## **SYLLOGISM**

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## Give answer:

- (1) if only Conclusion I follows.
- (2) if only Conclusion II follows.
- (3) if either Conclusion I or II follows.
- (4) if neither Conclusion I nor II follows.
- (5) if both Conclusions I and II follow.
- 1. **Statements:** Some kites are threads. No thread is needle.
  - Conclusions: I. Some kites are needles.
    - II. No needle is thread.
- 2. **Statements:** Some books are pens. All pens are papers.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some papers are books. **II.** All books are papers.
- 3. **Statements:** All chairs are buildings. All tables are buildings.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some chairs are tables.
    - **II.** Some tables are chairs.
- 4. **Statements:** Some trucks are houses. Some houses are trains.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some trains are trucks. **II.** No train is truck.
- 5. **Statements:** All flowers are trees.

  All trees are fruits.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some fruits are flowers. **II.** All flowers are fruits.
- 6. **Statements:** All pens are roads. All roads are houses.
  - **Conclusions: I.** All houses are pens. **II.** Some houses are pens.
- 7. **Statements:** Some books are bags. All bags are trees.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some books are trees. **II.** Some frees are books.
- 8. **Statements:** Some windows are doors.

  No door is chair.
  - $\label{lem:conclusions: I. Some windows are chairs.}$ 
    - **II.** All doors are windows.

- 9. **Statements:** All forests are figures.

  Some figures are houses.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some houses are forests. **II.** No house is forest.
- 10. **Statements:** Some buses are trains. Some trains are boats.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some trains are buses. **II.** Some boats are buses.
- 11. **Statements:** Some bottles are jungles. All jungles are birds.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some birds are bottles. **II.** All bottles are birds.
- 12. **Statements:** Some books are tables. Some tables are mirrors.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some mirrors are books. **II.** No book is mirror.
- 13. **Statements:** All roads are waters. Some waters are boats.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some boats are roads. **II.** All waters are boats.
- 14. **Statements:** All flowers are trees. No fruit is tree.
  - **Conclusions: I.** No fruit is flower. **II.** Some trees are flowers.
- 15. **Statements:** All pens are chalks.

  All chairs are chalks.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some pens are chairs. **II.** Some chalks are pens.
- 16. Statements: Some buses are bells.
  Some bells are horses.
  All trains are horses.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some buses are horses. **II.** Some trains are bells.
- 7. **Statements:** All goats are kites.

  All roses are goats.

  Some kites are bees.
  - **Conclusions: I.** Some kites are roses. **II.** Some goats are bees.
- Statements: All classes are lions.Some birds are classes.All pens are lions.
  - **Conclusions: I.** No pen is bird. **II.** Some birds are pens.

Statements: Some candles are papers.

All papers are trees.

Some books arc papers.

Conclusions: I. Some books are candies.

II. Some trees are books.

Statements: All bats are elephants.

Some balloons are crows.

All crows are bats.

**Conclusions:** I. Some balloons are elephants.

II. Some elephants are crows.

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21. **Statements:** All petals are trees.

All trees are gardens.

All roads are gardens.

Conclusions: I. Some roads are trees.

**II.** Some gardens are trees.

III. Some gardens are petals.

- (1) Only I and II follow
- (2) Only II and III follow
- (3) Only I and III follow
- (4) All I, II and III follow
- (5) None of these
- 22. **Statements:** All keys are locks.

No lock is toy.

All bags are toys.

Conclusions: I. No bag is key.

II. Some bags are keys.

III. Some toys are keys.

- (1) None follows
- (2) Only I follows
- (3) Only II follows (4) Only III follows
- (5) Only I and II follow
- 23. Statements: Some days are nights.

Some nights are months.

Some months are years.

Conclusions: I. Some years are nights.

II. Some months are days.

III. No year is night.

- (1) Only I follows
- (2) Only II follows
- (3) Only III follows
- (4) Only either I or III follows
- (5) None of these

24. Statements: All cycles are tyres.

Some tyres are wheels.

All wheels are buses.

Conclusions: I. Some buses are tyres.

II. Some wheels are tyres.

III. Some buses are cycles.

- (1) Only I and II follow
- (2) Only I and III follow
- (3) Only II and III follow
- (4) All I, II and III follow
- (5) None of these
- Statements: Some dogs are cats. 25.

Some cats are horses.

All horses are tigers.

Conclusions: I. Some tigers are cats.

II. Some horses are dogs.

III. Some tigers are dogs.

- (1) None follows
- (2) Only I follows
- (3) Only II follows
- (4) Only III follows
- (5) Only II and III follow
- 26. Statements: All ropes are sticks.

Some sticks are hammers. Some hammers are lakes.

**Conclusions :I.** Some lakes are ropes.

- II. Some hammers are ropes.
- III. Some lakes are sticks.
- (1) None follows (2) Only I follows

- (3) Only II follows
- (4) Only III follows
- (5) Only I and III follow
- 27. **Statements:** Some leaves are baskets.

Some baskets are flowers.

Some flowers are lakes.

Conclusions: I. Some lakes are baskets.

II. Some flowers are lakes.

III. No lake is basket.

- (1) Only I follows
- (2) Only II follows
- (3) Only III follows
- (4) Only either I or III follows
- (5) None of these
- Statements: All pictures are bands. 28.

Some bands are chairs.

Some chairs are tables.

Conclusions: I. Some tables are bands.

II. Some chairs are pictures.

III. Some tables are pictures.

- (1) None follows
- (2) Only I follows
- (3) Only II follows
- (4) Only I and II follow
- (5) Only III follows

29. **Statements:** Some bikes are cars.

Some cars are trains.

Some trains are buses.

**Conclusions: I.** Some buses are cars.

II. Some trains are bikes.

III. Some buses are bikes.

- (1) None follows
- (2) Only I follows
- (3) Only II follows
- (4) Only III follows
- (5) Only I and II follow
- 30. **Statements**: All dogs are cats.

Some cats are rats.

All rats are mats.

Conclusions: I. Some mats are cats.

**II.** Some mats are dogs.

**III.** Some rats are cats.

- (1) Only I follows
- (2) Only II follows
- (3) Only III follows
- (4) Only I and III follow
- (5) None of these
- 31. **Statements:** All cups are benches.

Some benches are drums.

All drums are kites.

**Conclusions: I.** Some kites are cups.

**II.** Some kites are benches.

III. Some drums are cups.

- (1) None follows
- (2) Only I follows
- (3) Only II follows
- (4) Only III follows
- (5) Only II and III follow
- 32. **Statements:** Some boxes are walls.

No wall is road.

All roads are rivers.

Conclusions: I. Some rivers are walls

II. Some roads are boxes

III. No wall is river

- (1) Only I follows
- (2) Only either I or III follows
- (3) Only III follows
- (4) Only II follows
- (5) Only II and III follow

33. **Statements:** Some tables are chairs.

All chairs are houses.

All houses are tents.

**Conclusions: I.** All houses are chairs.

II. Some tents are chairs.

III. Some houses are tables.

- (1) Only I and II follow
- (2) Only I and III follow
- (3) Only II and III follow
- (4) All I, II and III follow
- (5) None of these
- 34. **Statements:** All pens are sticks.

All sticks are rings.

All rings are rods.

Conclusions: I. Some rings are pens.

- II. Some rods are sticks.
- **III.** Some rods are pens.
- (1) Only I and II follow
- (2) Only I and III follow
- (3) Only II and III follow
- (4) All I, II and III follow
- (5) None of these
- 35. Statements: Some nails are plates.

Some plates are disks.

All disks are mirrors.

All mirrors are tyres.

**Conclusions: I.** Some tyres are plates.

- II. Some tyres are nails.
- **III.** Some mirrors are plates.
- (1) Only I and II follow
- (2) Only I and III follow
- (3) Only II and III follow
- (4) All I, II and III follow
- (5) None of these
- 36. **Statements:** Some windows are lakes.

Some lakes are forests.

Some forests are hills.

All hills are curtains.

Conclusions: I. Some hills are windows.

II. Some curtains are lakes.

**III.**Some forests are windows.

- (1) None follows
- (2) Only I follows
- (3) Only II follows
- (4) Only III follows
- (5) Only I and III follow

37. **Statements:** All tapes are branches.

Some branches are roads.

All roads are fruits.

Some fruits are trees.

Conclusions: I. Some trees are tapes.

II. Some fruits are tapes.

III. Some fruits are branches.

- (1) None follows
- (2) Only I follows
- (3) Only II follows
- (4) Only III follows
- (5) Only II and III follow
- 38. Statements: Some beads are chairs.

All chairs are trucks.

Some trucks are bricks.

All bricks are cars.

**Conclusions: I.** Some cars are chairs.

**II.** Some cars are trucks.

**III.** Some trucks are beads.

- (1) Only I and II follow
- (2) Only I and III follow
- (3) Only II and III follow
- (4) All I, II and III follow
- (5) None of these
- 39. **Statements:** All flowers are houses.

All houses are tigers.

All tigers are goats.

Some goats are bullocks.

**Conclusions: I.** Some goats are flowers.

**II.** Some tigers are flowers.

III. Some bullocks are tigers.

- (1) Only I and II follow
- (2) Only II and III follow
- (3) Only I and III follow
- (4) All I, II and III follow
- (5) None of these
- 40. **Statements:** All shirts are hats.

No hat is suit.

Some rings are suits.

All rings are bangles.

**Conclusions: I.** Some rings are hats.

II. Some bangles are suits.

**III.** No ring is hat.

- (1) Only I follows
- (2) Only II follows
- (3) Only III follows
- (4) Only either I or III follows
- (5) Only either I or III and II follow

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41. Statements: Some skies are rains.

Some rains are stars.

All stars are planets.

All planets are clouds.

Conclusions: I. Some clouds are rains.

II. Some planets are skies.

III. Some planets are rains.

- (1) Only I and II follow
- (2) Only I and III follow
- (3) Only II and III follow
- (4) All I, II and III follow
- (5) None of these
- 42. **Statements:** All birds are goats.

No goat is flower.

Some flowers are mountains. Some mountains are nets.

**Conclusions: I.** Some nets are goats.

**II.** No net is goat.

III. Some mountains are birds.

- (1) None follows
- (2) Only I follows
- (3) Only either I or II follows
- (4) Only II follows
- (5) Only III follows
- 43. **Statements:** All spoons are bowls.

All bowls are pans.

All pans are sticks.

All sticks are knives.

Conclusions: I. Some knives are pans.

**II.** Some sticks are bowls.

**III.** Some pans are spoons.

- (1) Only I and II follow
- (2) Only II and III follow
- (3) Only I and III follow
- (4) All I, II and III follow
- (5) None of these
- 44. **Statements:** All threads are walls.

All lamps are walls.

Some kites are lamps.

Some lamps are rays.

Conclusions: I. Some kites are threads.

II. Some kites are walls.

III. Some lamps are threads.

- (1) None follows (2)
- (2) Only I follows
- (3) Only II follows
- (4) Only III follows
- (5) Only I and III follow

45. **Statements:** Some tables are chairs.

Some chairs are wheels.

Some wheels are boards.

Some boards are chalks.

Conclusions: I. Some chalks are wheels.

II. Some boards are chairs.

**III.** Some wheels are tables.

(1) None follows (2

(2) Only I follows

(3) Only II follows

(4) Only III follows

(5) Only II and III follow

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46. **Statements:** All flowers are rooms.

Some rooms are windows.

All cards are windows.

Conclusions: I. Some cards are flowers.

II. Some cards are rooms.

III. Some windows are flow-

ers.

**IV.** All cards are rooms.

(1) None follows(3) Only I follows

(2) Only II follows(4) Only III follows

(5) Only IV follows

47. **Statements:** All males are wolves.

All owls are males.

All parrots are owls.

Conclusions: I. All wolves are owls.

**II.** All owls are wolves.

**III.** All parrots are wolves.

**IV.** All parrots are males.

- (1) All follow
- (2) Only III and IV follow
- (3) Only II and III follow
- (4) Only II, III and IV follow
- (5) None of these

48. Statements: Some leaves are skies.

All skies are clouds.

No cloud is a boat.

**Conclusions: I.** Some boats are leaves.

II. Some clouds are leaves.

III. All skies are leaves.

IV. No leaf is a boat.

- (1) Only I, II and IV follow
- (2) Only II, III and IV follow
- (3) Either I or IV and II follow
- (4) Either I or IV and III follow
- (5) None of these

49. **Statements:** No building is white.

All whites are oranges.

Some oranges are waters.

Conclusions: I. No building is water.

**II.** No orange is a building.

III. Some oranges are whites.

IV. Some waters are building.

- (1) Either I or IV and II follow
- (2) Either I or IV and III follow
- (3) Either I or IV follows
- (4) None follows
- (5) Either I or IV and II and III follow

50. **Statements:** Some mangoes are apples.

Some bananas are apples.

Some branches are bananas.

**Conclusions: I.** Some mangoes are bananas.

II. Some branches are apples.

III. Some branches are mangoes.

IV. All apples are mangoes.

- (1) None follows
- (2) Only I and II follow
- (3) Only III and IV follow
- (4) Only I and IV follow
- (5) All follow

## SYLLOGISM

1.2; Some kites are threads. (I-Type) No thread is needle. (E-Type)

 $I + E \Rightarrow O$ -type Conclusion

"Some kites are not needles"

Conclusion II is Converse of the second Premise.

2.1; Some books are pens. (I-Type)

All pens are papers. (A-Type)

I + A ⇒ I-type Conclusion "Some books are papers".

Conclusion I is Converse of this derived Conclusion.

3.4; All chairs are buildings.

> Some building are tables. (Converse of Second Premise)

A + I = \* No Conclusion

4.3; No Conclusion follows from Particulars Premises.

> Conclusion I and II form Complementary Pair. Therefore, either conclusion I or II follows.

5. 5: All flowers are trees.

All trees are fruits.

 $A + A \Rightarrow A$ -type Conclusion

"All flowers are fruits." This is Conclusion II. Conclusion I is Converse of this Conclusion.

6.2; Both the Premises are Universal Affirmative (A-type).

Both the Premises are already aligned.

All pens are roads.

All roads are houses.

We know that,

 $A + A \Rightarrow A$ -type conclusion

Thus, our derived conclusion should be: "All pens are houses".

Conclusion II is the converse of this derived conclusion.

7. 5; First Premise is Particular Affirmative (I-type).

> Second Premise is Universal Affirmative (A-type).

Both the premises are already aligned.

Some book are bags. All bags are trees.

We know that,

 $I + A \Rightarrow I$ -type Conclusion

Thus, our derived Conclusion would be:

"Some books are trees".

This is the first Conclusion.

Second Conclusion is converse of this Conclusion.

8.4; First Premise is Particular Affirmative (I-type).

> Second Premise is Universal Negative (Etype).

Both the Premises are already aligned:

Some windows are doors.

No door is chair.

We know that,

 $I + E \Rightarrow O$ -type conclusion

Thus, our derived conclusion should be: "Some windows are not chairs".

9.3; First Premise is Universal Affirmative (A-type).

> Second Premise is Particular Affirmative (I-type).

Both the premises are already aligned.

All forests are figures.

Some figures are houses.

We know that.

 $A + 1 \Rightarrow No conclusion$ 

Both conclusions form Complementary Pair.

Therefore, either I or II follows.

Both the Premises are Particular 10.1; Affirmative (I-type).

> Both the Premises are already aligned. We know that no conclusion follows from Particular Premises. Conclusion I is the converse of the first premise.

11.1; Some bottles are jungles. (I)

All jungles are birds. (A)

 $I + A \Rightarrow I$ -type conclusion.

"Some bottles are birds".

Conclusion I is converse of this conclusion.

12.3; Both the premises are of I-type.

Therefore, no conclusion follows.

But the given conclusions form Complimentary pair.

Therefore, either I or II follows.

13.4; All roads are waters. (A)

Some waters are boats. (I)

 $A + I \Rightarrow No conclusion$ 

14.5; All flowers are trees. (A)

No tree is fruit. (E)

 $A + E \Rightarrow E$ -type conclusion

"No flower is fruit".

Conclusion I is Converse of this Conclusion.

Conclusion II is Converse of first premise. Conclusion II is Converse of the first premise.

15. 2; Conclusion II is Converse of the first premise.

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- 26. 1 27. 4 28. 1
- 29. 1; All the statements are of particular affirmative types. Hence, there will be no conclusion.
- 30.4; Some cats are rats + All rats are mats ie I + A = I hence 'Some cats are mats'. Conclusion I is inverse of this conclusion. Conclusion III is inverse of the second premise.
- 31.3; Some benches are drums + All drums are kites ie I + A = I. Hence 'Some benches are kites'. Conclusion II is inverse of the above conclusion.
- 32. 2
- 33.3; Some tables are chairs + All chairs are houses ie I + A = I. Hence 'Some tables are houses'. Conclusion III is the inverse of the above conclusion. Again, All chairs are houses + All houses are tents. ie A + A = A. Hence 'All chairs are tents'. Conclusion II is the inverse of the above conclusion.
- 34. 4 35. 2 36. 1 37. 4 38. 3 39. 1 40. 5 41. 2 42. 3 43. 4
- 44. 1 45. 1 46. 1 47. 4 48. 3
- 49. 2
- 50. 1; All the three Premises are Particular. We know that no Conclusion follows from the Particular Premises.