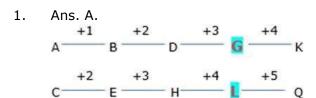
# **Solutions**

# **Reasoning Ability**



Answer is option A

2. Ans. A.

| Р | R | 0 | Α | C | T | I | V | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| A | С | E | I | 0 | Р | R | Т | V |

Hence, option A is correct.

3. Ans. B.

One box is between P and Q. Three boxes are between Q and S. Box V is immediately above box S.

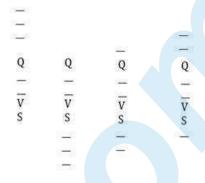
| V<br>S         | Q |
|----------------|---|
| 3              | - |
| 8 <u>—8</u>    | V |
| $\overline{Q}$ | S |

# Case 1 Case 2

Now we can see that there is no direct information so we have to create diagram for every possibilities.

### Case 1 diagram:

|        | _                       | 40             |
|--------|-------------------------|----------------|
| V      | $\overline{\mathbf{v}}$ | V              |
| V<br>S | S                       | S              |
| -      |                         | <b>200</b>     |
| -      |                         | -              |
| Q<br>— | $\overline{Q}$          | $\overline{Q}$ |
| 0.11   |                         | 1000           |
|        |                         |                |
| 1A     | 1B                      | 1C             |
| Case 2 | diagram:                |                |



2A 2B 2C 2D

### Take Case 1:

One box is kept between V and U. Box U is below box V. 3 boxes are kept between R and P. Box R is above P.

|             | R                | R                     |
|-------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| V           | V                | v                     |
| S           | S                | S                     |
| V<br>S<br>U | U                | R<br>V<br>S<br>U<br>P |
| R           | V<br>S<br>U<br>P | P                     |
| Q<br>P      | $\overline{Q}$   | $\overline{Q}$        |
| -           |                  | _                     |
| P           |                  |                       |
|             |                  |                       |

1B

There are as many boxes between R and W as W and S. But no diagram is follow this condition so all cases 1 gets rejected.

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### Take case 2:

1A

One box is kept between V and U. Box U is below box V. 3 boxes are kept between R and P. Box R is above P. As U is below V so case 2A already gets rejected.

|        |             | R      |
|--------|-------------|--------|
| 0      | _           | 593    |
| ~      | Q           | Q      |
| R      | <del></del> | _      |
| V      | R           | P      |
| S      | S           | V<br>S |
|        | U           | U      |
| U<br>P | P           | O      |
| -      |             |        |
| 2B     | 2C          | 2D     |

There are as many boxes between R and W as W and S. Only case 2D satisfy this condition.

### Here is the final arrangement:

| R  |  |
|----|--|
| T  |  |
| Q  |  |
| W  |  |
| P  |  |
| V  |  |
| S  |  |
| II |  |

#### 4. Ans. A.

Box R is at the top position.

Three boxes are between Q and S. Box V is immediately above box S.

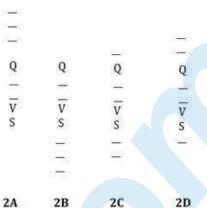
| V<br>S         | Q |
|----------------|---|
| _              |   |
| 18 <u>—1</u> 1 | V |
| ō              | S |

# Case 2

Now we can see that there is no direct information so we have to create diagram for every possibilities.

### Case 1 diagram:

| 1A<br>Case 2   | 1B<br>diagram:          | 10             |
|----------------|-------------------------|----------------|
|                | 6.785-66                | 4.0            |
| -              |                         |                |
| 0.1            |                         |                |
| $\overline{Q}$ | $\overline{Q}$          | $\overline{Q}$ |
| -              |                         | -              |
|                | 223                     | 200            |
| S              | S                       | S              |
| V              | $\overline{\mathbf{v}}$ | v              |
|                |                         |                |



### Take Case 1:

One box is kept between V and U. Box U is below box V. 3 boxes are kept between R and P. Box R is above P.

|             | R                | R                       |
|-------------|------------------|-------------------------|
| V           | V                | V                       |
| S           | S                | S                       |
| V<br>S<br>U | U                | R<br>V<br>S<br>U<br>P   |
| R           | V<br>S<br>U<br>P | P                       |
| Q<br>P      | $\overline{Q}$   | $\overline{\mathbf{Q}}$ |
| _<br>P      |                  | _                       |
| 1A          | 1B               | 10                      |

There are as many boxes between R and W as W and S. But no diagram is follow this condition so all cases 1 gets rejected.

### Take case 2:

2B

One box is kept between V and U. Box U is below box V. 3 boxes are kept between R and P. Box R is above P. As U is below V so case 2A already gets rejected.

|                       | , ,              | R   |
|-----------------------|------------------|-----|
| Q                     | _                | 540 |
| 1056<br>1006          | Q                | Q   |
| P                     | \$ <del></del> 2 |     |
| K                     | R<br>V           | P   |
| V                     |                  | V   |
| R<br>V<br>S<br>U<br>P | S<br>U<br>P      | S   |
| U                     | U                | U   |
| P                     | P                |     |
| -                     |                  |     |
|                       |                  |     |

2C

There are as many boxes between R and W as W and S. Only case 2D satisfy this condition.

2D

### Here is the final arrangement:

R T

S U

5. Ans. B.

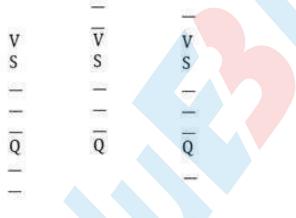
> S is at the 2<sup>nd</sup> last position. Three boxes are between Q and S. Box V is immediately above box S.

V S

### Case 2

Now we can see that there is no direct information so we have to create diagram for every possibilities.

### Case 1 diagram:



1C

1A 1B Case 2 diagram:

| _      |        |                |                |
|--------|--------|----------------|----------------|
| _      |        |                |                |
| S-5    |        |                | -              |
|        |        |                | -              |
| Q      | Q      | Q              | Q              |
| -      | -      |                | 1100           |
| v<br>s | v<br>s | $\overline{v}$ | $\overline{v}$ |
| S      | S      | S              | S              |
|        | -      | <u> </u>       |                |
|        | -      | 225            |                |
|        |        |                |                |
|        |        |                |                |

2A 2B

### Take Case 1:

One box is kept between V and U. Box U is below box V. 3 boxes are kept between R and P. Box R is above P.

|             | R                     | R                     |
|-------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| V           | V                     | V                     |
| S           | S                     | S                     |
| V<br>S<br>U | U                     | R<br>V<br>S<br>U<br>P |
| R           | R<br>V<br>S<br>U<br>P | P                     |
| Q           | $\overline{Q}$        | $\overline{Q}$        |
| Q           | Q                     | Q                     |
| P           |                       | _                     |
|             |                       |                       |

10 1B

There are as many boxes between R and W as W and S. But no diagram is follow this condition so all cases 1 gets rejected.

### Take case 2:

One box is kept between V and U. Box U is below box V. 3 boxes are kept between R and P. Box R is above P. As U is below V so case 2A already gets rejected.

|             |             | R           |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Q           | _           | 59          |
| _           | Q           | Q           |
|             | E 3         |             |
| K           | R<br>V      | P           |
| V           |             | V           |
| R<br>V<br>S | S<br>U<br>P | P<br>V<br>S |
| U           | U           | U           |
| U<br>P      | P           |             |
| _           |             |             |

2B 2C 2D

There are as many boxes between R and W as

W and S. Only case 2D satisfy this condition.

### Here is the final arrangement:

R

T

Q

vv

1

S

U

Last but one position - 2nd from the bottom. So, that box is S.

### 6. Ans. D.

Box T is above box W.

Three boxes are between Q and S. Box V is immediately above box S.

| V<br>S | Q |
|--------|---|
|        |   |
|        | V |
| 0      | S |

# Case 1 Case 2

Now we can see that there is no direct information so we have to create diagram for every possibilities.

### Case 1 diagram:

|        | _                       | 100                       |
|--------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| V      | $\overline{\mathbf{v}}$ | v                         |
| V<br>S | v<br>s                  | V<br>S                    |
| _      |                         |                           |
| -      | 1000                    |                           |
| Q<br>— | $\overline{Q}$          | $\overline{\overline{Q}}$ |
|        |                         |                           |
| 7700   |                         |                           |
|        |                         |                           |

1A 1B Case 2 diagram:

| _      |        |                         |                         |
|--------|--------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| _      |        |                         |                         |
| _=     |        |                         | -                       |
|        |        |                         | 2-7                     |
| Q      | Q      | Q                       | Q                       |
| -      | -      | _                       | 100                     |
| v<br>s | v<br>s | $\overline{\mathbf{v}}$ | $\overline{\mathbf{v}}$ |
| S      | S      | S                       | S                       |
|        | -      |                         |                         |
|        | -      |                         |                         |
|        | 11.00  |                         |                         |

# 2A 2B 2C 2D Take Case 1:

One box is kept between V and U. Box U is below box V. 3 boxes are kept between R and P. Box R is above P.

|                | R                | R              |
|----------------|------------------|----------------|
| v              | 1000             | R<br>V         |
| V<br>S<br>U    | V<br>S<br>U<br>P | S<br>U<br>P    |
| U              | U                | U              |
| R              | P                | P              |
| $\overline{Q}$ | $\overline{Q}$   | $\overline{Q}$ |
| P              |                  | _              |

# 1A 1B 1C

There are as many boxes between R and W as W and S. But no diagram is follow this condition so all cases 1 gets rejected.

### Take case 2:

2B

One box is kept between V and U. Box U is below box V. 3 boxes are kept between R and P. Box R is above P. As U is below V so case 2A already gets rejected.

2D

|        |        | R   |
|--------|--------|-----|
| 0      | _      | 597 |
| _      | Q      | Q   |
| R      | -      | -   |
| K      | R      | P   |
| V      | R<br>V | v   |
| s      | S      | S   |
| U      | U<br>P | S   |
| U<br>P | P      |     |
| -      |        |     |
|        |        |     |

2C

There are as many boxes between R and W as W and S. Only case 2D satisfy this condition.

### Here is the final arrangement:

R T Q W P V S

### 7. Ans. A.

No box is below U.

Three boxes are between Q and S. Box V is immediately above box S.

| V       | 0      |
|---------|--------|
| Ś       | ~<br>— |
|         | V      |
| <u></u> | S      |

# Case 1 Case 2

Now we can see that there is no direct information so we have to create diagram for every possibilities.

### Case 1 diagram:

|                  | 50.73                   |                |
|------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
|                  |                         | 110            |
| V                | $\overline{\mathbf{v}}$ | V              |
| V<br>S           | V<br>S                  | V<br>S         |
| -                | _                       |                |
| -                | ===                     | man:           |
| -                | -                       |                |
| _<br>_<br>Q<br>_ | $\overline{Q}$          | $\overline{Q}$ |
| _                |                         |                |
| 770              |                         |                |
|                  |                         |                |

1A 1B Case 2 diagram:

|           | Q<br>-<br>v<br>S                         |
|-----------|--|
| Q Q Q Q C |  |
| Q Q Q (   |  |
|           | Q  |
|           |  |
| _         | ====<br>================================ |
|           |  |

# 2A 2B 2C 2D

### Take Case 1:

One box is kept between V and U. Box U is below box V. 3 boxes are kept between R and P. Box R is above P.

|                | R              | R                |
|----------------|----------------|------------------|
| V              | V              | V                |
| S              | V<br>S         | S                |
| V<br>S<br>U    | U              | V<br>S<br>U<br>P |
| R              | U<br>P         | P                |
| $\overline{Q}$ | $\overline{Q}$ | $\overline{Q}$   |
| Q<br>P         |                | _                |
| 1A             | 1B             | 1C               |

There are as many boxes between R and W as W and S. But no diagram is follow this condition so all cases 1 gets rejected.

### Take case 2:

2B

One box is kept between V and U. Box U is below box V. 3 boxes are kept between R and P. Box R is above P. As U is below V so case 2A already gets rejected.

|                       |        | K   |
|-----------------------|--------|-----|
| Q                     | _      | 570 |
| 3056                  | Q      | Q   |
| -                     |        | _   |
| R                     | R      | P   |
| V                     | R<br>V | v   |
| S                     | S      |     |
| U                     | U<br>P | S   |
| R<br>V<br>S<br>U<br>P | P      |     |
| -                     |        |     |
|                       |        |     |

2C

There are as many boxes between R and W as W and S. Only case 2D satisfy this condition.

2D

### Here is the final arrangement:

R

T

Q

W

P

V

S

8. Ans. C.

Either conclusion I or conclusion II is true

### **Explanation:**

 $A \ge J = N$ ; H > Y > I < S = NFrom the statements we have,

 $A \ge J = N$ . So,  $A \ge N$ 

Conclusions:

I. A = N

II. A > N

So, I and II are complementary

9. Ans. B.

Only conclusion II is true

### **Explanation:**

 $\overline{U > J \le H = S}; T \le J > F$ 

From the statements we have,

U > J > F. So, U > F.

Also,  $U > J \ge T$ . So, U > T

Conclusions:

I.  $F \leq U$ : it is FALSE

II. U > T: it is TRUE

10. Ans. A.

Only conclusion I is true.

### **Explanation:**

 $Y > U \le H = Q$ ;  $R \le U > M$ From the statements we have,  $R \le U \le H = Q$ . So,  $R \le Q$ 

Also,  $M < U \le H = Q$ . So,  $R \le Q$ 

Conclusions:

I.  $R \leq Q$ : It is TRUE

II.  $Q \ge M$ : It is FALSE

11. Ans. D.

Neither conclusion I nor conclusion II is true

### **Explanation:**

 $H < S = L \ge F > G \le Q$ 

From the statements we have,

H < L > G . So, relation between H and G

cannot be established. Also,  $L > G \le W$ . So, relation between L and

W cannot be established.

### Conclusions:

I. H > G: It is FALSE

II. W ≤ L: It is FALSE

### 12. Ans. B.

**Statements:**  $T > U \ge V \ge W$ ; X < Y = W > Z

After combining both statements:

 $T > U \ge V \ge W=Y > X$ ; W = Y > Z

**Conclusions: I.** Z > U (not true)  $\{W > Z \& W \Rightarrow U > Z\}$ 

II. W < T (true)  $\{U > W \& T > U \Rightarrow T > W\}$ 

Therefore only conclusion II is true.

### 13. Ans. B.

Given number - 8367284

As per the question - 2' is subtracted from each even digit and '1' is added to each odd digit

8 - 2 = 6

3 + 1 = 4

6 - 2 = 4

7 + 1 = 8

2 - 2 = 0

8 - 2 = 6

4 - 2 = 2

New number formed - is 6448062

Only two digits appear twice in the new number thus formed which is 6 & 4.

14. Ans. D.

Before rearranging as descending

order:935126

After rearranging as descending

order: 965321

9, 5 and 2 are on the same place as before.

So, there are 3 digits

15. Ans. E.

### 1234567891011 5PONTANEOUS

Meaningful words = NEST, SENT, NETS, TENS

16. Ans. B.

The code for 'mind' is - dh

The codes are given below -

Intellectual - ga

bright - pa/la

and - la/pa

mind - dh students - mt Fresh - ni Clear - mi thoughts -pz/ma in - ma/pz 17. Ans. C. The code for 'bright and clear' - la pa mi The codes are given below -Intellectual - ga bright - pa/la and - la/pa mind - dh students - mt Fresh - ni Clear - mi thoughts -pz/ma in - ma/pz 18. Ans. A. The code 'ni' stand for fresh The codes are given below -Intellectual - ga bright - pa/la and - la/pa mind - dh students - mt Fresh - ni Clear - mi

in - ma/pz 19. Ans. D. The code for 'thoughts' is either - pz/ma The codes are given below -Intellectual - ga bright - pa/la and - la/pa mind - dh students - mt Fresh - ni Clear - mi thoughts -pz/ma in - ma/pz 20. Ans. A. The code 'ga' stand for - Intellectual The codes are given below -Intellectual - ga bright - pa/la and - la/pa mind - dh students - mt Fresh - ni Clear - mi thoughts -pz/ma in - ma/pz 21. Ans. B. R bought car in August. Case 1: If U bought car in June-U bought a car in a month which was having 30 days but not in September. So U bought

thoughts -pz/ma

car either in June or November.

Three persons bought cars between U and T. So T bought car in October. Two persons bought cars between T and Q so Q bought car in July. P bought car one of the months before Q so this case gets rejected.

| Month         | Person |
|---------------|--------|
| June(30)      | U      |
| July(31)      | Q      |
| August(31)    |        |
| September(30) |        |
| October(31)   | T      |
| November(30)  |        |
| December(31)  |        |

### Case 2: If U bought car in November-

U bought a car in a month which was having 30 days but not in September. So U bought car either in June or November.

Three persons bought cars between U and T. So T bought car in July. Two persons bought cars between T and Q so Q bought car in October. Three persons bought cars between Q and P. Two persons bought cars between P and V so V bought car in September. S bought car one of the months after V so S bought car in December and R bought car in August.

### Here is the final table:

| Month         | Person |
|---------------|--------|
| June(30)      | P      |
| July(31)      | T      |
| August(31)    | R      |
| September(30) | V      |
| October(31)   | Q      |
| November(30)  | U      |
| December(31)  | S      |

#### 22. Ans. D.

All the persons bought the car in a month which was having 31 days except P

### Case 1: If U bought car in June-

U bought a car in a month which was having 30 days but not in September. So U bought car either in June or November.

Three persons bought cars between U and T. So T bought car in October. Two persons

bought cars between T and Q so Q bought car in July. P bought car one of the months before Q so this case gets rejected.

| Month         | Person |
|---------------|--------|
| June(30)      | U      |
| July(31)      | Q      |
| August(31)    |        |
| September(30) |        |
| October(31)   | T      |
| November(30)  |        |
| December(31)  |        |

# Case 2: If U bought car in November-

U bought a car in a month which was having 30 days but not in September. So U bought car either in June or November.

Three persons bought cars between U and T. So T bought car in July. Two persons bought cars between T and Q so Q bought car in October. Three persons bought cars between Q and P. Two persons bought cars between P and V so V bought car in September. S bought car one of the months after V so S bought car in December and R bought car in August.

### Here is the final table:

| Month         | Person |
|---------------|--------|
| June(30)      | P      |
| July(31)      | T      |
| August(31)    | R      |
| September(30) | V      |
| October(31)   | Q      |
| November(30)  | U      |
| December(31)  | S      |

#### 23. Ans. A.

Only one person bought car between P and R

### Case 1: If U bought car in June-

U bought a car in a month which was having 30 days but not in September. So U bought car either in June or November.

Three persons bought cars between U and T. So T bought car in October. Two persons bought cars between T and Q so Q bought car in July. P bought car one of the months before Q so this case gets rejected.

| Month         | Person |
|---------------|--------|
| June(30)      | U      |
| July(31)      | Q      |
| August(31)    |        |
| September(30) |        |
| October(31)   | T      |
| November(30)  |        |
| December(31)  |        |

### Case 2: If U bought car in November-

U bought a car in a month which was having 30 days but not in September. So U bought car either in June or November.

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#### Here is the final table:

| Month         | Person |
|---------------|--------|
| June(30)      | P      |
| July(31)      | T      |
| August(31)    | R      |
| September(30) | V      |
| October(31)   | Q      |
| November(30)  | U      |
| December(31)  | S      |

### 24. Ans. E.

None is correct.

### Case 1: If U bought car in June-

U bought a car in a month which was having 30 days but not in September. So U bought car either in June or November.

Three persons bought cars between U and T. So T bought car in October. Two persons bought cars between T and Q so Q bought car in July. P bought car one of the months before Q so this case gets rejected.

| Month         | Person |
|---------------|--------|
| June(30)      | U      |
| July(31)      | Q      |
| August(31)    |        |
| September(30) |        |
| October(31)   | T      |
| November(30)  |        |
| December(31)  |        |

### Case 2: If U bought car in November-U bought a car in a month which was having 30 days but not in September, So II bought

30 days but not in September. So U bought car either in June or November.

Three persons bought cars between U and T. So T bought car in July. Two persons bought cars between T and Q so Q bought car in October. Three persons bought cars between Q and P. Two persons bought cars between P and V so V bought car in September. S bought car one of the months after V so S bought car in December and R bought car in August.

### Here is the final table:

| Month         | Person |
|---------------|--------|
| June(30)      | P      |
| July(31)      | T      |
| August(31)    | R      |
| September(30) | V      |
| October(31)   | Q      |
| November(30)  | U      |
| December(31)  | S      |

### 25. Ans. B.

2 persons bought car after Q.

### Case 1: If U bought car in June-

U bought a car in a month which was having 30 days but not in September. So U bought car either in June or November.

Three persons bought cars between U and T. So T bought car in October. Two persons bought cars between T and Q so Q bought car in July. P bought car one of the months before Q so this case gets rejected.

| Person |
|--------|
| U      |
| Q      |
|        |
|        |
| T      |
|        |
|        |
|        |

### Case 2: If U bought car in November-

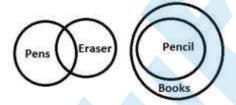
U bought a car in a month which was having 30 days but not in September. So U bought car either in June or November.

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| Month         | Person |
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| August(31)    | R      |
| September(30) | V      |
| October(31)   | Q      |
| November(30)  | U      |
| December(31)  | S      |

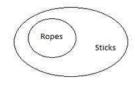
### 26. Ans. D.



Conclusion I is false

Conclusion II is false

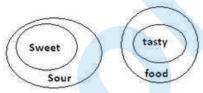
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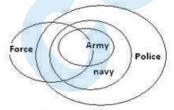


if neither Conclusion I nor II follows.

### 28. Ans. E.

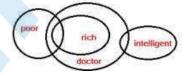


### 29. Ans. A.



Only **Conclusion** I follows

### 30. Ans. E.

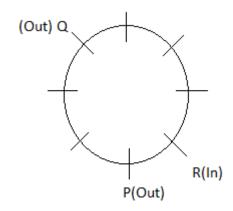


Some intelligent are doctor. So, All intelligent being doctors is a possibility.

### 31. Ans. C.

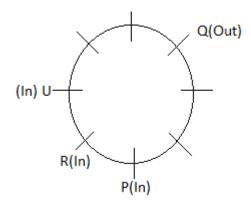
According to first clue, P is either facing inside or outside

### Scenario I: P is facing outside

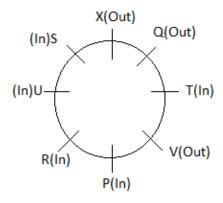


U sits immediate left of R which is not possible in this scenario.

Scenario II: P is facing inside



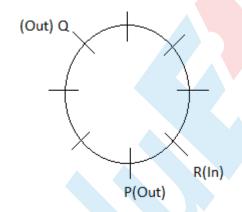
Using the other clues, we get



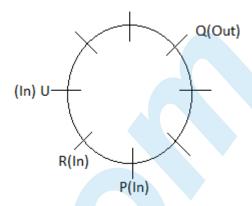
### 32. Ans. D.

According to first clue, P is either facing inside or outside

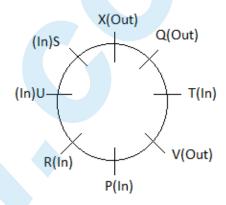
Scenario I: P is facing outside



U sits immediate left of R which is not possible in this scenario. Scenario II: P is facing inside



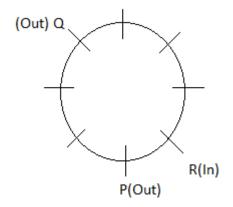
Using the other clues, we get



### 33. Ans. D.

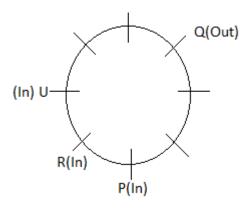
According to first clue, P is either facing inside or outside

Scenario I: P is facing outside

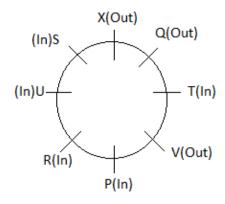


U sits immediate left of R which is not possible in this scenario.

Scenario II: P is facing inside



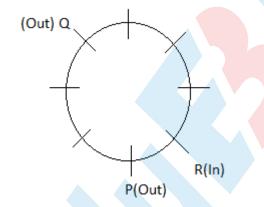
Using the other clues, we get



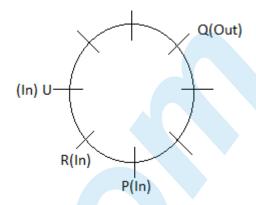
### 34. Ans. B.

According to first clue, P is either facing inside or outside

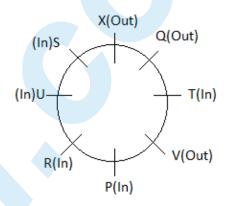
Scenario I: P is facing outside



U sits immediate left of R which is not possible in this scenario. Scenario II: P is facing inside



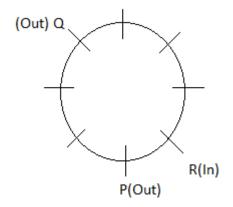
Using the other clues, we get



### 35. Ans. B.

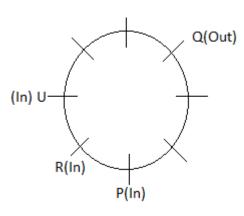
According to first clue, P is either facing inside or outside

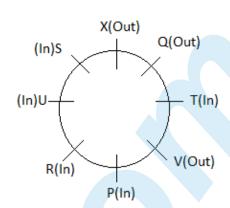
Scenario I: P is facing outside



 $\mbox{\bf U}$  sits immediate left of  $\mbox{\bf R}$  which is not possible in this scenario.

Scenario II: P is facing inside





Using the other clues, we get

### 36. Ans. C.

All the persons are at the end except B.

• Two persons are sitting between M and N. Neither of them is at corner. The one who is facing D is neighbor of N.

### Case 1A:

| Row | 1 |   | N |  | M |  |
|-----|---|---|---|--|---|--|
| Row | 2 | D |   |  |   |  |

### Case 1B:

| Row 1 | N |   | M |  |
|-------|---|---|---|--|
| Row 2 |   | D |   |  |

#### Case 2A:

| Row 1 | M |  | N |   |  |
|-------|---|--|---|---|--|
| Row 2 |   |  |   | D |  |

#### Case 2B:

| Row 1 | M |   | N |  |
|-------|---|---|---|--|
| Row 2 |   | D |   |  |

### Take case 1A:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 |   | N | 0 | M | Q |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | D |   |   |   | F |

### Take case 1B:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than 2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M so E must be at the left end. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 |   | N |   | 0 | M | Q |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | Е |   | D |   |   | F |

### Take case 2A:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than 2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M it means 3 people are between them but from this

cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 | 0 | M | Q | N |   |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 |   |   | F |   | D |

#### Take case 2B:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than 2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M so E must be at the right end. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B so either C or B at the left end. P is not at any corner so P is facing D and R must be at the end. The immediate neighbor of R is facing B it means N is facing B and C must be at the end and A is facing M.

### Here is the final arrangement:

| Row 1 | 0 | M | Q | P | N | R |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | С | A | F | D | В | Е |

#### 37. Ans. D.

D is facing P.

• Two persons are sitting between M and N. Neither of them is at corner. The one who is facing D is neighbor of N.

#### Case 1A:

| Row 1 |   | N |  | M |  |
|-------|---|---|--|---|--|
| Row 2 | D |   |  |   |  |

#### Case 1B:

| Row 1 | N |   | M |  |
|-------|---|---|---|--|
| Row 2 |   | D |   |  |

#### Case 2A:

| Row 1 | M |  | N |   |
|-------|---|--|---|---|
| Row 2 |   |  |   | D |

### Case 2B:

| Row 1 | M |   | N |  |
|-------|---|---|---|--|
| Row 2 |   | D |   |  |

### Take case 1A:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 |   | N | 0 | M | Q |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | D |   |   |   | F |

### Take case 1B:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than 2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M so E must be at the left end. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

|   | 3000  |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | Row 1 |   | N |   | 0 | M | Q |
| 4 | Row 2 | Е |   | D |   |   | F |

#### Take case 2A:

2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M it means 3 people are between them but from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 | 0 | M | Q | N |   |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 |   |   | F |   | D |

#### Take case 2B:

O is  $2^{nd}$  to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is  $2^{nd}$  to the left of F. More than 2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M so E must be at the right end. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B so either C or B at the left end. P is not at any corner so P is facing D and R must be at the end. The immediate neighbor of R is facing B it means N is facing B and C must be at the end and A is facing M.

### Here is the final arrangement:

|       |   | _ |   |   |   |   |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 1 | 0 | M | Q | P | N | R |
| Row 2 | С | A | F | D | В | Е |

#### 38. Ans. D.

3 persons sit between O and N.

• Two persons are sitting between M and N. Neither of them is at corner. The one who is facing D is neighbor of N.

#### Case 1A:

| Row 1 |   | N |  | M |  |
|-------|---|---|--|---|--|
| Row 2 | D |   |  |   |  |

#### Case 1B:

| Row 1 | N |   | M |  |
|-------|---|---|---|--|
| Row 2 |   | D |   |  |

#### Case 2A:

| Row 1 | M |  | N |   |
|-------|---|--|---|---|
| Row 2 |   |  |   | D |

### Case 2B:

| <br>  |   |   |   |  |
|-------|---|---|---|--|
| Row 1 | M |   | N |  |
| Row 2 |   | D |   |  |

### Take case 1A:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 |   | N | 0 | M | Q |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | D |   |   |   | F |

#### Take case 1B:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than 2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M so E must be at the left end. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 |   | N |   | 0 | M | Q |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | E |   | D |   |   | F |

#### Take case 2A:

2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M it means 3 people are between them but from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 | 0 | M | Q | N |   |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 |   |   | F |   | D |

#### Take case 2B:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than 2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M so E must be at the right end. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B so either C or B at the left end. P is not at any corner so P is facing D and R must be at the end. The immediate neighbor of R is facing B it means N is facing B and C must be at the end and A is facing M.

### Here is the final arrangement:

| Row 1 | 0 | M | Q | P | N | R |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | С | A | F | D | В | Е |

#### 39. Ans. B.

R is  $3^{rd}$  to the left of Q.

• Two persons are sitting between M and N. Neither of them is at corner. The one who is facing D is neighbor of N.

#### Case 1A:

| Row 1 |   | N |  | M |  |
|-------|---|---|--|---|--|
| Row 2 | D |   |  |   |  |

#### Case 1B:

| Row 1 | N |   | M |  |
|-------|---|---|---|--|
| Row 2 |   | D |   |  |

#### Case 2A:

| Row 1 | M |  | N |   |
|-------|---|--|---|---|
| Row 2 |   |  |   | D |

### Case 2B:

| <br>  |   |   |   |  |
|-------|---|---|---|--|
| Row 1 | M |   | N |  |
| Row 2 |   | D |   |  |

### Take case 1A:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 |   | N | 0 | M | Q |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | D |   |   |   | F |

#### Take case 1B:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than 2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M so E must be at the left end. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 |   | N |   | 0 | M | Q |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | E |   | D |   |   | F |

### Take case 2A:

2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M it means 3 people are between them but from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 | 0 | M | Q | N |   |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 |   |   | F |   | D |

#### Take case 2B:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than 2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M so E must be at the right end. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B so either C or B at the left end. P is not at any corner so P is facing D and R must be at the end. The immediate neighbor of R is facing B it means N is facing B and C must be at the end and A is facing M.

### Here is the final arrangement:

| Row 1 | 0 | M | Q | P | N | R |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | С | A | F | D | В | Е |

#### 40. Ans. C.

A and M are facing each other.

• Two persons are sitting between M and N. Neither of them is at corner. The one who is facing D is neighbor of N.

#### Case 1A:

| Row 1 |   | N |  | M |  |
|-------|---|---|--|---|--|
| Row 2 | D |   |  |   |  |

#### Case 1B:

| Row 1 | N |   | M |  |
|-------|---|---|---|--|
| Row 2 |   | D |   |  |

#### Case 2A:

| Row 1 | M |  | N |   |
|-------|---|--|---|---|
| Row 2 |   |  |   | D |

### Case 2B:

| <br>  |   |   |   |  |
|-------|---|---|---|--|
| Row 1 | M |   | N |  |
| Row 2 |   | D |   |  |

### Take case 1A:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 |   | N | 0 | M | Q |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | D |   |   |   | F |

#### Take case 1B:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 <sup>nd</sup> to the left of F. More than 2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M so E must be at the left end. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 |   | N |   | 0 | M | Q |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | E |   | D |   |   | F |

#### Take case 2A:

2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M it means 3 people are between them but from this cannot be possible so this case gets rejected.

| Row 1 | 0 | M | Q | N |   |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 |   |   | F |   | D |

### Take case 2B:

O is 2<sup>nd</sup> to the right of Q. O is not neighbor of N. The one who is facing O is 2 nd to the left of F. More than 2 people sit between E and the one who is facing M so E must be at the right end. More than two people sit between C and B it means at least 3 people sit between C and B so either C or B at the left end. P is not at any corner so P is facing D and R must be at the end. The immediate neighbor of R is facing B it means N is facing B and C must be at the end and A is facing M.

### Here is the final arrangement:

| Row 1 | 0 | M | Q | P | N | R |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Row 2 | С | A | F | D | В | Е |

## **Quantitative Aptitude Solutions**

1. Ans. B.

$$131 - 64 = 67$$

$$67 - 32 = 35$$

$$35 - 16 = 19$$

$$19 - 8 = 11$$

$$11 - 4 = 7$$

2. Ans. C.

$$25 + 3 = 28$$

$$28 - 6 = 22$$

$$22 + 9 = 31$$

$$31 - 12 = 19$$

$$19 + 15 = 34$$

Ans. A. 3.

$$7 \times 0.5 + 1 = 4.5$$

$$4.5 \times 1 + 1.5 = 6$$

$$6 \times 1.5 + 2 = 11$$

$$11 \times 2 + 2.5 = 24.5$$

4. Ans. B.

$$1 + 3 = 4$$

$$4 + 5 = 9$$

$$9 + 9 = 18$$

$$18 + 17 = 35$$

Again we have to check here -

$$3 + 2 = 5$$

$$5 + 4 = 9$$

$$9 + 8 = 17$$

$$17 + 16 = 33$$

We will add 33 in 35 = 68

5. Ans. D.

$$3.5 \times 2 - 3 = 4$$

$$4 \times 3 - 4 = 8$$

$$8 \times 4 - 5 = 27$$

$$27 \times 5 - 6 = 129$$

$$129 \times 6 - 7 = 767$$

6.

$$2x^2 + 11x + 14 = 0$$
  
 $2x^2 + 4x + 7x + 14 = 0$ 

$$2x(x+2) + 7(x+2) = 0$$

$$(x+2)(2x+7) = 0$$

i.e. 
$$x = -2 \text{ or } -7/2$$

$$2y^2 + 13y + 21 = 0$$
  
 $2y^2 + 6y + 7y + 21 = 0$ 

$$2y(y+3) + 7(y+3) = 0$$

$$(2y+7)(y+3) = 0$$

i.e. 
$$y = -3 \text{ or } -7/2$$

Thus, Relationship cannot be established.

7. Ans. B.

$$x^2 - 9x + 20 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 5x - 4x - 20 = 0$$

$$(x-5)(x-4) = 0$$

i.e. 
$$x = 4 \text{ or } 5$$

$$y^2 = 16$$

$$y = (16)1/2$$

$$y = 4 \text{ or } -4$$

Thus, 
$$x >= y$$

8. Ans. C.

$$x^2 - 7x + 12 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 4x - 3x + 12 = 0$$

$$x (x-4) -3 (x-4) = 0$$

i.e. 
$$x = 3 \text{ or } 4$$

$$y^2 - 11y + 30 = 0$$

$$y^2 - 5y - 6y + 30 = 0$$

$$y (y-5) -6 (y-5) = 0$$

i.e. 
$$y = 5 \text{ or } 6$$

Thus, 
$$y > x$$

9. Ans. C.

$$x^2 - 8x + 15 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 5x - 3x + 15 = 0$$

$$x(x-5) - 3(x-5) = 0$$

i.e. 
$$x = 5$$
 or  $3$   
 $y^2 - 12y + 36 = 0$   
 $y^2 - 6y - 6y + 36 = 0$   
 $y (y-6) - 6 (y-6) = 0$   
i.e.  $y = 6$   
Thus,  $y > x$ 

10. Ans. E.

$$2x^{2} + 9x + 7 = 0$$
  
 $2x^{2} + 7x + 2x + 7 = 0$   
 $x (2x+7) + 1 (2x+7) = 0$   
i.e.  $x = -1$  or  $-7/2$   
 $y^{2} + 4y + 4 = 0$   
 $y^{2} + 2y + 2y + 4 = 0$   
 $y (y+2) + 2 (y+2) = 0$   
i.e.  $y = -2$ 

Thus, Relationship cannot be established between X & Y.

11. Ans. A.

Required Average = (3750+3000+2500+3750+3500)/5 = 3300

12. Ans. B.

Total number of students (males and females together) in University P = (3000 + 3750) = 6750

Total number of students (males and females together) in University R = 2500+4250 = 6750

Ratio = 1:1

13. Ans. B.

Required ratio = (3750 + 3000): (4250 + 2750) = 27 : 28

14. Ans. D.

Required percentage = [4000/(3750+3000+2500+3750+3500)]\*100 = (4000/16500)\*100 = 24% (approx)

15. Ans. C.

Required number = 2750 + 50% of 2750 + 3500 = 7625

16. Ans. A.

Number of teachers in physics subject = 1800

$$\times \frac{17}{100}$$

= 306

Number of female teachers in physics =  $306 \times$ 

 $\frac{2}{9}$ 

= 68

Number of male teachers in physics = 306 - 68

= 238

Number of teachers in chemistry subject =

$$\begin{array}{r}
 23 \\
 1800 \times 100 \\
 = 414
 \end{array}$$

238

Required percentage = 414 = 57 % (approx).

17. Ans. B.

Number of teachers in Chemistry subject =  $1800 \times 23\% = 414$ 

Number of teachers in English subject =  $1800 \times 27\% = 486$ 

Number of teachers in Biology subject =  $1800 \times 12\% = 216$ 

Required number = 414 + 486 + 216 = 1116

18. Ans. B.

Total number of teachers English and Physics = 486 + 306= 792

Total number of teachers Mathematics and Biology = 234 + 216= 450

Required difference = 792 - 450 = 342

19. Ans. E.

Number of teachers in Mathematics subject= 1800×13% = 234 Number of teachers in Hindi subject =

 $1800 \times 8\% = 144$ 

Required ratio = 234 : 114 = 13 : 8

20. Ans. C.

Number of increased Mathematics teachers =  $234 + 234 \times 50\% = 351$ 

Number of decreased Hindi teachers =  $144 - 144 \times 25\% = 108$ 

Required total number = 351 + 108 = 459

21. Ans. A.

Average number of students, who appeared for Physics from the year, 2011 to 2015 = (650 + 250 + 350 + 600 + 350)/5 = 440

22. Ans. D.

Total number of students who appeared for Physics from 2013 to 2015 = (350 + 600 + 350) = 1300

Total number of students, who appeared for Chemistry from 2011 to 2013 = (800 + 630 + 550) = 1980

Required ratio = 1300 : 1980 = 65:99

23. Ans. B.

Students who did not pass in Physics in the year 2011 = 70/100 \* 650 = 455Students who did not pass in Physics in the year 2015 = 30/100 \* 350 = 105Average = (455 + 105)/2 = 280

24. Ans. D.

Total number of students, who passed in Chemistry in 2011 = 50/100 \* 800 = 400Total number of students who did not pass in Physics in 2015 = 30/100 \* 350 = 105Difference = 400 - 105 = 295

25. Ans. B.

Total number of students who did not pass Physics in 2013 = 50/100 \* 350 = 175Total number of students who did not pass Chemistry in 2013 = 80/100 \* 550 = 440Percentage = 175/440 \* 100 = 39.77% =40%

26. Ans. A.

Take nearest values  $21.003 \times 39.998 - 209.91 = 126 \times ?$  $630 = 126 \times ?$ ? = 5 (approx)

27. Ans. C.

 $(\frac{47}{100} \times 1442 - \frac{36}{100} \times 1412) \div 63$  $= (677.74 - 508.32) \div 63 = 169.42/63 =$ 2.689 = 3 (Approx)Hence option C is correct

28.

? = 
$$2418.065 + 88 \div 14.2 \times 6$$
  
? =  $2418.065 + 88 \times \frac{1}{14.2} \times 6$ 

 $? = 2418.065 + 6.197 \times 6$ 

? = 2418.065 + 37.18

? = 2455.25

? = 2455 (Approx.)

29. Ans. E.

 $1200 \div 15 \times 20 + 400 = 80 \times 20 + 400$ = 1600 + 400 = 2000 (Approx)

Hence option E is correct

30. Ans. E.

$$? = 726 \times \frac{15.2}{100} \times 643 \times \frac{12.8}{100}$$

 $= 110.352 \times 82.304$ 

= 9082.41

≈ 9082 (approx)

31. Ans. A. Third Number =  $(128 \times 5) - (118 \times 2) - (126)$  $\times$  2) = 152

32. Ans. A.

> Let present age of Anita= 'x' years And present age of Bablu= 'y' years

Now, 
$$\frac{x-4}{2} = 5/12$$
  
 $12x - 48 = 40y - 160$   
 $3x - 10y + 28 = 0$  ....(i)

And,

$$\frac{1}{2}(x+8)=(y+8)-2$$

$$x+8=2y+12$$

$$x-2y=4$$
 .....(ii)

Now, from eqn. (i) & (ii) Bablu present age, Y=10 years

Ans. B.

Let 100 (CP)

80 (SP) 110 (SP)

Diff. 30

30 units  $\rightarrow$  24

1 unit  $\rightarrow$  30

100 units 
$$\rightarrow \frac{24}{30} \times 100 = \text{Rs. } 80$$

CP = Rs. 80

34. Ans. A.

A started a business with investing Rs. 8000 and after some months, B joined with investing Rs. 5000.

Equivalent capital of A

 $= Rs. 8000 \times 12$ 

= Rs. 96000

Let B joined after x months.

So, equivalent capital of B

 $= Rs. 5000 \times (12 - x)$ 

= Rs. 60000 - 5000x

Total profit after one year = Rs. 4250

Share of A = Rs. 3000. Then, the share of B =

Rs. 4250 - 3000 = Rs. 1250

So, the ratio of their share;

A : B = 3000 : 1250 = 12 : 5

Now, we can write,

96000/(60000 - 5000x) = 12/5

 $\Rightarrow$  60000 - 5000x = 96000 × (5/12)

 $\Rightarrow$  60000 - 5000x = 8000 × 5

 $\Rightarrow 5000x = 60000 - 40000$ 

 $\Rightarrow$  x = 20000/5000  $\Rightarrow$  x = 4

: After 4 months, B joined in the business.

35. Ans. D.

Let the length of train P and Q are 5a and 4a. speed of train P = 5a/6

therefore,

$$(5a/6 + 21)*4 = 5a/3 + 4a$$

$$-5a/3 + 4a = 84$$

a = 36

speed of train P = 36\*5/6 = 30m/s

36. Ans. D.

Total no of balls = 8 + 7 + 6 = 21

Let, E be the event where the ball can be selected which is neither yellow nor black Number of events where the ball can be selected which is neither yellow nor black =  $7 \cdot P(E) = 7/21 = 1/3$ 

37. Ans. D.

Ratio of days of B and C = 2:1

$$\frac{1}{A} + \frac{1}{B} = \frac{1}{60} \dots 1$$

$$\frac{1}{A} + \frac{1}{C} = \frac{1}{45} \dots 2$$

$$\frac{1}{A} + \frac{2}{B} = \frac{1}{45} \dots 3$$

1) and 2)

$$\frac{1}{B} = \frac{1}{180} \Rightarrow B = 180 \, days$$

From equation 1) A = 90 days, and C = 90 days

One day work of A, B and C

$$= \frac{1}{90} + \frac{1}{90} + \frac{1}{180} = \frac{2+2+1}{180} = \frac{1}{36}$$

Days = 36 days.

38. Ans. B.

First and second varieties of pulses are mixed in equal proportions

:.Their average price = INR (32+45)/2 = INR 38.5/kg

Let the price of third variety pulse be INR x/kg

The mixture is formed by mixing two varieties becomes one at INR 38.5/kg

By the rule of allegation:

Cost of 1 kg of 3<sup>rd</sup> variety

Mean price INR 88

$$\frac{x-88}{3} = \frac{1}{1}$$

49.5

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x - 88 = 49.50  $\Rightarrow$  x = 137.50

Hence, the price of the third variety per kg will be INR 137.50/kg

39. Ans. D.

The time required to travel a certain distance upstream is five times than that of downstream for the same distance.

Let the speed of the boat in upstream be x km/hr. and in downstream be 5x km/hr.

We know that if the speed of the downstream is x km/hr and the speed of the upstream is y km/hr, then the speed in still water =  $1/2 \times (x + y)$  km/hr.

So, the speed of the boat in still water

- $= 1/2 \times (x + 5x) \text{ km/hr}.$
- $= 1/2 \times 6x \text{ km/hr.}$
- = 3x km/hr.

Given, the speed of a boat in still water is (27/4) km/hr.

So, we can write now,

$$3x = 27/4$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 9/4$$

So, the speed of the boat in upstream = 9/4 km/hr.

And the speed of the boat in downstream =  $5 \times (9/4) \text{ km/hr.} = 45/4 \text{ km/hr.}$ 

Again, we know that if the speed of the downstream is x km/hr and the speed of the upstream is y km/hr, then the speed of the stream =  $1/2 \times (x - y) \text{ km/hr}$ .

- $\therefore$  The speed of the stream =  $1/2 \times [(45/4) (9/4)]$  km/hr.
- $= 1/2 \times 9 \text{ km/hr}.$
- = 9/2 km/hr.
- = 4.5 km/hr.
- 40. Ans. C.

Curved Surface Area of Cylinder =  $2\pi rh$ Total Surface Area of Cylinder =  $2\pi r (h+r)$ According to question,  $2\pi rh : 2\pi r (h+r) = 3:5$ 

i.e. 
$$h/(h+r) = 3/5$$

i.e., 
$$2h = 3r - (a)$$

Also, Curved surface area of the cylinder = 1848 metre square

i.e. 
$$2\pi rh = 1848$$

From (a), 
$$2\pi (2/3h) * h = 1848$$

On solving the above equation, h = 21m