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General Awareness

Instructions

For the following questions answer them individually

Question 1

What is the span of the 12th Five Year Plan of India?

- A 2007-2012
- B 2008-2013
- C 2012-2017
- D 2010-2015
- E 2013-2018

Answer: C

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Question 2

Which of the following bodies/ agencies is not related to the financial sector of India?

- A SEBI
- B IRDA
- C RBI
- D NABARD
- E BIS

Answer: E

Question 3

Which of the following statements is/are not correct regarding the Reserve Bank of India?

- a. The Reserve Bank of India was established in accordance with the provisions of Reserve Bank of India Act, 1949.
- b. Sir James Taylor was the first Governor of RBI.
- c. The Reserve Bank of India issues and exchanges or destroys currency notes and coins that are not fit for circulation. Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- A Only a
- B Both a and b
- C Only c
- D Both b and c
- E None of these

Answer: B

Question 4

With the establishment of Grameen Bank in which of the following countries in 1983 is micro credit considered to have been originated?

- A India
- B Bangladesh
- C South Africa
- D Malaysia
- E Cambodia

Answer: B

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Question 5

Who was the Comptroller and Auditor General of India till the middle of 2012?

- A C.G. Somaiyah
- B V.K. Shunglu
- C V.N. Kaul
- D Vinod Rai
- E Shashikant Sharma

Answer: D

Question 6

Pound Sterling is the official currency of ___.

- A Australia
- B United Kingdom
- C Canada
- D South Africa
- E European Union

Answer: B

Question 7

We often come across the abbreviated term of NPA in financial magazines. What does it stand for?

- A Non-Participant Assembly
- B Non-Performing Asset
- C New Personal Apprentice
- D New Programming Assistant
- E Non Portable Assistant

Answer: B

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Question 8

With which of the following sports/games is Gagan Narang associated?

- A Badminton
- B Snooker
- C Shooting
- D Tennis
- E Chess

Answer: C

Question 9

Defence Research and Development Organization (DRDO) successfully test-fired BrahMos supersonic cruise missile from the Integrated Test Range (ITR) at Chandipur on 29 July 2012. In which state of India is Chandipur located?

- A Andhra Pradesh
- B Maharashtra
- C Odisha
- D Karnataka
- E Rajasthan

Answer: C

Question 10

Prime Minister of India Dr. Manmohan Singh is a Rajya Sabha Member of Parliament from

- A Assam
- B West Bengal
- C Punjab
- D Bihar
- E Maharashtra

Answer: A

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Question 11

With which country did India sign a Double Taxation avoidance agreement in July 2012?

- A Pakistan
- B Myanmar

- C Indonesia
- D Laos
- E Malaysia

Answer: C

Question 12

Which of the following teams won the UEFA (Union of European Football Associations) Euro Cup Football Championship 2012?

- A Spain
- B Italy
- C Russia
- D Portugal
- E The Netherlands

Answer: A

Question 13

The Union Ministry of Commerce brings out a monthly data on the growth of core sectors. Which of the following does not come under 'core sectors'?

- A Agriculture
- B Crude oil
- C Petroleum refinery products
- D Natural gas
- E Fertilizers

Answer: A

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Question 14

Which of the following organizations/regional association is military in nature?

- A G8
- B BRICS
- C NATO
- D ASEAN
- E NAFTA

Answer: C

Question 15

With reference to the insurance and banking sector, which of the following is the most appropriate explanation of 'PIN'?

- A People In Need
- B Postal Index Number
- C Progressive Inflammatory Neuropathy
- D Personal Identification Number
- E None of these

Answer: D

Question 16

In India, which of the following taxes cannot be levied by the union government?

- A Income tax
- B Tax on capital transactions
- C Inheritance tax
- D Service tax
- E Tax on professions

Answer: E

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Question 17

Which of the following companies recently announced to invest 28000 crore from 2012 to 2020 due to increasing youth population?

- A Nokia
- B Coca Cola
- C Vodafone
- D Pepsi
- E Ikea

Answer: B

Question 18

In which of the following Grand Slam events was Dress Code introduced recently?

- A Australian Open
- B Wimbledon
- C French Open
- D US Open
- E Rome Masters

Answer: B

Question 19

Where is the headquarters of the United Nations Environment Programme located, which was in news recently?

- A Manila
- B Nairobi
- C Montrea
- D Tokyo
- E Vienna

Answer: B

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Question 20

Which of the following terms is not used in banking sector?

- A Cash Reserve
- B Actuary
- C Daily Product Basis
- D Letter of Credit
- E Remittancel

Answer: B

Question 21

We often read about the increasing trend of 'Plastic Money' in newspapers and financial magazines. In this respect, which of the following is/are not the forms of Plastic Money?

- A Debit Card
- B Cash Card
- C Credit Card
- D Banknote
- E Store Card

Answer: D

Question 22

Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding NABARD?

- a. It has its headquarters in New Delhi.
- b. It was established in 1982.
- c. It is active in developing financial inclusion policy.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- A Only a
- B Both b and c

- C Only c
- D Both a and c
- E Only b

Answer: A

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Question 23

Which of the following names is/are not associated with the banking sector?

- A STANDARD CHARTERED
- B AXIS
- C IRDA
- D CITI
- E EXIM

Answer: C

Question 24

What is the term for the rate at which the RBI borrows money from commercial banks in India?

- A Rep Rate
- B Statutory Liquidity Rate
- C Cash Reserve Ratio
- D Reverse Repo Rate
- E Benchmark Lending Rate

Answer: D

Question 25

'ISOT' was in the recent news. With which of the following is the "T" in ISOT related?

- A Trade
- B Textile
- C Taxation
- D Transaction
- E Thermal

Answer: B

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Question 26

Which of the following comes under Direct Tax in India?

- A Taxes on assets
- B Property tax
- C Income Tax
- D Service Tax
- E Corporate tax

Answer: D

Question 27

Pranab Mukherjee recently took oath of office and secrecy as the 14th President of India. Which schedule in the Constitution of India deals with forms of oath?

- A First schedule
- B Third Schedule
- C Fifth schedule
- D Seventh schedule
- E Ninth schedule

Answer: B

Question 28

Sally Ride who died recently was a

- A Nobel Prize winner
- B American author and poetess
- C First woman Chief Justice of US Supreme Court
- D First US woman to travel into space
- E US Secretary of State

Answer: D

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Question 29

Which of the following terms is used in economics to describe a situation where an inflation rate is high, the economic growth rate slows down, and unemployment remains steadily high?

- A Devaluation
- B Stagflation
- C Depreciation

- D Recession
- E Depression

Answer: B

Question 30

In India, the Wholesale Price Index is brought out on a basis.

- A Weekly
- B Fortnightly
- C Monthly
- D Quarterly
- E Half yearly

Answer: C

Question 31

The Seventh G20 Summit recently took place in Los Cabos. In which country is Los Cabos situated?

- A Switzerland
- B Mexico
- C Venezuela
- D New Zealand
- E Spain

Answer: B

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Question 32

Nestle Health Science recently acquired a stake in U.S based company Accera. Which of the following is/are manufactured by Nestle?

- A KitKat chocolate
- B Nescafe coffee
- C Maggi soup
- D Both 2 and 3
- E All of the above

Answer: E

Question 33

Eminent Freedom Fighter and social activist Captain Lakshmi Sehgal passed away recently. She was associated with

- A Indian National Congress

- B Home Rule League
- C Ghadar Party
- D Indian National Army
- E Forward Bloc

Answer: D

Question 34

Which of the following is correct regarding SIDBI?

- a. It aids the growth and development of micro, small and medium-scale enterprises in India.
- b. It was set up in 1996 through an executive decision of the Government of India.
- c. Sushil Muhnot :a the chairman of SIDBI.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- A Only b
- B Both a and c
- C Only a
- D Only c
- E None of these

Answer: B

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Question 35

The EXIM Bank of India is associated with

- A Export finance
- B Micro credit
- C Regional finance
- D Industrial finance
- E All of the above

Answer: A

Question 36

Maruti Suzuki India Limited recently announced to close down its Factory at Manesar. In which state of India is Manesar situated?

- A Gujarat
- B Rajasthan
- C Odisha
- D Haryana
- E Uttar Pradesh

Answer: D

Question 37

Who, among the following renowned authors, released his book, titled 'Joseph Anton' recently?

- A V.S. Naipaul
- B Salman Rushdie
- C Jeet Thayil
- D Vikram Seth
- E Khushwant Singh

Answer: B

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Question 38

Which Indian Environmental philosopher was recently honoured by the Government of Japan with the Fukuoka Prize?

- A Medha Patkar
- B Anna Hazare
- C Vandana Shiva
- D Aruna Roy
- E H.R. Shastri

Answer: C

Question 39

With which two other countries did India recently sign the Shared Awareness and De-confliction (SHADE) initiative?

- A Russia and China
- B USA and Britain
- C Japan and China
- D Russia and Japan
- E Pakistan and Bangladesh

Answer: C

Question 40

In the field of banking, which of the following activities can be performed through mobile banking?

- A Cash-in, cash-out transactions
- B Commercial payment processing
- C Domestic and international fund transfers
- D Direct to Home package recharging

E All of the above

Answer: E

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Computer Knowledge

Instructions

For the following questions answer them individually

Question 41

A cell in a different sheet can be referred using

A (Sheet name).(cell reference)

B (Sheet name)=(cell reference)

C (Sheet name),(cell reference)

D (Sheet name)!(cell reference)

E (Sheet name):(cell reference)

Answer: D

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Question 42

Which statement is not true about format painter

A It cannot be used multiple times

B It quickly copies character and paragraph formatting

C It works only if you already have some text formatted the way you like

D It can be used to format either one section or multiple sections of text

E None of these

Answer: A

Question 43

To move cursor to the beginning of the document press

A HOME

B Page UP

C SHIFT+ HOME

D CTRL+ HOME

E CTRL+ Page Up

Answer: D

Question 44

CTRL+ Up Arrow moves the cursor

- A One line up
- B One paragraph up
- C One page up
- D One screen up
- E None of these

Answer: B

Question 45

To save and close a document you can use

- A CTRL+ S
- B CTRL+Q
- C CTRL+ C
- D CTRL+ W
- E CTRL+ Y

Answer: D

Question 46

Using CTRL+ F12 opens

- A Save dialog box
- B Save As dialog box
- C New dialog box
- D Open dialog box
- E None of these

Answer: D

Question 47

File that starts the Word application

- A WORD .EXE
- B MS-WORD.EXE
- C MSWORD.EXE
- D WINWORD .EXE
- E MSWINWORD .EXE

Answer: D



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Question 48

You can save a document in _____ ways

- A 6
- B 9
- C 2
- D 1
- E 3

Answer: E

Question 49

_____ allows you to insert mathematical symbols and formulae in the document

- A Symbols
- B Object
- C References
- D Table
- E Illustrations

Answer: B

Question 50

To convert a symbol or several lines of text into an Auto-Correct entry

- A Insert the symbol or type the text in a Word document first. Then, select the text or symbol and click the Edit menu followed by Paste Special. Select New AutoCorrect Entry and then click OK
- B AutoCorrect can only accommodate one line of text. It is not possible to convert a symbol or multiple lines of text into an AutoCorrect entry
- C Insert the symbol or type the text in a Word document first. Then, select the text or symbol and go to the AutoCorrect dialog box
- D Click the Tools menu and choose AutoCorrect Options. Then, click the Insert menu and choose Symbol (or click the Format menu and choose Paragraph) to add the symbol or paragraph to Auto-Correct
- E None of these

Answer: C

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Question 51

How can you send a document to another person so that the fancy font should display properly irrespective of the font is installed in that computer or not

- A Using embedded fonts
- B Saving true type fonts
- C Saving fonts
- D Using Save As option
- E Using embedded true type fonts

Answer: E

Question 52

A key or combination of keys which is ____ should be assigned as shortcut symbol

- A Belongs to the same font family as the symbol
- B Already assigned to some "task
- C Unassigned
- D Located on the keypad section of keyboard
- E Frequently used

Answer: C

Question 53

_____ menu provides an option to check spellings

- A View
- B Edit
- C Format
- D Tools
- E Review

Answer: D

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Question 54

Slide transition is

- A The way one slide looks
- B Letters formatting
- C Overheads actually
- D A special effect used to introduce a slide in a slide show
- E Animation provided to a single component of a slide

Answer: D

Question 55

"Apply Design Template" tool

- A Changes the content of the slide
- B Changes the look of the slide without changing the content
- C Applies the template color scheme to your slide
- D Adds functionality to the slide
- E Changes the layout of your slide as per a template design

Answer: B

Question 56

To print handouts with lines for notes, number of slides per page should be set to

- A 2
- B 4
- C 6
- D 3
- E 1

Answer: D

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Question 57

In _____ processes, the changes made in the linked object do not reflect and save in the original document

- A Linking
- B Embedding
- C Inserting
- D Hyper linking
- E Saving

Answer: B

Question 58

_____ is necessary file in the DOS bootable disk

- A COMMAND.COM
- B DOS.EXE
- C VER.COM
- D BATCH.EXE

E FORMAT.EXE

Answer: A

Question 59

In a network, the most reliable communication is provided by _____ protocol

A FTP

B HTTP

C TCP

D IP

E UDP

Answer: C

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Question 60

Internet is _____ switched network

A Cell

B Circuit

C Message

D Packet

E None of these

Answer: D

Question 61

An IP address of a computer is also known as _____

A Client address

B Computer address

C Member address

D Internet host address

E Local host address

Answer: E

Question 62

DHCP is

A Dynamic host communication program

B Dynamic host control protocol

- C Dynamic host control program
- D Dynamic host configuration protocol
- E Dynamic hyper configuration protocol

Answer: D

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Question 63

Bandwidth of a network is

- A Data transfer rate
- B Type of transmission
- C Number of computers
- D IP class address
- E Cables functionality

Answer: A

Question 64

The web standards are defined by

- A Microsoft
- B Apple
- C IBM
- D Wipro
- E W3C

Answer: E

Question 65

Universal Resource Identifier

- A Creates resources in a web document
- B Creates a frame in a web page
- C Allows customization of images in web documents
- D Is a page number in a web document
- E Identifies a page location

Answer: E

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Question 66

To insert a new slide in a presentation, press_____

- A CTRL+N
- B CTRL+M
- C CTRL+O
- D CTRL+S
- E CTRL+F

Answer: B

Question 67

Drop Cap offers _____ positions in settings

- A 3
- B 6
- C 2
- D 5
- E 1

Answer: A

Question 68

The feature of Word that automatically adjusts the amount of space between certain combination of characters so that an entire word looks more evenly spaced is termed as

- A Spacing
- B Kerning
- C Positioning
- D Scaling
- E Justifying

Answer: B

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Question 69

While recording a macro, the third step will be

- A Using your mouse or keyboard, perform the task you want to automate
- B Assign a keyboard shortcut to the macro
- C Give the macro a name
- D Start recording

E Select the location of macro on toolbar

Answer: B

Question 70

_____ is not available on the Ruler of MS Word screen

A Center Indent

B Right Indent

C Left Indent

D Tab stop box

E None of these

Answer: A

Question 71

Which cannot be used to close the Word application

A ALT+ F4

B File-> Close

C File-> Exit

D X button in the word window

E None of these

Answer: B

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Question 72

Excel workbook contains

A Workbooks

B Worksheets

C Worksheets and charts

D Work areas

E All of these

Answer: C

Question 73

Consolidate option does not offer _____ function

A AVERAGE

B MAX

C PMT

D SUM

E StDev

Answer: C

Question 74

To see first row and first column in an excel sheet at all times even if you scroll till the end of sheet

A Use workbook views feature

B Use switch windows feature

C Use freeze panes feature

D Use freeze row and freeze column option

E Use headings

Answer: D

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Question 75

NOW() returns

A Current date

B Current time

C Current year

D Current date and time

E Current month

Answer: D

Question 76

Default header of a worksheet

A Username

B Date and time

C Sheet name

D Workspace name

E None of these

Answer: E

Question 77

Which of these language uses both interpreter and compiler

- A COBOL
- B BASIC
- C JAVA
- D C++
- E All of these

Answer: C

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Question 78

_____ is a type of memory organization or image file format used to store digital images

- A Pixmap
- B GUI
- C Pixel
- D Resolution
- E Vector graphics

Answer: A

Question 79

_____ file format used for data compression and archiving

- A .EXE
- B .INI
- C .COM
- D .ZIP
- E .WIN

Answer: D

Question 80

In second generation, _____ language were introduced after binary language

- A Assembly level language
- B High level language
- C Low level language
- D Data definition language
- E Structured query language

Answer: A

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English

Instructions

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below it. Certain words have been printed in bold to help you locate them while answering some of the questions.

Delays of several months in National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (NREGS) wage payments and work sites where laborers have lost all hope of being paid at all have become the norm in many states. How are workers who exist on the margins of subsistence supposed to feed their families? Under the scheme, workers must be paid within 15 days, failing which they are entitled to compensation under the Payment of Wages Act-upto Rs. 3,000 per aggrieved worker. In reality, compensation is received in only a few isolated instances.

It is often argued by officials that the main reason for the delay is the inability of banks and post offices to handle mass payments of NREGS wages. Though there is a grain of truth in this, as a diagnosis it is misleading. The 'jam' in the banking system has been the result of the hasty switch to bank payments imposed by the Central Government against the recommendation of the Central Employment Guarantee Council which advocated a gradual transition starting with villages relatively close to the nearest bank.

However delays are not confined solely to the banking system. Operational hurdles include implementing agencies taking more than fifteen days to issue payment orders, viewing of work measurement as a cumbersome process resulting in procrastination by the engineering staff and non-maintenance of muster rolls and job cards etc. But behind these delays lies a deeper and deliberate 'backlash' against the NREGS. With bank payments making it much harder to embezzle NREGS funds, the programme is seen as a headache by many government functionaries-the workload has remained without the "inducements". Slowing down wage payments is a convenient way of sabotaging the scheme because, workers will desert NREGS work-sites.

The common sense solution advocated by the government is to adopt the business correspondent model wherein bank agents will go to villages to make cash payments and duly record them on handheld electronic devices. This solution is based on the wrong diagnosis that distance separating villages from banks is the main issue. In order to accelerate payment, clear timeliness for every step of the payment process should be incorporated into the system as Programme Officers often have no data on delays and cannot exert due pressure to remedy the situation. Workers are both clueless and powerless with no provision for them to air their grievances and seek redress. In drought affected areas the system of piece rate work can be dispensed with, where work measurement is not completed within a week and wages may be paid on the basis of attendance. Buffer funds can be provided to gram panchayats and post offices to avoid bottlenecks in the flow of funds. Partial advances could also be considered provided wage payments are meticulously tracked. But failure to recognize problems and unwillingness to remedy them will remain major threats to the NREGS.

Question 81

Which of the following factors has not been responsible for untimely payment of NREGS wages?

- A Communication delays between agencies implementing the scheme
- B Improper record keeping
- C Behind schedule release of payments by banks
- D Drought conditions prevalent in the country
- E Delays in work measurement

Answer: D

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Question 82

What impact have late wage payments had on NREGS workers?

- A They cannot obtain employment till their dues are cleared
- B They have benefited from the compensation awarded to them

- C The have been unable to provide for their families
- D They have been ostracised by their families who depend on them for sustenance
- E None of these

Answer: C

Question 83

Which of the following can be said about the National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme?

- (A) Skilled engineers are not compensated under this scheme.
- (B) The scheme should be implemented only in famine prone areas.
- (C) Employees have not complied with all the requirements of the scheme.

- A Only (A)
- B Only (C)
- C Only (B) and (C)
- D Only (A) and (B)
- E None of these

Answer: B

Question 84

What has the outcome of disbursing NREGS wages through banks been?

- A Theft of funds by administration officials responsible for the scheme has reduced
- B Increased workload for local government officials
- C Protests by workers who have to travel long distances to the nearest bank to claim their wages
- D Time consuming formalities have to be completed by workers
- E None of these

Answer: A

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Question 85

Which of the following is NOT true in the context of the passage?

- (A) Workers are reluctant to open bank accounts as branches are not conveniently located.
- (B) Local officials often delay wage payments in drought prone areas to benefit workers.
- (C) The Government has not implemented every recommendation of the Central Employment Guarantee Council.

- A Only (B)
- B Only (A) and (B)
- C Only (B) and (C)
- D All (A), (B) and (C)
- E None of these

Answer: B

Question 86

Which of the following can be considered a deficiency in the NAEGSf?

- A Lack of co-ordination among Programme Officers
- B Local officials are unaware of correct operational procedures
- C Workers have no means of obtaining redress for untimely wage payments
- D Disbursing wages through banks instead of readily accessible post offices
- E The Central Employment Guarantee Council is reluctant to award Compensation to workers

Answer: C

Question 87

What solution has the author suggested to expedite NREGS wage payments?

- A Empower the Central Employment Guarantee Council to monitor the NREGS
- B Implement payment of wages in cash at all work-sites
- C Restrict the amount of funds to local government bodies in order to curb frauds
- D Provide attendance records to workers so they have proof to claim their wages
- E Clear timelines for every step of the payment should be incorporated

Answer: E

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Question 88

What is the author's view about the government's solution to the problem of delayed wage payments?

- A He agrees with it as workers will not have to bear the expense of travelling long distances to claim their wages
- B He is not in favor of it as funds can be misappropriated by agents
- C He welcomes it as the time consuming work measurement process will be done away with
- D He feels it does not address the core issues plaguing the scheme
- E He feels it will ensure flawless implementation of the scheme

Answer: D

Question 89

According to the passage, which of the following has/ have been the consequence(s) of delayed wage payments ?

- (A) Compensation to victimised workers has amounted to crores
- (B) Banks will no longer be entrusted with remitting wages.
- (C) Regulations to ensure punctual wage payments have come into force.

- A None
- B Only (A)

- C Only (A) and (C)
- D Only (A) and (B)
- E Only (B) and (C)

Answer: A

Question 90

To which of the following has the author attributed the delay in wage payments ?

- A Embezzlement of funds by corrupt bank staff
- B Lack of monitoring by the Central Employment Guarantee Council
- C An attempt to derail the NREGS by vested interests
- D Over worked bank staff deliberately delay payments to protest against extra work
- E Engineers' efforts to wreck the NREGS because of low wages

Answer: C

Instructions

Choose the word which is most similar in meaning to the word printed in bold as used in the passage.

Question 91

DESERT

- A betray
- B escape
- C barren
- D abandon
- E vacant

Answer: D

Question 92

ISOLATED

- A lonely
- B separated
- C detached
- D hidden
- E rare

Answer: E

Question 93

CONFINED

- A locked
- B restricted
- C detained
- D captured
- E imprisoned

Answer: B

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Instructions

Choose the word which is most opposite in meaning to the word printed in bold as used in, the passage.

Question 94

DELIBERATE

- A unsteady
- B abrupt
- C mistake
- D chosen
- E accidental

Answer: E

Question 95

CONVENIENT

- A troublesome
- B annoying
- C appropriate
- D easy
- E distant

Answer: A

Instructions

Which of the phrases a, b, c: and d: given below should replace the phrase given in bold in the following sentence to make the sentence meaningful and grammatically correct. If the sentence is correct as it is and 'No correction is required', mark e: as the answer.

Question 96

The designs finally ready and we shall submit them for approval tomorrow, well before the specified deadline.

- A designs finally will be
- B designs are finally

- C final designs
- D designing finally
- E No correction required

Answer: B

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Question 97

Unless the government monitored the loan waiver scheme well, it is likely to be a success.

- A For the government to monitor
- B Unless the government monitors
- C Though the government monitored
- D If the government monitors
- E No correction required

Answer: D

Question 98

Many Indian companies import components from China as they are cheap compared to those manufactured locally.

- A as they are cheap as
- B because it is cheaper
- C since these are cheaper
- D which is cheap
- E No correction required

Answer: C

Question 99

The main objective of hiring this consultant is in assessing that this data can be computerized.

- A assessing that
- B an assessment of
- C to assess how
- D for assessing that when
- E No correction required

Answer: C

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Question 100

Most irrigation projects have delayed due to lack of adequate government funding.

- A have been delayed from
- B will be delayed for
- C were delaying due to
- D are delayed because of
- E No correction required

Answer: D

Instructions

Rearrange the following six sentences (A), (B), (C), (D), (E) and (F) in the proper sequence to form a meaningful paragraph; then answer the questions given below them.

- (A) Voluntary measures such as codes of conduct have failed to address these issues and deliver change.
- (B) However they can also cause serious problems with their irresponsible behaviour.
- (C) Companies are a powerful force for good.
- (D) There are several instances of companies undermining worker's rights and damaging the environment.
- (E) The Companies Bill 2009 is thus a means to address issues of corporate governance and ensure companies are accountable for their financial performance and social impact.
- (F) They provide jobs, boost economies and aid social and environmental development.

Question 101

Which of the following should be the LAST (SIXTH) sentence after rearrangement?

- A B
- B C
- C D
- D E
- E F

Answer: D

Question 102

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

- A B
- B C
- C D
- D E
- E F

Answer: A

Question 103

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

- A A
- B B
- C C
- D D
- E E

Answer: A

Question 104

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

- A A
- B B
- C C
- D D
- E E

Answer: C

Question 105

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

- A A
- B B
- C C
- D D
- E F

Answer: E

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Instructions

Read each sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical error or idiomatic error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. The number of that part is the answer. If there is no error, the answer is e. (Ignore errors of punctuation, if any.)

Question 106

We have recently began (a)/ the process of recruiting (b)/ insurance agents for (c)/ our North-Eastern branches. (d)/ No error (e)

- A We have recently began
- B the process of recruiting

- C insurance agents for
- D our North-Eastern branches
- E No error

Answer: A

Question 107

Despite that organisations are aware (a)/ of the importance of IT (b)/ they often do not know (c)/ how to deploy it effectively. (d)/ No error (e)

- A Despite that organisations are aware
- B of the importance of IT
- C they often do not know
- D how to deploy it effectively
- E No error

Answer: D

Question 108

Although interlinking of rivers can (a)/ help tackle drought, the government (b)/ has not paid much (c)/ attention to this project. (d)/ No error (e)

- A Although interlinking of rivers can
- B help tackle drought, the government
- C has not paid much
- D attention to this project
- E No error

Answer: E

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Question 109

Keeping in mind that India (a)/ is one of the world's fastest (b)/ growing economies many international (c)/ companies are invested in India. (d)/ No error (e)

- A Keeping in mind that India
- B is one of the world's fastest
- C growing economies many international
- D companies are invested in India
- E No error

Answer: D

Question 110

Despite the merger, (a)/ the airline has reported (b)/ sizeable losses and is unable (c)/ to pay their employees. (d)/ No error (e)

- A Despite the merger
- B the airline has reported
- C sizeable losses and is unable
- D to pay their employees
- E No error

Answer: D

Instructions

In the following passage there are blanks, each of which has been numbered. These numbers are printed below the passage and against each, five words are suggested, one of which fits the blank appropriately. Find out the appropriate word in each case.

The (1) of India as an economic superpower is not reflected in the (2) of life enjoyed by its 1.2 billion citizens according to the Human Development Index which (3) India very low among 182 countries. In our performance oriented world, measurement issues have taken on (4) importance as what we measure affects what we do. In fact the French President has established an international commission on the Measurement of Economic Performance and Social Progress owing to his (5) and that of others with the current state of statistical information about the economy and society.

The big question concerns (6) Gross Domestic Product (GDP) provides a good measure of living standards. In many cases GDP statistics seem to (7) that the economy is doing far better than most citizens feel it is. Moreover the focus on GDP creates conflicts- while political leaders are told to maximise it, citizens also demand that (8) be paid to enhancing security, reducing air, water and noise pollution all of which actually (9) GDP growth. Statistics are (10) to summarise what is going on in our complex society, it is therefore obvious that we can't reduce everything to a single number - GDP.

Question 111

(1)

- A pursuit
- B perception
- C conversion
- D title
- E tribute

Answer: B

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Question 112

(2)

- A quality
- B spirit
- C span
- D joy

E loss

Answer: A

Question 113

(3)

A scored

B qualified

C regard

D ranked

E counted

Answer: D

Question 114

(4)

A great

B unduly

C trivial

D considerably

E negligible

Answer: A

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Question 115

(5)

A confidence

B belief

C dissatisfaction

D compliance

E obedience

Answer: D

Question 116

(6)

A unless

B because

C against

D whether

E that

Answer: D

Question 117

(7)

A recommend

B think

C point

D refer

E suggest

Answer: E

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Question 118

(8)

A respect

B debt

C attention

D expense

E compensation

Answer: C

Question 119

(9)

A lower

B attain

C decline

D shrunk

E recover

Answer: A

Question 120

(10)

- A difficult
- B interpret
- C reveal
- D intended
- E inferred

Answer: B

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Instructions

What should come in place of the question mark (?) in the following questions?

Question 121

$$\sqrt[3]{1331} =$$

- A 27
- B 21
- C 17
- D 9
- E None of these

Answer: E

Explanation:

$$\text{Expression : } \sqrt[3]{1331}$$

$$= \sqrt[3]{11 \times 11 \times 11}$$

$$= 11$$

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Question 122

$$18.5\% \text{ of } 220 + 12.4\% \text{ of } 680 = ?$$

- A 132.05
- B 125.02
- C 142.07
- D 118.07
- E None of these

Answer: B

Explanation:

Expression : 18.5% of $220 + 12.4\%$ of $680 = ?$

$$= \left(\frac{18.5}{100} \times 220 \right) + \left(\frac{12.4}{100} \times 680 \right)$$

$$= 40.7 + 84.32 = 125.02$$

Question 123

$188.21 - 27.54 - 11.93 = ?$

- A 139.74
- B 126.64
- C 148.74
- D 184.64
- E None of these

Answer: C

Explanation:

Expression : $188.21 - 27.54 - 11.93 = ?$

$$= 188.21 - 39.47$$

$$= 148.74$$

Question 124

$1268 \div 8 \div 2 = ?$

- A 71.75
- B 317
- C 268
- D 79.25
- E None of these

Answer: D

Explanation:

Expression : $1268 \div 8 \div 2 = ?$

$$= \frac{1268}{8} \div 2$$

$$= \frac{158.5}{2} = 79.25$$

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Question 125

$$8^{1.1} \times 4^{2.7} \times 2^{3.3} = 2^?$$

- A 7.1
- B 14
- C 0.5
- D 9

E None of these

Answer: E

Explanation:

$$\text{Expression : } 8^{1.1} \times 4^{2.7} \times 2^{3.3} = 2^x$$

$$\Rightarrow (2)^{3 \times 1.1} \times (2)^{2 \times 0.7} \times (2)^{3.3} = (2)^x$$

$$\Rightarrow (2)^{3.3} \times (2)^{1.4} \times (2)^{3.3} = (2)^x$$

$$\Rightarrow (2)^{3.3+1.4+3.3} = (2)^x$$

Comparing both sides, we get :

$$\Rightarrow x = 3.3 + 1.4 + 3.3 = 8$$

Instructions

In the following number series only one number is wrong. Find out the wrong number.

Question 126

11, 18, 29, 42, 59, 80, 101

A 42

B 18

C 29

D 59

E None of these

Answer: E

Explanation:

Prime numbers starting from 7 are added.

$$11 + 7 = 18$$

$$18 + 11 = 29$$

$$29 + 13 = 42$$

$$42 + 17 = 59$$

$$59 + 19 = \mathbf{78}$$

$$78 + 23 = 101$$

Hence, the number which is wrong is 80, as it is not in the options given, the correct answer is None of the above

Question 127

2, 9, 32, 105, 436, 2195, 13182

A 436

B 2195

C 9

D 32

E None of these

Answer: D

Explanation:

The pattern followed is :

$$2 \times 1 + (1 \times 7) = 9$$

$$9 \times 2 + (2 \times 6) = 30$$

$$30 \times 3 + (3 \times 5) = 105$$

$$105 \times 4 + (4 \times 4) = 436$$

$$436 \times 5 + (5 \times 3) = 2195$$

$$2195 \times 6 + (6 \times 2) = 13182$$

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Question 128

5, 55, 495, 3465, 17325, 34650, 51975,

- A 495
- B 34650
- C 55
- D 17325
- E None of these

Answer: B

Explanation:

Consecutive odd numbers starting from 11 in decreasing order are multiplied.

$$5 \times 11 = 55$$

$$55 \times 9 = 495$$

$$495 \times 7 = 3465$$

$$3465 \times 5 = 17325$$

$$17325 \times 3 = 51975$$

$$51975 \times 1 = 51975$$

Question 129

3, 7, 16, 32, 56, 93, 142

- A 56
- B 16
- C 32
- D 7
- E None of these

Answer: A

Explanation:

Squares of natural numbers are added

$$3 + 2^2 = 7$$

$$7 + 3^2 = 16$$

$$16 + 4^2 = 32$$

$$32 + 5^2 = 57$$

$$57 + 6^2 = 93$$

$$93 + 7^2 = 142$$

Question 130

4, 5, 12, 38, 160, 805, 4836

- A 12
- B 160
- C 38
- D 805
- E None of these

Answer: C

Explanation:

The pattern followed is :

$$4 \times 1 + 1 = 5$$

$$5 \times 2 + 2 = 12$$

$$12 \times 3 + 3 = 39$$

$$39 \times 4 + 4 = 160$$

$$160 \times 5 + 5 = 805$$

$$805 \times 6 + 6 = 4836$$

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Instructions

Study the following information carefully to answer the questions that follow :

A box contains 2 blue caps, 4 red caps, 5 green caps and 1 yellow cap.

Question 131

If four caps are picked at random, what is the probability that none is green ?

- A latek1
- B latek2
- C latek3
- D latek4
- E None of these

Answer: A

Question 132

If two caps are picked at random, what is the probability that both are blue ?

- A latek1
- B latek2
- C latek3
- D latek4
- E None of these

Answer: E

Question 133

If one cap is picked at random, what is the probability that it is either blue or yellow ?

- A latek1
- B latek2
- C latek3
- D latek4
- E None of these

Answer: B

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Question 134

If two caps are picked at random, what is the probability that at least one is red ?

- A latek1
- B latek2
- C latek3
- D latek4
- E None of these

Answer: C

Question 135

If three caps are picked at random, what is the probability that two are red and one is green ?

- A latek1
- B latek2
- C latek3
- D latek4
- E None of these

Answer: D

Instructions

For the following questions answer them individually

Question 136

What would be the cost of building a fence around a square plot with area equal to 361 sq. ft. if the price per foot of building the fence is Rs. 62 ?

- A Rs. 4026
- B Rs. 4712
- C Rs. 3948
- D Cannot be determined
- E None of these

Answer: B

Explanation:

Let side of square plot = s ft

$$\Rightarrow \text{Area} = s^2 = 361$$

$$\Rightarrow s = \sqrt{361} = 19 \text{ ft}$$

$$\text{Perimeter of square plot} = 4s = 4 \times 19 = 76 \text{ ft}$$

Cost of building fence per foot = Rs. 62

$$\therefore \text{Cost of building fence around the plot} = 76 \times 62 = \text{Rs.}4712$$

Question 137

In how many different ways can the letters of the word 'TRUST' be arranged?

- A 240
- B 120
- C 80
- D 25
- E None of these

Answer: E

Explanation:

Word = 'TRUST'

There are 5 letters and 'T' is repeated.

If there are 'n' letters and 'r' are repeating, then number of ways of arranging them = $\frac{n!}{r!}$

\therefore Number of ways in which letters of the word 'TRUST' can be arranged

$$= \frac{5!}{2!} = \frac{5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1}{2 \times 1}$$

$$= 5 \times 4 \times 3 = 60$$

\Rightarrow Ans - (E)

Question 138

What would be the compound interest accrued on an amount of Rs. 8000 at the rate of 15 p.c.p.a. in three years ?

- A Rs. 4283
- B Rs. 4051
- C Rs. 4167
- D Rs. 4325
- E None of these

Answer: C

Explanation:

Principal amount = Rs. 8,000

Time period = 3 years and rate of interest = 15% under compound interest.

$$\Rightarrow C.I. = P[(1 + \frac{R}{100})^T - 1]$$

$$= 8,000[(1 + \frac{15}{100})^3 - 1]$$

$$= 8,000[(\frac{23}{20})^3 - 1] = 8,000(\frac{12167-8000}{8000})$$

$$= 12167 - 8000 = Rs.4,167$$

Question 139

The ages of Shirish and Kunder are in the ratio of 5 : 6 respectively. After 8 years the ratio of their ages will be 7 : 8. What is the difference in their ages

- A 4 years
- B 8 years
- C 10 years
- D 12 years
- E None of these

Answer: A

Explanation:

Let present ages of Shirish and Kunder be $5x$ and $6x$ years respectively.

Acc. to ques, ratio of their ages after 8 years

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5x+8}{6x+8} = \frac{7}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow 40x + 64 = 42x + 56$$

$$\Rightarrow 42x - 40x = 64 - 56$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{8}{2} = 4$$

$$\therefore \text{Difference in their ages} = 6x - 5x = x$$

$$= 4 \text{ years}$$

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Question 140

The difference between a two digit number and the number obtained by interchanging the two digits of the number is 9. If the sum of the two digits of the number is 15, then what is the original number?

- A 89
- B 67
- C 87
- D Cannot be determined
- E None of these

Answer: C

Explanation:

Let the unit's digit of the number = y and ten's digit = x

\Rightarrow Number = $10x + y$

Sum of digits = $x + y = 15$ -----(i)

According to ques, $\Rightarrow (10x + y) - (10y + x) = 9$

$\Rightarrow 9x - 9y = 9$

$\Rightarrow x - y = 1$ -----(ii)

Adding equations (i) and (ii), $\Rightarrow 2x = 15 + 1 = 16$

$\Rightarrow x = \frac{16}{2} = 8$

Substituting it in equation (i), $\Rightarrow y = 15 - 8 = 7$

\therefore Original number = 87

\Rightarrow Ans - (C)

Instructions

Study the following graph carefully to answer the questions:



Question 141

If the amount of profit earned by Company B in the year 2007 was Rs. 7.56 lakhs, what was the profit earned by it in the year 2005?

- A Rs. 5 lakhs
- B Rs. 3.5 lakhs
- C Rs. 4 lakhs
- D Cannot be determined

E None of these

Answer: E

Explanation:

Let the profit earned by company B in the year 2005 = $Rs.x$

% increase in profit of company B in 2006 = 35 %

% increase in profit of company B in 2006 = 45 %

$$\Rightarrow x \times \frac{135}{100} \times \frac{145}{100} = 7.56$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{7.56 \times 100 \times 100}{135 \times 145}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 3.86 \text{ lakhs}$$

Question 142

What is the respective ratio of per cent increase in profit of Company A in the year 2008 to the per cent increase in profit of Company B in the same year?

A 9 : 7

B 6 : 11

C 11 : 6

D 7 : 9

E None of these

Answer: D

Explanation:

% increase in profit of Company A in the year 2008 = 35 %

% increase in profit of Company B in the year 2008 = 45 %

$$\Rightarrow \text{Required ratio} = \frac{35}{45}$$

$$= 7 : 9$$

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Question 143

In which year did Company A earn the maximum amount of profit?

A 2009

B 2006

C 2007

D Cannot be determined

E None of these

Answer: D

Explanation:

As seen from the graph, the company A earned the maximum amount of profit in 2006 and 2007

= 40 %

=> Ans - (D) : Cannot be determined.

Question 144

What is the approximate average per cent increase in profit of Company A over all the years together?

- A 31
- B 27
- C 40
- D 39
- E None of these

Answer: E

Explanation:

% increase in profit of Company A over all the years together

$$= 25 + 30 + 40 + 40 + 35 + 30 = 200$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Required average} = \frac{200}{6}$$

$$= 33.33 \approx 33$$

Question 145

What is the average per cent increase in profit of Company B in the year 2007 and 2009 together ?

- A 40
- B 45
- C 38
- D 42
- E None of these

Answer: E

Explanation:

% increase in profit of Company B in the year 2007 = 45

% increase in profit of Company B in the year 2009 = 50

$$\Rightarrow \text{Required average} = \frac{45+50}{2} = \frac{95}{2}$$

$$= 47.5$$

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Instructions

In each of these questions two equations numbered I and II are given. You have to solve both the equations and –

Give answer a: if $x < y$

Give answer b: if $x \leq y$

Give answer c: if $x > y$

Give answer d: if $x \geq y$

Give answer e: if $x = y$ or the relationship cannot be established.

Question 146

I. $x^2 + 13x + 42 = 0$

II. $y^2 + 19y + 90 = 0$

- A if $x < y$
- B if $x \leq y$
- C if $x > y$
- D if $x \geq y$
- E if $x = y$ or the relationship cannot be established.

Answer: C

Explanation:

$$I. x^2 + 13x + 42 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 7x + 6x + 42 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x + 7) + 6(x + 7) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 7)(x + 6) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -7, -6$$

$$II. y^2 + 19y + 90 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 + 9y + 10y + 90 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y(y + 9) + 10(y + 9) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y + 9)(y + 10) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -9, -10$$

$$\therefore x > y$$

Question 147

$$I. x^2 - 15x + 56 = 0$$

$$II. y^2 - 23y + 132 = 0$$

- A if $x < y$
- B if $x \leq y$
- C if $x > y$
- D if $x \geq y$
- E if $x = y$ or the relationship cannot be established.

Answer: A

Explanation:

$$I. x^2 - 15x + 56 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 8x - 7x + 56 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x - 8) - 7(x - 8) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 8)(x - 7) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 8, 7$$

$$II. y^2 - 23y + 132 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 11y - 12y + 132 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y(y - 11) - 12(y - 11) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 11)(y - 12) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 11, 12$$

$$\therefore x < y$$

Question 148

I. $x^2 + 7x + 12 = 0$

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

A if $x < y$

B if $x \leq y$

C if $x > y$

D if $x \geq y$

E if $x = y$ or the relationship cannot be established.

Answer: E

Explanation:

I. $x^2 + 7x + 12 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 3x + 4x + 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x + 3) + 4(x + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 3)(x + 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -3, -4$$

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

$$\Rightarrow y^2 + 4y + 2y + 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y(y + 4) + 2(y + 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y + 4)(y + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -4, -2$$

Because $-2 > -4$ and $-3 > -4$

Therefore, no relation can be established.

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Question 149

I. $x^2 - 22x + 120 = 0$

II. $y^2 - 26y + 168 = 0$

A if $x < y$

B if $x \leq y$

C if $x > y$

D if $x \geq y$

E if $x = y$ or the relationship cannot be established.

Answer: B

Explanation:

$$I. x^2 - 22x + 120 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 10x - 12x + 120 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x - 10) - 12(x - 10) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 10)(x - 12) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 10, 12$$

$$II. y^2 - 26y + 168 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 12y - 14y + 168 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y(y - 12) - 14(y - 12) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 12)(y - 14) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 12, 14$$

$$\therefore x \leq y$$

Question 150

$$I. x^2 + 12x + 32 = 0$$

$$II. y^2 + 17y + 72 = 0$$

A if $x < y$

B if $x \leq y$

C if $x > y$

D if $x \geq y$

E if $x = y$ or the relationship cannot be established.

Answer: D

Explanation:

$$I. x^2 + 12x + 32 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 8x + 4x + 32 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x + 8) + 4(x + 8) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 8)(x + 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -8, -4$$

$$II. y^2 + 17y + 72 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 + 9y + 8y + 72 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y(y + 9) + 8(y + 9) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y + 9)(y + 8) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -9, -8$$

$$\therefore x \geq y$$

Instructions

Study the following table carefully to answer the questions that follow.

College/Year	P	Q	R	S	T	U
2004	2500	2250	2450	2150	2020	2300
2005	2040	2300	2400	2200	2090	2120
2006	2100	2150	2330	2250	2180	2260
2007	2280	2600	2260	2340	2250	2490
2008	2540	2540	2120	2380	2310	2520
2009	2320	2440	2500	2480	2400	2440

Question 151

What is the per cent increase in the number of students in College T in the year 2007 from the previous years ? (rounded off to two digits after decimal)

- A 8.33
- B 5.18
- C 6.63
- D 3.21
- E None of these

Answer: D

Explanation:

Number of students in College T in the year 2006 = 2180

Number of students in College T in the year 2007 = 2250

$$\Rightarrow \text{Required \% increase} = \frac{2250 - 2180}{2180} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{70}{218} = 3.21\%$$

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Question 152

What is the total number of students from all the Colleges together in the year 2005 ?

- A 10350
- B 13150
- C 15310
- D 11350
- E None of these

Answer: B

Explanation:

Total number of students from all the Colleges together in the year 2005

$$= 2040 + 2300 + 2400 + 2200 + 2090 + 2120$$

$$= 13150$$

Question 153

What is the average number of students in all the Colleges together in the year 2004 ? (rounded off to the nearest integer)

- A 2208
- B 2196
- C 2144
- D 2324

E 2278

Answer: E

Explanation:

Total number of students in all the Colleges together in the year 2004

$$= 2500 + 2250 + 2450 + 2150 + 2020 + 2300 = 13670$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Required average} = \frac{13670}{6} = 2278.33$$

$$\approx 2278$$

Question 154

Number of students in College P in the year 2008 forms approximately what per cent of the total number of students in that College from all the years together?

A 11

B 31

C 18

D 26

E 23

Answer: C

Explanation:

Number of students in College P in the year 2008 = 2540

Total number of students in College P from all the years together

$$= 2500 + 2040 + 2100 + 2280 + 2540 + 2320 = 13780$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Required \%} = \frac{2540}{13780} \times 100$$

$$= 18.43 \approx 18\%$$

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Question 155

What is the respective ratio of total number of students in College S in the years 2006 and 2009 together to the total number of students in College U from the same years ?

A 473 : 470

B 470 : 473

C 371 : 390

D 390 : 371

E None of these

Answer: A

Explanation:

Total number of students in College S in the years 2006 and 2009 together

$$= 2250 + 2480 = 4730$$

Total number of students in College U in the years 2006 and 2009 together

$$= 2260 + 2440 = 4700$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Required ratio} = \frac{4730}{4700}$$

$$= 473 : 470$$

Instructions

Study the table carefully to answer the questions that follow :



Total number of employees in different departments of an organization and (of these) percentage of female and male

Departments	Total no.of employees	Percentage of Female	Percentage of Male
IT	840	45	55
Accounts	220	35	65
Production	900	23	77
HR	360	65	35
Marketing	450	44	56
Customer Service	540	40	60

Question 156

What is the respective ratio of the number of females in Production department to the number of females in the Marketing department?

- A 22 : 23
- B 35 : 33
- C 23 : 22
- D 33 : 35
- E None of these

Answer: C

Question 157

What is the respective ratio of the number of females in the HR and Accounts departments together to the number of males in the same departments together?

- A 311 : 269
- B 268 : 319
- C 269 : 311
- D 319 : 268
- E None of these

Answer: A

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Question 158

What is the total number of employees in all the departments together?

- A 3260



- B 3310
- C 3140
- D 3020
- E None of these

Answer: B

Question 159

The total number of employees in the HR department forms approximately what per cent of the total number of employees in the Accounts department?

- A 149
- B 178
- C 157
- D 164
- E 137

Answer: D

Question 160

What is the total number of males in the IT and Customer Service departments together ?

- A 687
- B 678
- C 768
- D 876
- E None of these

Answer: E

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Reasoning

Instructions

For the following questions answer them individually

Question 161

In a certain code PARTICLE is written as USBQFMDJ, how is DOCUMENT written in that code?

- A VDEPUONF
- B VDPENFUQ
- C VDPENFOU
- D VDPEUOFN

E None of these

Answer: D

Explanation:

PARTICLE is written as USBQFMDJ

The pattern followed is that the word is divided into parts = (PART) (ICLE) and each part is written in reverse order.

T	R	A	P	E	L	C	I
(+1)	(+1)	(+1)	(+1)	(+1)	(+1)	(+1)	(+1)
U	S	B	Q	F	M	D	J

Similarly, for DOCUMENT :

U	C	O	D	T	N	E	M
(+1)	(+1)	(+1)	(+1)	(+1)	(+1)	(+1)	(+1)
V	D	P	E	U	O	F	N

=> Ans - (D)

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Question 162

R is sister of M who is brother of H. D is mother of K who is brother of M. How is R related to D?

- A Sister
- B Daughter
- C Mother
- D Data inadequate
- E None of these

Answer: B

Explanation:

R,M,H and K are siblings, where R is female and M and K are males.

Gender of H is unknown. D is mother of K.

=> D is mother of R,M,H and K.

∴ R is the daughter of D.

=> Ans - (B)

Question 163

Four of the following five are alike in a certain way and so form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to the group?

- A PS
- B FI
- C AD
- D KN
- E GD

Answer: E

Explanation:

(A) : P (+3 letters) = S

(B) : F (+3 letters) = I

(C) : A (+3 letters) = D

(D) : K (+3 letters) = N

(E) : G (-3 letters) = D

=> Ans - (E)

Question 164

Four of the following five are alike in a certain way and so form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to the group?

A 23

B 29

C 37

D 39

E 31

Answer: D

Explanation:

Apart from 39, all are prime numbers. Thus, 39 is the odd one out.

=> Ans - (D)

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Question 165

If in the word ISOLATE, all the consonants are replaced by the previous letter in the alphabet and all the vowels are replaced by the next letter and then all the letters are arranged alphabetically, which letter will be third from the right end ?

A P

B B

C N

D Q

E None of these

Answer: A

Explanation:

Word - ISOLATE

If all the consonants are replaced by the previous letter in the alphabet and all the vowels are replaced by the next letter, then word - JRPKBSF

Now the letters are arranged alphabetically, new word - BFJKPRS

3rd letter from right end = P

=> Ans - (A)

Question 166

How many meaningful English words can be made from the letters AERT, using each letter only once in each word ?

- A None
- B One
- C Two
- D Three
- E Four

Answer: C

Explanation:

Letters - A,E,R,T

Only 2 meaningful words can be formed = Rate , Tear

=> Ans - (C)

Question 167

Four of the following five are alike in a certain way and so form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to the group?

- A Yellow
- B Blue
- C Pink
- D Green
- E Red

Answer: C

Explanation:

Except for pink, remaining colours are rainbow colours, hence pink is the odd one out.

=> Ans - (C)

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Question 168

If in the word EQUALITY, the positions of first and the fifth letters are interchanged, similarly the positions of the second and the sixth letters are interchanged and so on, which letters will be third from the right end ?

- A Q
- B U
- C I
- D T
- E None of these

Answer: A

Explanation:

Word - EQUALITY

If the positions of first and the fifth letters are interchanged, similarly the positions of the second and the sixth letters are interchanged and so on, then word - LITYEQUA

3rd letter from right end = Q

=> Ans - (A)

Question 169

How many such pairs of letters are there in the word REFRESHING each of which has as many letters between them in the word as they have in the English alphabet ?

- A None
- B One
- C Two
- D Three
- E More than three

Answer: D

Explanation:

Word - REFRESHING

There are 3 pairs of letters which have as many letters between them in the word as they have in the English alphabet.

= (E,F) , (H,I) , (I,G)

=> Ans - (D)

Question 170

If in the number 38564927 first all the even digits are arranged in ascending order and then all the odd digits are arranged in ascending order, which digit will be fourth from the right end ?

- A 5
- B 3
- C 6
- D 4
- E None of these

Answer: B

Explanation:

Number - 38564927

Arranging all even digits in ascend order = 24683597

Now, arranging all odd digits in ascend order = 24683579

4th digit from right end = 3

=> Ans - (B)

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Instructions

In each question below are three statements followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. You have to take the three given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows from the three statements disregarding commonly known facts. Then decide which of the answers a, b, c, d and e. is the correct answer.

Give answer a: if only conclusion I follows.

Give answer b: if only conclusion II follows.

Give answer c: if either I or II follows.
Give answer d: if neither I nor II follows.
Give answer e: if both I and II follow.

Question 171

Statements :

Some books are stories.

All stories are fictions.

All fictions are poems.

Conclusions :

I. Some poems are books.

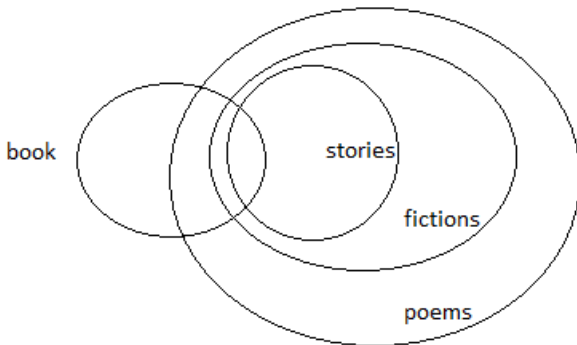
II. All stories are poems.

- A if only conclusion I follows.
- B if only conclusion II follows.
- C if either I or II follows.
- D if neither I nor II follows.
- E if both I and II follow.

Answer: E

Explanation:

following venn can be drawn from the given statements



and hence we can say that both the conclusion are true

Question 172

Statements :

All plants are trees.

Some trees are leaves.

Some leaves are flowers.

Conclusions :

I. Some plants are leaves.

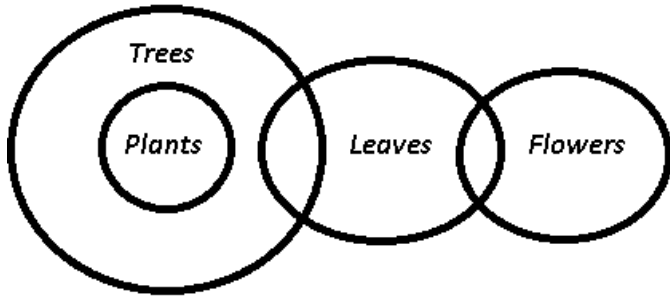
II. Some plants are flowers.

- A if only conclusion I follows.
- B if only conclusion II follows.
- C if either I or II follows.
- D if neither I nor II follows.
- E if both I and II follow.

Answer: D

Explanation:

The venn diagram for above statements is :



Conclusions :

- I. Some plants are leaves = false
- II. Some plants are flowers = false

Thus, neither I nor II follows.

=> Ans - (D)

Question 173

Statements :

- Some computers are calculators.**
- All calculators are keyboards.**
- Some keyboards are printers.**

Conclusions :

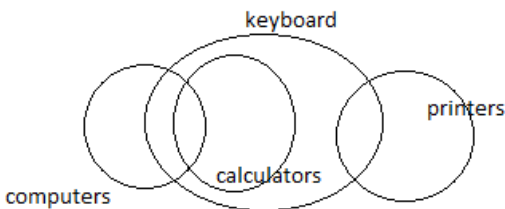
- I. Some computers are keyboards.**
- II. Some computers are printers.**

- A if only conclusion I follows.
- B if only conclusion II follows.
- C if either I or II follows.
- D if neither I nor II follows.
- E if both I and II follow.

Answer: A

Explanation:

from the above statement we can draw the following venn diagram



and hence from the above venn diagram we can conclude that only conclusion 1 is true

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Question 174

Statements :

Some chairs are tables.

Some tables are desks.

No desk is sofa set.

Conclusions:

I. Some chairs are sofa sets.

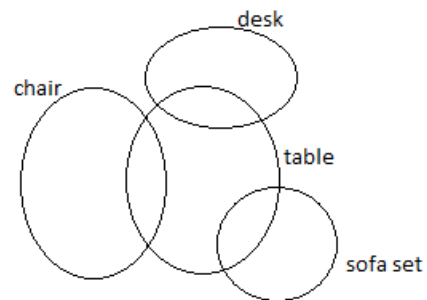
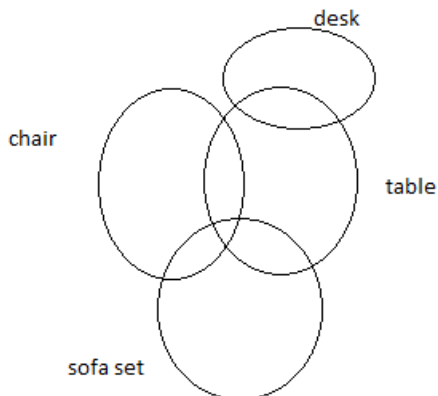
II. No chair is sofa set.

- A if only conclusion I follows.
- B if only conclusion II follows.
- C if either I or II follows.
- D if neither I nor II follows.
- E if both I and II follow.

Answer: C

Explanation:

following 2 venn can be drawn from the above given statements



from the above two venn we can say that either of the two conclusion can be true

Question 175

Statements :

All bags are boxes.

All boxes are utensils.

Some utensils are bowls.

Conclusions :

I. Some boxes are bowls.

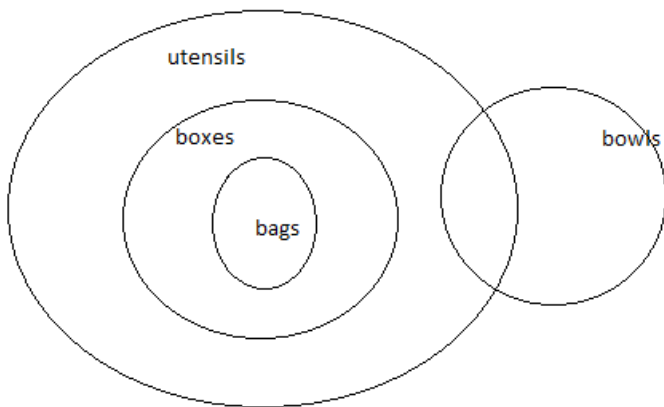
II. All bags are utensils.

- A if only conclusion I follows.
- B if only conclusion II follows.
- C if either I or II follows.
- D if neither I nor II follows.
- E if both I and II follow.

Answer: B

Explanation:

following venn can be drawn from the given statements



and hence we can conclude that only conclusion is true

Instructions

In these questions the symbols @, %, *, # and \$ are used with different meanings as follows :

'A @ B' means 'A is smaller than B'.

'A % B' means 'A is not smaller than B'.

'A * B' means 'A is neither smaller than nor greater than B'.

'A # B' means 'A is greater than B'.

'A \$ B' means 'A is not greater than B'. In each of the following question assuming the given statements true, find out which of the following conclusions I and II given below them is/are definitely true.

Give answer a: if only conclusion I is true.

Give answer b: if only conclusion II is true.

Give answer c: if either conclusion I or conclusion II is true.

Give answer d: if neither conclusion I nor conclusion II is true.

Give answer e: if both conclusions I and II are true.

Question 176

Statements :

$P * V, V \% U, U \# N$

Conclusions :

I. $P \% N$

II. $V \# N$

A if only conclusion I is true.

B if only conclusion II is true.

C if either conclusion I or conclusion II is true.

D if neither conclusion I nor conclusion II is true.

E if both conclusions I and II are true.

Answer: B

Explanation:

Statements : $P = V; V \geq U; U > N$

Combining above statements, we get : $P = V \geq U > N$

Conclusions :

I. $P \% N$: $P \geq N$: false

II. $V \# N$: $V > N$: true

Thus, only conclusion II is true.

=> Ans - (B)

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Question 177

Statements :

$M @ T, T \# W, W \# R$

Conclusions :

I. $M @ R$

II. $M \% R$

- A if only conclusion I is true.
- B if only conclusion II is true.
- C if either conclusion I or conclusion II is true.
- D if neither conclusion I nor conclusion II is true.
- E if both conclusions I and II are true.

Answer: D

Explanation:

Statements : $M < T ; T > W ; W > R$

Combining above statements, we get : $T > W > R$ and $T > M$

Conclusions :

I. $M @ R : M < R$: false

II. $M \% R : M \geq R$: false

Thus, neither conclusion I nor conclusion II is true.

=> Ans - (D)

Question 178

Statements :

$H \% K, K \# M, M \$ W$

Conclusions :

I. $H \# M$

II. $K * W$

- A if only conclusion I is true.
- B if only conclusion II is true.
- C if either conclusion I or conclusion II is true.
- D if neither conclusion I nor conclusion II is true.
- E if both conclusions I and II are true.

Answer: A

Explanation:

Statements : $H \geq K ; K > M ; M \leq W$

Combining above statements, we get : $H \geq K > M$ and $W \geq M$

Conclusions :

I. $H \# M : H > M$: true

II. $K * W : K = W$: false

Thus, only conclusion I is true.

=> Ans - (A)

Question 179

Statements :

V@L, L%J, J\$T

Conclusions :

I. V @ J

II. L * T

- A if only conclusion I is true.
- B if only conclusion II is true.
- C if either conclusion I or conclusion II is true.
- D if neither conclusion I nor conclusion II is true.
- E if both conclusions I and II are true.

Answer: D

Explanation:

Statements : $V < L$; $L \geq J$; $J \leq T$

Conclusions :

I. $V @ J$: $V < J$: false

II. $L * T$: $L = T$: false

Thus, neither conclusion I nor conclusion II is true.

=> Ans - (D)

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Question 180

Statements :

F % Q, Q # D, D * N

Conclusions :

I. F # N

II. N @ Q

- A if only conclusion I is true.
- B if only conclusion II is true.
- C if either conclusion I or conclusion II is true.
- D if neither conclusion I nor conclusion II is true.
- E if both conclusions I and II are true.

Answer: E

Explanation:

Statements : $F \geq Q$; $Q > D$; $D = N$

Combining above statements, we get : $F \geq Q > D = N$

Conclusions :

I. $F \# N$: $F > N$: true

II. $N @ Q$: $N < Q$: true

Thus, both conclusions I and II are true.

=> Ans - (E)

Instructions

In each question below is given a group of letters followed by four combinations of digits/symbols numbered a, b, c and d. You have to find out which of the combinations correctly represents the group of letters based on the following coding system and the conditions and mark the numbers of that combination as your answer. If none of the four combinations correctly represents the group of letters, give e: i.e. 'None of these' as your answer.

Letters K E T J H I F A L U B M O R P

Digits/Symbol 3 7 % \$ 4 * 1 9 8 6 # @ 2 5 ©

Conditions:

(i) If the first as well as the last letter is a vowel their codes are to be swapped.

(ii) If the first as well as the last letter is a consonant both are to be coded by £.

(iii) If the first letter is a vowel and the last letter is a consonant, the vowel is to be coded by Δ and the consonant is to be coded by ↑.

Question 181

TARIFM

A £95*1£

B %95*1!@

C %95* 1 %

D @95*1@

E None of these

Answer: A

Explanation:

Expression : TARIFM

Since, both the first and last letters are consonant, thus by applying rule (ii), both are to be coded by £.

Code for TARIFM = £95*1£

=> Ans - (A)

Question 182

AJTKLU

A 9\$%386

B £\$%38£

C Δ\$%38 ↑

D ↑\$%38Δ

E None of these

Answer: E

Explanation:

Expression : AJTKLU

Since, the first and the last letters are vowels, rule (i) is applied and codes for 'A' and 'U' are swapped.

Code for AJTKLU = 6\$%389, which is not given in the options.

=> Ans - (E) : none of these

Question 183

ORBETH

- A ↑5#7%Δ
- B Δ5#7%↑
- C 25#7%Δ
- D 45#7%2
- E None of these

Answer: B

Explanation:

Expression : ORBETH

Since, the first letter is a vowel and the last is a consonant, thus rule (iii) is applied, the vowel is to be coded by Δ and the consonant is to be coded by ↑.

Code for ORBETH = Δ5#7%↑

=> Ans - (B)

Question 184

KEOMPA

- A ↑72@©Δ
- B Δ72@©↑
- C 372@©9
- D 972@©3
- E None of these

Answer: C

Explanation:

Expression : KEOMPA

None of the rules is applied, and the codes are written as it is.

Thus, code for KEOMPA = 372@©9

=> Ans - (C)

Question 185

IJLTPU

- A *\$8%©6
- B *\$8%©*
- C 6\$8%©6
- D 6\$8%©*
- E None of these

Answer: D

Explanation:

Expression : IJLTPU

Since, the first and the last letters are vowels, rule (i) is applied and codes for 'I' and 'U' are swapped.

=> Code for IJLTPU = 6\$8%©*

=> Ans - (D)

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Instructions

Study the following information carefully to answer these questions.

Seven friends F, H, J, K, L, M and P are working in different cities viz. Chennai, Mumbai, Bangalore, Jaipur, Indore, Ahmedabad, Hyderabad not necessarily in the same order. Each one of them has a different profession viz. C.A., Doctor, Professor, Engineer, Banker, Lawyer and Architect not necessarily in the same order. H is a Lawyer and he works in Jaipur. K is a Doctor and he does not work in Chennai. The C.A. works in Mumbai. M works in Indore. Architect works in Hyderabad. L is a Banker and he works in Bangalore. F is an Engineer. J does not work in Mumbai.

Question 186

Who is an architect?

- A J
- B P
- C K
- D L
- E None of these

Answer: A

Explanation:

H is a lawyer and works in Jaipur, K is a doctor.

L is a Banker and he works in Bangalore and F is an Engineer.

J does not work in Mumbai and M works in Indore.

=> P is a C.A. and works in Mumbai.

Similarly, J is an architect who works in Hyderabad, => M is a professor

Since, K does not work in Chennai, => F works in Chennai. The arrangement :

Person	Profession	City
F	Engineer	Chennai
H	Lawyer	Jaipur
J	Architect	Hyderabad
K	Doctor	Ahmedabad
L	Banker	Bangalore
M	Professor	Indore
P	C.A.	Mumbai

J is an architect.

=> Ans - (A)

Question 187

Which of the following combinations of person, profession and city is definitely correct?

- A F - Engineer - Bangalore
- B K - Architect - Hyderabad
- C L - Banker - Mumbai
- D M - Professor - Jaipur
- E None is correct

Answer: E

Explanation:

H is a lawyer and works in Jaipur, K is a doctor.

L is a Banker and he works in Bangalore and F is an Engineer.

J does not work in Mumbai and M works in Indore.

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K	Doctor	Ahmedabad
L	Banker	Bangalore
M	Professor	Indore
P	C.A.	Mumbai

Clearly, none is correct.

=> Ans - (E)

Question 188

Who is working in Mumbai?

- A J
- B K
- C M
- D P
- E None of these

Answer: D

Explanation:

H is a lawyer and works in Jaipur, K is a doctor.

L is a Banker and he works in Bangalore and F is an Engineer.

J does not work in Mumbai and M works in Indore.

=> P is a C.A. and works in Mumbai.

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J	Architect	Hyderabad
K	Doctor	Ahmedabad
L	Banker	Bangalore
M	Professor	Indore
P	C.A.	Mumbai

P is working in Mumbai.

=> Ans - (D)

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Question 189

Engineer works in which city?

- A Ahmedabad
- B Chennai
- C Mumbai
- D Bangalore
- E None of these

Answer: B

Explanation:

H is a lawyer and works in Jaipur, K is a doctor.

L is a Banker and he works in Bangalore and F is an Engineer.

J does not work in Mumbai and M works in Indore.

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K	Doctor	Ahmedabad
L	Banker	Bangalore
M	Professor	Indore
P	C.A.	Mumbai

F, the engineer works in Chennai.

=> Ans - (B)

Question 190

Who is a professor?

- A P
- B J
- C M
- D M or J
- E None of these

Answer: C

Explanation:

H is a lawyer and works in Jaipur, K is a doctor.

L is a Banker and he works in Bangalore and F is an Engineer.

J does not work in Mumbai and M works in Indore.

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J	Architect	Hyderabad
K	Doctor	Ahmedabad
L	Banker	Bangalore
M	Professor	Indore
P	C.A.	Mumbai

M is a professor.

=> Ans - (C)

Instructions

In each of the questions given below which one of the five answer figures on the right should come after the problem figures on the left,

if the sequence were continued?

Question 191

- A figure1
- B figure2
- C figure3
- D figure4
- E figure5

Answer: B

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Question 192

- A figure1
- B figure2
- C figure3
- D figure4
- E figure5

Answer: A

Question 193

- A figure1
- B figure2
- C figure3
- D figure4
- E figure5

Answer: A

Question 194

- A figure1
- B figure2
- C figure3
- D figure4
- E figure5

Answer: C

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Question 195

- A figure1
- B figure2
- C figure3
- D figure4
- E figure5

Answer: A

Question 196

- A figure1
- B figure2
- C figure3
- D figure4
- E figure5

Answer: D

Question 197

- A figure1
- B figure2
- C figure3
- D figure4
- E figure5

Answer: A

Question 198

- A figure1
- B figure2
- C figure3
- D figure4
- E figure5

Answer: E

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Question 199

- A figure1
- B figure2
- C figure3
- D figure4
- E figure5

Answer: D

Question 200

- A figure1
- B figure2
- C figure3
- D figure4
- E figure5

Answer: E

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