

SSC CGL 2017 EXAM PAPER : Held on 18-AUG-2017
Shift-1
(Reasoning)

QID : 1 - Select the related word from the given alternatives.

Square : 90° :: Equilateral triangle : ?

Options:

- 1) 30°
- 2) 60°
- 3) 90°
- 4) 120°

Correct Answer: 60°

QID : 2 - Select the related letters from the given alternatives.

ILN : FIK :: RUW : ?

Options:

- 1) ORT
- 2) PSU
- 3) NQS
- 4) LNQ

Correct Answer: ORT

QID : 3 - Select the related number from the given alternatives.

99 : 101 :: 100 : ?

Options:

- 1) 90
- 2) 110
- 3) 111
- 4) 102

Correct Answer: 102

QID : 4 - Select the odd word from the given alternatives.

Options:

- 1) Football
- 2) Hockey
- 3) Carrom
- 4) Cricket

Correct Answer: Carrom

QID : 5 - Select the odd letters from the given alternatives.

Options:

- 1) ACE
- 2) FHJ
- 3) QTW
- 4) KMO

Correct Answer: QTW

QID : 6 - Select the odd number from the given alternatives.

Options:

- 1) 121
- 2) 44
- 3) 66
- 4) 111

Correct Answer: 111

QID : 7 - A series is given, with one word missing. Choose the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.

tub, size, latin, formal, ?

Options:

- 1) smooth
- 2) idle
- 3) scramble
- 4) capital

Correct Answer: capital

QID : 8 - A series is given, with one term missing. Choose the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.

YXWv, TSrQ, OnML, jIHG, EDCb, ?

Options:

- 1) YXwV
- 2) ZYxW
- 3) XwVU
- 4) YxWV

Correct Answer: ZYxW

QID : 9 - A series is given, with one number missing. Choose the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.

2, 5, 10, 17, ? , 37

Options:

- 1) 24
- 2) 30
- 3) 32
- 4) 26

Correct Answer: 26

QID : 10 - Gurkiran's birthday is on Sunday 21st May. On what day of the week will be Shreyas's Birthday in the same year if Shreyas was born on 14th November?

Options:

- 1) Tuesday
- 2) Wednesday
- 3) Friday
- 4) Saturday

Correct Answer: Tuesday

QID : 11 - The weights of 4 boxes are 40, 70, 80 and 50 kilograms. Which of the following cannot be the total weight, in kilograms, of any combination of these boxes and in a combination a box can be used only once

Options:

- 1) 240
- 2) 160
- 3) 200
- 4) 220

Correct Answer: 220

QID : 12 - From the given words, select the word which cannot be formed using the letters of the given word.

THUMBING

Options:

- 1) THING
- 2) MIGHT
- 3) HAUNT
- 4) THUMB

Correct Answer: HAUNT

QID : 13 - If HUMBLD is coded as JWODNGF, then how will WAX be coded as?

Options:

- 1) DHP
- 2) YCZ
- 3) VIS
- 4) JMH

Correct Answer: YCZ

QID : 14 - In a certain code language, '+' represents 'x', '-' represents '+', 'x' represents '÷' and '÷' represents '-'. What is the answer to the following question?

$$60 \times 5 + 3 \div 24 - 6 = ?$$

Options:

- 1) 18
- 2) 94
- 3) 9
- 4) 57

Correct Answer: 18

QID : 15 - If $9@3=12$; $15@4=22$; $16@14=4$; then what is the value of $6@2=?$

Options:

- 1) 26
- 2) 1
- 3) 30
- 4) 8

Correct Answer: 8

QID : 16 -

Select the missing number from the given responses

दिए गए विकल्पों में से लुप्त संख्या चुनिए।

3	4	2	14
6	5	4	44
5	2	7	?

Options:

- 1) 58
- 2) 14
- 3) 49
- 4) 4

Correct Answer: 49

QID : 17 - Two motorcyclists P and Q start from the same point. P rides 11 km West, then turns South and rides 16 km, then turns to his right and rides 14 km. Q rides 30 km South, then turns to his right and rides 25 km. Where is Q with respect to P now?

Options:

- 1) 14 km North
- 2) 14 km South
- 3) 44 km South
- 4) 44 km North

Correct Answer: 14 km South

QID : 18 - In the question a statement is given, followed by two arguments, I and II. You have to consider the statement to be true even if it seems to be at variance from commonly known facts. You have to decide which of the given arguments, if any, is a strong argument.

Statement : Should mango export be banned to bring down domestic prices?

Argument I : Yes, environmentalists and dieticians too encourage eating only local fruits.

Argument II : No, exports bring in valuable foreign currency.

Options:

- 1) if only argument I is strong.
- 2) if only argument II is strong.

3) if both I and II are strong.

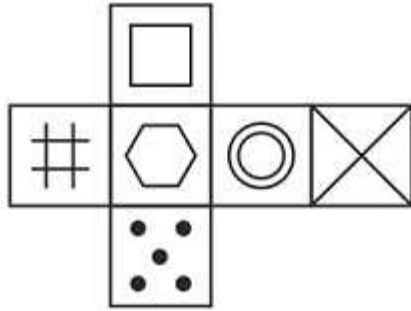
4) if neither I nor II is strong.

Correct Answer: if only argument II is strong.

QID : 19 -

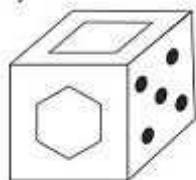
Which of the following cube in the answer figure cannot be made based on the unfolded cube in the question figure?

निम्नलिखित उत्तर आकृति में से कौन सा घन दिए गए प्रश्न आकृति में से खुले घन से बनाया नहीं जा सकता?

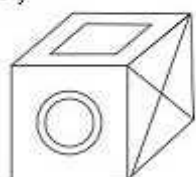


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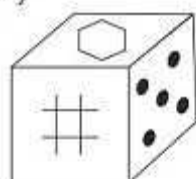
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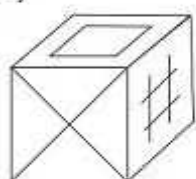
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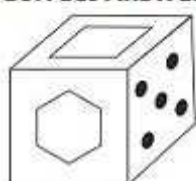
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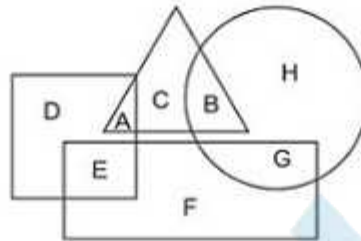
Correct Answer:



QID : 20 -

In the following figure, square represents Psychologists, triangle represents Chemists, circle represents Actors and rectangle represents Fathers. Which set of letters represents Psychologists and actors who are also fathers?

निम्नलिखित आकृति में, वर्ग मनोवैज्ञानिकों को दर्शाता है, त्रिभुज रसायनज्ञों को दर्शाता है, वृत्त अभिनेताओं को दर्शाता है और आयत पिताओं को दर्शाता है। अक्षरों का कौन सा समूह मनोवैज्ञानिकों और अभिनेताओं को दर्शाता है जो पिता भी हैं?



Options:

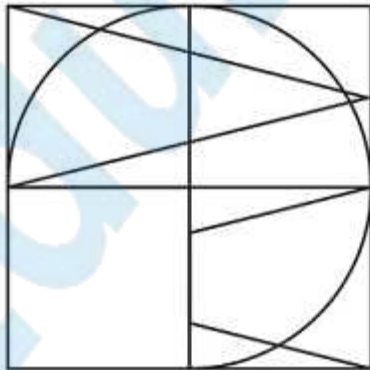
- 1) G,D,A
- 2) F,A,C
- 3) E,G
- 4) E,D,A

Correct Answer: E,G

QID : 21 -

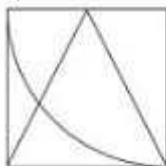
Which answer figure will complete the pattern in the question figure?

निम्नलिखित में से कौन-सी उत्तर आकृति प्रश्न आकृति के प्रतिरूप को पूरा करेगी?

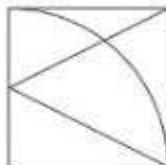


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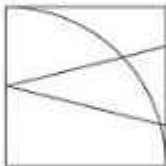
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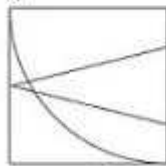
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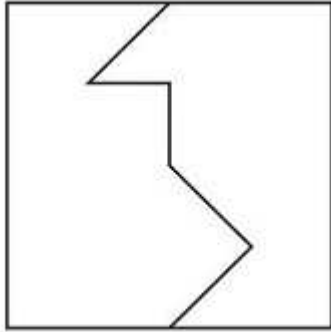
Correct Answer:



QID : 22 -

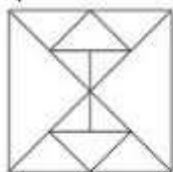
From the given answer figures, select the one in which the question figure is hidden/embedded.

दी गई उत्तर आकृतियों में से उस आकृति को चुनिए जिसमें प्रश्न आकृति निहित है।

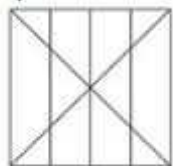


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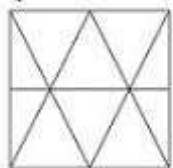
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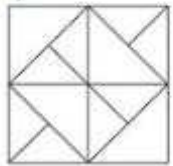
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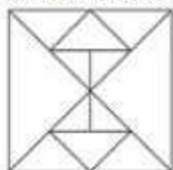
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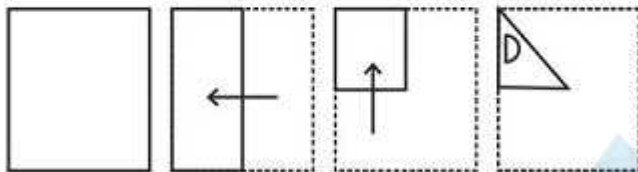
Correct Answer:



QID : 23 -

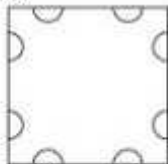
A piece of paper is folded and punched as shown below in the question figures. From the given answer figures, indicate how it will appear when opened.

प्रश्न आकृतियों में दिखाए अनुसार कागज को मोड़कर उसमें छेद करने तथा खोलने के बाद वह किस उत्तर आकृति जैसा दिखाई देगा?

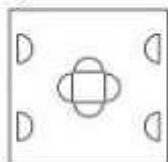


Options:

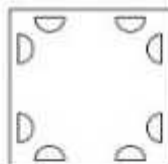
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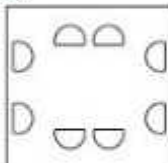
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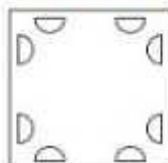
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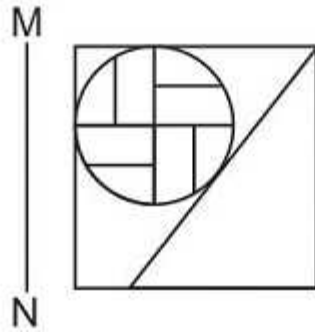
Correct Answer:



QID : 24 -

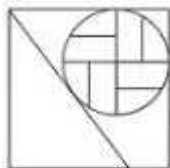
If a mirror is placed on the line MN, then which of the answer figures is the right image of the given figure?

यदि एक दर्पण को MN रेखा पर रखा जाए तो दी गई उत्तर आकृतियों में से कौन-सी आकृति प्रश्न आकृति का सही प्रतिबिम्ब होगी?

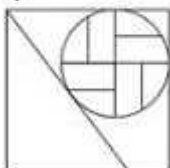


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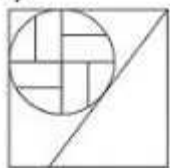
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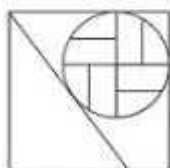
3)



4)



Correct Answer:



QID : 25 -

A word is represented by only one set of numbers as given in any one of the alternatives. The sets of numbers given in the alternatives are represented by two classes of alphabets as shown in the given two matrices. The columns and rows of Matrix-I are numbered from 0 to 4 and that of Matrix-II are numbered from 5 to 9. A letter from these matrices can be represented first by its row and next by its column, for example 'K' can be represented by 20, 32 etc and 'Z' can be represented by 75, 78 etc. Similarly, you have to identify the set for the word 'SHOW'.

एक शब्द केवल एक संख्या-समूह द्वारा दर्शाया गया है, जैसा कि विकल्पों में से किसी एक में दिया गया है। विकल्पों में दिए गए संख्या-समूह अक्षरों के दो वर्गों द्वारा दर्शाए गए हैं, जैसा कि दिए गए दो आव्यूहों में है। आव्यूह-I के स्तम्भ और पंक्ति की संख्या 0 से 4 और आव्यूह-II की 5 से 9 है। इन आव्यूहों से एक अक्षर को पहले उसकी पंक्ति और बाद में स्तम्भ संख्या द्वारा दर्शाया जा सकता है। उदाहरण के लिए 'K' को 20, 32 आदि द्वारा दर्शाया जा सकता है तथा 'Z' को 75, 78 आदि द्वारा दर्शाया जा सकता है। इसी तरह से आपको प्रश्न में दिए शब्द 'SHOW' के लिए समूह को पहचानना है।

Matrix I आव्यूह - I					
	0	1	2	3	4
0	C	J	A	B	A
1	H	L	H	I	G
2	K	M	F	J	C
3	I	B	K	D	F
4	F	I	M	H	J

Matrix II आव्यूह - II					
	5	6	7	8	9
5	R	Z	R	T	P
6	S	S	S	T	X
7	Z	S	V	Z	Y
8	Q	Y	O	S	T
9	U	V	W	S	S

Options:

- 1) 21,23,78,98
- 2) 76,12,87,97
- 3) 40,32,76,79
- 4) 33,23,57,88

Correct Answer: 76,12,87,97

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Shift-1
(General Awareness)

QID : 26 - The closest example of a centrally planned economy is the _____ for the major part of the 20th Century.

Options:

- 1) USA
- 2) India
- 3) Soviet Union
- 4) Japan

Correct Answer: Soviet Union

QID : 27 - _____ is the relationship between the variable input and output, keeping all other inputs are held constant.

Options:

- 1) Total product
- 2) Average product
- 3) Isoquant
- 4) The Long Run

Correct Answer: Total product

QID : 28 - _____ means cases that can be directly considered by the Supreme Court without going to the lower courts before that.

Options:

- 1) Original Jurisdiction
- 2) Writ Jurisdiction
- 3) Appellate Jurisdiction
- 4) Advisory Jurisdiction

Correct Answer: Original Jurisdiction

QID : 29 - Under which of the following jurisdiction can any individual, whose fundamental right has been violated, can directly move the Supreme Court for remedy?

Options:

- 1) Original Jurisdiction
- 2) Writ Jurisdiction
- 3) Appellate Jurisdiction
- 4) Advisory Jurisdiction

Correct Answer: Writ Jurisdiction

QID : 30 - During their rule the British persuaded or forced cultivators in Bengal to grow _____.

Options:

- 1) Jute
- 2) Tea
- 3) Sugarcane
- 4) Wheat

Correct Answer: Jute

QID : 31 - The Mongols under _____ invaded Transoxiana in north-east Iran in 1219.

Options:

- 1) Timur Lang
- 2) Nadir Shah
- 3) Ahmed Shah Abdali
- 4) Genghis Khan

Correct Answer: Genghis Khan

QID : 32 - In the biosphere living beings are inter-related and interdependent on each other for survival. This life supporting system is known as the _____.

Options:

- 1) Ecosystem
- 2) Mountain range
- 3) Forest
- 4) Atmosphere

Correct Answer: Ecosystem

QID : 33 - The part of the Himalayas between Tista and Dihang rivers is known as _____ Himalayas.

Options:

- 1) Nepal
- 2) Kashmir
- 3) Assam
- 4) Jammu

Correct Answer: Assam

QID : 34 - Other name of Platelets is?

Options:

- 1) Leucocytes
- 2) Erythrocytes
- 3) Platelets
- 4) Thrombocytes

Correct Answer: Thrombocytes

QID : 35 - In stems, the protoxylem lies towards the centre and the metaxylem lies towards the periphery of the organ. This type of primary xylem is called _____.

Options:

- 1) Xylem fibres
- 2) Xylem parenchyma
- 3) Exarch
- 4) Endarch

Correct Answer: Endarch

QID : 36 - _____ is the second largest animal phylum.

Options:

- 1) Mollusca
- 2) Chordata
- 3) Coelomates
- 4) Anneldia

Correct Answer: Mollusca

QID : 37 - In a qualitative way, the tendency of undisturbed objects to stay at rest or to keep moving with the same velocity is called _____.

Options:

- 1) force
- 2) acceleration

- 3) friction
- 4) inertia

Correct Answer: inertia

QID : 38 - The time taken by a pendulum to complete one oscillation is called its?

Options:

- 1) Maximum speed
- 2) Average speed
- 3) Time period
- 4) Time interval

Correct Answer: Time period

QID : 39 - Teach Text' is a text editor in which of the following operating systems?

Options:

- 1) Windows
- 2) Google Chrome
- 3) Mozilla Firefox
- 4) Macintosh

Correct Answer: Macintosh

QID : 40 - Metals react with sodium hydroxide to produce _____.

Options:

- 1) oxygen gas
- 2) sodium
- 3) water
- 4) hydrogen gas

Correct Answer: hydrogen gas

QID : 41 - Which base is present in lime water?

Options:

- 1) Sodium hydroxide
- 2) Magnesium hydroxide
- 3) Calcium hydroxide
- 4) Ammonium hydroxide

Correct Answer: Calcium hydroxide

QID : 42 - Presence of large amounts of nutrients in waters also causes excessive growth of _____ algae.

Options:

- 1) Biomagnification
- 2) Algal bloom

- 3) planktonic
- 4) Eutrophication

Correct Answer: planktonic

QID : 43 - _____ scheme launched by the Central Government plans to issue soil cards to farmers which will carry crop-wise recommendations of nutrients and fertilisers.

Options:

- 1) Soil Health Card
- 2) Shyama Prasad Mukherji Rurban Mission
- 3) Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana
- 4) National R-URBAN Mission

Correct Answer: Soil Health Card

QID : 44 - Who invented the electric tram?

Options:

- 1) James Cook
- 2) William Harvey
- 3) Fyodor Pirotsky
- 4) Robert Boyles

Correct Answer: Fyodor Pirotsky

QID : 45 - Who was the 2015 Men's Rugby World Cup Winner?

Options:

- 1) New Zealand
- 2) South Africa
- 3) Australia
- 4) England

Correct Answer: New Zealand

QID : 46 - Indian Mughal paintings originated during the rule of which Mughal Emperor?

Options:

- 1) Humayun
- 2) Akbar
- 3) Jahangir
- 4) Shah Jahan

Correct Answer: Humayun

QID : 47 - Which of the following won the Best Film in 62nd Filmfare Awards 2017?

Options:

- 1) Dangal
- 2) Rustom

- 3) Airlift
- 4) Uda Punjab

Correct Answer: Dangal

QID : 48 - Which of the statements given below are correct?

- 1. The author of the novel 'Forty Thieves' is Thomas Perry.
- 2. The author of the novel 'Half of a Yellow Sun' is Jennifer Egan.
- 3. The author of the novel 'Middlesex' is Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie.

Options:

- 1) 1 and 2
- 2) 2 and 3
- 3) 1 and 3
- 4) 1, 2 and 3

Correct Answer: 2 and 3

QID : 49 - What was USA's rank in 2016 Human Development Index published by the United Nations Development Programme?

Options:

- 1) 1
- 2) 10
- 3) 100
- 4) 200

Correct Answer: 10

QID : 50 - The Delhi – Lahore Bus is officially known as _____.

Options:

- 1) Sada-e-Sarhad
- 2) Maitree bus
- 3) Yaad-e-Shaheed
- 4) Dosti bus

Correct Answer: Sada-e-Sarhad

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(Mathematics)

QID : 51 - What is the remainder when 6729 is divided by 35?

Options:

- 1) 11
- 2) 7
- 3) 19
- 4) 13

Correct Answer: 19

QID : 52 - A, B and C can finish a job working alone in 72, 24 and 36 days respectively. In how many days they can finish the job if they worked together?

Options:

- 1) 12
- 2) 9
- 3) 15
- 4) 18

Correct Answer: 12

QID : 53 - Area of 4 walls of a cuboid is 448 sq cm, its length is 18 cm and height is 8 cm. What is its breadth (in cm)?

Options:

- 1) 10

- 2) 9
- 3) 8
- 4) 7

Correct Answer: 10

QID : 54 - At 10% discount the selling price of an article is Rs 4500, what is the selling price (in Rs) if the discount is 27.5%?

Options:

- 1) 4000
- 2) 3625
- 3) 3500
- 4) 3125

Correct Answer: 3625

QID : 55 - What is the fourth proportional to 72, 168 and 150?

Options:

- 1) 450
- 2) 300
- 3) 350
- 4) 400

Correct Answer: 350

QID : 56 - What is the average of all numbers between 11 and 80 which are divisible by 6?

Options:

- 1) 46
- 2) 47
- 3) 44
- 4) 45

Correct Answer: 45

QID : 57 - A trader had 960 kgs of rice. He sold a part of it at 20% profit and the rest at 8% profit, so that he made a total profit of 12%. How much rice (in kgs) did he sell at 8% profit?

Options:

- 1) 460
- 2) 560
- 3) 540
- 4) 640

Correct Answer: 640

QID : 58 - If 40 % of $x = y$, then $y\%$ of 40 is same as _____ of x .

Options:

- 1) 16%
- 2) 4%
- 3) 8%
- 4) 160%

Correct Answer: 16%

QID : 59 - Excluding stoppages, the speed of a bus is 72 kmph and including stoppages, it is 60 kmph. For how many minutes does the bus stop per hour?

Options:

- 1) 12
- 2) 8
- 3) 15
- 4) 10

Correct Answer: 10

QID : 60 - The simple and compound interest that can be earned in two years at the same rate is Rs 1500 and Rs 1575 respectively. What is the rate (% per annum) of interest?

Options:

- 1) 8
- 2) 10
- 3) 12
- 4) 5

Correct Answer: 10

QID : 61 - If $[7(5x/3 - 3/2)]/2 + 3/2 = 1/4$, then what is the value of x ?

Options:

- 1) $35/24$
- 2) $24/35$
- 3) $-24/35$
- 4) $-35/24$

Correct Answer: $24/35$

QID : 62 - If $a^3 + b^3 = 19$ and $ab = -6$, then what is the value of $a + b$?

Options:

- 1) 5
- 2) 7
- 3) 1
- 4) -5

Correct Answer: 1

QID : 63 - Sum of four times a fraction and 6 times its reciprocal is 11. What is the fraction?

Options:

- 1) $\frac{3}{4}$
- 2) $\frac{4}{3}$
- 3) $\frac{4}{7}$
- 4) $\frac{7}{4}$

Correct Answer: $\frac{3}{4}$

QID : 64 - What is the sum of the first 12 terms of an arithmetic progression if the 3rd term is -13 and the 6th term is -4?

Options:

- 1) 67
- 2) 45
- 3) -30
- 4) -48

Correct Answer: -30

QID : 65 - What is the reflection of the point (5, 2) in the line $x = -3$?

Options:

- 1) (-11, 2)
- 2) (-11, -2)
- 3) (11, -2)
- 4) (11, 2)

Correct Answer: (-11, 2)

QID : 66 - What are the co-ordinates of the centroid of a triangle, whose vertices are A(1, -5), B(4, 0) and C(-2, 2)?

Options:

- 1) (1, -1)
- 2) (-1, 1)

- 3) (2 , -2)
- 4) (-2 , 2)

Correct Answer: (1 , -1)

QID : 67 - Slope of the line AB is $-\frac{4}{3}$. Co-ordinates of points A and B are (x, -5) and (-5, 3) respectively. What is the value of x?

Options:

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

Correct Answer: 1

QID : 68 - D and E are points on side AB and AC of $\triangle ABC$. DE is parallel to BC. If $AD:DB = 2:5$ and area of $\triangle ADE$ is 8 sq cm, what is the ratio of area of $\triangle ADE$: area of quadrilateral BDEC?

Options:

- 1) (4:45)
- 2) (45:4)
- 3) (8:45)
- 4) (45:8)

Correct Answer: (4:45)

QID : 69 - What is the value of $\sqrt{2} \sec 45^\circ - \tan 30^\circ$?

Options:

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

Correct Answer: $(2\sqrt{3} - 1)/\sqrt{3}$

QID : 70 - $\triangle ABC$ is right angled at B. If $m \angle A = 60^\circ$, then what is the value of $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \operatorname{Cosec} C$?

Options:

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

Correct Answer: $2/\sqrt{3}$

QID : 71 - If $\operatorname{Cosec} \theta = 25/7$, then what is the value of $\cot \theta$?

Options:

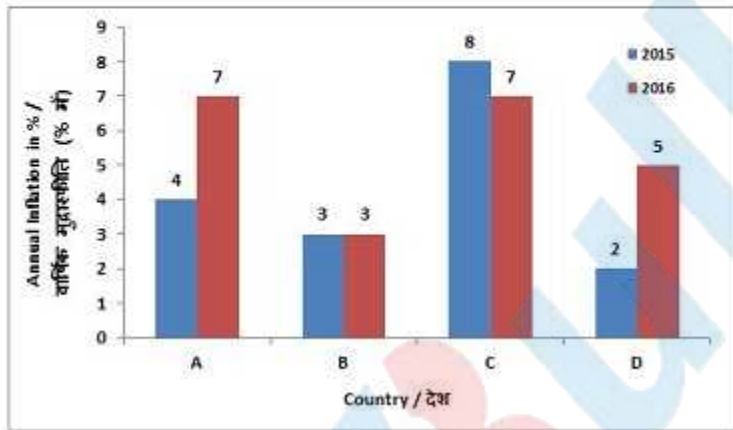
- 1) $24/25$
- 2) $7/24$
- 3) $7/25$
- 4) $24/7$

Correct Answer: $24/7$

QID : 72 -

The bar graph shows annual inflation in two years 2015 and 2016 of four countries (A, B, C, D). Study the diagram and answer the following questions.

बार ग्राफ दो वर्ष 2015 और 2016 में चार देशों (A, B, C, D) की वार्षिक मुद्रास्फीति दर्शाता है। इस आरेख का अध्ययन करें और निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दें।



In which country inflation in 2016 was lower than that of the previous year?

Options:

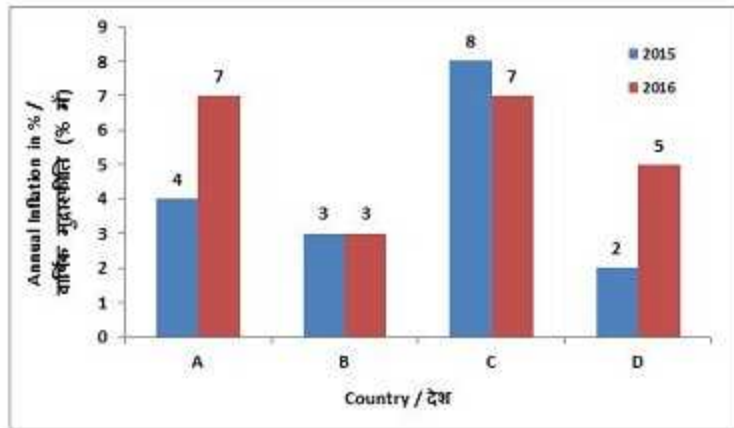
- 1) C
- 2) A
- 3) B
- 4) D

Correct Answer: C

QID : 73 -

The bar graph shows annual inflation in two years 2015 and 2016 of four countries (A, B, C, D). Study the diagram and answer the following questions.

बार ग्राफ दो वर्ष 2015 और 2016 में चार देशों (A, B, C, D) की वार्षिक मुद्रास्फीति दर्शाता है। इस आरेख का अध्ययन करें और निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दें।



By what percent inflation in 2016 was greater than the inflation in 2015 in country D?

Options:

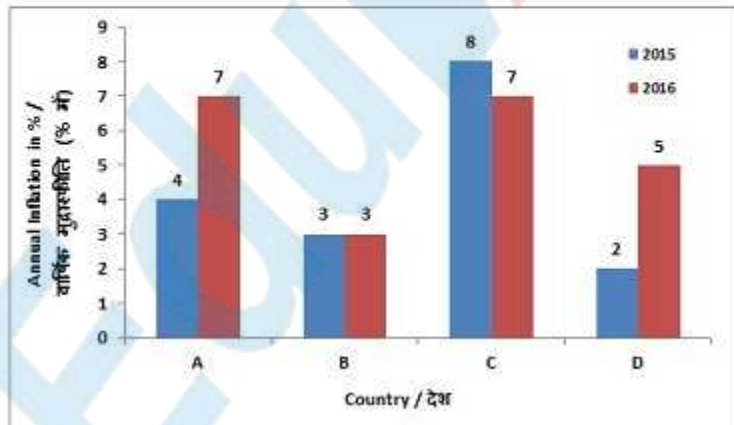
- 1) 60
- 2) 100
- 3) 150
- 4) 120

Correct Answer: 150

QID : 74 -

The bar graph shows annual inflation in two years 2015 and 2016 of four countries (A, B, C, D). Study the diagram and answer the following questions.

बार ग्राफ दो वर्ष 2015 और 2016 में चार देशों (A, B, C, D) की वार्षिक मुद्रास्फीति दर्शाता है। इस आरेख का अध्ययन करें और निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दें।



In the year 2015, what is the ratio of inflation in country C to country A?

Options:

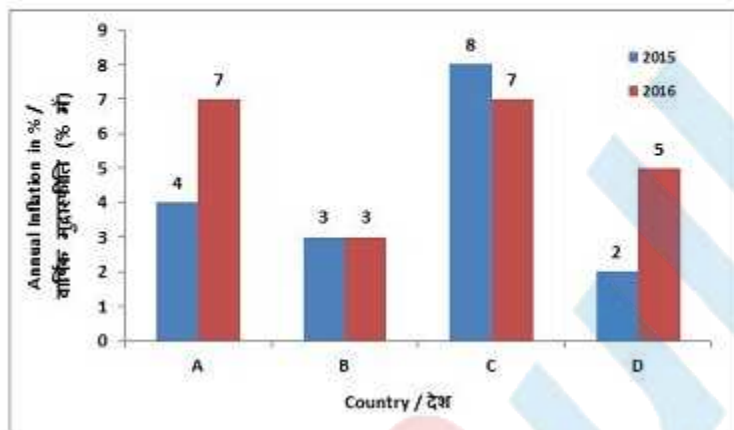
- 1) 1 : 2
- 2) 2 : 3
- 3) 3 : 2
- 4) 2 : 1

Correct Answer: 2 : 1

QID : 75 -

The bar graph shows annual inflation in two years 2015 and 2016 of four countries (A, B, C, D). Study the diagram and answer the following questions.

बार ग्राफ दो वर्ष 2015 और 2016 में चार देशों (A, B, C, D) की वार्षिक मुद्रास्फीति दर्शाता है। इस आरेख का अध्ययन करें और निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दें।



If inflation is measured as increase in price index and the price index was 200 in the beginning of 2015 in country D then what is the index at the end of 2016?

Options:

- 1) 207
- 2) 207.2
- 3) 210
- 4) 214.2

Correct Answer: 214.2

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Shift-1
(English Comprehension)

QID : 76 - In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

Several great battles (1)/ took place among (2)/ the British and the Americans. (3)/No Error (4)

Options:

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

Correct Answer: 2

QID : 77 - In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

The stream gurgled (1)/ contentedly as it (2)/ slowed to rounding the bend. (3)/No Error (4)

Options:

- 1) 1
- 2) 2

3) 3

4) 4

Correct Answer: 3

QID : 78 - In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

The criminal changed his name to an _____ in order to elude the police.

Options:

1) alternative

2) alias

3) option

4) untrue

Correct Answer: alias

QID : 79 - In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

The _____ my husband and I had was so loud it woke our children.

Options:

1) quarrel

2) coral

3) moral

4) laurel

Correct Answer: quarrel

QID : 80 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word similar in meaning to the word given.

Litter

Options:

1) Trash

2) Order

3) Possess

4) System

Correct Answer: Trash

QID : 81 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word similar in meaning to the word given.

Obliterate

Options:

- 1) Construct
- 2) Annihilate
- 3) Revive
- 4) Initiate

Correct Answer: Annihilate

QID : 82 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word opposite in meaning to the word given.

Scrimp

Options:

- 1) Skimp
- 2) Conserve
- 3) Squander
- 4) Curtail

Correct Answer: Squander

QID : 83 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word opposite in meaning to the word given.

Guzzle

Options:

- 1) Carouse
- 2) Starve
- 3) Imbibe
- 4) Quaff

Correct Answer: Starve

QID : 84 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

To heave a sigh of relief

Options:

- 1) To become very tired with routine or boring work
- 2) To suddenly feel very happy because something unpleasant has not happened or has ended
- 3) To Feel extremely sad over someone else's misfortune
- 4) To Feel silent anger over real or perceived injustice

Correct Answer: To suddenly feel very happy because something unpleasant has not happened or has ended

QID : 85 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

To be on cloud nine

Options:

- 1) To extremely happy
- 2) To feely lucky
- 3) To experience the feeling of being intoxicated
- 4) To make one last attempt

Correct Answer: To extremely happy

QID : 86 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which will improve the bracketed part of the sentence. In case no improvement is needed, select "no improvement".

She was uneasy because she (never be) on a plane before.

Options:

- 1) had never been
- 2) never been
- 3) is never been
- 4) no improvement

Correct Answer: had never been

QID : 87 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which will improve the bracketed part of the sentence. In case no improvement is needed, select "no improvement".

No one knows how he escaped (dash) to pieces.

Options:

- 1) being dash
- 2) being dashed
- 3) dashed
- 4) no improvement

Correct Answer: being dashed

QID : 88 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the words/sentence.

The upward force that a fluid exerts on a body floating in it

Options:

- 1) Upthrust
- 2) Plunge
- 3) Submerge
- 4) Capsize

Correct Answer: Upthrust

QID : 89 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the words/sentence.

The use of irony to mock or convey contempt

Options:

- 1) Sanction
- 2) Flatter
- 3) Compliment
- 4) Sarcasm

Correct Answer: Sarcasm

QID : 90 - In the following question, four words are given out of which one word is correctly spelt. Select the correctly spelt word.

Options:

- 1) Threashing
- 2) Thrasheing
- 3) Threasheing
- 4) Thrashing

Correct Answer: Thrashing

QID : 91 - In the following question, four words are given out of which one word is correctly spelt. Select the correctly spelt word.

Options:

- 1) Conssensus
- 2) Consenssus
- 3) Consensus
- 4) Conssenssus

Correct Answer: Consensus

QID : 92 - The question below consists of a set of labelled sentences. Out of the four options given, select the most logical order of the sentences to form a coherent paragraph.

As for ourselves, we

X-combing our hair

Y-a good wash and

Z-were contented with

Options:

- 1) ZXY
- 2) YZX
- 3) YXZ
- 4) ZYX

Correct Answer: ZYX

QID : 93 - The question below consists of a set of labelled sentences. Out of the four options given, select the most logical order of the sentences to form a coherent paragraph.

If there is a

X-corresponding sensation

Y-kind, there has to be a

Z-change in brain activity of a certain

Options:

- 1) ZXY
- 2) ZYX
- 3) YZX
- 4) YXZ

Correct Answer: ZYX

QID : 94 - In the following question, a sentence has been given in Active/Passive voice. Out of the four alternatives suggested, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active voice.

The fire destroyed the whole neighbourhood.

Options:

- 1) The whole neighbourhood is destroyed by the fire.
- 2) The whole neighbourhood was destroyed by the fire.
- 3) The whole neighbourhood **was** being destroyed by the fire.
- 4) The whole neighbourhood is being destroyed by the fire.

Correct Answer: The whole neighbourhood was destroyed by the fire.

QID : 95 - In the following question, a sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect speech. Out of the four alternatives suggested, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct speech.

The accused said to the judge, "Let me meet my children before I die, sir."

Options:

- 1) The accused requests the judge to let him meet his children before he died.
- 2) The accused requested the judge to let him meet his children before he died.
- 3) The accused begs the judge to allow him to meet his children before he dies.
- 4) The accused begged the judge to let him meet his children before he dies.

Correct Answer: The accused requested the judge to let him meet his children before he died.

QID : 96 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

"Jim Crow" shuns the mountains for reasons satisfactory to himself; not so the magpie, the raven, and _____ mischief-maker, Clark's nutcracker. All of which keeps the bird-lover from the East in an ecstasy of surprises until he has _____ accustomed to his changed environment. One cannot help _____ into the speculative mood in view of the sharp contrasts _____ the birds of the East and _____ of the West.

magpie, the raven, and _____ mischief-maker, Clark's nutcracker.

Options:

- 1) what
- 2) it
- 3) that
- 4) there

Correct Answer: that

QID : 97 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

"Jim Crow" shuns the mountains for reasons satisfactory to himself; not so the magpie, the raven, and _____ mischief-maker, Clark's nutcracker. All of which keeps the bird-lover from the East in an ecstasy of surprises until he has _____ accustomed to his changed environment. One cannot help _____ into the speculative mood in view of the sharp contrasts _____ the birds of the East and _____ of the West.

until he has _____ accustomed to his changed environment.

Options:

- 1) became
- 2) becomes
- 3) to be
- 4) become

Correct Answer: become

QID : 98 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

"Jim Crow" shuns the mountains for reasons satisfactory to himself; not so the magpie, the raven, and _____ mischief-maker, Clark's nutcracker. All of which keeps the bird-lover from the East in an ecstasy of surprises until he has _____ accustomed to his changed environment. One cannot help _____ into the speculative mood in view of the sharp contrasts _____ the birds of the East and _____ of the West.

One cannot help _____ into the speculative mood

Options:

- 1) to fall
- 2) fallen
- 3) falling
- 4) fell

Correct Answer: falling

QID : 99 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

"Jim Crow" shuns the mountains for reasons satisfactory to himself; not so the magpie, the raven, and _____ mischief-maker, Clark's nutcracker. All of which keeps the bird-lover from the East in an ecstasy of surprises until he has _____ accustomed to his changed environment. One cannot help _____ into the speculative mood in view of the sharp contrasts _____ the birds of the East and _____ of the West.

in view of the sharp contrasts _____

Options:

- 1) beside
- 2) beneath
- 3) between
- 4) below

Correct Answer: between

QID : 100 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

"Jim Crow" shuns the mountains for reasons satisfactory to himself; not so the magpie, the raven, and _____ mischief-maker, Clark's nutcracker. All of which keeps the bird-lover from the East in an ecstasy of surprises until he has _____ accustomed to his changed environment. One cannot help _____ into the speculative mood in view of the sharp contrasts _____ the birds of the East and _____ of the West.

the birds of the East and _____ of the West.

Options:

- 1) whose
- 2) this
- 3) those
- 4) whom

Correct Answer: those

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Shift-2
(Reasoning)

QID : 101 - Select the related word from the given alternatives.

Hope : Despair :: Lunatic : ?

Options:

- 1) Honest
- 2) Hardworking
- 3) Sane
- 4) Stylish

Correct Answer: Sane

QID : 102 - Select the related letters from the given alternatives.

MOQ : NLJ :: SUW : ?

Options:

- 1) IGE
- 2) CEG
- 3) KJI
- 4) HFD

Correct Answer: HFD

QID : 103 - Select the related number from the given alternatives.

111 : 37 :: 123 : ?

Options:

- 1) 41
- 2) 31
- 3) 21
- 4) 71

Correct Answer: 41

QID : 104 - Select the odd word from the given alternatives.

Options:

- 1) Wall clock
- 2) Painting
- 3) Photo frame
- 4) Carpet

Correct Answer: Carpet

QID : 105 - Select the odd letters from the given alternatives.

Options:

- 1) LMN
- 2) PPQ
- 3) RST
- 4) VWX

Correct Answer: PPQ

QID : 106 - Select the odd number from the given alternatives.

Options:

- 1) 80
- 2) 17
- 3) 13
- 4) 31

Correct Answer: 80

QID : 107 - A series is given, with one word missing. Choose the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.

yes, rain, alive, subtle, ?

Options:

- 1) airport
- 2) smoke
- 3) inch
- 4) fabulous

Correct Answer: airport

QID : 108 - A series is given, with one term missing. Choose the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.

Abcd, ghIJ, Mnop, stUV, Yzab, ?

Options:

- 1) efGH
- 2) Efgh
- 3) cdEF
- 4) efCD

Correct Answer: efGH

QID : 109 - A series is given, with one number missing. Choose the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.

1, 0.25, $\frac{1}{9}$, ? , 0.04, $\frac{1}{36}$

Options:

- 1) 0.0625
- 2) 0.025
- 3) $\frac{1}{8}$
- 4) $\frac{1}{6}$

Correct Answer: 0.0625

QID : 110 - Eshan's birthday is on Friday 10th March. On what day of the week will be Shlok's Birthday in the same year if Shlok was born on 25th September?

Options:

- 1) Monday
- 2) Wednesday
- 3) Friday
- 4) Thursday

Correct Answer: Monday

QID : 111 - The weights of 4 boxes are 70, 50, 30 and 90 kilograms. Which of the following cannot be the total weight, in kilograms, of any combination of these boxes and in a combination a box can be used only once

Options:

- 1) 220
- 2) 240
- 3) 210
- 4) 170

Correct Answer: 220

QID : 112 - From the given words, select the word which cannot be formed using the letters of the given word.

SHORTING

Options:

- 1) THORN
- 2) NITRO
- 3) NOISE
- 4) STING

Correct Answer: NOISE

QID : 113 - If BAPTISM is coded as DCRVKUO, then how will TIN be coded as?

Options:

- 1) VKP
- 2) EBC
- 3) FDF
- 4) CLS

Correct Answer: VKP

QID : 114 - In a certain code language, '+' represents 'x', '-' represents '+', 'x' represents '÷' and '÷' represents '-'. What is the answer to the following question? $45 \times 5 - 24 + 3 \div 80 = ?$

Options:

- 1) 100
- 2) 52
- 3) 1
- 4) 82

Correct Answer: 1

QID : 115 - If $5\$125 = 25$, $12\$48 = 4$ then what is the value of $4\$24 = ?$

Options:

- 1) 34
- 2) 35
- 3) 6
- 4) 5

Correct Answer: 6

QID : 116 -

Select the missing number from the given responses

दिए गए विकल्पों में से लुप्त संख्या चुनिए।

13	7	17
17	23	19
221	?	323

Options:

- 1) 30
- 2) 102
- 3) 29
- 4) 161

Correct Answer: 161

QID : 117 - Two planes start from the same airport. A flies 50 km East. B flies 15 km North, then turns East and flies 20 km, then turns to its right and flies 15 km. Where is B with respect to A now?

Options:

- 1) 30 km East
- 2) 70 km East
- 3) 30 km West
- 4) 70 km West

Correct Answer: 30 km West

QID : 118 - In the question a statement is given, followed by two arguments, I and II. You have to consider the statement to be true even if it seems to be at variance from commonly known facts. You have to decide which of the given arguments, if any, is a strong argument.

Statement : Should zoos be closed down?

Argument I : Yes, imprisoning animals is a crime.

Argument II : No, it is fine if some animals are kept in captivity for sake of entertainment.

Options:

- 1) if only argument I is strong.
- 2) if only argument II is strong.

3) if both I and II are strong.

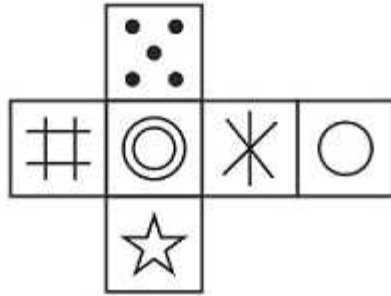
4) if neither I nor II is strong.

Correct Answer: if only argument I is strong.

QID : 119 -

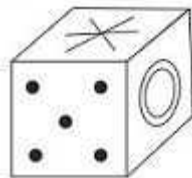
Which of the following cube in the answer figure cannot be made based on the unfolded cube in the question figure?

निम्नलिखित उत्तर आकृति में से कौन सा घन दिए गए प्रश्न आकृति में से खुले घन से बनाया नहीं जा सकता?

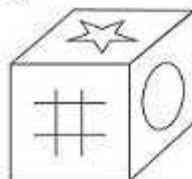


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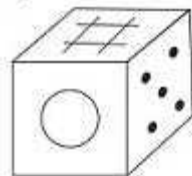
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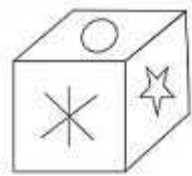
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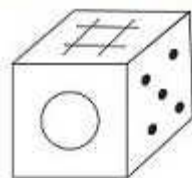
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4)



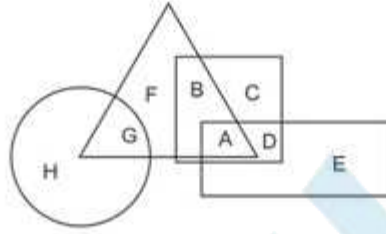
Correct Answer:



QID : 120 -

In the following figure, square represents Physicians, triangle represents cricket players, circle represents men and rectangle represents Indians. Which set of letters represents cricket players who are either Indians or men?

निम्नलिखित आकृति में, वर्ग चिकित्सकों को दर्शाता है, त्रिभुज क्रिकेट खिलाड़ियों को दर्शाता है, वृत्त पुरुषों को दर्शाता है और आयत भारतीयों को दर्शाता है। अक्षरों का कौन सा समूह क्रिकेट खिलाड़ियों को दर्शाता है जो या तो भारतीय हैं या पुरुष हैं?



Options:

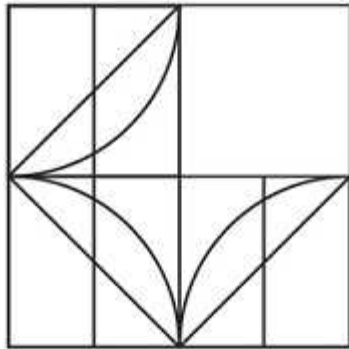
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- 2) A,B,E
- 3) D,F,C
- 4) A,G

Correct Answer: A,G

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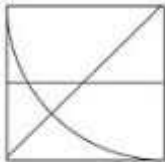
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निम्नलिखित में से कौन-सी उत्तर आकृति प्रश्न आकृति के प्रतिरूप को पूरा करेगी?

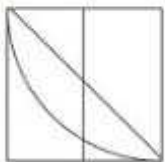


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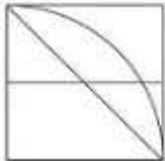
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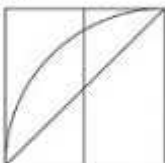
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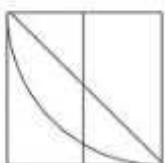
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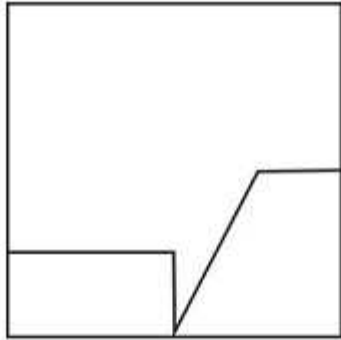
Correct Answer:



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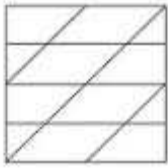
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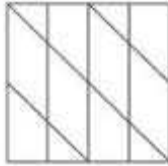


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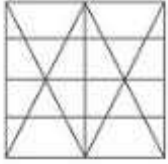
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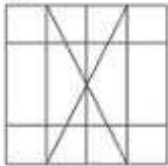
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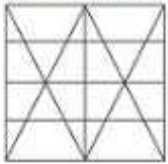
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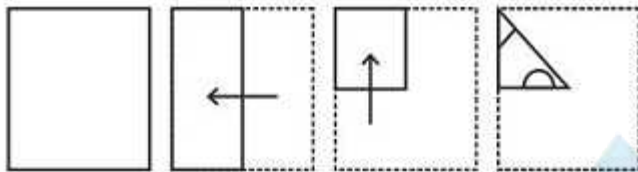
Correct Answer:



QID : 123 -

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प्रश्न आकृतियों में दिखाए अनुसार कागज को मोड़कर उसमें छेद करने तथा खोलने के बाद वह किस उत्तर आकृति जैसा दिखाई देगा?

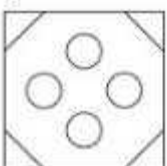


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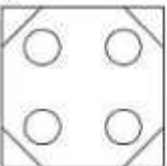
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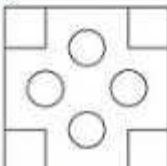
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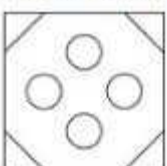
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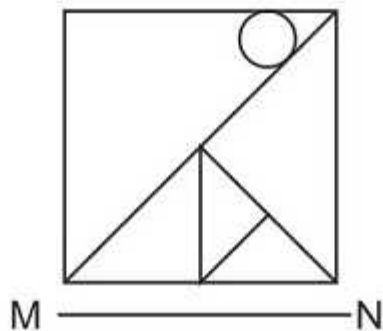
Correct Answer:



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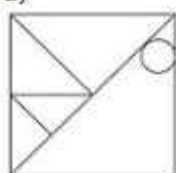
If a mirror is placed on the line MN, then which of the answer figures is the right image of the given figure?

यदि एक दर्पण को MN रेखा पर रखा जाए तो दी गई उत्तर आकृतियों में से कौन-सी आकृति प्रश्न आकृति का सही प्रतिबिम्ब होगी?

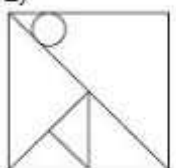


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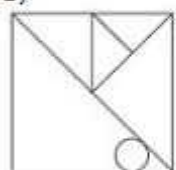
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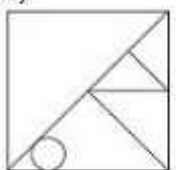
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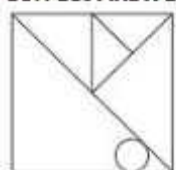
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4)



Correct Answer:



QID : 125 -

A word is represented by only one set of numbers as given in any one of the alternatives. The sets of numbers given in the alternatives are represented by two classes of alphabets as shown in the given two matrices. The columns and rows of Matrix-I are numbered from 0 to 4 and that of Matrix-II are numbered from 5 to 9. A letter from these matrices can be represented first by its row and next by its column, for example 'K' can be represented by 42, 34 etc and 'Z' can be represented by 75, 86 etc. Similarly, you have to identify the set for the word 'RUBY'.

एक शब्द केवल एक संख्या-समूह द्वारा दर्शाया गया है, जैसा कि विकल्पों में से किसी एक में दिया गया है। विकल्पों में दिए गए संख्या-समूह अक्षरों के दो वर्गों द्वारा दर्शाए गए हैं, जैसा कि दिए गए दो आव्यूहों में है। आव्यूह-I के स्तम्भ और पंक्ति की संख्या 0 से 4 और आव्यूह-II की 5 से 9 है। इन आव्यूहों से एक अक्षर को पहले उसकी पंक्ति और बाद में स्तम्भ संख्या द्वारा दर्शाया जा सकता है। उदाहरण के लिए 'K' को 42, 34 आदि द्वारा दर्शाया जा सकता है तथा 'Z' को 75, 86 आदि द्वारा दर्शाया जा सकता है। इसी तरह से आपको प्रश्न में दिए शब्द 'RUBY' के लिए समूह को पहचानना है।

Matrix I आव्यूह - I					
	0	1	2	3	4
0	J	M	D	C	E
1	C	H	K	M	I
2	A	D	F	H	L
3	E	G	A	E	K
4	B	C	K	C	G

Matrix II आव्यूह - II					
	5	6	7	8	9
5	W	U	N	P	S
6	W	S	R	Z	W
7	Z	S	O	S	Y
8	X	Z	S	Y	R
9	O	U	S	U	U

Options:

- 1) 42,31,76,68
- 2) 00,20,57,88
- 3) 30,12,66,67
- 4) 67,56,40,88

Correct Answer: 67,56,40,88

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Shift-2
(General Awareness)

QID : 126 - From which of the following, is the GDP of a country not derived from?

Options:

- 1) Agricultural sector
- 2) Industrial sector
- 3) International sector
- 4) Service sector

Correct Answer: International sector

QID : 127 - _____ is the set of all possible combinations of the two inputs that yield the same maximum possible level of output.

Options:

- 1) The Short Run
- 2) The Long Run
- 3) Isoquant
- 4) Average product

Correct Answer: Isoquant

QID : 128 - _____ means that the President of India can refer any matter that is of public importance or that which involves interpretation of Constitution to Supreme Court for advice.

Options:

- 1) Original Jurisdiction
- 2) Writ Jurisdiction
- 3) Appellate Jurisdiction
- 4) Advisory Jurisdiction

Correct Answer: Advisory Jurisdiction

QID : 129 - There are total _____ parliamentary seats (Rajya Sabha constituency) in Sikkim.

Options:

- 1) 11
- 2) 19
- 3) 10
- 4) 1

Correct Answer: 1

QID : 130 - Dara Shikoh was killed in conflict with his brother _____.

Options:

- 1) Jahangir
- 2) Aurangzeb
- 3) Babur
- 4) Shah Jahan

Correct Answer: Aurangzeb

QID : 131 - The Arabic work of al-Biruni that gave an account of the subcontinent is called _____.

Options:

- 1) Kitab - Al Hind
- 2) Kitab - Al Bharat
- 3) Pustak - Al Hind
- 4) Pustak - Al Bharat

Correct Answer: Kitab - Al Hind

QID : 132 - How many union territories does India have as of June 2017?

Options:

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

Correct Answer: 7

QID : 133 - The northern plain of India is formed of _____.

Options:

- 1) metamorphic soil
- 2) igneous rocks
- 3) alluvial soil
- 4) old crystalline rocks

Correct Answer: alluvial soil

QID : 134 - Lion, Leopard and Tiger are all species of which genus?

Options:

- 1) Solanum
- 2) Panthera
- 3) Felis
- 4) Tigris

Correct Answer: Panthera

QID : 135 - _____ are made up of sclerenchymatous cells. These are generally absent in the primary phloem but are found in the secondary phloem.

Options:

- 1) Xylem fibres
- 2) Xylem parenchyma
- 3) Phloem parenchyma
- 4) Phloem fibres

Correct Answer: Phloem fibres

QID : 136 - What type of a body plan does coelenterates, ctenophores and echinoderms have?

Options:

- 1) Annelida
- 2) Radial
- 3) Bilateral
- 4) Platyhelminthes

Correct Answer: Radial

QID : 137 - If the speed of an object moving along a straight line is constant, its motion is said to be _____.

Options:

- 1) Uniform
- 2) Periodic
- 3) Circular
- 4) Non-uniform

QID : 138 - The strength of a force is usually expressed by its _____.

Options:

- 1) Motion
- 2) Direction
- 3) Interaction
- 4) Magnitude

Correct Answer: Magnitude

QID : 139 - _____ is not a storage device.

Options:

- 1) iPod
- 2) Pen drives
- 3) Linux
- 4) Flash Disks

Correct Answer: Linux

QID : 140 - Magnesium (Mg) + Oxygen (O_2) = ?

Options:

- 1) Mg_2O
- 2) MgO_4
- 3) O_2Mg
- 4) MgO

Correct Answer: MgO

QID : 141 - What is the reaction between an acid and a base called?

Options:

- 1) Desalination
- 2) Crystallisation
- 3) Neutralisation
- 4) Sublimation

Correct Answer: Neutralisation

QID : 142 - According to an estimate, almost ____ percent forests have been lost in the tropics, compared to only 1 percent in the temperate region.

Options:

- 1) 20
- 2) 40
- 3) 60
- 4) 80

Correct Answer: 40

QID : 143 - _____ scheme launched by the Central Government is a new crop insurance scheme to boost farming sector in the country.

Options:

- 1) Soil Health Card
- 2) Shyama Prasad Mukherji R-urban Mission
- 3) Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana
- 4) National R-URBAN Mission

Correct Answer: Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana

QID : 144 - Who discovered Proton?

Options:

- 1) Ernest Rutherford
- 2) Friedrich Miescher
- 3) Henri Becquerel
- 4) Henry Cavendish

Correct Answer: Ernest Rutherford

QID : 145 - Who is the winner of 2017 Indian Premier League (Cricket)?

Options:

- 1) Mumbai Indians
- 2) Rising Pune Supergiant
- 3) Delhi Daredevils
- 4) Sunrisers Hyderabad

Correct Answer: Mumbai Indians

QID : 146 - In which city of India is Dhamek Stupa located?

Options:

- 1) Pune
- 2) Delhi
- 3) Varanasi
- 4) Hyderabad

Correct Answer: Varanasi

QID : 147 - Which of the following was the winner of the Grammy Awards 2016 "Song of the Year"?

Options:

- 1) Alright
- 2) Blank Space
- 3) Girl Crush
- 4) Thinking Out Loud

Correct Answer: Thinking Out Loud

QID : 148 - Which of the statements given below are correct?

1. The author of the novel 'Dodgers' is Don Winslow.
2. The author of the novel 'Forty Thieves' is Bill Beverly.
3. The author of the novel 'The Corrections' is Thomas Perry.

Options:

- 1) 1 and 2
- 2) 2 and 3
- 3) 1 and 3
- 4) 1, 2 and 3

Correct Answer: 1, 2 and 3

QID : 149 - What was Australia's rank in 2016 Human Development Index published by the United Nations Development Programme?

Options:

- 1) 2
- 2) 20
- 3) 100
- 4) 200

Correct Answer: 2

QID : 150 - The Samjhauta Express runs between Delhi to which city in Pakistan?

Options:

- 1) Karachi
- 2) Islamabad
- 3) Quetta
- 4) Lahore

Correct Answer: Lahore

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(Mathematics)

QID : 151 - What is the largest 4 digit number that is exactly divisible by 93?

Options:

- 1) 9961
- 2) 9971
- 3) 9981
- 4) 9951

Correct Answer: 9951

QID : 152 - A, B and C can finish a job working alone in 20, 30 and 60 days respectively. They all work together for 1 day, then A and B quit. How many days C working alone will take to finish the remaining part of the job?

Options:

- 1) 60
- 2) 54
- 3) 6
- 4) 27

Correct Answer: 54

QID : 153 - What is the area (in sq cm) of a rectangle of perimeter 90 cm and breadth 20 cm?

Options:

- 1) 500

- 2) 400
- 3) 250
- 4) 450

Correct Answer: 500

QID : 154 - If the selling price of an item is Rs 9750 after getting a discount of 25%, then what was its marked price (in Rs)?

Options:

- 1) 13000
- 2) 12187
- 3) 14000
- 4) 13187

Correct Answer: 13000

QID : 155 - If $3A = 2B = 4C$; then what is $A : B : C$?

Options:

- 1) $3 : 2 : 4$
- 2) $6 : 4 : 3$
- 3) $4 : 6 : 3$
- 4) $2 : 3 : 4$

Correct Answer: $4 : 6 : 3$

QID : 156 - The average cost of 5 items in a shopping list is Rs 650. If one more item whose cost is Rs 1400 is added to the list what will be the new average (in Rs)?

Options:

- 1) 775
- 2) 875
- 3) 725
- 4) 825

Correct Answer: 775

QID : 157 - If a vendor sells apples at Rs 170 per kg he suffers 15% loss. If he sells at Rs 230 per kg, then what is his profit percentage?

Options:

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

Correct Answer: 15

QID : 158 - If 40 is 0.05% of x, then what is the value of x?

Options:

- 1) 80000
- 2) 8000
- 3) 800
- 4) 80

Correct Answer: 80000

QID : 159 - A taxi going at 90 km/hr takes 35 minutes to travel a certain distance. By how much should it increase its speed (in km/hr) to travel the same distance in 21 minutes?

Options:

- 1) 60
- 2) 150
- 3) 120
- 4) 90

Correct Answer: 60

QID : 160 - If compound interest received on a certain amount in the 2nd year is Rs 1200, what will be the compound interest (in Rs) for the 4th year on the same amount at 10% rate of interest?

Options:

- 1) 1452
- 2) 1320
- 3) 1552
- 4) 1420

Correct Answer: 1452

QID : 161 - If $\frac{17}{3} + \frac{3(2x - 5/3)}{2} = \frac{1}{6}$, then what is the value of x?

Options:

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

Correct Answer: -1

QID : 162 - If $a + b = 5$ and $ab = 6$, then what is the value of $a^3 + b^3$?

Options:

- 1) 32
- 2) 38
- 3) 35
- 4) 34

Correct Answer: 35

QID : 163 - The sum of a fraction and 3 times its reciprocal is $\frac{37}{10}$. What is the fraction?

Options:

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

Correct Answer: $\frac{5}{2}$

QID : 164 - The 4th and 7th term of an arithmetic progression are 11 and -4 respectively. What is the 15th term?

Options:

- 1) -49
- 2) -44
- 3) -39
- 4) -34

Correct Answer: -44

QID : 165 - What is the reflection of the point (5, -1) in the line $y = 2$?

Options:

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

Correct Answer: (5, 5)

QID : 166 - In what ratio is the segment joining points (2, 3) and (-2, 1) divided by the Y-axis?

Options:

- 1) 1 : 2
- 2) 1 : 1
- 3) 3 : 1

4) 2 : 3

Correct Answer: 1 : 1

QID : 167 - What is the slope of the line $2x - 5y = 12$?

Options:

- 1) $2/5$
- 2) $5/2$
- 3) $-2/5$
- 4) $-5/2$

Correct Answer: $2/5$

QID : 168 - Triangle XYZ is similar to PQR. If $XY:PQ=5:1$. If Area of PQR is 5 sq cm, what is the area (in sq cm) of XYZ?

Options:

- 1) 125
- 2) 120
- 3) 100
- 4) 64

Correct Answer: 125

QID : 169 - What is the value of $\cot 60^\circ - \sec 30^\circ$?

Options:

- 1) $-1/3$
- 2) $-1/\sqrt{3}$
- 3) $1/\sqrt{3}$
- 4) $1/3$

Correct Answer: $-1/\sqrt{3}$

QID : 170 - ABC is right angled at B. If $m\angle A = 30^\circ$. What is the length (in cm) of AB, if AC = 8 cm?

Options:

- 1) $2\sqrt{3}$
- 2) $4\sqrt{3}$
- 3) $4/\sqrt{3}$
- 4) $2/\sqrt{3}$

Correct Answer: $4\sqrt{3}$

QID : 171 - If $\cot \theta = 24/7$, then what is the value of $\sec \theta$?

Options:

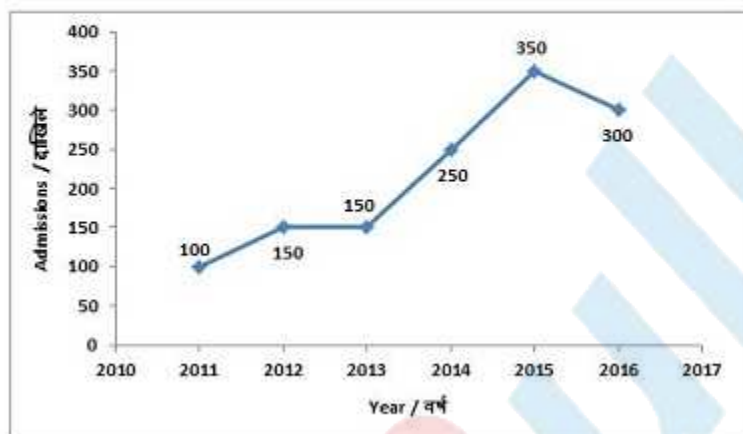
- 1) $7/25$
- 2) $25/24$
- 3) $8/25$
- 4) $9/25$

Correct Answer: $25/24$

QID : 172 -

The line graph shows the record of number of admissions to a certain coaching centre from 2011 to 2016. Study the diagram and answer the following questions.

लाइन ग्राफ 2011 से 2016 तक एक निश्चित कोचिंग सेंटर में दाखिले की संख्या का रिकॉर्ड दिखाता है। इस आरेख का अध्ययन करें और निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दें।



In how many years was the number of admissions greater than that of the previous year?

Options:

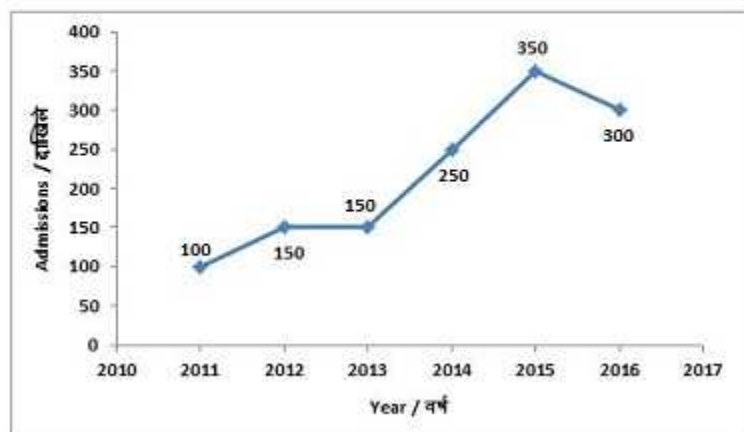
- 1) 2
- 2) 3
- 3) 1
- 4) 4

Correct Answer: 3

QID : 173 -

The line graph shows the record of number of admissions to a certain coaching centre from 2011 to 2016. Study the diagram and answer the following questions.

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इस आरेख का अध्ययन करें और निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दें।



Ignoring year 2016 how many students took admission in the coaching centre since its inception in the year 2011?

Options:

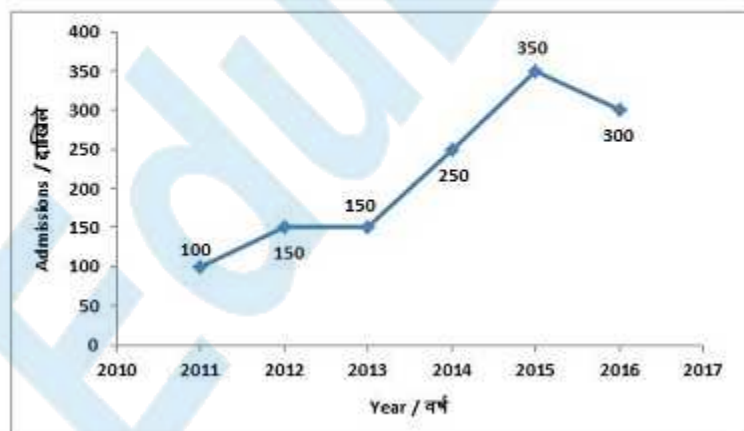
- 1) 1300
- 2) 1200
- 3) 900
- 4) 1000

Correct Answer: 1000

QID : 174 -

The line graph shows the record of number of admissions to a certain coaching centre from 2011 to 2016. Study the diagram and answer the following questions.

लाइन ग्राफ 2011 से 2016 तक एक निश्चित कोचिंग सेंटर में दाखिले की संख्या का रिकॉर्ड दिखाता है।
इस आरेख का अध्ययन करें और निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दें।



Admissions in the year 2014 grew by _____ percent as compared to the previous year.

Options:

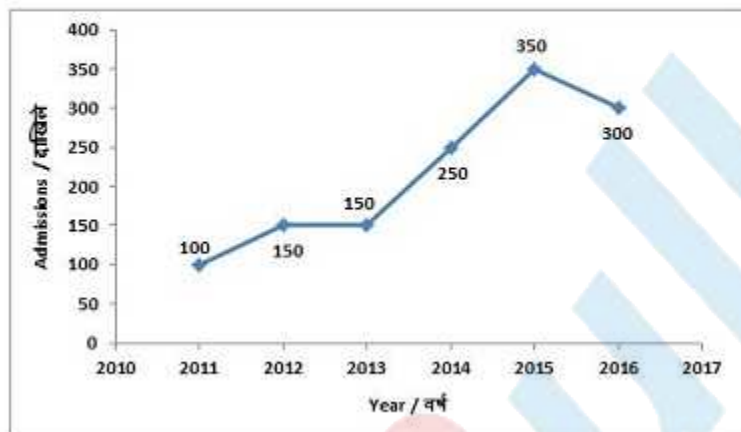
- 1) 50
- 2) 100
- 3) 40
- 4) 66.67

Correct Answer: 66.67

QID : 175 -

The line graph shows the record of number of admissions to a certain coaching centre from 2011 to 2016. Study the diagram and answer the following questions.

लाइन ग्राफ 2011 से 2016 तक एक निश्चित कोचिंग सेंटर में दाखिले की संख्या का रिकॉर्ड दिखाता है। इस आरेख का अध्ययन करें और निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दें।



If fees charged by the coaching centre was Rs 10000 for the first 3 years and Rs 12000 for the next three years then what is the total fees (in Rs. Crores) collected by the coaching centre in the last six years?

Options:

- 1) 1.48
- 2) 1.38
- 3) 1.28
- 4) 1.18

Correct Answer: 1.48

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Shift-2
(English Comprehension)

QID : 176 - In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

They did nothing (1)/ that was down the (2)/ dignity of princes. (3)/No Error (4)

Options:

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

Correct Answer: 2

QID : 177 - In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

What are (1)/ you doing (2)/ by here? (3)/No Error (4)

Options:

- 1) 1
- 2) 2

3) 3

4) 4

Correct Answer: 3

QID : 178 - In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

Do you _____ own a copy of Shakespeare's Hamlet?

Options:

1) chance

2) chances

3) perchance

4) by chances

Correct Answer: perchance

QID : 179 - In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

A police detective often finds himself in the position of having to _____ between a lie and a truth.

Options:

1) extinguish

2) distinguish

3) finish

4) languish

Correct Answer: distinguish

QID : 180 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word similar in meaning to the word given.

Commemorate

Options:

1) Opprobrium

2) Reproach

3) Disrepute

4) Celebrate

Correct Answer: Celebrate

QID : 181 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word similar in meaning to the word given.

Plebiscite

Options:

- 1) Referendum
- 2) Tyranny
- 3) Despotism
- 4) Monarchy

Correct Answer: Referendum

QID : 182 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word opposite in meaning to the word given.

Rampage

Options:

- 1) Binge
- 2) Frenzy
- 3) Harmony
- 4) Turmoil

Correct Answer: Harmony

QID : 183 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word opposite in meaning to the word given.

Blasphemous

Options:

- 1) Pious
- 2) Profane
- 3) Sacrilegious
- 4) Irreligious

Correct Answer: Pious

QID : 184 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

To have something on the brain

Options:

- 1) To be obsessed with something
- 2) To be ready with an immediate smart witty reply
- 3) To unable to solve a particularly difficult philosophical problem
- 4) To think wistfully about past life

Correct Answer: To be obsessed with something

QID : 185 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

Not one's cup of tea

Options:

- 1) To stop having breakfast
- 2) To accept defeat even before attempting to take up the challenge
- 3) To be satisfied with less
- 4) Not one's choice or preference

Correct Answer: Not one's choice or preference

QID : 186 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which will improve the bracketed part of the sentence. In case no improvement is needed, select "no improvement".

The battle (to rage) for some time.

Options:

- 1) is raging
- 2) has been raged
- 3) had been raging
- 4) no improvement

Correct Answer: had been raging

QID : 187 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which will improve the bracketed part of the sentence. In case no improvement is needed, select "no improvement".

She glanced back to make sure she (wasn't to be) observed.

Options:

- 1) wasn'tbe
- 2) weren't being
- 3) wasn'tbeing
- 4) no improvement

Correct Answer: wasn'tbeing

QID : 188 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the words/sentence.

The crime of betraying one's country

Options:

- 1) Treason
- 2) Frankness
- 3) Fidelity
- 4) Allegiance

Correct Answer: Treason

QID : 189 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the words/sentence.

Fanatical and uncompromising pursuit of ideals

Options:

- 1) Nonpartisan
- 2) Zealotry
- 3) Neutral
- 4) Aloof

Correct Answer: Zealotry

QID : 190 - In the following question, four words are given out of which one word is correctly spelt. Select the correctly spelt word.

Options:

- 1) Composure
- 2) Cumposure
- 3) Composore
- 4) Cumposore

Correct Answer: Composure

QID : 191 - In the following question, four words are given out of which one word is correctly spelt. Select the correctly spelt word.

Options:

- 1) Allivate
- 2) Aleviate
- 3) Alleviate
- 4) Aliviate

Correct Answer: Alleviate

QID : 192 - The question below consists of a set of labelled sentences. Out of the four options given, select the most logical order of the sentences to form a coherent paragraph.

"Phew," said I, grabbing

X-cheerfully round my head

Y-at the halo of flies

Z-which buzzed

Options:

- 1) YZX
- 2) YXZ
- 3) XZY
- 4) XYZ

Correct Answer: YZX

QID : 193 - The question below consists of a set of labelled sentences. Out of the four options given, select the most logical order of the sentences to form a coherent paragraph.

The investigations of the

X-peculiar place in the economy of the body

Y-physiologist and the psychologist

Z-have revealed that the brain holds a

Options:

- 1) YXZ
- 2) XZY
- 3) XYZ
- 4) YZX

Correct Answer: YZX

QID : 194 - In the following question, a sentence has been given in Active/Passive voice. Out of the four alternatives suggested, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active voice.

The choir really enjoys that piece.

Options:

- 1) That piece are really enjoyed by the choir.
- 2) That piece is really enjoyed by the choir.
- 3) Enjoyment of that piece is done by the choir.
- 4) Enjoying of that piece is done by the choir.

Correct Answer: That piece is really enjoyed by the choir.

QID : 195 - In the following question, a sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect speech. Out of the four alternatives suggested, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct speech.

Akash said, "Mahesh has gone home."

Options:

- 1) Akash said that Mahesh has gone home.
- 2) Akash said then Mahesh had gone home.
- 3) Akash said then Mahesh has gone home.
- 4) Akash said that Mahesh had gone home.

Correct Answer: Akash said that Mahesh had gone home.

QID : 196 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

Most _____ of all to the rambler on avian lore intent is the fact that there are many species and genera that are peculiar to the West, and _____ new to him, keeping him constantly on the 'qui vive'. _____ Colorado you will look in vain for the common blue jay, so abundant in all parts of the East; but you will be more _____ compensated by the presence of seven other species _____ the jay household.

Most _____ of all to the rambler

Options:

- 1) interesting
- 2) interest
- 3) interested
- 4) interests

Correct Answer: interesting

QID : 197 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

Most _____ of all to the rambler on avian lore intent is the fact that there are many species and genera that are peculiar to the West, and _____ new to him, keeping him constantly on the 'qui vive'. _____ Colorado you will look in vain for the common blue jay, so abundant in all parts of the East; but you will be more _____ compensated by the presence of seven other species _____ the jay household.

West, and _____ new to him, keeping him constantly on the 'qui vive'.

Options:

- 1) therefore
- 2) because
- 3) if
- 4) for

Correct Answer: therefore

QID : 198 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

Most _____ of all to the rambler on avian lore intent is the fact that there are many species and genera that are peculiar to the West, and _____ new to him, keeping him constantly on the 'qui vive'. _____ Colorado you will look in vain for the common blue jay, so abundant in all parts of the East; but you will be more _____ compensated by the presence of seven other species _____ the jay household.

_____ Colorado you will look in vain for the common blue jay

Options:

- 1) On
- 2) In
- 3) Into
- 4) Onto

Correct Answer: In

QID : 199 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

Most _____ of all to the rambler on avian lore intent is the fact that there are many species and genera that are peculiar to the West, and _____ new to him, keeping him constantly on the 'qui vive'. _____ Colorado you will look in vain for the common blue jay, so abundant in all parts of the East; but you will be more _____ compensated by the presence of seven other species _____ the jay household.

but you will be more _____ compensated

Options:

- 1) then
- 2) that
- 3) than
- 4) this

Correct Answer: than

QID : 200 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

Most _____ of all to the rambler on avian lore intent is the fact that there are many species and genera that are peculiar to the West, and _____ new to him, keeping him constantly on the 'qui vive'. _____ Colorado you will look in vain for the common blue jay, so abundant in all parts of the East; but you will be more _____ compensated by the presence of seven other species _____ the jay household.

presence of seven other species _____ the jay household.

Options:

- 1) for
- 2) to
- 3) of
- 4) off

Correct Answer: of

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Shift-3
(Reasoning)

QID : 201 - Select the related word from the given alternatives.

School : Teacher :: Court : ?

Options:

- 1) Lawyer
- 2) Play
- 3) Tennis
- 4) Justice

Correct Answer: Lawyer

QID : 202 - Select the related letters from the given alternatives.

EGI : BDF :: KMO : ?

Options:

- 1) GIK
- 2) MOQ
- 3) HJL
- 4) QSU

Correct Answer: HJL

QID : 203 - Select the related number from the given alternatives.

5 : -10 :: -8 : ?

Options:

- 1) 16
- 2) -16
- 3) 13
- 4) -13

Correct Answer: 16

QID : 204 - Select the odd word from the given alternatives.

Options:

- 1) Knife
- 2) Fork
- 3) Plate
- 4) Spoon

Correct Answer: Plate

QID : 205 - Select the odd letters from the given alternatives.

Options:

- 1) AEI
- 2) JNR
- 3) SWA
- 4) FHJ

Correct Answer: FHJ

QID : 206 - Select the odd number from the given alternatives.

Options:

- 1) 169
- 2) 421
- 3) 529
- 4) 289

Correct Answer: 421

QID : 207 - A series is given, with one word missing. Choose the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.

hello, lower, error, organ, tense, ?

Options:

- 1) night
- 2) rapture
- 3) senile
- 4) watch

Correct Answer: senile

QID : 208 - A series is given, with one term missing. Choose the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.

XXXOXXX, XXXXOXX, XXOXXXX, XXXXXOX, XOXXXXX, ?

Options:

- 1) XXXXXXO
- 2) OXXXXXXO
- 3) XXXOXXX
- 4) XXXXXX

Correct Answer: XXXXXXO

QID : 209 - A series is given, with one number missing. Choose the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.

$\frac{3}{5}$, 1.4, $\frac{11}{5}$, ? , $\frac{19}{5}$, 4.6

Options:

- 1) $\frac{14}{5}$
- 2) 3.2
- 3) $\frac{16}{5}$
- 4) 3

Correct Answer: 3

QID : 210 - Devansh's birthday is on Friday 14th April. On what day of the week will be Rohan's Birthday in the same year if Rohan was born on 20th September?

Options:

- 1) Tuesday
- 2) Friday
- 3) Thursday
- 4) Wednesday

Correct Answer: Wednesday

QID : 211 - The weights of 4 boxes are 20, 40, 80 and 90 kilograms. Which of the following cannot be the total weight, in kilograms, of any combination of these boxes and in a combination a box can be used only once?

Options:

- 1) 220
- 2) 230
- 3) 150
- 4) 210

Correct Answer: 220

QID : 212 - From the given words, select the word which cannot be formed using the letters of the given word.

PREACHER

Options:

- 1) RECAP
- 2) PARCH
- 3) PEACH
- 4) CARES

Correct Answer: CARES

QID : 213 - If MIGRANT is coded as LHFQZMS, then how will GEL be coded as?

Options:

- 1) QXK
- 2) FDK
- 3) IXZ
- 4) IFG

Correct Answer: FDK

QID : 214 - In a certain code language, '+' represents 'x', '-' represents '+', 'x' represents '÷' and '÷' represents '-'. What is the answer to the following question?

$$27 \times 3 \div 30 + 5 - 125 = ?$$

Options:

- 1) 69
- 2) 67
- 3) -15
- 4) -16

Correct Answer: -16

QID : 215 - If $11\$25 = 18$, $12\$20 = 16$ then what is the value of $4\$50 = ?$

Options:

- 1) 42
- 2) 17
- 3) 27
- 4) 37

Correct Answer: 27

QID : 216 -

Select the missing number from the given responses

दिए गए विकल्पों में से लुप्त संख्या चुनिए।

21	27	29
?	96	142
57	69	113

Options:

- 1) 46
- 2) 69
- 3) 29
- 4) 78

Correct Answer: 78

QID : 217 - P and Q start cycling from the same point. P cycles 18 km North, then turns to her right and cycles 3 km. Q cycles 9 km East, then turns North and cycles 10 km North, then turns left and cycles 6 km. Where is Q now with respect to the position of P?

Options:

- 1) 8 km South
- 2) 8 km North
- 3) 28 km South
- 4) 28 km North

Correct Answer: 8 km South

QID : 218 - In the question a statement is given, followed by two arguments, I and II. You have to consider the statement to be true even if it seems to be at variance from commonly known facts. You have to decide which of the given arguments, if any, is a strong argument.

Statement : Should rock shows be allowed to run till midnight at tourist places?

Argument I : Yes, more tourists arrive due to rock shows. Tourism is good for local economy.

Argument II : No, local traditions are harmed due to tourism.

Options:

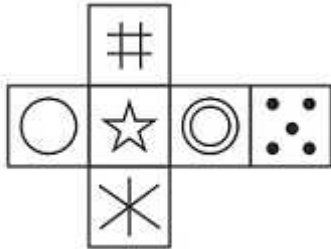
- 1) if only argument I is strong.
- 2) if only argument II is strong.
- 3) if both I and II are strong.
- 4) if neither I nor II is strong.

Correct Answer: if only argument I is strong.

QID : 219 -

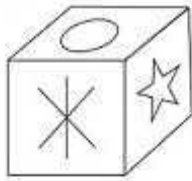
Which of the following cube in the answer figure cannot be made based on the unfolded cube in the question figure?

निम्नलिखित उत्तर आकृति में से कौन सा घन दिए गए प्रश्न आकृति में से खुले घन से बनाया नहीं जा सकता?

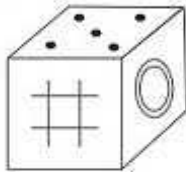


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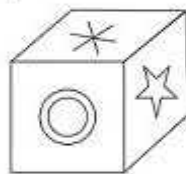
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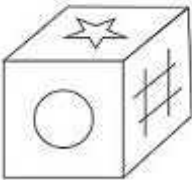
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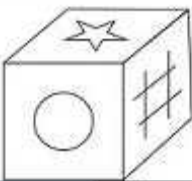
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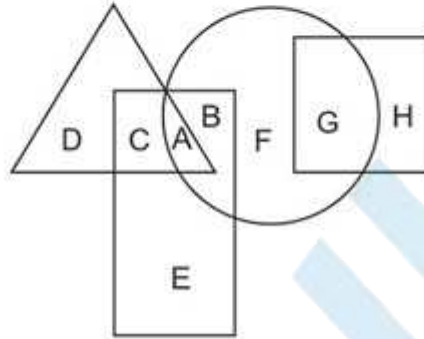
Correct Answer:



QID : 220 -

In the following figure, square represents Therapists, triangle represents Geneticists, circle represents yoga practitioners and rectangle represents Fathers. Which set of letters represents yoga practitioners who are neither geneticists nor fathers?

निम्नलिखित आकृति में, वर्ग चिकित्सकों को दर्शाता है, त्रिभुज आनुवंशिकीवादीयों को दर्शाता है, वृत्त योग चिकित्सकों को दर्शाता है और आयत पिताओं को दर्शाता है। अक्षरों का कौन सा समूह योग चिकित्सकों को दर्शाता है जो न तो आनुवंशिकीवादी हैं और न ही पिता हैं?



Options:

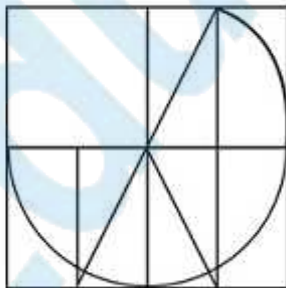
- 1) C,B
- 2) E,A
- 3) G,C
- 4) F,G

Correct Answer: F,G

QID : 221 -

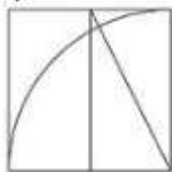
Which answer figure will complete the pattern in the question figure?

निम्नलिखित में से कौन-सी उत्तर आकृति प्रश्न आकृति के प्रतिरूप को पूरा करेगी?

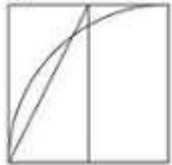


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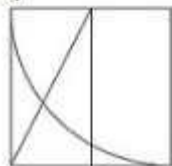
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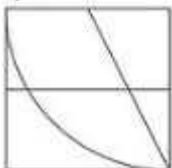
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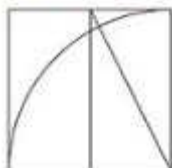
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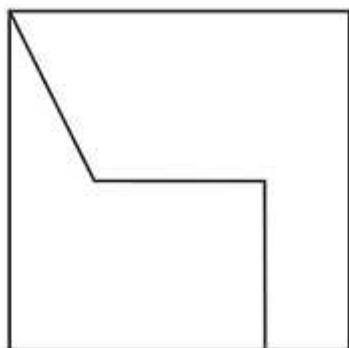
Correct Answer:



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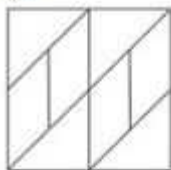
From the given answer figures, select the one in which the question figure is hidden/embedded.

दी गई उत्तर आकृतियों में से उस आकृति को चुनिए जिसमें प्रश्न आकृति निहित है।

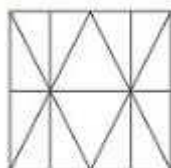


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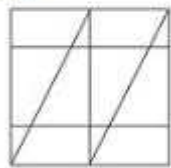
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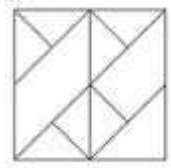
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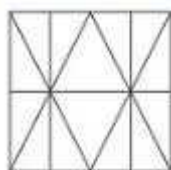
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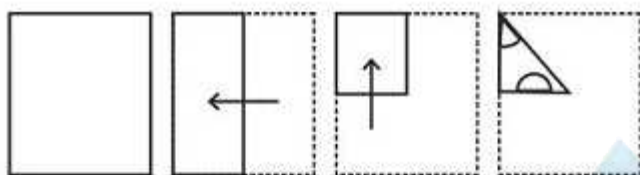
Correct Answer:



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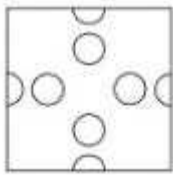
A piece of paper is folded and punched as shown below in the question figures. From the given answer figures, indicate how it will appear when opened.

प्रश्न आकृतियों में दिखाए अनुसार कागज को मोड़कर उसमें छेद करने तथा खोलने के बाद वह किस उत्तर आकृति जैसा दिखाई देगा?



Options:

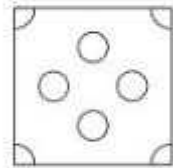
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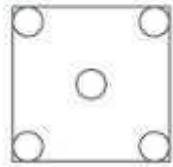
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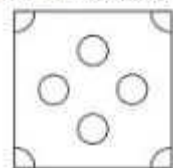
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4)



Correct Answer:



QID : 224 -

If a mirror is placed on the line MN, then which of the answer figures is the right image of the given figure?

यदि एक दर्पण को MN रेखा पर रखा जाए तो दी गई उत्तर आकृतियों में से कौन-सी आकृति प्रश्न आकृति का सही प्रतिबिम्ब होगी?

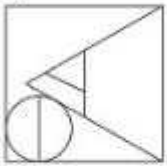


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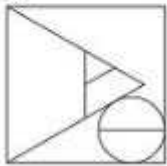
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3)



4)



Correct Answer:



QID : 225 -

A word is represented by only one set of numbers as given in any one of the alternatives. The sets of numbers given in the alternatives are represented by two classes of alphabets as shown in the given two matrices. The columns and rows of Matrix-I are numbered from 0 to 4 and that of Matrix-II are numbered from 5 to 9. A letter from these matrices can be represented first by its row and next by its column, for example 'K' can be represented by 42, 34 etc and 'Z' can be represented by 87, 78 etc. Similarly, you have to identify the set for the word 'REAL'.

एक शब्द केवल एक संख्या-समूह द्वारा दर्शाया गया है, जैसा कि विकल्पों में से किसी एक में दिया गया है। विकल्पों में दिए गए संख्या-समूह अक्षरों के दो वर्गों द्वारा दर्शाए गए हैं, जैसा कि दिए गए दो आव्यूहों में है। आव्यूह-I के स्तम्भ और पंक्ति की संख्या 0 से 4 और आव्यूह-II की 5 से 9 है। इन आव्यूहों से एक अक्षर को पहले उसकी पंक्ति और बाद में स्तम्भ संख्या द्वारा दर्शाया जा सकता है। उदाहरण के लिए 'K' को 42, 34 आदि द्वारा दर्शाया जा सकता है तथा 'Z' को 87, 78 आदि द्वारा दर्शाया जा सकता है। इसी तरह से आपको प्रश्न में दिए शब्द 'REAL' के लिए समूह को पहचानना है।

Matrix I आव्यूह - I					
	0	1	2	3	4
0	H	H	D	J	L
1	E	J	C	A	L
2	D	H	E	K	I
3	C	A	A	E	K
4	B	D	K	C	G

Matrix II आव्यूह - II					
	5	6	7	8	9
5	Y	Y	V	R	S
6	U	R	R	Z	U
7	W	P	N	Z	S
8	R	P	Z	Y	Y
9	P	S	N	R	V

Options:

- 1) 21,10,85,96
- 2) 85,10,31,04
- 3) 14,02,58,88
- 4) 20,20,77,56

Correct Answer: 85,10,31,04

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Shift-3
(General Awareness)

QID : 226 - The _____ exchange rate is the price of one unit of foreign currency in terms of domestic currency.

Options:

- 1) Artificial
- 2) Nominal
- 3) Fixed
- 4) Real

Correct Answer: Nominal

QID : 227 - _____ of an input is defined as the change in output per unit of change in the input when all other inputs are held constant.

Options:

- 1) Marginal product
- 2) Production function
- 3) Total product
- 4) Average product

Correct Answer: Marginal product

QID : 228 - "Trade unions" is listed in the _____ list given in the Seventh Schedule of the Constitution of India.

Options:

- 1) Union
- 2) State
- 3) Global
- 4) Concurrent

Correct Answer: Concurrent

QID : 229 - _____ writ is issued by a higher court (High Court or Supreme Court) when a lower court has considered a case going beyond its jurisdiction.

Options:

- 1) Habeas Corpus
- 2) Mandamus
- 3) Prohibition
- 4) Quo Warranto

Correct Answer: Prohibition

QID : 230 - Arrest of _____ in 1930 led to angry demonstrations in streets of Peshawar.

Options:

- 1) Abdul Ghaffar Khan
- 2) Abul Kalam Azad
- 3) Zakir Hussain
- 4) Muzaffar Ahmed

Correct Answer: Abdul Ghaffar Khan

QID : 231 - The _____ were the successors of Timur, the ruler of Iran, Iraq and modern-day Turkey.

Options:

- 1) Rajputs
- 2) Khaljis
- 3) Mughals
- 4) Tughluq

Correct Answer: Mughals

QID : 232 - Beyond the _____, the Himalayas bend sharply to the south and spread along the eastern boundary of India.

Options:

- 1) Zoji La Pass
- 2) Dihang gorge
- 3) Bhutan border
- 4) Nepal Border

Correct Answer: Dihang gorge

QID : 233 - The National Highway 1A connects Leh to Kashmir Valley through the _____ pass.

Options:

- 1) Khyber
- 2) Zoji la
- 3) Nathula
- 4) Karakoram

Correct Answer: Zoji la

QID : 234 - In the names *Mangifera indica* (mango), *Solanum tuberosum* (potato) and *Panthera leo* (lion), the terms *Mangifera*, *Solanum* and *Panthera* represent the higher level of?

Options:

- 1) Taxon
- 2) Taxonomic Hierarchy
- 3) Specific Epithet
- 4) Binomial Nomenclature

Correct Answer: Taxon

QID : 235 - Which of the following is one of the commercial products obtained from *Gelidium* and *Gracilaria* and are used to grow microbes and in preparations of ice-creams and jellies?

Options:

- 1) Agar
- 2) Chlorella
- 3) Spirulina
- 4) Gymnosperms

Correct Answer: Agar

QID : 236 - *Taenia* (Tapeworm), *Fasciola* (Liver fluke) are examples of which Phylum?

Options:

- 1) Coelenterata
- 2) Platyhelminthes
- 3) Annelida
- 4) Arthropoda

Correct Answer: Platyhelminthes

**QID : 237 - If the mass of an object is 60 kgs, what will be its weight on the moon?
(N=Newton)**

Options:

- 1) 60N
- 2) 600N
- 3) 100N
- 4) 10N

Correct Answer: 100N

QID : 238 - The side mirrors of vehicles are of which type of mirrors?

Options:

- 1) Convex
- 2) Concave
- 3) Plane
- 4) Inverted

Correct Answer: Convex

QID : 239 - In Microsoft Excel, the _____() function returns the largest value among the values passed as arguments.

Options:

- 1) HIGHEST
- 2) MORE
- 3) HIGH
- 4) MAX

Correct Answer: MAX

QID : 240 - In an acid base reaction which product is produced along with a salt?

Options:

- 1) Hydrogen gas
- 2) Oxygen gas
- 3) Carbon dioxide
- 4) Water

Correct Answer: Water

QID : 241 - What is the process of melting also called?

Options:

- 1) Fusion
- 2) Galvanisation
- 3) Crystallisation
- 4) Evaporation

Correct Answer: Fusion

QID : 242 - Which one of the following is not a Major Abiotic Factors?

Options:

- 1) Temperature
- 2) Water
- 3) Light
- 4) Air

Correct Answer: Air

QID : 243 - _____ scheme launched by the Central Government aims to promote entrepreneurship among people from schedule caste/schedule tribe.

Options:

- 1) Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana
- 2) Gram Uday Se Bharat Uday Abhiyan
- 3) Stand up India scheme
- 4) National RU URBAN Mission

Correct Answer: Stand up India scheme

QID : 244 - Who discovered Potassium?

Options:

- 1) Humphry Davy
- 2) Alan Turing
- 3) Bill Gates
- 4) Tim Berners-Lee

Correct Answer: Humphry Davy

QID : 245 - Who is the winner of 2017 Formula One Bahrain Grand Prix?

Options:

- 1) Sebastian Vettel
- 2) Lewis Hamilton
- 3) Valtteri Bottas
- 4) Kimi Raikkonen

Correct Answer: Sebastian Vettel

QID : 246 - Where is Humayun's Tomb is located?

Options:

- 1) Hyderabad
- 2) New Delhi
- 3) Mumbai
- 4) Kolkata

Correct Answer: New Delhi

QID : 247 - Which of the following was the winner of the Grammy Awards 2016 "Rap Album of the Year"?

Options:

- 1) Compton
- 2) 2014 Forest Hills Drive
- 3) To Pimp a Butterfly
- 4) The Pinkprint

Correct Answer: To Pimp a Butterfly

QID : 248 - Which of the statements given above are correct?

- 1. The author of the novel 'Brave New World' is Aldous Huxley.
- 2. The author of the novel 'An Affair Downstairs' is Sherri Browning.
- 3. The author of the novel 'Darkness at Noon' is Victor LaValle.

Options:

- 1) 1 and 2
- 2) 2 and 3
- 3) 1 and 3
- 4) 1, 2 and 3

Correct Answer: 1 and 2

QID : 249 - To which country, India gave Rs. 35 crore rupees to children of freedom fighters in under the new 'Muktijodha scholarship' scheme?

Options:

- 1) Nepal
- 2) Bhutan
- 3) Bangladesh
- 4) Sri Lanka

Correct Answer: Bangladesh

QID : 250 - Which nation is not a part of the South Asian Free Trade Area?

Options:

- 1) China
- 2) Sri Lanka
- 3) Bhutan
- 4) India

Correct Answer: China

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(Mathematics)

QID : 251 - What will be the quotient when 2143 is divided by 38?

Options:

- 1) 56
- 2) 55
- 3) 57
- 4) 54

Correct Answer: 56

QID : 252 - A and B together do a job in 15 days and A alone could do the same job in 20 days. How many days would B take to do half the job if he worked alone?

Options:

- 1) 60
- 2) 30
- 3) 45
- 4) 40

Correct Answer: 30

QID : 253 - What is the area (in sq cm) of a rectangle if its diagonal is 51 cm and one of its sides is 24 cm?

Options:

- 1) 540

- 2) 810
- 3) 1080
- 4) 360

Correct Answer: 1080

QID : 254 - A shopkeeper marks up his wares by 60% and offers 10% discount. What will be the selling price (in Rs) if the cost price is Rs 7500?

Options:

- 1) 11800
- 2) 12800
- 3) 13800
- 4) 10800

Correct Answer: 10800

QID : 255 - What number should be added to each of the numbers 94, 24, 100 and 26, so that the resulting numbers are in continued proportion?

Options:

- 1) 10
- 2) 11
- 3) 9
- 4) 8

Correct Answer: 11

QID : 256 - A batsman makes a score of 81 runs in the 16th match and thus increases his average runs per match by 3. What is his average after the 16th match?

Options:

- 1) 35
- 2) 34
- 3) 33
- 4) 36

Correct Answer: 36

QID : 257 - A vendor buys 12 bananas for Rs 60 and sells 5 bananas for Rs 32. What will be his gain (in %)?

Options:

- 1) 28
- 2) 32
- 3) 24

4) 22

Correct Answer: 28

QID : 258 - Two labourers A and B are paid a total of Rs. 1120 per day. If A is paid 180 percent of what is paid to B, how much (in Rs) is B paid?

Options:

- 1) 400
- 2) 720
- 3) 500
- 4) 620

Correct Answer: 400

QID : 259 - A man travelled a distance of 99 km in 9 hours. He travelled partly on foot @ 9 km/hr and partly on bicycle @ 18 km/hr. What is distance (in kms) travelled on foot?

Options:

- 1) 36
- 2) 54
- 3) 63
- 4) 45

Correct Answer: 63

QID : 260 - The compound interest earned in two years at 15% per annum is Rs 20640. What is the sum invested (in Rs)?

Options:

- 1) 64000
- 2) 60000
- 3) 56000
- 4) 52000

Correct Answer: 64000

QID : 261 - If $5x/2 - [7(6x - 3/2)]/4 = 5/8$, then what is the value of x?

Options:

- 1) $1/4$
- 2) $-1/4$
- 3) 4
- 4) -4

Correct Answer: $1/4$

QID : 262 - If $a^3 - b^3 = 91$ and $a - b = 1$, then what is the value of ab ?

Options:

- 1) 27
- 2) 6
- 3) 9
- 4) 30

Correct Answer: 30

QID : 263 - A fraction is greater than twice its reciprocal by $\frac{7}{15}$. What is the fraction?

Options:

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

Correct Answer: $\frac{5}{3}$

QID : 264 - What is the sum of the first 17 terms of an arithmetic progression if the first term is -20 and last term is 28?

Options:

- 1) 68
- 2) 156
- 3) 142
- 4) 242

Correct Answer: 68

QID : 265 - What is the reflection of the point $(-3, 1)$ in the line $x = -2$?

Options:

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

Correct Answer: $(-1, 1)$

QID : 266 - The co-ordinates of the centroid of a triangle ABC are $(2, 2)$. What are the co-ordinates of vertex C if co-ordinates of A and B are $(7, -1)$ and $(1, 2)$ respectively?

Options:

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

Correct Answer: (-2 , 5)

QID : 267 - If $ax - 4y = -6$ has a slope of $-3/2$. What is the value of a ?

Options:

- 1) 6
- 2) 3
- 3) -6
- 4) -3

Correct Answer: -6

QID : 268 - D and E are points on side AB and AC of $\triangle ABC$. DE is parallel to BC. If $AD:DB = 1:2$ and area of $\triangle ABC$ is 45 sq cm, what is the area (in sq cm) of quadrilateral BDEC?

Options:

- 1) 20
- 2) 40
- 3) 15
- 4) 30

Correct Answer: 40

QID : 269 - What is the value of $\sqrt{2} \sec 45^\circ + (1/\sqrt{3}) \tan 30^\circ$?

Options:

- 1) $(1 + \sqrt{3})/2$
- 2) $(1 + 3\sqrt{2})/\sqrt{3}$
- 3) $7/3$
- 4) $(3 + 2\sqrt{2})/3\sqrt{2}$

Correct Answer: $7/3$

QID : 270 - XYZ is right angled at Y. If $m\angle Z = 30^\circ$. What is the length of YZ (in cm), if ZX = 9 cm?

Options:

- 1) $6\sqrt{3}$
- 2) $9\sqrt{3}/2$
- 3) $3\sqrt{3}$
- 4) 18

Correct Answer: $9\sqrt{3}/2$

QID : 271 - If $\cos \theta = 15/17$, then what is the value of $\operatorname{Cosec} \theta$?

Options:

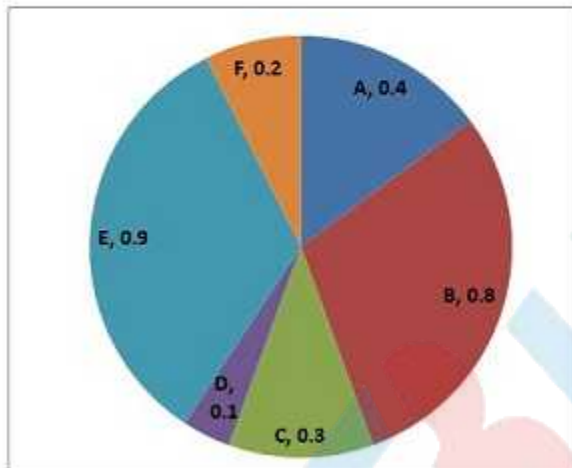
- 1) $17/8$
- 2) $8/17$
- 3) $8/15$
- 4) $17/15$

Correct Answer: $17/8$

QID : 272 -

The pie chart shows the annual car production (in millions) of six countries (A, B, C, D, E, F). Study the diagram and answer the following questions.

पाई चार्ट छह देशों (A, B, C, D, E, F) का वार्षिक कार उत्पादन (दस लाख में) दर्शाता है। इस आरेख का अध्ययन करें और निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दें।



Which country produced the second least number of cars?

Options:

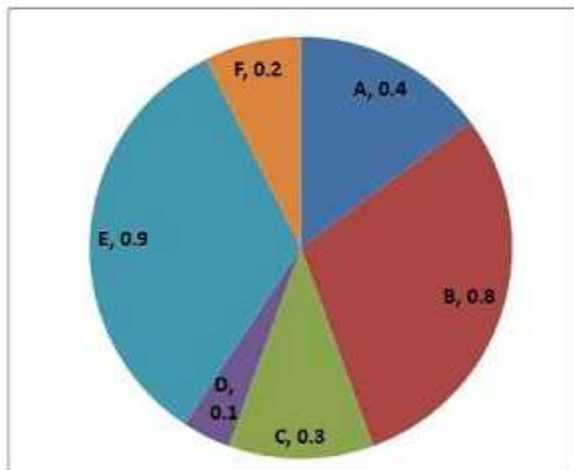
- 1) D
- 2) F
- 3) C
- 4) A

Correct Answer: F

QID : 273 -

The pie chart shows the annual car production (in millions) of six countries (A, B, C, D, E, F). Study the diagram and answer the following questions.

पाई चार्ट छह देशों (A, B, C, D, E, F) का वार्षिक कार उत्पादन (दस लाख में) दर्शाता है। इस आरेख का अध्ययन करें और निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दें।



Country E produced how many more cars (in %) than country B?

Options:

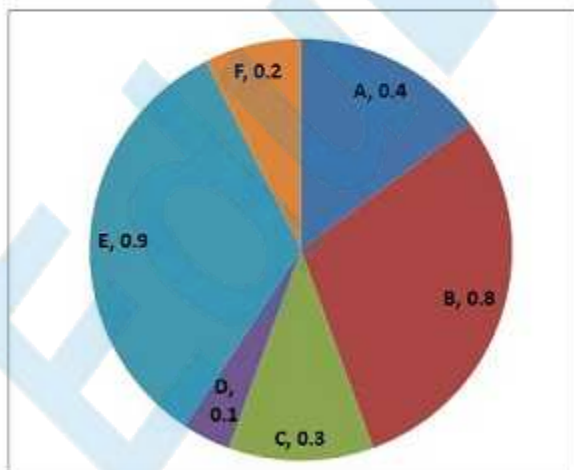
- 1) 10
- 2) 12.5
- 3) 11.11
- 4) 8

Correct Answer: 12.5

QID : 274 -

The pie chart shows the annual car production (in millions) of six countries (A, B, C, D, E, F). Study the diagram and answer the following questions.

पाई चार्ट छह देशों (A, B, C, D, E, F) का वार्षिक कार उत्पादन (दस लाख में) दर्शाता है। इस आरेख का अध्ययन करें और निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दें।



If 35% of the cars produced by these six countries are diesel and the rest are petrol, then how many petrol cars were produced (in millions)?

Options:

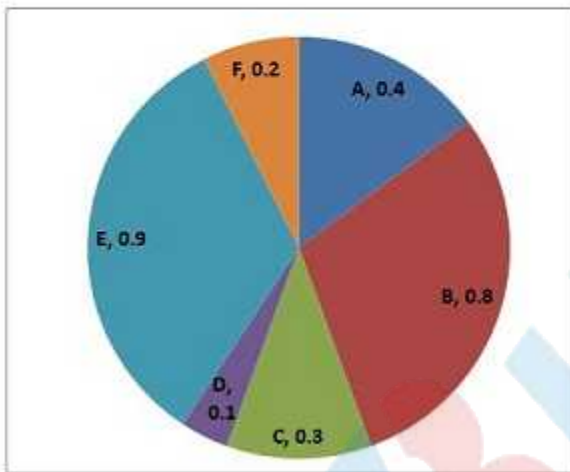
- 1) 1.755
- 2) 0.945
- 3) 2.7
- 4) 1.8

Correct Answer: 1.755

QID : 275 -

The pie chart shows the annual car production (in millions) of six countries (A, B, C, D, E, F). Study the diagram and answer the following questions.

पाई चार्ट छह देशों (A, B, C, D, E, F) का वार्षिक कार उत्पादन (दस लाख में) दर्शाता है। इस आरेख का अध्ययन करें और निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दें।



If on an average the cost price of a car is 30000 USD and environmental tax levied on each car is 2.5% of its cost price, how much environmental tax was collected (in billion USD) from production of cars in these 6 countries?

Options:

- 1) 1.03
- 2) 2.03
- 3) 3.03
- 4) 4.03

Correct Answer: 2.03



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(English Comprehension)

QID : 276 - In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

As Benjamin ran (1)/ next the street, he wondered (2)/ what he should buy. (3)/No Error (4)

Options:

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

Correct Answer: 2

QID : 277 - In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

It had a bright blue (1)/ cover, which he was (2)/ careful not do soil. (3)/No Error (4)

Options:

- 1) 1
- 2) 2

3) 3

4) 4

Correct Answer: 3

QID : 278 - In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

Although the school lunch passed the legal standards, _____ or not it is healthy is debatable.

Options:

1) weather

2) if

3) whether

4) either

Correct Answer: whether

QID : 279 - In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

Seventeen students were needed for a _____ in order to discuss the topics during the Student Council meeting.

Options:

1) decorum

2) quota

3) quorum

4) quote

Correct Answer: quorum

QID : 280 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word similar in meaning to the word given.

Posterior

Options:

1) Anterior

2) Antecedent

3) Dorsal

4) Former

Correct Answer: Dorsal

QID : 281 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word similar in meaning to the word given.

Emphasis

Options:

- 1) Ignorance
- 2) Lethargy
- 3) Triviality
- 4) Significance

Correct Answer: Significance

QID : 282 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word opposite in meaning to the word given.

Lambency

Options:

- 1) Effulgence
- 2) Dullness
- 3) Gusto
- 4) Phosphorescence

Correct Answer: Dullness

QID : 283 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word opposite in meaning to the word given.

Turgid

Options:

- 1) Bloated
- 2) Humble
- 3) Puffy
- 4) Tumescant

Correct Answer: Humble

QID : 284 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

In bad taste

Options:

- 1) Not suitable or offensive
- 2) To be a bad cook
- 3) To have a poor choice of fashion style
- 4) To express honest harsh opinion about someone or something

Correct Answer: Not suitable or offensive

QID : 285 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

Once and for all

Options:

- 1) Now and for the last time; finally
- 2) To be successful in the first attempt
- 3) To do a charitable act for the benefit of everybody
- 4) To speak for the majority

Correct Answer: Now and for the last time; finally

QID : 286 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which will improve the bracketed part of the sentence. In case no improvement is needed, select "no improvement".

His shoes (to cover) with mud.

Options:

- 1) was covered
- 2) were covered
- 3) were covering
- 4) no improvement

Correct Answer: were covered

QID : 287 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which will improve the bracketed part of the sentence. In case no improvement is needed, select "no improvement".

The tropical storm (be) a hurricane

Options:

- 1) will become
- 2) become
- 3) to become
- 4) no improvement

Correct Answer: will become

QID : 288 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the words/sentence.

Seeking to harm someone in return for a perceived injury

Options:

- 1) Affable
- 2) Cordial
- 3) Vengeful
- 4) Benign

Correct Answer: Vengeful

QID : 289 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the words/sentence.

The state of being in short supply

Options:

- 1) Plethora
- 2) Myriad
- 3) Scarcity
- 4) Profusion

Correct Answer: Scarcity

QID : 290 - In the following question, four words are given out of which one word is correctly spelt. Select the correctly spelt word.

Options:

- 1) Scriptare
- 2) Screpture
- 3) Scripture
- 4) Screptare

Correct Answer: Scripture

QID : 291 - In the following question, four words are given out of which one word is correctly spelt. Select the correctly spelt word.

Options:

- 1) Anoyance
- 2) Annoyanse
- 3) Anoyanse
- 4) Annoyance

Correct Answer: Annoyance

QID : 292 - The question below consists of a set of labelled sentences. Out of the four options given, select the most logical order of the sentences to form a coherent paragraph.

It was a somewhat

X-carried it off as

Y-trying ordeal, but we

Z-best as we could

Options:

- 1) YXZ
- 2) XZY
- 3) XYZ
- 4) ZYX

Correct Answer: YXZ

QID : 293 - The question below consists of a set of labelled sentences. Out of the four options given, select the most logical order of the sentences to form a coherent paragraph.

The considerations which

X-are set forth in our

Y-lead us to refer ideas to the brain

Z-physiologies and psychologies

Options:

- 1) YXZ
- 2) YZX
- 3) XYZ
- 4) ZYX

Correct Answer: YXZ

QID : 294 - In the following question, a sentence has been given in Active/Passive voice. Out of the four alternatives suggested, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active voice.

Omkar generously donated money to the orphanage.

Options:

- 1) Money was generously donated to the orphanage by Omkar.
- 2) Money is generously donated to the orphanage by Omkar.
- 3) Donating of the money generously was done by Omkar.
- 4) Donating of the money generously is done by Omkar.

Correct Answer: Money was generously donated to the orphanage by Omkar.

QID : 295 - In the following question, a sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect speech. Out of the four alternatives suggested, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct speech.

My grandfather said to the visitor, "Who are you? Where do you come from?"

Options:

- 1) My grandfather enquired the visitor who are you, where do you come from.
- 2) My grandfather enquires the visitor who he was and where he came from.
- 3) My grandfather enquired of the visitor who he was and where he came from.
- 4) My grandfather enquires the visitor who are you, where do you come from.

Correct Answer: My grandfather enquired of the visitor who he was and where he came from.

QID : 296 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

As one of the most misunderstood practices, yoga has often borne the brunt of being _____ in extremes: of yogis in pretzel-like contortions at _____ end of the spectrum, and young Instagram-led, erstwhile-overweight beach posers _____ the other. The truth is that yoga is what you want it to be — the ultimate customisable exercise form. For a runner, it may mean lengthening muscles to gain _____, while for someone who is hyper-flexible, it could be a way of _____ core strength.

yoga has often borne the brunt of being _____ in extremes

Options:

- 1) see
- 2) seen
- 3) saw
- 4) to see

Correct Answer: seen

QID : 297 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

As one of the most misunderstood practices, yoga has often borne the brunt of being _____ in extremes: of yogis in pretzel-like contortions at _____ end of the spectrum, and young Instagram-led, erstwhile-overweight beach posers _____ the other. The truth is that yoga is what you want it to be — the ultimate customisable exercise form. For a runner, it may mean lengthening muscles to gain _____, while for someone who is hyper-flexible, it could be a way of _____ core strength.

yogis in pretzel-like contortions at _____ end of the spectrum

Options:

- 1) first
- 2) one
- 3) once
- 4) that

Correct Answer: one

QID : 298 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

As one of the most misunderstood practices, yoga has often borne the brunt of being _____ in extremes: of yogis in pretzel-like contortions at _____ end of the spectrum, and young Instagram-led, erstwhile-overweight beach posers _____ the other. The truth is that yoga is what you want it to be — the ultimate customisable exercise form. For a runner, it may mean

lengthening muscles to gain _____, while for someone who is hyper-flexible, it could be a way of _____core strength.

erstwhile-overweight beach posers _____ the other.

Options:

- 1) in
- 2) on
- 3) of
- 4) at

Correct Answer: at

QID : 299 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

As one of the most misunderstood practices, yoga has often borne the brunt of being _____ in extremes: of yogis in pretzel-like contortions at _____ end of the spectrum, and young Instagram-led, erstwhile-overweight beach posers _____ the other. The truth is that yoga is what you want it to be — the ultimate customisable exercise form. For a runner, it may mean lengthening muscles to gain _____, while for someone who is hyper-flexible, it could be a way of _____core strength.

may mean lengthening muscles to gain _____, while for someone

Options:

- 1) flexible
- 2) flexibleness
- 3) flexibilities
- 4) flexibility

Correct Answer: flexibility

QID : 300 - In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

As one of the most misunderstood practices, yoga has often borne the brunt of being _____ in extremes: of yogis in pretzel-like contortions at _____ end of the spectrum, and young Instagram-led, erstwhile-overweight beach posers _____ the other. The truth is that yoga is what you want it to be — the ultimate customisable exercise form. For a runner, it may mean lengthening muscles to gain _____, while for someone who is hyper-flexible, it could be a way of _____core strength.

it could be a way of _____core strength.

Options:

- 1) enhance
- 2) enhancing
- 3) enhances
- 4) to enhance

Correct Answer: enhancing