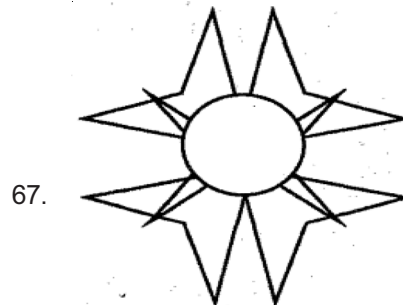
**Sol.** Conceptual



- (1)
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual



- (1)
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

68. In this problem,

- i.  $A < B$  means A is daughter of B
- ii.  $A > B$  means A is son of B
- iii.  $A = B$  means A is brother of B
- iv.  $A + B$  means A is father of B

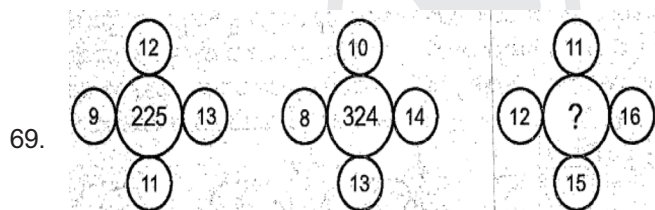
Which of the following indicates "P is grandson of S"?

- (1)  $P = Q < R + S$
- (2)  $P > Q = R < S$
- (3)  $P + Q = R > S$
- (4)  $P < Q + R = S$

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

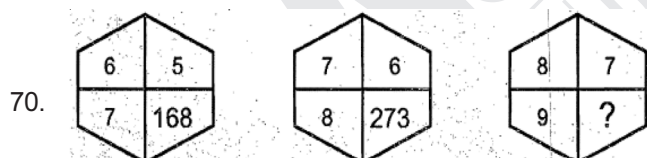
**Directions (Q.69 to Q.72) :** In the questions below, the numbers in the figures are related. Identify their relationship and find the missing numbers in the given series.



- (1) 484
- (2) 576
- (3) 676
- (4) 729

**Answer (4)**

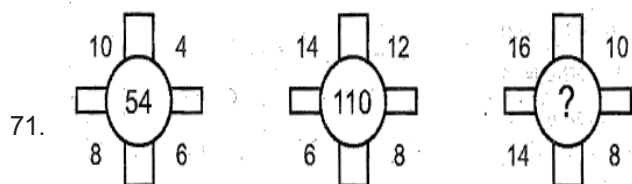
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- (1) 316
- (2) 396
- (3) 416
- (4) 476

**Answer (3)**

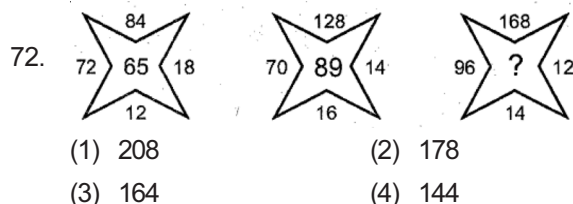
**Sol.** Conceptual



- (1) 132
- (2) 154
- (3) 168
- (4) 184

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

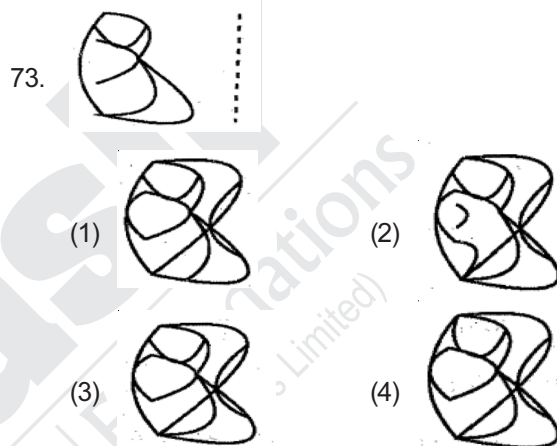


- (1) 208
- (2) 178
- (3) 164
- (4) 144

**Answer (1)**

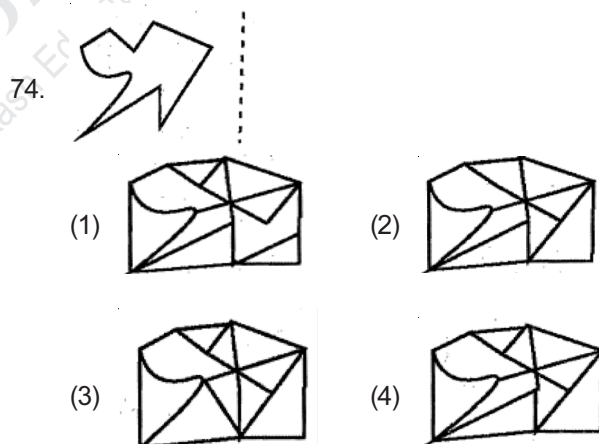
**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.73 & Q.74) :** In the questions below, a problem figure is given. The problem figure is hidden in one of the figures given as alternatives. Find the figure in which the problem figure is hidden.



**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual



**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.75 & Q.76) :** In the following questions, a set of numbers is given. From the alternatives, choose the set which is similar to the given set.

75. 81, 144, 225
- (1) 169, 484, 529
  - (2) 625, 676, 841
  - (3) 729, 784, 961
  - (4) 441, 784, 841

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

76. 315, 210, 35  
 (1) 261, 87, 29                      (2) 288, 192, 32  
 (3) 225, 75, 25                      (4) 207, 68, 23

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

77. In a leap year the new year day celebration is on a wednesday. What day will be the teachers' day in the same year? (as per English calendar)

- (1) Sunday                              (2) Wednesday  
 (3) Friday                                (4) Saturday

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

78. In a code language, if H A T can be coded as J A R and W E as I S, in the same code, J U G can be written as:

- (1) D O N                                (2) M E T  
 (3) L A P                                (4) P E G

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.79 & Q.80) :** Given below are two matrices containing letters. the rows and the columns are numbered 1 to 4 in Matrix I and 5 to 8 in Matrix II. Each letter from these matrices are represented first by its row number and next by its column number.

**Ex:** Letter "O" is represented as 14, 23, 31, 42.

	1	2	3	4
1	M	E	N	O
2	N	M	O	E
3	O	N	E	M
4	E	O	M	N

Matrix - I

	5	6	7	8
5	A	T	I	R
6	I	R	T	A
7	T	A	R	I
8	R	I	A	T

Matrix - II

79. Which set of numbers will represent the word R A T I O N ?

- (1) 77, 55, 88, 78, 42, 34  
 (2) 85, 87, 56, 57, 24, 44  
 (3) 66, 76, 75, 65, 14, 21  
 (4) 58, 68, 67, 22, 31, 13

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

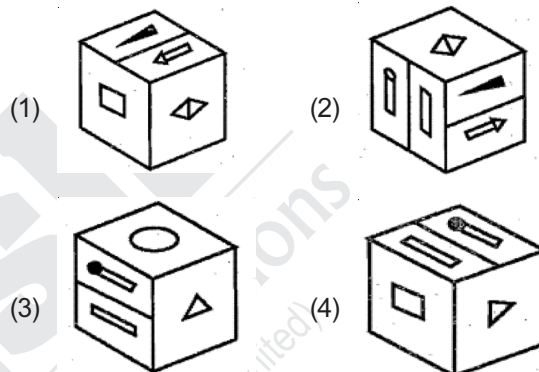
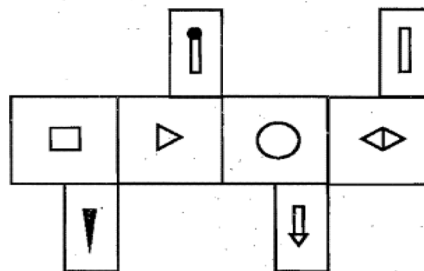
80. Which set of numbers will represent the word I N M A T E ?

- (1) 65, 44, 11, 87, 77, 24  
 (2) 78, 13, 34, 55, 67, 23  
 (3) 57, 21, 43, 66, 88, 12  
 (4) 86, 32, 22, 68, 56, 41

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

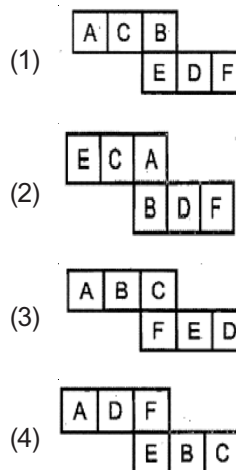
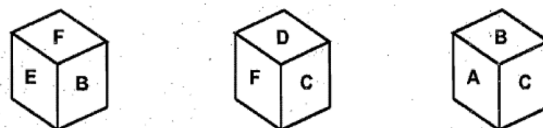
81. **Direction :** When the given figure is folded as a cube, which one of the formation of cubes shown below is NOT POSSIBLE?



**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

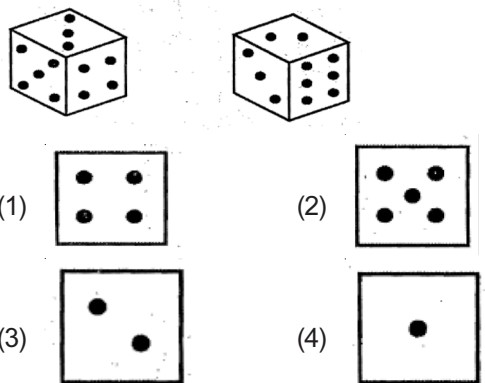
82. **Direction :** The different faces of a cube are shown through three folded cubes. Among the alternatives, identify which one of the figures represent the unfolded cube.



**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

83. **Direction:** Two positions of the dice are shown below. When face with 3 dots is shown at the top, which face will be at the bottom?



**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.84 & Q.85) :** Answer the following questions based on the sequence of numbers / letters given.

84. 4 1 9 1 9 7 2 3 6 1 6 8 2 2 4 2 8 1 7 7 4 2 8 1 8 1 1 1 2 2 3 6 1 9 9

If the product of any two consecutive numbers is the very next number, how many times such numbers occur in the given sequence?

- (1) 8 (2) 9  
(3) 12 (4) 13

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

85. z e b c y e a n e r c b e u c g e m c a n e y x c d e b v c e p

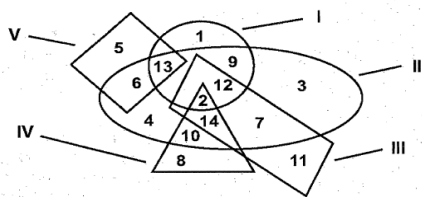
In the given letter sequence, if all the "e"s from letter z to g are changed to "c" and all the "c"s from letter g to p are changed to "e", how many "c"s and "e"s will occur respectively in the sequence?

- (1) 5, 6 (2) 6, 6  
(3) 6, 7 (4) 7, 7

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.86 to Q.88) :** The following questions are based on the given intersecting figures.



86. How many numbers are enclosed in only two figures?

- (1) 5 (2) 4  
(3) 3 (4) 2

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

87. Which of all the three shapes have "14" inside?

- (1) I, II, V (2) II, IV, V  
(3) II, III, IV (4) III, IV, V

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

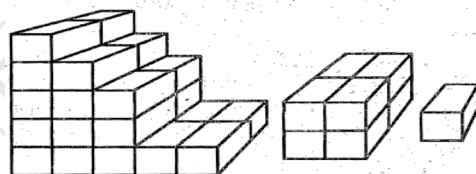
88. Which one of the following statements is true?

- (1) The number 12 is not inside all the three shapes I, II and IV  
(2) The number 3 is inside all the three shapes I, II and III  
(3) The number 13 is inside all the three shapes I, II and IV  
(4) The number 4 is inside all the three shapes I, IV and V

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

89. How many blocks are unseen in the given figure?



- (1) 9  
(2) 8  
(3) 7  
(4) 10

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

90. To calculate the average rainfall in the second week of August 2018 in Bangalore, the following data is given. Decide whether the data given is sufficient.

- I. The average rainfall of first four days of the week is 147 mm  
II. The average rainfall of last three days of the week is 133 mm.  
(1) Data in I only is sufficient  
(2) Data in II only is sufficient  
(3) Data in I and II together are sufficient  
(4) Data in I and II are not sufficient

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.91 to Q.93) :** The words are given under Column - I. Their codes are given under Column - II without following the same order as in Column - I. Find the codes for the letters of words in Column - I and find the codes for the given words in the questions.

Column - I	Column - II
SUN	y b l
CAP	k d m
NAME	a x y k
GOLD	f p s c
STAR	k l n i
ROAD	s k n c

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- (1) a k l b x d                      (2) k m s i x n  
(3) b x l d c f                      (4) a k l i x n

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

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- (1) m c x b a n                      (2) l c f b i x  
(3) s n b l m a                      (4) l c f b a x

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

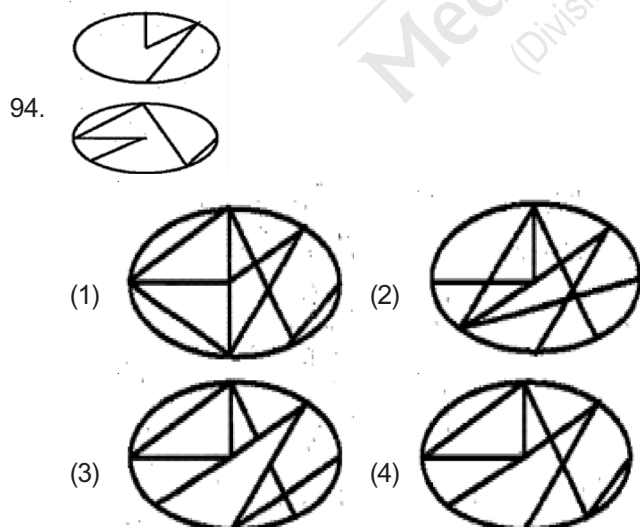
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- (1) s c m b a x y i                      (2) s c m b a n y e  
(3) k a m b x y e f                      (4) f c n b a x y i

**Answer (1)**

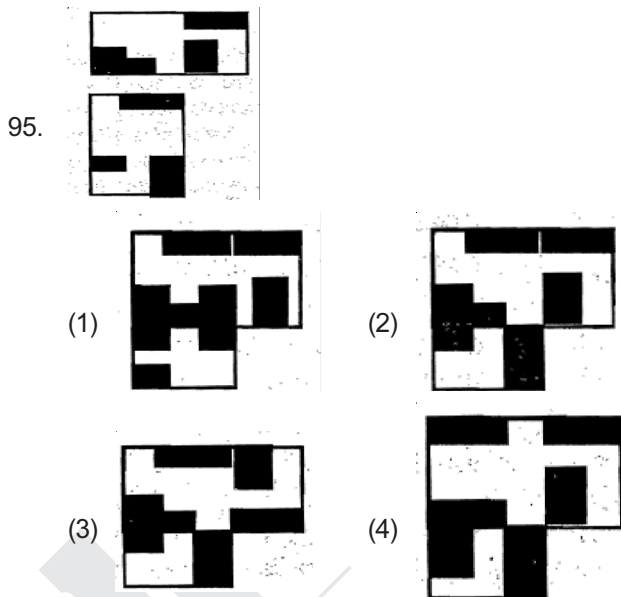
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**Directions (Q.94 & Q.95) :** In the following questions a set of two figures is given as problem figure. Find which one of the following alternative figures would be formed, if the first figure is superimposed on the second figure.



**Answer (4)**

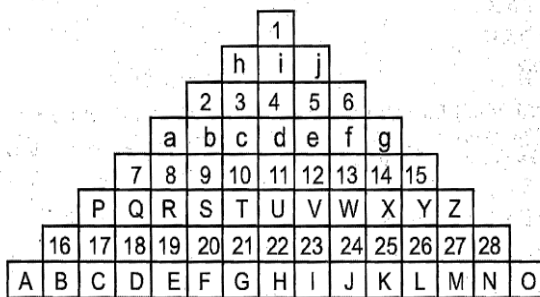
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**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

**Directions (Q.96 to Q.98) :** The following questions are based on the numbers and letters arranged in the pyramid pattern. Study the pattern and complete the given analogy.



96. T c 8 : V e 14 :: E R 17 : ?

- (1) L Y 27                              (2) L Y 24  
(3) K X 27                              (4) J W 26

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

97. C P 8 : R a 3 :: F S 11 : ?

- (1) U W 15                              (2) U H 24  
(3) U W 5                                (4) U d 6

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

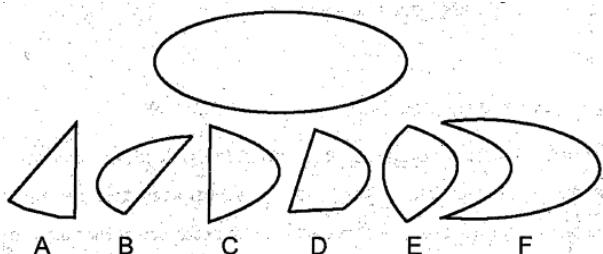
98. 2 8 D : 6 14 L :: ? : 5 13 K

- (1) 3 11 I                                (2) 3 9 E  
(3) 3 10 F                                (4) 3 11 G

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

99. In order to form the given ellipse, which four appropriate parts out of A,B,C,D,E and F are to be combined?

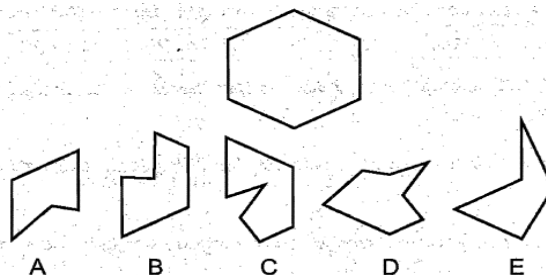


- (1) B, D, C, F                      (2) E, F, D, A  
(3) B, A, C, F                      (4) A, C, E, B

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

100. In order to form the given hexagon, which three appropriate parts out of A, B, C, D and E are to be combined?



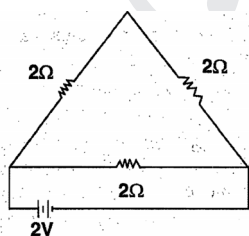
- (1) A, C, D                              (2) A, B, E  
(3) B, D, E                              (4) C, D, E

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

## PAPER-II : SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (SAT)

1. The current in the circuit shown below is



- (1) 1.5 A                                  (2) 0.5 A  
(3) 2.5 A                                  (4) 0.66 A

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Series connection =  $2 + 2 = 4$

$$\frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{2+1}{4} = \frac{3}{4} \Rightarrow R = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$V = iR$$

$$i = \frac{V}{R} = \frac{2}{\frac{4}{3}} = \frac{6}{4} = \frac{3}{2} = 1.5A$$

2. A heating unit of an electric stove is rated at 880 W. It is connected to a power supply of 220 V the current it will consume

- (1) 2 A  
(2) 6 A  
(3) 4 A  
(4) 8 A

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.**  $P = vi$

$$i = \frac{P}{V} = \frac{880}{220} = 4$$

$$i = 4A$$

3. A wire of resistance 12 ohm is bent in the form of a circular ring. The effective resistance between the two points on any diameter of the circle is

- (1) 24 Ω                                  (2) 12 Ω  
(3) 6 Ω                                      (4) 3 Ω

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Now two resistors are connected in parallel so each resistance 6 ohm

$$\frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{6} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{R} = \frac{2}{6} \Rightarrow R = 3\Omega$$

4. A person needs a lens of power - 4.5D for correction of his/her vision then the focal length of corrective lens is

- (1) + 4.5 m  
(2) - 0.22 m  
(3) + 2.2 m  
(4) - 0.45 m

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.**  $P = \frac{1}{f}$

$$-4.5 = \frac{1}{f}$$

$$f = \frac{1}{-4.5}$$

$$f = \frac{10}{45} = \frac{2}{9}$$

$$= - 0.22 m$$

5. Sheela cannot read newspaper when she holds it closer than 100 cm. The defect in her eye and the power of lens prescribed to her [Normal eye near point = 25 cm]
- (1) Myopia with + 3D lens
  - (2) Myopia with - 3D lens
  - (3) Hypermetropia with - 3D lens
  - (4) Hypermetropia with + 3D lens

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.**  $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{v} = \frac{1}{u}$      $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{-100} - \frac{1}{-25}$

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{-1+4}{100}$$

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{3}{100}$$

$$f = \frac{100}{3}$$

$$P = \frac{100}{f} = \frac{100}{\frac{100}{3}} = 3D$$

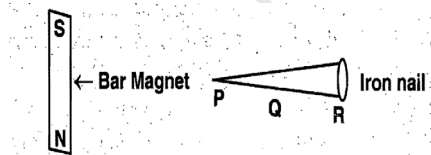
Hypermetropia with + 3D lens

6. A metallic rod falls under gravity with its ends pointing east and west, then
- (1) no e.m.f. induced at all
  - (2) an e.m.f. induced in it as it cuts the magnetic lines of force
  - (3) Two e.m.f.s of equal but opposite signs are induced giving no net e.m.f.
  - (4) its acceleration is equal to the product of g and the radius of the ring

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** an e.m.f induced it cuts the magnetic lines of force

7. A bar magnet is used to pick up the iron nail



At which part P, Q and R is the easiest for the magnet to pick up the iron nail?

- (1) At P
- (2) At Q
- (3) At R
- (4) It makes no difference at any part

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Since near the head the iron material is more it gets attracted more due to the formation of domains

8. An athlete completes one round of a circular track of radius R in 40 seconds. The displacement at the end of 2 minutes 20 seconds will be

- (1) Zero
- (2) 2R
- (3)  $\pi R$
- (4)  $7\pi R$

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** 1 round completes in 40 sec

$$2\pi r \rightarrow 40 \text{ sec}$$

$$2 \text{ mins } 20 \text{ sec} = 140 \text{ sec}$$

$$t = 3 \times 40 + 20$$

he completed 3 round and  $\frac{1}{2}$  revolution

so displacement is 2R

9. The amount of material that releases  $4.5 \times 10^{14}$  J of energy when it is completely converted into energy during a nuclear reaction [Given speed of light =  $3 \times 10^8$  m/s]

- (1) 0.5 g
- (2) 5 g
- (3) 50 g
- (4) 500 g

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.**  $E = \Delta mc^2$

$$4.5 \times 10^{14} = \Delta m \times (3 \times 10^8)^2$$

$$4.5 \times 10^{14} = \Delta m \times 9 \times 10^{16}$$

$$\Delta m = \frac{4.5 \times 10^{14}}{9 \times 10^{16}}$$

$$= 0.5 \times 10^{-12} \text{ kg}$$

$$= 0.5 \times 10^{-2} \times 10^3$$

$$= 0.5 \times 10$$

$$= 5 \text{ g}$$

10. For a nuclear reactor 48 KJ of energy is produced per minute. If the energy released per fission is  $3.2 \times 10^{-11}$  J then the number of fissions which would be taking place in a reactor per second is

- (1)  $5 \times 10^{14}$
- (2)  $2 \times 10^{14}$
- (3)  $5.2 \times 10^{13}$
- (4)  $2.5 \times 10^{13}$

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** 60 sec  $\rightarrow 48 \times 10^3$  J

$$1 \text{ sec} \rightarrow \frac{48 \times 10^3}{60} = 8 \times 10^2 \text{ J}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{number of fissions would be} &= \frac{8 \times 10^2}{3.2 \times 10^{-11}} = \frac{80}{32} \times 10^{13} \\ &= 2.5 \times 10^{13} \text{ J} \end{aligned}$$

11. Select the correct statement.

- (1) A lens with + 2D power and - 0.5m focal length is convex lens.
- (2) A lens with + 2D power and + 0.5m focal length is convex lens
- (3) A lens with - 2D power and + 0.5m focal length is concave lens
- (4) A lens with + 2D power and - 0.5m focal length is concave lens.

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.**  $P = + 2 \text{ D}$

$$P = \frac{1}{f} \Rightarrow 2 = \frac{1}{f} \Rightarrow f = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5\text{m}$$

12. The magnification of image formed at a distance of 4 cm by a needle when it is placed at a distance of X cm away from a convex mirror of focal length 12cm

- (1) - 0.66
- (2) + 0.66
- (3) - 1.5
- (4) + 1.5

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.**  $m = \frac{f-v}{f}$

for convex lens

$$f = + 12$$

$$v = + 4$$

$$m = \frac{12-4}{12} = \frac{8}{12} = \frac{2}{3} = +0.66$$

13. The speed of sound in air at NTP is 332 m/s. If air pressure becomes four times the normal then the speed of sound waves will

- (1) double
- (2) quadruple
- (3) remain the same
- (4) become  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the original value

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Air pressure has no effect at all in ideal gas approximation. This is because pressure and density both contribute to sound velocity equally.

14. An isoelectronic species are

- a.  $\text{Na}^+$
  - b.  $\text{Al}^{3+}$
  - c.  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$
  - d.  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$
- (1) a, b and c
  - (2) a, c and d
  - (3) a, b and d
  - (4) a, b, c and d

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Isoelectronic species have same number of electrons

15. Identify the correct order of elements according to their metallic character.

- (1)  $\text{B} > \text{Al} > \text{Mg} > \text{K}$
- (2)  $\text{Al} > \text{Mg} > \text{B} > \text{K}$
- (3)  $\text{Mg} > \text{Al} > \text{K} > \text{B}$
- (4)  $\text{K} > \text{Mg} > \text{Al} > \text{B}$

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

16. Identify the correct representation of reaction occurring during chloralkali process.

- (1)  $2\text{NaCl}_{(l)} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}_{(l)} \rightarrow 2\text{NaOH}_{(l)} + \text{Cl}_{2(g)} + \text{H}_{2(g)}$
- (2)  $2\text{NaCl}_{(aq)} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}_{(aq)} \rightarrow 2\text{NaOH}_{(aq)} + \text{Cl}_{2(g)} + \text{H}_{2(g)}$
- (3)  $2\text{NaCl}_{(aq)} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}_{(l)} \rightarrow 2\text{NaOH}_{(aq)} + \text{Cl}_{2(aq)} + \text{H}_{2(g)}$
- (4)  $2\text{NaCl}_{(aq)} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}_{(l)} \rightarrow 2\text{NaOH}_{(aq)} + \text{Cl}_{2(g)} + \text{H}_{2(g)}$

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

17. Identify the sets of quantum numbers which are not possible?

a.  $n = 0, l = 0, m_l = 0, m_s = +\frac{1}{2}$

b.  $n = 1, l = 0, m_l = 0, m_s = -\frac{1}{2}$

c.  $n = 1, l = 1, m_l = 0, m_s = +\frac{1}{2}$

d.  $n = 2, l = 1, m_l = 0, m_s = -\frac{1}{2}$

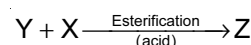
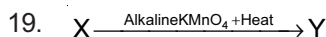
- (1) a and b
- (2) a and c
- (3) a and d
- (4) b and d

**Answer (2)**

18. An example(s) for endothermic process (es) is (are)

- a. Dilution of sulphuric acid
  - b. Sublimation of dry ice
  - c. Condensation of water vapours
  - d. Evaporation of water
- (1) a and c
  - (2) b only
  - (3) c only
  - (4) b and d

**Answer (4)**

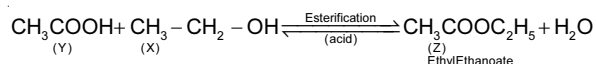
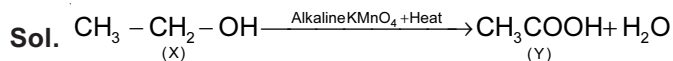


Identify X, Y and Z.

- (1) Ethanoic acid, Ethanol and Ethylethanoate
- (2) Ethanol, Ethylethanoate and Ethanoic acid
- (3) Ethanol, Ethanoic acid and Ethylethanoate
- (4) Ethanoic acid, Ethylethanoate and Ethanol

**Answer (3)**





20. Identify the solid acid at room temperature.

- (1)  $\begin{array}{c} \text{COOH} \\ | \\ \text{COOH} \end{array}$  (2)  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$   
 (3)  $\text{H}_2\text{CO}_3$  (4)  $\text{HCOOH}$

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

21. Assertion (A): Combustion of 16 g of methane gas liberates 18 g of water.

Reason (R): In the combustion of methane, water is one of the product.

Select the correct option from the given alternatives.

- (1) Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A  
 (2) A is true but R is false  
 (3) A is false but R is true  
 (4) Both A and R are false

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

22. Assertion (A): Sodium Chloride formed by the action of Chlorine gas on sodium metal is a stable compound.

Reason (R): Sodium and Chloride ions acquire octet configuration in sodium Chloride formation.

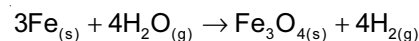
Select the correct option from the given alternatives.

- (1) A and R are correct and R is the correct explanation of A  
 (2) A and R are correct, but R is not the correct explanation of A  
 (3) A is true but R is false  
 (4) Both A and R are false

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

23. Choose the correct statements about the given chemical reaction.



- a. Iron is getting oxidised.  
 b. Water is getting reduced  
 c. Water is acting as reducing agent  
 d. Water is acting as oxidising agent.  
 (1) a, b and c (2) c and d  
 (3) a, b and d (4) b and c

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

24. The half life of a radioisotope is 4 hours. If the initial mass of the isotope was 200 g, the mass remaining after 24 hours undecayed.

- (1) 1.042 g  
 (2) 3.125 g  
 (3) 2.084 g  
 (4) 4.167 g

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** If Y = number of half life

$$Y = \frac{\text{total time}}{\text{half life}} = \frac{24}{4} = 6$$

C = amount left after Y half life

$C_0$  - Initial amount

$$\therefore C = C_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^y = 200 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6 = 3.125\text{g}$$

25. The element 'X' has an electronic configuration 2, 8, 3. Element 'Y' has an electronic configuration 2, 8, 7. The chemical formula of the compound formed when they react is

- (1) Ionic  $\text{XY}_3$  (2) Covalent  $\text{X}_3\text{Y}$   
 (3) Covalent  $\text{XY}_3$  (4) Ionic  $\text{X}_3\text{Y}$

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

26. Identify the olfactory indicators.

- (1) Vanilla and turmeric (2) Vanilla and petunia  
 (3) Vanilla and clove (4) Vanilla and Hydrangia

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

27. Read the following statements and select the correct option.

A: When the body size of animals is large, the diffusion pressure alone cannot take care of oxygen delivery to all parts of the body.

B: In human beings haemoglobin pigments take up oxygen from the air in the lungs to carry it to tissues which are deficient in oxygen.

- (1) A is true and B is false  
 (2) A is false and B is true  
 (3) Both A and B are true  
 (4) Both A and B are false

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

28. Assertion (A): Plants can survive without separate respiratory organs.

Reason (R): Each plant part takes care of its own gas exchange needs.

Select the correct option from the given alternatives.

- (1) A is true and R is false
- (2) A is false and R is true
- (3) Both A and R are true and R explains A
- (4) Both A and R are true but R does not explain A

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

29. match Column - I with Column - II and identify the correct answer.

Column - I	Column - II
a. Oxytocin	i. Reabsorption of water
b. Luteinizing hormone	ii. Regulation of diurnal rhythm of our body
c. Vasopressin	iii. Uterus contraction during child birth
d. Melatonin	iv. Body growth
	v. Induces ovulation

- (1) A - iii, B - v, C - i, D - ii
- (2) A - ii, B - iii, C - iv, D - i
- (3) A - v, B - i, C - ii, D - iv
- (4) A - v, B - iv, C - i, D - iii

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Oxytocin helps in uterus contraction during child birth

- Luteinizing hormone helps in ovulation
- Vasopressin helps in reabsorbing water
- Melatonin helps in regulation of diurnal rhythm in our body

Hence option 1 is correct

30. The recessive character in pea plant in the following

- (1) Violet flower
- (2) Axillary flower
- (3) Round seed
- (4) Green seed

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

31. Assertion (A): The walls of the ventricle are thicker than the walls of the auricles.

Reason (R): The ventricles have to pump blood to long distances and various organs.

- (1) A is true and R is false
- (2) A is false and R is true
- (3) Both A and R are true and R explain A
- (4) Both A and R are true but R does not explain A

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** The wall of ventricles are thicker because, it increase the pressure during contraction, SO that blood is supplied to all body parts.

32. The presence of following kind of bacteria in water indicates contamination by disease causing micro-organisms

- (1) Agrobacterium
- (2) Coliform
- (3) Pseudomonas
- (4) Lactobacillus

**Answer (2)**

33. Read the following statements and select the correct option.

A: Imbibition is a special type of phenomenon by which plant cells absorb water.

B: The rupturing of seed coat in germinating seeds is due to imbibition.

- (1) Both A and B are true
- (2) Both A and B are false
- (3) A is true and B is false
- (4) A is false and B is true

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Imbibition is a special type of diffusion, where water is absorbed by solids colloids causing an enormous increase in volume. Usually takes place in seeds & dry wood.

Hence A is false & B is true i.e, option (4)

34. Identify the correct statements about chlorophyll.

- A. Chlorophyll is highly sensitive to light.
- B. There are varieties in Chlorophyll.
- C. The formation of Chlorophyll does not depend on the exposure of the plant to light.
- d. Nutritional deficiencies of minerals cause loss of chlorophyll

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

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Chlorophyll is highly sensitive to light and there are varieties in chlorophyll like chlorophyll A,B,C,D,E But , formation of chlorophyll requires the exposure of plant to sunlight.

Hence option 2 is correct

35. Haemophilia is more common in males because it is a

- (1) recessive character carried by Y chromosome
- (2) dominant character carried by Y chromosome
- (3) dominant trait carried by X chromosome
- (4) recessive trait carried by X chromosome

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual



Select the correct option from the given alternatives.

- (1) A is true R is false (2) R is true A is false  
(3) Both A and R are correct. R is the correct explanation of A  
(4) Both A and R true, but R is not correct explanation of A

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

43. The correct chronological order of the treaties signed between British and Native States.

- A. The treaty of Salbai, the treaty of Srirangapatna, the treaty of Amritsar and the treaty of Mangalore.  
B. The treaty of Salbai, the treaty of Mangalore, the treaty of Srirangapatna and the treaty of Amritsar.  
C. The treaty of Amritsar, the treaty of Mangalore, the treaty of Salbai and the treaty of Srirangapatna.  
D. The treaty of Amritsar, the treaty of Salbai, the treaty of Srirangapatna and the treaty of Mangalore

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

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

44. The List 'A' Contains the great personalities and the List 'B' with their works. The correct option that matches exactly.

- | A                | B                       |
|------------------|-------------------------|
| A. Montesque     | i. Uncle Tom's Cabin    |
| B. Rousseau      | ii. Common Sense        |
| C. Mazini        | iii. The Spirit of Laws |
| D. Harriet Stowe | iv. Social Contract     |
|                  | v. Italy Austria Papacy |

- (1) A-iii, B-iv, C-v, D-i (2) A-iv, B-iii, C-i, D-ii  
(3) A-v, B-iv, C-i, D-iii (4) A-ii, B-iv, C-iii, D-i

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

45. The correct provision passed by the British Government in India in their chronological order is

- A. Supreme Court of Judicature was established at Calcutta.  
B. A new institution named 'Board of Controllers' consisting of six Commissioners was started.  
C. The post of Governor General was changed in to Viceroy.  
D. Representation of the regional Council was allowed Indians through election based on religion.

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

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

46. Choose the correct statements with reference to the Indian judiciary system before the British rule in northern part of India.

- A. All Indians were treated with only the Shariyat laws of mughals  
B. Criminal courts were under the control of Qajis  
C. Civil courts were called 'Diwani Adalat'  
D. Hindus were dispensed justice as per the Hindu scriptures

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

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

47. The correct statement related to Sathya Shodak Samaj is

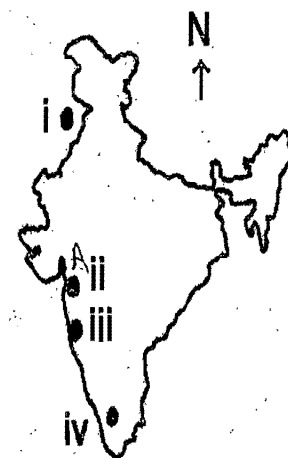
- A. The samaj started the Cow Protection Association  
B. The samaj opened the schools for shudras and girls  
C. The samaj advocated polytheism  
D. The samaj encouraged vedic education

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

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

48. Select the correct order of events related to freedom struggle starting from North to South as shown in the map.



- A. Dandi Sathyagraha took place  
 B. The Moplah uprising against British  
 C. The Declaration of Poorna Swaraj  
 D. The Quit India Movement was launched
- (1) i-C, ii-A, iii-D, iv-B      (2) i-B, ii-D, iii-A, iv-C  
 (3) i-D, ii-C, iii-B, iv-A      (4) i-A, ii-B, iii-C, iv-D

**Answer (1)****Sol.** Conceptual

49. The chronological order of the incidents of the first war of Indian Independence.
- A. The Queen of Britain passed a Declaration assuring a stable Government for Indians.  
 B. A group of soldiers declared Bahadurshah Zafar as the emperor of India.  
 C. The Sepoys of Meerut revolted against their British Officers.  
 D. Tantia Tope was executed by British at Shivapuri
- (1) D C B A                      (2) B A C D  
 (3) A D B C                      (4) C B A D

**Answer (4)****Sol.** Conceptual

50. The correct group of statements related to the functions and characteristics of banks
- A. Acceptance of deposits and deals with money  
 B. Issuing national savings certificates.  
 C. Issuing letters of credit guarantee.  
 D. Discounting of bills.
- (1) A and B only                (2) A, C and D only  
 (3) A, B and C only            (4) C and D only

**Answer (2)****Sol.** Conceptual

51. Assertion (A): The R.B.I. lends money to commercial banks in the events of any shortfall of funds.  
 Reason (R): The R.B.I. controls the supply of money through reverse repo rate.
- Select the correct option from the given alternatives.
- A. A is correct and R is the correct explanation of A  
 B. R is correct and A is wrong  
 C. Both A and R are wrong  
 D. A is correct and R is not the correct explanation of A
- (1) A                                (2) B  
 (3) C                                (4) D

**Answer (4)****Sol.** Conceptual

52. Observe the following pictures of Entrepreneurs and identify them in correct order of their achievements.



- A. Successful in getting listed the company first on NASDAQ.  
 B. Established a small scale Anand Milk Dairy (Amul) in Kaira District.  
 C. Awarded the best entrepreneur of the year 2001 by the Ernest young.  
 D. Took the advantage of open sky policy of the government and started JET.
- (1) i-B, ii-C, iii-D, iv-A      (2) i-A, ii-C, iii-B, iv-D  
 (3) i-B, ii-D, iii-C, iv-A      (4) i-C, ii-B, iii-A, iv-D

**Answer (4)****Sol.** Conceptual

53. Select the correct statements regarding the advantage of registration of partnership firms
- A. A registered firm can file a suit in court of law against third party  
 B. A registered firm can file a case against the other partners against the loans they owe to the firm  
 C. Partnership firm partners can not file case against their own firm  
 D. A registered partnership firm can not be dissolved
- (1) A and C only                (2) C and D only  
 (3) D and A only                (4) A and B only

**Answer (3)****Sol.** Conceptual

54. Assertion (A): Service charges are collected from current account holder by the banks.  
 Reason (R): This account is opened by business men only for the development of their business.
- Select the correct option from the given alternatives.
- (1) R is correct, A is wrong  
 (2) Both R and A are wrong  
 (3) R is correct and A is exactly related to R  
 (4) R is correct and A is not exactly related to R

**Answer (3)****Sol.** Conceptual

55. The correct option organised on the basis of evolution and growth of commerce
- A. International trade stage  
B. Money economy stage  
C. Agricultural stage  
D. Pastoral stage
- (1) A B D C                      (2) B A C D  
(3) D C B A                      (4) C B A D

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

56. Choose the group of correct statements related to Mica.
- a. it is an important non-metallic mineral  
b. it can be easily split into very thin  
c. it is transparent and heat resistant  
d. it is used in electrical industry, telephone, aeroplane
- (1) a, b and c                      (2) a and d  
(3) a, b and d                      (4) a,b,c and d

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

57. Choose the correct group of statements with respect to "The Siwalik Hills".
- a. They are the outer most ranges or foot hills of the Himalayas.  
b. They are the lowest range of the Himalayas  
c. Their height is 600 to 1500mts and width is 15 to 150km  
d. They extend from Rajasthan to Assam
- (1) a,b and c                      (2) b,c and d  
(3) a,b,c and d                      (4) a,c and d

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

58. Match the Column 'A' with Column 'B' and choose the correct matching
- |                  |                     |
|------------------|---------------------|
| Column-A         | Column-B            |
| a. Karnataka     | i. Kala baisakhis   |
| b. Uttar Pradesh | ii. Mango showers   |
| c. West Bengal   | iii. Coffee blossom |
| d. Kerala        | iv. Andhis          |
|                  | v. Tea blossom      |
- (1) a-iii,b-i,c-ii, d-iv                      (2) a-i,b-iii,c-ii,d-v  
(3) a-iii,b-iv,c-i,d-v                      (4) a-iv,b-iii,c-ii,d-v

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

59. Read the following statements and select the correct option
- A. It is method of farming in which a large amount of capital and labour are applied per unit of land.  
B. Under this type of farming, land is cultivated throughout the year  
C. Farmers try to raise two or more crops to get maximum production from small land holdings  
D. It is common in the fertile and irrigated areas of the country
- (1) Shifting farming                      (2) Humid farming  
(3) Plantation farming                      (4) intensive farming

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

60. Match the column 'A' with Column 'B' and choose the correct answer
- |              |                  |
|--------------|------------------|
| Column-A     | Column-B         |
| a. Yamunotri | i. Valley        |
| b. Armakonda | ii. Hill station |
| c. Kulu      | iii. Glacier     |
| d. Ranikhet  | iv. Peak         |
|              | v. Ground water  |
- (1) a-iii,b-iv,c-i,d-v                      (2) a-ii,b-iv,c-i,d-iii  
(3) a-iv,b-iii,c-ii,d-i                      (4) a-iii,b-iv,c-i,d-ii

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

61. Match the column 'A' with column 'B' and choose the correct answer.
- |                         |                 |
|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Column - A              | Column - B      |
| A. Black buck           | i. Extinct      |
| B. Asiatic elephant     | ii. Rare        |
| C. Andaman wild pig     | iii. Endangered |
| D. Himalayan brown bear | iv. Vulnerable  |
|                         | v. Endemic      |
- (1) a-ii,b-v,c-i,d-iii                      (2) a-iii,b-iv,c-v,d-ii  
(3) a-v,b-iii,c-iv,d-ii                      (4) a-iii,b-iv,c-v,d-i

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

62. The Himalayan yew species is in danger because
- (1) A chemical compound called 'Taxol' is extracted from the bark to cure cancer  
(2) The hide of the animal is extracted for producing percussive instruments  
(3) The birds feathers are colourful and they are collected by killing  
(4) The insecticides have brought adverse effects on them

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

63. Read the following statements and select the correct option.
- A. During the time of Chandragupta Maurya, dams, lakes and irrigation systems were extensively.
- B. In the 14th century, the tank in Hauz Khas in Delhi was constructed by Iltutmish for supplying water to Siri Fort area.
- (1) A is false and B is true  
 (2) A is true and B is false  
 (3) Both A and B are true  
 (4) Both A and B are false

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

64. Read the following statements and write the correct option with which all those links.
- A. This soil is suitable for cultivation of coffee with adequate doses of manures and fertilizers
- B. This soil is mainly found in Karnataka, Kerala, Tamilnadu, Madhyapradesh and the hilly areas of Odisha and Assam.
- C. Humus content in this soil is low
- D. It is found in areas with high temperature and heavy rainfall
- (1) Alluvial soil                      (2) Black soil  
 (3) Red soil                            (4) Laterite soil

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

65. Choose the correct type of soil with reference to the shaded area in the given map



- (1) Mountain Soils                      (2) Black Soils  
 (3) Laterite Soils                        (4) Red and Yellow soils

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

66. Choose the correct group of answer with regarding Child Adolescent Labour Prohibition and Regulation Act.

- a. No children below 14 years shall be employed in any sector for any reasons
- b. As per the Act, children between the age of 15 and 18 are considered as Adolescent children
- c. According to the Article 14 of this act, a fine of rupees 50,000 and 2 years imprisonment is imposed on violators.
- d. If children below 14 years are engaged in any household activities, the parents and the head of the family is declared as offenders
- (1) a and b only                      (2) a,b,c and d  
 (3) a,b and c only                    (4) c and d only

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

67. Arrange the following Acts in chronological order
- a. Civil Rights Protection Act
- b. Untouchability Crime Act
- c. Child Solescent, Labour Prohibition and Regulation Act
- d. Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act.
- (1) a, b,c,d                              (2) b,a,c,d  
 (3) b,a,d,c                              (4) c,b,d,a

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

68. "Culture is that complex whole which includes knowledge, belief, art, rules and regulations, traditions and any other capabilities earned by the human being as a member of society" it was defined by
- (1) Malinowski                        (2) E.B Tylor  
 (3) Max Weber                        (4) Emile Durkheim

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

69. Choose the correct option relating to untouchability Crime Act.
- A. The Government of India has implemented this Act in 1955.
- B. This Act was renamed as 'Civil Rights Protection Act in 1976
- C. According to this Act, practice of untouchability is a crime
- D. This Act consisted of certain mistakes which were amended later
- (1) A and B                              (2) B and C  
 (3) B,C and D                        (4) A,B,C and D

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

70. In Column 'A' the works and in Column 'B' their authors are given. Choose the correct matching

Column-A	Column-B
a. Buddha and his Dhamma	i. G. S Ghryue
b. Indian saints	ii. Iravati Karve
c. Institutions and Relationship	iii. A.R Desai
d. Indian rural Sociology	iv. C. Parvatahamma
	v. Dr. B.R. Ambedkar

- (1) a-v,b-ii-c-iii,d-iv  
(2) a-ii,b-iii,c-iv,d-v  
(3) a-iii,b-iv,c-v,d-i  
(4) a-v,b-i,c-ii,d-iii

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

71. Which of the following statement/statements is/are not correct related to the President of India?

- a. appoint the Governors to the States  
b. addresses the joint session of both the Houses of Parliament  
c. appoint the Governors to the States  
d. nominates 12 members to the Rajya sabha

- (1) a and c only  
(2) b and d only  
(3) c only  
(4) a only

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

72. The President of India may declare 'National Emergency'

- a. External aggression  
b. Internal disturbances  
c. Natural disasters  
d. Financial crises

- (1) a and b only  
(2) b and c only  
(3) c and d only  
(4) a and c only

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

73. Identify the correct chronological sequence in which among the following became Secretary Generals of UNO.

- i. Antonio Guterres  
ii. U. Thant  
iii. Kofi Annan  
iv. Boutros Ghalli

- (1) i,iii,ii, iv  
(2) ii,iv,iii,i  
(3) iii,iv,i,ii  
(4) iv,ii,i,iii

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

74. Choose the correct sequence to indicate the following statements as True (T) or False (F).

- a. RTI is an implied Fundamental Right  
b. RTI has been included in Article 19(1) of the Consitution  
c. RTI came into force on October 12, 2005

- (1) FFF  
(2) TTT  
(3) FFT  
(4) FTT

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

75. Read the following statemetns and select the correct option.

Assertion (A): Directive principles are enshrined in the Constitution for the Government Administration.

Reason (R): People can question in the court for not implementing Directive Principles.

- (1) A is false but R is true  
(2) R is false but A is ture  
(3) A and R are true and R is correct explanation of A  
(4) A and R are true but R is not correct explanation of A

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

76. Indicators involved in Human Development Index (HDI)

- (1) National Income, Employment Rate and Sex Ratio  
(2) Per Capita Income, Life Expectancy and Literacy Rate of women  
(3) Life Expectancy, Literacy Attainment and Purchasing Power of People  
(4) National Income, Purchasing power of People and Sex Ratio

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

77. Identify the correct statement from the following

- (1) As the literacy of people increases, birth rate also increases  
(2) As the literacy of people increases, birth rate decreases  
(3) As the literacy of people decreases birth rate also decreases  
(4) There is no relation between literacy of people and birth rate.

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual



78. Consider the following aspects of Fiscal Deficit

A. Primary Deficit =  $\left(\text{Fiscal Deficit}\right) - \left(\text{Interest Payment}\right)$

B. Revenue Deficit =  $\left(\text{Total Revenue}\right) - \left(\text{Total Expenditure}\right)$

Reference to the above

- (1) A is correct, B is not correct
- (2) B is correct, A is not correct
- (3) Both A and B are correct
- (4) Both A and B are not correct

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

79. Aspects of Money supply concepts are given below.

- a. Currency Notes                      b. Coins
- c. Savings deposits in Post Office
- d. Time/term deposits of Commerical Banks

The Group which classifies the above aspects as 'Narrow' and 'Broad' Money respectively

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

**Answer (1)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

80. Statistics related to 2011 census are given below. Identify the correctly matched ones.

- |                              |            |
|------------------------------|------------|
| List-A                       | List-B     |
| A. Work participation rate   | i. 30.7%   |
| B. People living in villages | ii. 65.46% |
| C. Female literacy rate      | iii. 39.8% |
| D. 0 - 14 years children     | iv. 68.8%  |

- (1) A-iv,B-iii,C-i,D-ii              (2) A-iii,B-iv,C-ii,D-i
- (3) A-iv,B-ii,C-i,D-iii              (4) A-iii,B-iv,C-i,D-ii

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Conceptual

81. If the sum of 'n' terms of an arithmetic progression

is  $S_n = 3n + 2n^2$  then its common difference is

- (1) 9                                      (2) 6
- (3) 4                                      (4) 3

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.**  $S_n = 3n + 2n^2$

$t_n = S_n - S_{n-1}$

$= 2n^2 + 3n - 2(n-1)^2 - 3(n-1)$

$= 2n^2 + 3n - 2n^2 - 2 + 4n - 3n + 3$

$= 4n + 1$

$t_1 = 5, \quad t_2 = 9 \quad t_3 = 13$

common difference =  $9 - 5 = 4$ .

82. The value of  $\left( {}^{2010}\sqrt{2\sqrt{7} - 3\sqrt{3}} \right) \left( {}^{4020}\sqrt{55 + 12\sqrt{21}} \right)$  is

- (1) -1                                      (2) 0
- (3) 1                                        (4) 2

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.**  $\left( {}^{2010}\sqrt{2\sqrt{7} - 3\sqrt{3}} \right) {}^{4020}\sqrt{55 + 12\sqrt{21}}$

$\left( 2\sqrt{7} - 3\sqrt{3} \right)^{1/2010} {}^{4020}\sqrt{\left( 2\sqrt{7} \right)^2 + \sqrt{7}3\sqrt{3} + \left( 3\sqrt{3} \right)^2}$

$\left( 2\sqrt{7} - 3\sqrt{3} \right)^{1/2010} \left( 2\sqrt{7} + 3\sqrt{3} \right)^{2/4020}$

$\left( \left( 2\sqrt{7} \right)^2 - \left( 3\sqrt{3} \right)^2 \right)^{1/2010}$

$(28 - 27)^{1/2010} = 1$

83. If the graphs of  $x - y = 2$  and  $kx + y = 3$  (k is a constant) intersect at a point in first quadrant then the value of k is

- (1) equal to -1                      (2) greater than -1
- (3) less than  $4/3$                       (4) between -1 and  $4/3$

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.**  $x - y = 2$

$kx + y = 3$

adding  $(k+1)x = 5$

$x = \frac{5}{k+1}$

$y = x - 2$

$= \frac{5}{k+1} - 2 = \frac{-2k+3}{k+1}$

In first quadrant

$x > 0$  &  $y > 0$

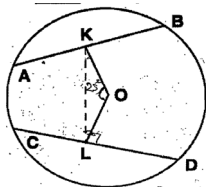
$\frac{5}{k+1} > 0$                                $\frac{-2k+3}{k+1} > 0$

$\Rightarrow k > -1$                                $\frac{-}{-1} \quad \frac{+}{3/2} \quad \frac{-}{-}$

$K \in \left( -1, \frac{3}{2} \right)$

so k lies between - 1 and  $4/3$

84. In the given circle with centre 'O', K and L are the mid points of equal chords AB and CD respectively.  $\angle OLK = 25^\circ$  then the value of  $\angle LKB$  is equal to



- (1)  $125^\circ$   
(2)  $115^\circ$   
(3)  $105^\circ$   
(4)  $90^\circ$

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.** Equal chord are equidistant from centre

$$\angle OLK = \angle OKL = 25$$

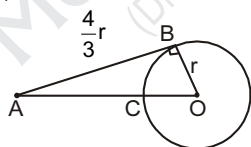
$$\& \angle LKB = 90^\circ + 25 = 115^\circ$$

85. A tangent of length 'L' is drawn from a point 'A' to a circle of radius 'r'. The length of tangent is  $\frac{4}{3}$  of r, then the shortest distance from point A to circle is

- (1)  $\frac{r}{2}$  (2)  $\frac{2r}{3}$   
(3)  $\frac{L}{2}$  (4)  $\frac{2L}{3}$

**Answer (2), (3)**

**Sol.**  $OA = \sqrt{\left(\frac{4}{3}r\right)^2 + r^2}$   
 $= \sqrt{\frac{16r^2}{9} + r^2}$   
 $= \frac{5}{3}r$

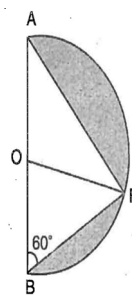


$$\text{Shortest Distance} = \frac{5}{3}r - r$$

$$= \frac{2r}{3} \quad \text{and} \quad L = \frac{4r}{3}$$

$$r = \frac{3L}{4} = \frac{L}{2}$$

86. In the figure a semicircle with centre 'O' is drawn on AB. If  $\angle ABP = 60^\circ$  then the ratio of larger to smaller shaded region is



- (1)  $\frac{4\pi - 2\sqrt{3}}{2\pi - 2\sqrt{3}}$  (2)  $\frac{4\pi - 3\sqrt{3}}{3\pi - 3\sqrt{3}}$   
(3)  $\frac{4\pi - 3\sqrt{3}}{2\pi - 3\sqrt{3}}$  (4)  $\frac{2\pi - 2\sqrt{3}}{\pi - 2\sqrt{3}}$

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.** Area of segment  $\widehat{AB} = \frac{\pi r^2 \theta}{360} - \frac{1}{2} r^2 \sin \theta$  for  $\theta = 120^\circ$

Area as segment  $\widehat{PB} = \frac{\pi r^2 \theta}{360} - \frac{1}{2} r^2 \sin \theta$  for  $\theta = 120^\circ$

$$\text{Ratio} = \frac{\pi \times \frac{120}{360} - \frac{1}{2} \sin 120^\circ}{\pi \frac{60}{360} - \frac{1}{2} \sin 60^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{1\sqrt{3}}{2}}{\frac{\pi}{6} - \frac{1\sqrt{3}}{2}} = \frac{4\pi - 2\sqrt{3}}{12} \times \frac{24}{4\pi - 6\sqrt{3}} = \frac{4\pi - 3\sqrt{3}}{2\pi - 3\sqrt{3}}$$

87. The value of 'C' if  $\left(\frac{C}{2}, 14\right)$  is the mid point of the line joining the points  $(-3, 8)$  and  $(-15, 20)$  is

- (1) 2 (2) -9  
(3) -18 (4) -15

**Answer (3)**

**Sol.**  $\frac{c}{2} = \frac{-3 - 15}{2}$   
 $c = -18$

88. If the line segment joining  $(2, 3)$  and  $(-1, 2)$  is divided internally in the ratio 3:4 by the graph of the equation  $x + 2y = k$  then the value of 'k' is

- (1)  $\frac{5}{7}$  (2)  $\frac{31}{7}$   
(3)  $\frac{36}{7}$  (4)  $\frac{41}{7}$

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.** (2,3) & (-1,2)

Ratio 3 : 4

$$\left(\frac{-3+8}{7}, \frac{6+12}{7}\right) \equiv \left(\frac{5}{7}, \frac{18}{7}\right)$$

$$x + 2y = k$$

$$\frac{5}{7} + \frac{36}{7} = k$$

89. If  $(\sin\theta + \operatorname{cosec}\theta)^2 + (\cos\theta + \sec\theta)^2 = \tan^2\theta + \cot^2\theta + k$  then the value of 'k' is

- (1) 9 (2) 7  
(3) 4 (4) 3

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.**  $(\sin\theta + \operatorname{cosec}\theta)^2 + (\cos\theta + \sec\theta)^2$

$$\sin^2\theta + \operatorname{cosec}^2\theta + 2 + \cos^2\theta + \sec^2\theta + 2$$

$$5 + 1 + \cot^2\theta + 1 + \tan^2\theta$$

$$7 + \tan^2\theta + \cot^2\theta$$

$$\text{so } k = 7$$

90. If  $(3\sin\theta) + (5\cos\theta) = 5$ , then the value of  $(5\sin\theta) - (3\cos\theta)$  is

- (1)  $\pm 4$  (2)  $\pm 3$   
(3)  $\pm 5$  (4)  $\pm 2$

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.**  $3\sin\theta + 5\cos\theta = 5$  (1)

$$\text{Let } 5\sin\theta - 3\cos\theta = x \quad (2)$$

squaring and adding (1) and (2)

$$9 + 25 = 25 + x^2$$

$$x^2 = 9 \quad x = \pm 3$$

91. If the roots of  $x^2 - px + q = 0$  are two consecutive integers then the value of  $p^2 - 4q$  is

- (1) 4 (2) 3  
(3) 2 (4) 1

**Answer (4)**

**Sol.**  $x^2 - px + q = 0$

Roots are consecutive integer so

$$\alpha - \beta = 1$$

$$(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 4\alpha\beta = 1$$

$$p^2 - 4q = 1$$

92. The mean of 'n' numbers of a series is  $\bar{X}$ . If the sum of first  $(n-1)$  terms is 'k' then the nth number is

- (1)  $\bar{X} - k$  (2)  $n\bar{X} - k$   
(3)  $\bar{X} - nk$  (4)  $n(\bar{X} - k)$

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.**  $\bar{X} = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n}{n}$

$$x_n = n\bar{X} - k$$

93. Three squares of a chess board are selected at random. The probability of getting two squares of one colour and other of a different colour is

- (1)  $\frac{16}{21}$  (2)  $\frac{8}{21}$   
(3)  $\frac{3}{32}$  (4)  $\frac{3}{8}$

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.**  $n(s) = 64C_3 = \frac{64}{3 \cdot 6} = \frac{64 \times 63 \times 62}{63 \times 2}$

$$n(E) = 32C_2 \cdot 32C_1$$

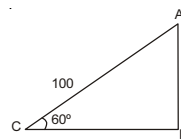
$$= \frac{32}{2 \cdot 30} \cdot 32 = \frac{32 \times 31 \times 32}{2}$$

$$P(E) = \frac{32 \times 31 \times 32}{2 \times 64 \times 21 \times 31} = \frac{8}{21}$$

94. The string of a kite of length 100m makes an angle of  $60^\circ$  with the horizontal ground. Imaging that there is no slack in the string, the height of the kite from the ground is

- (1)  $50\sqrt{3}$  m (2)  $100\sqrt{3}$  m  
(3)  $50\sqrt{2}$  m (4) 100 m

**Answer (1)**



**Sol.**

Let AB = height

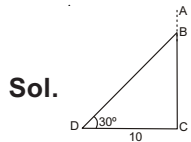
In  $\Delta ACB$   $\sin 60^\circ = \frac{AB}{100}$

$$AB = 100 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = 50\sqrt{3} \text{ m/s}$$

95. The tip of a partially broken tree touches the ground at a point 10m from foot of it and makes an angle of elevation of  $30^\circ$  from the ground. Then, the height of the tree is

- (1)  $\frac{10}{\sqrt{3}}$  m                      (2)  $10\sqrt{3}$  m  
(3)  $\frac{20}{\sqrt{3}}$  m                      (4)  $30\sqrt{3}$  m

**Answer (2)**



**Sol.**

Height of Tree = BC + CD

$$\text{In } \triangle ABC \quad \tan 30^\circ = \frac{BC}{10}$$

$$BC = \frac{10}{\sqrt{3}} \text{ m} \quad (1)$$

$$(0) 30^\circ = \frac{10}{BD}$$

$$BD = \frac{10}{\sqrt{3}} \times 2 = \frac{20}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{Height} = \frac{10}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{20}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{30}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{30\sqrt{3}}{3} = 10\sqrt{3}$$

96. If l, m and n are zeroes of the polynomial  $f(x) = 2x^3 + 5x^2 + 6x + 10$  then the value of  $\frac{1}{l} + \frac{1}{m} + \frac{1}{n}$  is

- (1)  $-\frac{5}{2}$                                       (2)  $-\frac{3}{5}$   
(3)  $-\frac{5}{3}$                                       (4)  $-\frac{2}{5}$

**Answer (2)**

**Sol.**  $f(x) = 2x^3 + 5x^2 + 6x + 10$

$$lm + mG + ln = \frac{6}{2} 3$$

$$lmn = \frac{10}{2} = -5$$

$$\text{Nov } \frac{1}{l} + \frac{1}{m} + \frac{1}{n} = \frac{mn + ml + lm}{lmn}$$

$$= \frac{3}{-5}$$

97. The perimeters of similar triangles  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle DEF$  are 60cm and 36cm respectively. If  $BC=18$ cm then measure of EF is

- (1) 1.08 cm                              (2) 30 cm  
(3) 10.8 cm                              (4) 8 cm

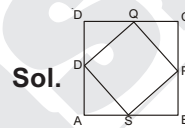
**Answer (3)**

$$\text{Sol. } \frac{60}{36} = \frac{18}{EF} \Rightarrow EF = \frac{18 \times 36}{60} = \frac{54}{5} = 10.8 \text{ cm}$$

98. If PQRS is a square whose vertices are on the sides of a square ABCD then the ratio of the areas of square PQRS to square ABCD is

- (1) 1:2                                      (2)  $1:\sqrt{2}$   
(3) 2:1                                      (4)  $\sqrt{2}:1$

**Answer (1)**



**Sol.**

Let  $AB = a$   
area ABCD =  $a^2$

$$PQ = \sqrt{\left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{a^2}{2}} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$PQRS = \frac{a^2}{2}$$

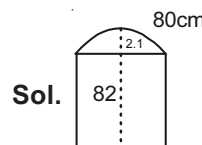
$$\text{Ratio Ratio} = \frac{a^2}{2} \frac{1}{a^2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

1:2

99. The volume of a burette of height 82.1cm obtained by attaching a hemispherical nob on one side of a cylinder of height 80cm is

- (1) 1.1 Lt.                                      (2) 1.0 Lt.  
(3) 1.2 Lt.                                      (4) 1.4 Lt.

**Answer (1)**



**Sol.**

$$\text{Volume} = \pi \times (2.1)^2 \times 80 + \frac{2}{3} \pi (2.1)^3$$

$$= 1.10$$

100. A conical vessel of radius 6cm and height 8cm is respectively filled with water. A metal sphere is lowered into the water. The size of the sphere is such that when it touches the inner surface, it just gets immersed. Then, the fraction of water that overflows from the conical vessel is

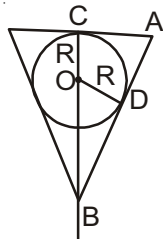
(1)  $\frac{3}{8}$

(2)  $\frac{5}{8}$

(3)  $\frac{7}{8}$

(4)  $\frac{5}{16}$

**Answer (1)**



**Sol.**

$$BC = 8 \text{ cm } AC = 6 \text{ cm}$$

$$OC = OD = R \quad AD = 6 \text{ cm}$$

$$BD = AB - AD$$

$$= 10 - 6$$

$$= 4 \text{ cm}$$

$$BO^2 = OD^2 + BD^2$$

$$(8-R)^2 = R^2 + 4^2$$

$$\Rightarrow R = 3 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{fraction of the volume} = \frac{\frac{4}{3} \pi R^3}{\frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h}$$

$$= \frac{4 \times 3^3}{6^2 \times 8}$$

$$= \frac{3}{8}$$



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