### RRB NTPC 11 Jan 2021 Shift 1 Solution

1. What is the LCM of 14, 21 and 28 $^\circ$	1.	What	is	the	LCM	of 14.	. 21	and	28	?
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- a. 48
- b. 588
- c. 84
- d. 7

### Ans. c

**Explanation:** 

Given:

LCM of 14, 21 and 28

Concept used:

LCM - The least common multiple or lowest common multiple, or smallest common multiple of two integers a and b usually denoted by lcm (a, b) is the smallest power integer that is divisible by both a and b.

Calculation:

LCM of 14, 21 and 28 is

- $\Rightarrow$  2 × 2 × 3 × 7
- ⇒ 84
- ... The required LCM is 84

## 2. Who is the co-founder of Apple Computers?

- a. Bill Gates
- b. Charles Flint
- c. Paul Allen
- d. Steve Jobs

#### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is Steve Jobs.

Apple is an American multinational technology company.

It was founded in 1976 by Steve Jobs, Steve Wozniak and Ronald Wayne.

3. Asia's largest Indira Gandhi Memorial Tulip garden is situated in which city?



- a. Shimla
- b. Manali
- c. Ganatok
- d. Srinagar

### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is Srinagar.

Indira Gandhi Memorial Tulip garden is a tulip garden in Srinagar.

- 4. If  $Sin\theta \sqrt{3} cos\theta = 0$  ( $\theta$  is an acute angle), then the value of  $sin2\theta cos2\theta$  is:
- **a.**  $-\frac{1}{2}$
- b. 1
- **c.**  $\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2}$
- **d.**  $\frac{1}{2}$

### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

Given:

$$\sin\theta - \sqrt{3}\cos\theta = 0$$

Formula used:

$$\tan 60^{\circ} = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\sin 60^{\circ} = \sqrt{3/2}$$

$$\cos 60^{\circ} = 1/2$$

Calculation:

$$\sin\theta - \sqrt{3}\cos\theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 Sinθ =  $\sqrt{3}$  Cosθ

⇒ 
$$tan\theta = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 60^{\circ}$$

Now,

$$\sin 2\theta - \cos 2\theta = \sin \theta$$

$$260^{\circ} - \cos$$

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

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\Rightarrow (3/4 - 1/4)
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$$\Rightarrow (3-1)/4$$

$$\Rightarrow 2/4$$

- ∴ Required value is 1/2
- 5. In an examination Mohit got 30% of the maximum marks but failed by 25 marks. Another student who scored 38% got 15 marks more than the pass marks. The necessary pass percentage required is:
- a. 50%
- b. 35%
- c. 34%
- d. 53%

### Ans. b

### **Explanation:**

Given:

Mohit got 30% marks and failed by 25 marks

Another student scored 38% and

He got 15 more marks than passing marks

Calculation:

According to the question

$$\Rightarrow$$
 30% + 25 = 38% - 15

$$\Rightarrow$$
 (38% – 30%) = (15 + 25)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 1% = 5 marks

Now,

Then,

The necessary pass percentage required = (30% + 5%)

- ⇒ 35%
- ... Required pass percentage is 35%
- 6. The symbol used for Magnesium is:
- a. Mn
- b. Ma
- c. Mo



## d. Mg

### Ans. d

Explanation:

The correct answer isMg.

Magnesium is a chemical element with the symbol Mg.

## 7. Simplify:

$$5 \times 42 - 3 + 27 \div 3$$

a. 110

b. 216

c. 218

d. 204

### Ans. b

Explanation:

Concept Used:

Follow the BODMAS rule

Calculation:

$$5 \times 42 - 3 + 27 \div 3$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
5 × 42 – 3 + 9

$$\Rightarrow$$
 210 – 3 + 9

... The required value is 216

8. A 10 feet long ladder leaning against a wall, reaches the wall at a point 8 feet high. By how much distance should the ladder be moved towards the wall so that its top reaches a point at 9.6 feet high?

a. 4.4 ft

b. 3.2 ft

c. 2.8 ft

d. 3.92 ft

### Ans. b

Explanation:

Given:



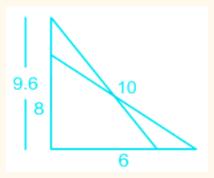
A ladder leaning against a wall = 10 feet

Height of ladder = 8 feet

Formula used:

$$P2 = H2 - B2$$

Calculation:



Let the distance of the ladder be x

$$\Rightarrow$$
 P2 = (10)2–(8)2

$$\Rightarrow$$
 P2 = (100 - 64)

$$\Rightarrow P = 6$$

Now,

According to the question

$$\Rightarrow$$
 (6 - x) =  $\sqrt{(10)2}$  (9.6)2

$$\Rightarrow$$
 (6 - x) =  $\sqrt{(100 - 92.16)}$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
 (6 – x) =  $\sqrt{7.84}$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
 (6 - x) = 2.8

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x =  $(6 - 2.8)$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x = 3.2

... The distance of the ladder be 3.2 ft

9. A 15 high tree is broken by the wind in such a way that its top touches the ground and makes an angle of 60° with the ground. At what height from the bottom is the tree broken?

**a.** 
$$\frac{15}{1+\sqrt{3}}$$
**m**

**b.** 
$$\frac{30\sqrt{3}}{2+\sqrt{3}}$$
**m**

**c.** 
$$\frac{15\sqrt{3}}{2+\sqrt{3}}$$
**m**

d. 5 m



### Ans. c

**Explanation:** 

Given:

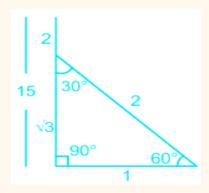
Height of tree = 15 m

Formula used:

 $\tan 60^{\circ} = \sqrt{3}$ 

H2 = P2 - B2

Calculation:



## According to the question

H 2 = P 2 +B2

$$\Rightarrow$$
 ( $\sqrt{3}$ )2 +(1)2

Now,

$$\Rightarrow$$
 2 +  $\sqrt{3}$  = 15

$$\Rightarrow 1 = 15/(2 + \sqrt{3})$$

Then,

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3} = 15/(2 + \sqrt{3})$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 15/(2 +  $\sqrt{3}$ ) ×  $\sqrt{3}$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
 15 $\sqrt{3}/(2 + \sqrt{3})$  m

 $\therefore$  Required height from the bottom is the tree broken is  $\frac{15\sqrt{3}}{2+\sqrt{3}}$  m.

## 10. Which body is responsible to regulate, promote and ensure orderly growth of the insurance industry in India?

- a. ICICI
- b. CRISIL
- c. RBI



#### d. IRDAI

### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer isIRDAI.

The Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) is a regulatory body under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Finance, Government of India.

- 11. What does PSLV stand for?
- a. Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle
- b. Public Satellite Launch Vehicle
- c. Private Satellite Launch Vehicle
- d. Partner Satellite Launch Vehicle

### Ans. a

Explanation:

The correct answer is Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle
PSLV (Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle) is an indigenously-developed expendable
launch system of the ISRO (Indian Space Research Organization).

- 12. In which of the following Indian National Congress (INC) sessions was the National Anthem sung for the first time?
- a. 1911, Kolkata
- **b. 1916, Lucknow**
- c. 1917, Kolkata
- d. 1907, Surat

#### Ans. a

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is 1911, Kolkata.

The National Anthem was first sung on the second day of the annual conference of the Indian National Congress (INC) in Kolkata on December 27, 1911.

- 13. In a certain code language, 'LEGAL' is written as '37'. How will 'EAGLE' be written as in that language?
- a. 35



- b. 25
- c. 30
- d. 36

### Ans. c

Explanation:

The logic followed here is:

We add place value of all letters, we get Ans.-

L(12) E(5) G(7) A(1) L(12) = 12 + 5 + 7 + 1 + 12 = 37, Similarly,

E(5) A(1) G(7) L(12) E(5) = 5 + 1 + 7 + 12 + 5 = 30.

Hence, "option 3" is the correct answer.

- 14. Who wrote the novel 'The White Tiger'?
- a. Chetan Bhagat
- b. Vikram Seth
- c. Khushwant Singh
- d. Aravind Adiga

### Ans. d

Explanation:

The correct answer is Aravind Adiga.

The White Tiger

It is a novel by Indian author Aravind Adiga.

It was published in 2008 and won the 40

th Man Prize.

## 15. Simplify:

$$\sqrt{51 + \sqrt{134 + 5\sqrt{42 + \sqrt{16} + \sqrt{9}}}}$$

- a. 8
- b. 64
- c. 197
- d. 520

### Ans. a

**Explanation:** 



Given:

$$\sqrt{51 + \sqrt{134 + 5\sqrt{42 + \sqrt{16} + \sqrt{9}}}}$$

Calculation:

$$\sqrt{51 + \sqrt{134 + 5\sqrt{42 + \sqrt{16} + \sqrt{9}}}}$$

$$\sqrt{51 + \sqrt{134 + 5\sqrt{42 + \sqrt{16} + 3}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{51 + \sqrt{134 + 5\sqrt{42 + 4 + 3}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{51 + \sqrt{134 + 5(7)}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{51 + \sqrt{134 + (35)}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{51 + \sqrt{169}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{51 + 13}$$

⇒ 8

The required value is 8

16. 16 men can complete a work in 12 days. 12 women can complete the same work in 32 days. 16 men and 16 women together worked for 4 days, after which the women dropped out and 16 more joined. In how many days will be the men be able to complete the remaining work?

a. 3 days

b. 2 days

c. 4 days

d. 5 days

Ans. a

Explanation:

Given:

Number of work completed by 16 men = 12 days

Number of work completed by 12 women = 32 days

Number of work completed by 16 men and 16 women together = 4 days

Formula used:

Work = Efficiency × Time



Calculation:

According to the question

$$\Rightarrow$$
 16m × 12 = 12w × 32

$$\Rightarrow$$
 m = 2w

Total work = 
$$16m \times 12 = (16 \times 1 \times 12)$$

**⇒** 192

Work done by 16 men and 16 women = 4 days

⇒ 16 women = 8 men

Thus, the number of men complete the work in 4 days =  $[(16 + 8) \times 4]$ 

$$\Rightarrow (24 \times 4)$$

⇒ 96

Work remaining = (192 - 96)

⇒ 96

Total men to complete the remaining work = [96/(16 + 16)]

- ⇒ (96/32) days
- $\Rightarrow$  3 days
- ... Required time to complete the remaining work by men is 3 days
- 17. Four animals have been give, out of which three are alike in some manner and one is different. Select the odd one.
- a. Cow
- b. Sheep
- c. Goat
- d. Dog

### Ans. d

Explanation:

The logic followed here is:

All Cow, Sheep and Goat except dog came under the category of cattle.

Hence, "option 4" is the correct answer.

- 18. In the UN Security Council there are:
- a. 10 permanent and 10 non-permanent members
- b. 5 permanent and 10 non-permanent members
- c. 5 permanent and 5 non-permanent members
- d. 10 permanent and 5 non-permanent members



### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is 5 permanent and 10 non-permanent members.

The Security Council has primary responsibility for the maintenance of international peace and security.

It is consists of 15 members of which 5 are permanent while the other 10 are non-permanent members.

- 19. Travellers in deserts often tend to have an optical illusion of a sheet of water where none actually exists. What is this
- a. Reflection
- b. Diversion
- c. Mirage
- d. Scattering

### Ans. c

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is Mirage.

**Key Points** 

A mirage is a naturally-occurring optical phenomenon in which light rays bend via refraction to produce a displaced image of distant objects or the sky.

## 20. Simplify:

$$(1-\frac{1}{2})(1-\frac{1}{3})-\cdots-(1-\frac{1}{9})(1-\frac{1}{10})$$

**a**.
$$\frac{5}{6}$$

**c.** 
$$\frac{1}{10}$$

**d.**
$$-\frac{1}{10}$$

### Ans. c

**Explanation:** 

Calculation:

$$(1-\frac{1}{2})(1-\frac{1}{3})-\cdots-(1-\frac{1}{9})(1-\frac{1}{10})$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 (1 - 1/2) (1 - 1/3) (1 - 1/4) (1 - 1/5)....(1 - 1/9) (1 - 1/10)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 1/2 × 2/3 × 3/4 × 4/5....8/9 × 9/10



- $\Rightarrow 1/10$
- ... The required value is 1/10

## 21. Mohan borrowed an amount of Rs. 18,000 and paid a simple interest of Rs.

## 2,700 at 10% per annum. Find the duration for

- a. 3 years
- b.  $\frac{3}{2}$  years
- c.  $\frac{2}{3}$  years
- d.  $\frac{3}{20}$  years 3

### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

Given:

Principal = Rs. 18,000

SI = Rs. 2700

Rate = 10%

Formula used:

 $SI = (P \times R \times T)/100$ 

Calculation:

According to the question

- $\Rightarrow$  2700 = (18000 × 10 × t)/100
- ⇒ 2700 = 1800t
- $\Rightarrow$  t = 2700/1800
- $\Rightarrow$  t = 3/2
- ... The required time is 3/2 years

## 22. Aedes mosquito is a carrier of:

- a. typhoid
- b. cholera
- c. dengue
- d. Malaria

### Ans. c

Explanation:

The correct answer is Dengue.

Dengue is a mosquito-borne tropical disease caused by the dengue virus.



Its symptoms typically begin three to fourteen days after infection.

## 23. Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan is a Government of India flagship programme, making free and compulsory education to children in the age group of

a. 5-14 years

b. 8-14 years

c. 7-14 years

d. 6-14 years

### Ans. d

Explanation:

The correct answer is 6-14 years.

Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan provides elementary education to all children in the age group of 6 to 14 years.

## 24. Find the value of the given expression.

 $6 + 4 \times 10 \div 2 - 9$ 

a. 18

b. 41

c. 42

d. 17

#### Ans. d

Explanation:

Concept Used:

Calculation:

$$6 + 4 \times 10 \div 2 - 9$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
6 + 4 × 5 – 9

$$\Rightarrow$$
 6 + 20 - 9

**⇒** 17

... The required value is 17

## 25. Simplify:

$$5 + [7^2 - 6 \times 4 (12 \div 6)] + 7 \times (5 - 3)$$

a. -2

- b. 20
- c. 363
- d. 19

### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

Concept Used:

Follow the BODMAS rule

Calculation:

$$5 + [72 - 6 \times 4(12 \div 6)] + 7 \times (5 - 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
5 + [49 - 6 × 4 (12 ÷ 6)] + 7 × (5 - 3)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 5 + [49 - 6 × 4 × 2] + 7 × (5 - 3)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 5 + [49 - 48] + 7 × (5 - 3)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 5 + 1 + 7 × (5 – 3)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 5 + 1 + 7 × 2

$$\Rightarrow$$
 5 + 1 + 14

- ⇒ 20
- ... The required value is 20
- 26. Select the number from among the given option that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.
- 1, 8, 27, 64, 125, ?
- a. 256
- b. 236
- c. 264
- d. 216

### Ans. d

Explanation:

The logic followed here is:

The numbers in the series are cubes of natural numbers.

$$1^3 = 1 \longrightarrow 2^3 = 8 \longrightarrow 3^3 = 27 \longrightarrow 4^3 = 64 \longrightarrow 5^3 = 125 \longrightarrow 6^3 = 216$$

Hence, "option 4" is the correct answer



27. By selling an article for Rs. 2,340, the dealer loses 10% At what price should he sell the article to gain 15%?

a. Rs. 2,600

b. Rs. 2,350

c. Rs. 2,365

d. Rs. 2,990

### Ans. d

Explanation:

Given:

SP of an article = Rs. 2,340

Loss = 10%

Gain = 15%

Formula used:

 $SP = CP \times [(100 - L oss\%)/100]$ 

 $SP = CP \times [(100 + Gain\%)/100]$ 

Calculation:

According to the question

 $SP = CP \times [(100 - L oss\%)/100]$ 

 $\Rightarrow$  2,340 = CP × [(100 – 10)/100]

 $\Rightarrow$  2,340 = CP × 90/100

 $\Rightarrow$  CP = (2,340 × 100/90)

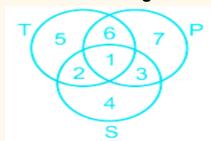
⇒ CP = Rs. 2,600

New SP =  $(2,600 \times 115/100)$ 

⇒ Rs. 2,990

... The required SP is Rs. 2,990

28. In the given diagram, circle T represent 'teachers', circle S represent 'students' and circle P represent 'principles'. The region are denoted by the numbers 1 to 7. Based on the diagram answer the question given below.





Select the region that represent teaches who are neither students nor principals.

a. 1

b. 2

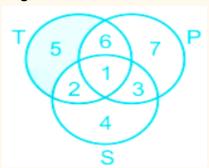
c. 5

d. 6

Ans. c

**Explanation:** 

The Venn diagram is given below:-



The shaded part is the teaches who are neither students nor principals.

So, 5 teachers who are neither students nor principals.

Hence, "option 3" is the correct answer.

29. In the following series, how many times is the number 8 NOT followed by the number 4 but is preceded by the number 5? 65823581258343565458658458

a. 5

b. 4

c. 3

d. 2

#### Ans. a

Explanation:

The logic followed here is:

Condition to be checked:

i) The number 8 not followed by the number 4 but is preceded by the number 5 are given below:-

 $5 \rightarrow 8 \rightarrow Not 4 (4)$ 

6 5 8 23 5 8 12 5 8 34 3 5 6 5 4 5 8 65 8 4 5 8



So, there are 5 pairs in which the number 8 is not followed by the number 4 but is preceded by the number 5.

Hence, "option 1" is the correct answer.

## 30. In a certain code language, 'RAHUL' is written as '60'. How will 'ARUN' be written as in that language?

- a. 56
- b. 52
- c. 45
- d. 54

### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

The logic followed here is:

We add place value of all letters, we get Ans.-

R(18) A(1) H(8) U(21) L(12) = 18 + 1 + 8 + 21 + 12 = 60,

Similarly,

A(1) R(18) U(21) N(14) = 1 + 18 + 21 + 14 = 54.

Hence, "option 4" is the correct answer.

# 31. The mean of ages of a group of 35 school students is 16 years. A 52 year old teacher joined the group. Find the mean of the ages of the students and the teacher.

- a. 34 years
- b. 43.5 years
- c. 36 years
- d. 17 years

### Ans. d

Explanation:

Given:

The mean of ages of a group of 35 students = 16 years

Age of teacher = 52 years

Formula used:

Average = Sum of observations/Number of observations

Calculation:

According to the question



The mean ages of 35 students = (35 × 16) ⇒ 560
A old teacher joined the group = (52 + 560)  ⇒ 612
Now,
The total age of students and teacher = $(35 + 1) = 36$ The mean ages of the students and teacher = $(612/36)$ $\Rightarrow 17$
Required ages is 17 years
32. Each elements has a name and a. a unique chemical symbol b. a unique physical symbol c. a unique colour d. a unique shape
Ans. a
Explanation:
The correct answer isa unique chemical symbol.
33. In a parliamentary system, the legislative, judicial and emergency powers are in reality used by the President only on the advice of the  a. Council of Ministers  b. Chief Minister
c. Members of the Parliament
d. Vice President
Ans. a
Explanation:
The correct answer isCouncil of Ministers
Prime Minister and other Ministers are collectively known as Council of Ministers.

34. A hollow metallic sphere has internal and external radius of 3 cm and 5 cm respectively. It is melted and recast as a solid cylinder with radius 7 cm. What is the height of the cylinder?

a. 3 cm

b. 8 cm



 $c.\frac{8}{3}$  cm

d.  $\frac{2}{3}$ cm

### Ans. c

Explanation

Given:

The internal radius of hollow sphere = 3 cm

The external radius of hollow sphere = 5 cm

Radius of cylinder = 7 cm

Formula used:

Volume of hollow sp

here =  $4/3\pi \times (R3-r3)$  Volume of cylinder =  $\pi r$ 

2h

Calculation:

According to the question

Volume of hollow sphere =  $4/3 \times \pi \times (5^3 - 3^3)$ 

 $\Rightarrow$  4/3 ×  $\pi$  × (125 – 27)

 $\Rightarrow 4/3 \times \pi \times 98$ 

⇒ 392π/3 cm 3

Now,

Volume of cylinder = volume of the sphere

 $\Rightarrow \pi r 2h = 392\pi/3$ 

 $\Rightarrow \pi \times (7)2 \times h = 392\pi/3$ 

 $\Rightarrow$  49 $\pi$  × h = 392 $\pi$ /3

 $\Rightarrow h = (392\pi/49\pi \times 3)$ 

 $\Rightarrow$  h = 8/3 cm

... The height of the cylinder is 8/3 cm

35. Tea and coffee fall under which category of crops in India?

a. Horticulture crops

b. Plantation crops

c. Cash crops

d. Food crops

### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 



The correct answer is Plantation crops.

Plantation crops

The term plantation crops refer to those crops which are cultivated on an extensive scale in a contiguous area owned and managed by an individual or a company.

- 36. Four numbers have been given, out of which three are alike in some manner and one is different. Select the different one.
- a. 10
- b. 2
- c. 5
- d. 7

### Ans. a

**Explanation:** 

The logic followed here is:

2, 5 and 7 are the prime number but 10 is non prime number.

Prime number:- A number that can be divided exactly only by itself and 1. Hence, "option 1" is the correct answer.

- 37. Clearance of snow in high altitude areas is undertakes by:
- a. Public Works Department
- b. The Border Road Organisation
- c. Snow Authority of India
- d. Inland Waterways Authority

#### Ans. b

Explanation:

The correct answer is The Border Road Organisation.

The Border Roads Organisation (BRO) is a road construction executive force in India that provides support to and is a part of the Indian Armed Forces.

- 38. One of the most important contributions of the British to India in 1853 which enabled people to travel long distance was\_\_\_\_\_.
- a. the airways
- b. the railways
- c. the roadways



### d. the waterways

### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is the railways.

The first passenger train ran in India on 16th April 1853 from Bombay to Thane.

Railways in India were introduced during the rule of Lord Dalhousie.

39. A swimmer, whose speed is 9 km/h in still water, goes 9 km downstream in 45 minutes. Find the speed of the stream.

- a. 6 km/h
- b. 12 km/h
- c. 9 km/h
- d. 3 km/h

### Ans. d

Explanation:

Given:

Speed of swimmer in still water = 9 km/h

Downstream = 9 km

Time = 45 min = (45/60) = 3/4

Formula used:

Speed = Distance/Time

Calculation:

Let the speed of the stream be x km/h

According to the question

$$\Rightarrow 9 + x = 9/(3/4)$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 9 + x = (9 × 4/3)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 9 + x = 12

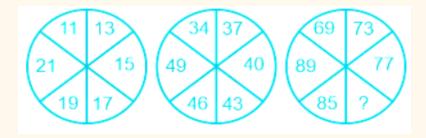
$$\Rightarrow$$
 x =  $(12 - 9)$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x = 3 km/h

... The speed of the stream is 3 km/h

40. Study the given pattern carefully and select the number from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?).



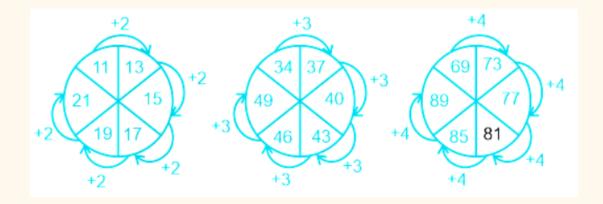


- a. 74
- b. 81
- c. 80
- d. 78

### Ans. b

## Explanation:

The logic followed here is:



Hence, "option 2" is the correct answer.

41. Simplify:

1.1 + 1.001 + 10.01 + 11.11

a. 23.14

b. 3.124

c. 4.213

d. 23.221

Ans. d

Explanation:

Calculation:



- 1.1 + 1.001 + 10.01 + 11.11
- $\Rightarrow$  2.101 + 10.01 + 11.11
- $\Rightarrow$  12.111 + 11.11
- ⇒ 23.221
- ... The required value is 23.221

### 42. Which of the following cities is NOT in Madhya Pradesh?

- a. Raipur
- b. Jabalpur
- c. Bhopal
- d. Gwalior

### Ans. a

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is Raipur.

Raipur is the capital city of the Indian state of Chhattisgarh.

## 43. Which movie won the 'Best Motion Picture of the Year' award at the Oscars 2020?

- a. Parasite
- b. Black Panther
- c. Bohemian Rhapsody
- d. A Star is Born

#### Ans. a

Explanation:

The correct answer is Parasite

Parasite won the Oscar Awards 2020 for Best Picture.

## 44. Anil buys an article with 20% discount on the marked price and sells it at 8% discount on the marked price. Find his profit/loss loss percent.

- a. 12% profit
- b. 15% profit
- c. 15% loss
- d. 12% loss

Ans. b



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Explanation:
Given:
CP at discount = 20%
SP at discount = 8%
Formula used:
Profit = SP - CP
Profit\% = (Profit/CP \times 100)
Calculation:
Let the listed price be Rs. 100
According to the question
CP at 20% discount = [(100 - 20)/100 \times 100]
\Rightarrow (80/100 × 100)
⇒ 80
SP at 8% discount = [(100 - 8)/100 \times 100]
\Rightarrow (92/100 × 100)
⇒ 92
Profit = (92 - 80)
⇒ 12
Profit\% = (12/80 \times 100)
⇒ 15%
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## 45. The LCM of two numbers is 24 times their HCF. The sum of the HCF and LCM is 750. If one of the numbers is 90, then find the other number.

a. 240

∴ His profit% is 15

CP : SP = (100 - 20) : (100 - 8)

- b. 30
- c. 720
- d. 25

#### Ans. a

**Explanation:** 

Given:

The LCM of two numbers = 24 times their HCF

The sum of HCF and LCM = 750

One number = 90

Concept used:



Product of two numbers = HCF × LCM

Calculation:

Let the LCM and HCF be x and y respectively

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x = 24y ....(1)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x + y = 750 ....(2)

Adding both the equations we get,

$$\Rightarrow$$
 24y + y = 750

$$\Rightarrow$$
 25y = 750

$$\Rightarrow$$
 y = 30

Now put the value of y in equation (2) we get,

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x + 30 = 750

$$\Rightarrow x = (750 - 30)$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x = 720

The other number =  $(HCF \times LCM)$ one number

$$\Rightarrow$$
 (720 × 30)/90

... The other number is 240

## 46. The conversion of $0.0\overline{37}$ in the form $\frac{p}{q}$ is:

**a.** 
$$\frac{37}{990}$$

**b.** 
$$\frac{37}{999}$$

**c.** 
$$\frac{37}{1000}$$

**d.** 
$$\frac{37}{100}$$

### Ans. a

Explanation:

Calculation:

Let 
$$x = 0.037...(1)$$

Multiplying by 10 in equation (1)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 10x = 0.37 ...(2)

Multiplying by 100 in equation (2)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 1000x = 37...(3)

Subtracting equation (2) from (3)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 (1000x - 10x) = (37.37 - 0.37)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 990x = 37



- $\Rightarrow$  x = 37/990
- $\therefore$  The value of p/q is 37/990

## 47. Ram Sagar and Bhagat Ram enter into a partnership by investing in the ratio 10: 13. Find Bhagat Ram's share in a profit of Rs. 8,050.

- a. Rs. 4,025
- b. Rs. 4,550
- c. Rs. 1550
- d. Rs. 3,500

### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

Given:

Ratio of Ram Sagar and Bhagat Ram's = 10:13

Total profit = Rs. 8,050

Calculation:

Let the ratio of Ram Sagar and Bhagat Ram's be 10x and 13x respectively

According to the question

- $\Rightarrow$  (10x + 13x) = 8,050
- $\Rightarrow$  23x = 8,050
- $\Rightarrow$  x = 350

Now.

The share of Bhagat Ram's share =  $13x = (13 \times 350)$ 

- ⇒ Rs. 4,550
- ∴ Required share of Bhagat Ram's is Rs. 4,550

## 48. Which of the following IITs has been declared one among the seven Eat Right Campus by FSSAI?

- a. IIT Delhi
- b. IITKanpur
- c. IIT Ropar
- d. IIT Gandhinagar

### Ans. d

Explanation:

The correct answer is IIT Gandhinagar.

IIT Gandhinagar became India's first educational institute to receive Eat Right



Campus Award from FSSAI.

49. In the First Five Year Pla	n, the Government of India sought to
get the country's economy o	out of the cycle of poverty.

- a. 1955-1960
- b. 1947-1952
- c. 1951-1956
- d. 1961-1965

#### Ans. c

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is 1951-1956.

First Five Year Plan

The first Five-year plan was for the period of 1951 to 1956

### 50. Select the term that will come next in the following series.

Mercury, Venus, Earth, ?

- a. Uranus
- b. Jupiter
- c. Saturn
- d. Mars

### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

The logic followed here is:

Here is the order of the planets, starting nearest from the sun and going away in the solar system.

Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune.

Hence, "option 4" is the correct answer.

### 51. What is the full form of FORTRAN?

- a. FoxPro Translation
- b. Foreign Translation
- c. Fortitude Translation
- d. Formula Translation

Ans. d



### **Explanation:**

The correct answer is Formula Translation.

## 52. How many numbers between 100 and 1000 are completely divisible by 11?

- a. 82
- b. 79
- c. 81
- d. 80

### Ans. c

### **Explanation:**

### Concept used:

Divisibility rule of 11 - The difference between the sum of digits and the odd and even places equals 0 or divisible by 11

$$t n = a + (n - 1) d$$

where, a = first number

d = common difference (t 2- t1)

n = last number

### Calculation:

The first number between 100 and 1000 divisible by 11 = 110

The last number between 100 and 1000 divisible by 11 = 990

The numbers is 110, 121, 132, ......990

$$\Rightarrow$$
 a = 110, d = (121 – 110) = 11, n = 990

According to the question

$$t n = a + (n - 1) d$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 110 + (n - 1) × 11 = 990

$$\Rightarrow$$
 110 + 11n - 11 = 990

$$\Rightarrow$$
 11n - 11 = (990 - 110)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 11n = (880 + 11)

... Required numbers is 81

## 53. Which vitamin activates proteins and calcium essential for blood clotting?

- a. Vitamin C
- b. Vitamin D



### c. Vitamin B1

### d. Vitamin K

### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is Vitamin K.

Vitamin K activates proteins and calcium essential for blood clotting.

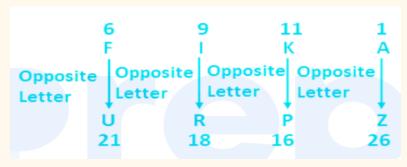
## 54. In a certain code language, 'FIKA' is written as 'URPZ'. How will 'EHJZ' be written as in that language.

- a. ZSQV
- b. VSQA
- c. VQSZ
- d. AQSV

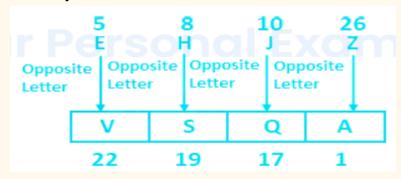
### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

The logic followed here is:



## Similarly,



Hence, "option 2" is the correct answer.



55. The organ of the government that primarily looks after the function of implementation and administration is called the \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. Legislature
- b. Parliament
- c. Judiciary
- d. Executive

### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is Executive.

The organ of government that primarily looks after the function of implementation and administration is called the Executive .

56. The length of a hall is 7 m more than its breadth. If its perimeter is 62 m, find the length of the hall.

- a. 34.5 m
- b. 19 m
- c. 27.5 m
- d. 12 m

### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

Given:

The length of hall = 7 m more than its breadth

Perimeter of hall = 62 m

Formula used:

Perimeter of rectangle = 2(I + b)

Calculation:

Let the breadth of rectangle be x m

Length = (x + 7) m

Perimeter = 2(I + b) = 62

$$\Rightarrow$$
 I + b = 31

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x + 7 + x = 31

$$\Rightarrow$$
 2x = 24

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x = 12 m

Now,

Breadth = x = 12 m



Length = (x + 7) = (12 + 7) = 19 m

... The length of the hall is 19 m

- 57. The earlier name of Bhabha Atomic Research Center was\_\_\_\_\_
- a. Atomic Energy Establishment, Trombay
- b. Indira Gandhi Center for Atomic Research
- c. Nuclear Power Corporation of India Limited
- d. Bharatiya Nabhikiya Vidyut Nigam

### Ans. a

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is Atomic Energy Establishment, Trombay.

Dr. Homi Jehangir Bhabha established the Atomic Energy Establishment,

Trombay (AEET) in Jan 1954.

- 58. Kumud borrowed some amount at simple interest of 10% per annum for 1 year. Sneha borrowed the same amount at the same rate on compound interest (compounded semiannually) for the same period. If Sneha paid Rs. 61 more than Kumud as interest, then how much money did each of them borrow?
- **a.** Rs.  $\frac{61}{80}$
- **b.** Rs.  $\frac{1261}{80}$
- c. Rs. 8,000
- d. Rs. 4,000

### Ans. c

Explanation:

Given:

Rate = 10%

Time = 3/2 years

Formula used:

If difference between CI and SI is 3 years then,

Difference =  $3 \times P(R)2/(100)2 + P(R/100)3$ 

If compounded semiannually

Rate = 10/2 = 5%

Time =  $3/2 \times 2 = 3$  years



### Calculation:

According to the question

- $\Rightarrow$  Difference = P × R2(300 + R)/1003]
- $\Rightarrow$  61 = (P × 25 × 305)/1003
- $\Rightarrow$  7625P = (61 × 100 × 100 × 100)
- $\Rightarrow$  7625P = 61,000,000
- $\Rightarrow$  P = (61,000,000/7625)
- $\Rightarrow$  P = Rs. 8,000
- ∴ Each of them borrowed Rs. 8,000
- 59. The sum of the digits of a two-digit number is 12. If the digits are reversed, seven times the new number equals to four times the original number. Find the number.
- a. 57
- b. 75
- c. 84
- d. 48

### Ans. c

**Explanation:** 

Given:

The sum of the digits of a two-digit number = 12

Calculation:

Let the two digit number be 10x + y

Sum of digits (x + y) = 12....(1)

According to the question

- $\Rightarrow 4(10x + y) = 7(10y + x)$
- $\Rightarrow$  40x + 4y = 70y + 7x
- $\Rightarrow (70y 4y) = (40x 7x)$
- $\Rightarrow$  66y = 33x
- $\Rightarrow$  x/y = 2/1

Now,

- $\Rightarrow$  2x + x = 12
- $\Rightarrow$  3x = 12
- $\Rightarrow x = 4$

Now,

First number =  $2x = (2 \times 4) = 8$ 



#### Second number = x = 4

... The required number is 84

### 60. When is 'World Environment Day' celebrated?

- a. 30th September
- b. 31st May
- c. 12th April
- d. 5th June

### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is 5th June.

Since 1974, World Environment Day has been celebrated every year on 5 June.

### 61. Which of the following is NOT a desert in India?

- a. Rann of Kutch
- b. The Thar desert
- c. Indus valley desert
- d. Spiti valley cold desert

### Ans. c

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is the Indus valley desert.

The Indus Valley Desert is an almost uninhabited desert ecoregion of northern Pakistan.

## 62. The Congress annual session of December 1929 in Lahore was significant because of:

- a. Indians becoming self-reliant
- b. commitment to Purna Swaraj
- c. the work done by the people of the country
- d. the overwhelming majority

#### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is the commitment to Purna Swaraj.

The Indian National Congress, on 19 December 1929, passed the historic 'Purna



Swaraj' (total independence) resolution at its Lahore session.

## 63. As of October 2020, which of the following is NOT on the World Heritage list?

- a. Agra Fort
- b. Hawa Mahal
- c. Elephanta Caves
- d. Sun Temple

### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is Hawa Mahal.

As of October 2020, Hawa Mehal is not on the world heritage list.

Hawa Mehal registered on the World Heritage list in 2021.

- 64. Four parts of the human body have been listed, out of which three are alike is some manner and one is different, Select the odd one.
- a. Eyes
- b. Nose
- c. Ears
- d. Hair

### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is Hair.

Except for Hair, all other options are examples of sense organs of a human body.

Hair is not a sense organ.

- 65. The median of 11, 13, 10, 9, 8, 20, 13 is:
- a. 13
- b. 9
- c. 12
- d. 11

#### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 



Given:
The given data = 11, 13, 10, 9, 8, 20, 13
Concept used:
Case 1: When numbers of terms in data is odd
Median = Middle term value
Case 2: When numbers of terms in data is even
Median = (1
st middle term value + 2
nd middle term value)/2

Calculation:

Arranging data in ascending order

⇒ 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 13, 20

The number of given data in odd terms that is 7 So.

Median = Middle term value

**⇒** 11

... The required median is 11

## 66. As of November 2020, which team is number one in the ICC men's T20 Cricket rankings?

- a. India
- b. Austraila
- c. England
- d. West Indies

### Ans.b

Explanation:

The correct answer is Australia

- 67. Viticulture is\_\_\_\_\_.
- a. vegetable cultivation
- b. mango cultivation
- c. flower cultivation
- d. grape cultivation

### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 



The correct answer is grape cultivation.

Viticulture is the scientific study of grapes, most often with a focus on growth and production.

## 68. If people cannot be used as a resource they naturally appear as \_\_\_\_\_ to the economy.

- a. indispensable
- b. an asset
- c. a liability
- d. important

### Ans. c

Explanation:

The correct answer is a liability.

## 69. If sum of squares of zeroes of the polynomial x2+ 9x + 3k is 21, then what is the value of k?

- a. -17
- b. 10
- c. 30
- d. 20

### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

Given:

$$f(x) = x 2 + 9x + 3k$$

sum of squares of zero = 21

Formula used:

Sum of zero  $(\alpha + \beta) = -b/a$ 

Product of zero  $(\alpha \times \beta) = c/a$ 

Calculation:

Let  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the zeroes of polynomial f(x)

Sum of zero = -b/a = (-9/1) = -9....(1)

Product of zero = c/a = (3k/1) = 3k...(2)

Now, from equation (1)

$$\alpha + \beta = -9d$$

Squaring both sides, we get



$$(\alpha + \beta)2 = (-9)2$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha 2 + \beta 2 + 2\alpha \beta = 81...(3)$$

Now, sum of squares of zero = 21

$$\alpha 2 + \beta 2 = 21$$

Putting the value of equation (1) and (2) in (3), we get

$$\Rightarrow$$
 21 + 2 × 3k = 81

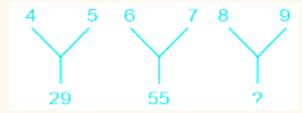
$$\Rightarrow$$
 6k = (81 – 21)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 6k = 60

$$\Rightarrow$$
 k = 10

... The value of k is 10

# 70. Study the given pattern carefully and select the numbers from among the given options that can replace the question marks (?).



- a. 79
- b. 88
- c. 89
- d. 78

#### Ans. c

**Explanation:** 

The logic followed here is:

Addition of the upper left side number and square of the upper right side number, then we get a lower number.

The figure is as follows:-

Hence, "Option 3" is the correct answer.



- 71. Which of the following is the tallest tree in the world?
- a. Cedar
- b. Pine
- c. Spruce
- d. Redwood

#### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is Redwood.

Redwood is a subfamily of coniferous trees within the family Cupressaceae .

It includes the largest and tallest trees in the world.

- 72. Aryan takes twice as much time as Vipin to finish a piece of work. Together they finish the same piece of work in 2 days. In how much time can Vipin do the same work?
- a. 2 days
- b. 3 days
- c. 6 days
- d. 4 days

#### Ans. b

Explanation:

Given:

Aryan takes twice as much time as Vipin to finish a work

Aryan and Vipin finish the work together = 2 days

Formula used:

Work = Efficiency × Time

Calculation:

LCM of 2 and 1 is 2

Efficiency of Aryan = 2/2 = 1 unit/day

Efficiency of Vipin = 2/1 = 2 units/days

Number of work completed by Aryan and Vipin together in 2 days =  $[2 \times (1 + 2)]$ 

 $\Rightarrow$  (2 × 3) = 6 units/days

Now.

Number of time to completed the work by Vipin = (6/2) days

- ⇒ 3 days
- ... Required time to completed the work by Vipin is 3 days



# 73. Anita and Vineeta divide an amount of Rs.1,950 between themselves in the ratio 6: 7. If an amount of Rs. 100 is added to each of their shares, what will be the new ratio of their shares?

a. 900 : 1050 b. 106 : 107 c. 20 : 23 d. 600 : 700

#### Ans. c

Explanation:

Given:

Ratio of Anita and Vineeta = 6:7

Total amount = Rs. 1,950

Amount added to each of their shares = Rs. 100

Calculation:

Let the ratio of Anita and Vineeta be 6x and 7x respectively

According to the question

$$\Rightarrow$$
 (6x + 7x) = 1,950

$$\Rightarrow 13x = 1,950$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x = 150

Now, share of Anita =  $6x = (6 \times 150) = 900$ 

Share of Vineeta =  $7x = (7 \times 150) = 1050$ 

Now,

Adding Rs. 100 to the share of Anita = (900 + 100) = 1000

Adding Rs. 100 to the share of Vineeta = (1050 + 100) = 1150

The new ratio of Anita and Vineeta = (1000 : 1150)

⇒ 20 : 23

∴ Required ratio is 20 : 23

# 74. Study the given grid carefully and select the number from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?).

2	5	8
3	6	9
4	7	10
29	110	?



- a. 240
- b. 245
- c. 190
- d. 145

#### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

The logic followed here is:

For the first column:-

Addition of square of all three numbers then we get fourth row number.

2

2 + 3

2 + 4

2 = 4 + 9 + 16 = 29

For the second column:-

Similarly,

For the third column:-

$$82 + 92 + 102 = 64 + 81 + 100 = 245$$

2	5	8
3	6	9
4	7	10
29	110	245

Hence, "option 2" is the correct answer.

- 75. Gandhiji's campaign against the \_\_\_\_\_ was in response to the British censorship of the press and detention without trial.
- a. World War I
- b. British Rule
- c. Jallianwala Bagh Massacre
- d. Rowlatt Act



#### Ans. d

### **Explanation:**

The correct answer is Rowlatt Act.

Gandhiji's campaign against the Rowlatt Act was in response to the British censorship of the press and detention without trial.

### 76. On which day is World Day to Combat Desertification and Drought observed?

- a. 22nd May
- b. 5th June
- c. 22nd April
- d. 17th June

#### Ans. d

### **Explanation:**

The correct answer is 17th June.

World Day to Combat Desertification and Drought is observed every year on 17 June

### 77. Demonetisation was announced by Prime Minister Narendra Modi on:

- a. December 8, 2016
- b. October 8, 2016
- c. November 8, 2016
- d. September 8, 2016

#### Ans. c

**Explanation:** 

The correct answer is November 8, 2016.

# 78. As a social reformer, Gandhiji believed that Indians had to get rid of social evils. Which of the following is NOT a social evil?

- a. Inflation
- b. Child marriage
- c. Illiteracy
- d. Untouchability

Ans. a



Explanation: The correct answer is Inflation.
79. Which of the following companies stopped making personal computers in 2005? a. Dell b. Acer c. IBM d. Asus
Ans. c Explanation: The correct answer isIBM IBM stopped making personal computers in 2005.
80. World Health Organisation (WHO) is headquartered in a. Amsterdam, Netherlands b. Geneva, Switzerland c. Vienna, Austria d. New York City, America
Ans. b Explanation:

The correct answer is Geneva, Switzerland.

The headquarters of the World Health Organisation is in Geneva, Switzerland.

81. Read the given statements and conclusion carefully. Assuming that the information given in the statements is true, even if it appears to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the given conclusion logically follow(s) from the statements.

#### Statements:

- 1. All the potatoes are tomatoes.
- 2. All the tomatoes are onions.

#### **Conclusions:**

- I. All the onions are tomatoes
- II. All the potatoes are onions.
- a. Only II

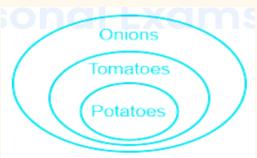


- b. Only I
- c. Both I and II
- d. Either I or II

#### Ans. a

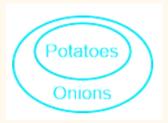
**Explanation:** 

The Venn diagram is as follows:-



#### Conclusions:

- I. All the onions are tomatoes  $\rightarrow$  False (All the tomatoes are onions also says that some onions are tomatoes but all the onions are not tomatoes.)
- II. All the potatoes are onions  $\rightarrow$  Ture (All the potatoes are tomatoes and all the tomatoes are onions that mean all the potatoes are onions.)



Hence, "option 1" is the correct answer.

- 82. \_\_\_\_\_ is the process under which farmers grow trees for commercial and non-commercial purposes on their lands.
- a. Tree forestry
- b. Farm forestry
- c. Tree conservation
- d. Forest conservation

#### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 



The correct answer is Farm forestry

Farm forestry means growing trees on farmlands for commercial purposes like timber production or for a variety of non-commercial purposes like groundwater control, prevention of soil erosion, prevention of polluting nutrients in the soil, etc.

- 83. If the sum of five consecutive numbers is 90, then what is the middle number?
- a. 18
- b. 16
- c. 17
- d. 19

#### Ans. a

**Explanation:** 

Given:

The sum of five consecutive numbers = 90

Calculation:

Let the five consecutive numbers be x, x + 1, x + 2, x + 3, x + 4 respectively According to the question

- $\Rightarrow$  (x, x + 1, x + 2, x + 3, x + 4) = 90
- $\Rightarrow$  5x + 10 = 90
- $\Rightarrow$  5x = 90 10
- $\Rightarrow$  5x = 80
- $\Rightarrow$  x = 16

Now, the middle number = (x + 2) = (16 + 2)

- **⇒** 18
- ∴ Required middle number is 18
- 84. Shah Jahan's daughter \_\_\_\_\_ participated in many architectural project of the new capital of Shahjahanabad (Delhi).
- a. Gulbadan Begum
- b. Roshanara
- c. Jahanara
- d. Begum Ishrat

Ans. c

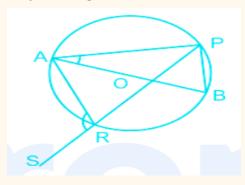


### Explanation:

The correct answer is Jahanara.

Shah Jahan's daughter Jahanara participated in many architectural projects of the new capital of Shahjahanabad (Delhi).

# 85. In the given figure O is the centre of the circle. If $\angle PAB = 35^{\circ}$ , then find $\angle ARS$ .



a. 65°

b. 115°

c. 125°

d. 55°

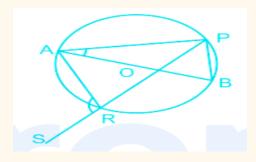
#### Ans. c

**Explanation:** 

Given:

 $\angle PAB = 35^{\circ}$ 

Calculation:



 $\angle$ PAB =  $\angle$ BRP = 35° [Angle made in the same segment]

∠ARB = 90° [Angle made in a semicircle]

 $\angle ARP + \angle BRP = 90^{\circ}$ 

 $\angle$ ARP + 35° = 90°



$$\angle$$
ARP = (90° - 35°)  
 $\angle$ ARP = 55°  
 $\Rightarrow$   $\angle$ ARP +  $\angle$ ARS = 180° [Linear pair]  
 $\Rightarrow$   $\angle$ 55° +  $\angle$ ARS = 180°  
 $\Rightarrow$   $\angle$ ARS = (180° - 55°)  
 $\Rightarrow$   $\angle$ ARS = 125°  
 $\therefore$  The value of  $\angle$ ARS is 125°

86. The following table shows CFC emission (in million metric tons) form various sectors for an industry for a period of 5 years. Based on the table answer the question given below.

Sector				
Year	Cement	Fertiliser	Foam	Pesticides
2015	200	500	80	100
2016	300	600	90	110
2017	320	650	100	120
2018	400	700	150	150
2019	450	800	200	180

Which sector has recorded the maximum percentage growth in CFC emission from 2015 to 2019?

- a. Cement
- b. Pesticides
- c. Fertiliser
- d. Foam

#### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

Calculation:

The percentage growth of Cement from 2015 to 2019 =  $[(450 - 200)/200 \times 100]$ 

- $\Rightarrow$  (250/200 × 100)
- **⇒** 125%



The percentage growth of Fertilizer from 2015 to 2019 =  $[(800 - 500)/500 \times 100]$   $\Rightarrow (300/500 \times 100)$ 

⇒ 60%

The percentage growth of Foam from 2015 to 2019 =  $[(200 - 80/80 \times 100)]$ 

- ⇒ (120/80 × 100)
- **⇒** 150%

The percentage growth of Pesticides from 2015 to 2019 =  $[(180 - 100)/100 \times 100]$ 

- $\Rightarrow$  (80/100 × 100)
- ⇒ 80%
- ... The maximum growth in CFC from 2015 to 2019 in Foam
- 87. The following table shows CFC emissions (in million metric tons) from various sectors for an industry for a period of 5 years. Based on the table answer the question given below.

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2018	400	700	150	150
2019	450	800	200	180

The contribution of CFC emission from the fertilizer sector, in comparison to the total CFC emissions from all the sectors, was the least in which year?

- a. 2017
- b. 2016
- c. 2019
- d. 2015

Ans. c

**Explanation:** 



#### Calculation:

The total CFC emissions from all the sectors in 2015 = (200 + 500 + 80 + 100)

⇒ 880

The total CFC emissions from all the sectors in 2016 = (300 + 600 + 90 + 110)

**⇒** 1100

The total CFC emissions from all the sectors in 2017 = (320 + 650 + 100 + 120)

**⇒** 1190

The total CFC emissions from all the sectors in 2018 = (400 + 700 + 150 + 150)

**⇒** 1400

The total CFC emissions from all the sectors in 2019 = (450 + 800 + 200 + 180)

**⇒** 1630

Now,

The contribution of CFC emission from the fertilizer sector, in comparison to the total CFC emissions from all the sectors in  $2015 = (500/880 \times 100)$ 

**⇒** 56.81%

The contribution of CFC emission from the fertilizer sector, in comparison to the total CFC emissions from all the sectors in  $2016 = (600/1100 \times 100)$ 

**⇒** 54.54%

The contribution of CFC emission from the fertilizer sector, in comparison to the total CFC emissions from all the sectors in  $2017 = (650/1190 \times 100)$ 

**⇒** 54.62%

The contribution of CFC emission from the fertilizer sector, in comparison to the total CFC emissions from all the sectors in  $2018 = (700/1400 \times 100)$ 

**⇒** 50%

The contribution of CFC emission from the fertilizer sector, in comparison to the total CFC emissions from all the sectors in  $2019 = (800/1630 \times 100)$ 

- **⇒** 49.07%
- The contribution of CFC emission from the fertilizer sector, in comparison to the total CFC emissions from all the sectors, was least in 2019
- 88. The following table shows CFC emissions (in million metric tons) from various sectors for an industry for a period of 5 years. Based on the table answer the question given below.



Sector				
Year	Cement	Fertiliser	Foam	Pesticides
2015	200	500	80	100
2016	300	600	90	110
2017	320	650	100	120
2018	400	700	150	150
2019	450	800	200	180

What is the percentage growth in CFC emissions from the pesticides sector from 2015 to 2019?

a. 50%

b. 70%

c. 90%

d. 80%

#### Ans. d

**Explanation:** 

Calculation:

The percentage growth in CFC emissions from the pesticides sector from 2015 to  $2019 = [(180 - 100)/100 \times 100]$ 

⇒ (80/100 × 100)

⇒ 80%

The percentage growth in CFC emissions from the pesticides sector from 2015 to 2019 is 80%

89. The following table shows CFC emissions (in million metric tons) from various sectors for an industry for a period of 5 years. Based on the table answer the question given below.



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What is the approximate contribution in percentage in CFC emissions from the cement sector, in comparison to that of the total CFC emissions from all the sectors in 2017?

- a. 19%
- b. 27%
- c. 24%
- d. 60%

#### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

Calculation:

The percentage in CFC emissions from the Cement sector in 2017 = 320The total CFC emissions from all the sectors in 2017 = (320 + 650 + 100 + 120)

**⇒** 1190

Required percentage =  $(320/1190 \times 100)$ 

- ⇒ 26.89% ~ 27%
- The approximate contribution in percentage in CFC emissions from the cement sector, in comparison to that of the total CFC emissions from all the sectors in 2017 is 27%
- 90. Read the given statements and decide if the given conclusion is true, false or irrelevant with respect to the statements.
- Statements:
- I. A is the sister of B.
- II. B is the daughter of C.



#### **Conclusion:**

B is the enemy of C.

- a. Conclusion drawn is definitely true.
- b. Conclusion drawn is definitely false.
- c. Conclusion cannot be drawn.
- d. Conclusion drawn is probably true.

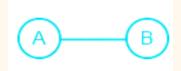
#### Ans. c

Explanation:

The pattern followed here is:

The statement is given below:-

I. A is the sister of B



II. B is the daughter of C



From statements I and II the family tree is given below:-



From the above figure, we can say that A and B are sisters and C is either father or mother of A and B.

In conclusion, B is the enemy of C cannot be drawn.

Hence, "option 3" is the correct answer.



91. Select the letter-cluster from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.

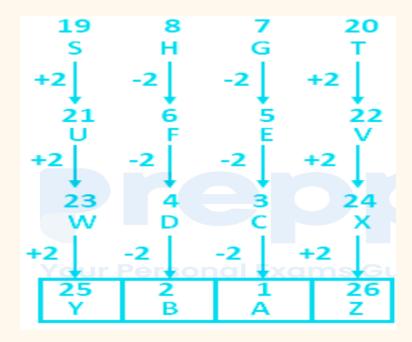
SHGT, UFEV, WDCX, ?

- a. ZABY
- b. AZYB
- c. ZAYB
- d. YBAZ

Ans. d

Explanation:

The logic followed here is:



Hence, "option 4" is the correct answer.

# 92. If all the odd numbers are removed from 3 to 39, then how many numbers remain?

- a. 19
- b. 16
- c. 18
- d. 17

Ans. c



### **Explanation:**

The total number of even numbers between 3 to 39, all odd numbers are removed.  $\Rightarrow$  4, 6, 8,10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38 So, the numbers remain between 3 to 39 after removing odd numbers is 18. Hence, "option 3" is the correct answer.

93. Select the option that is related to the third in the same way as the second term is related to the first term.

Apple: Fruit:: Bottle Gourd:?

- a. Snack
- b. Vegetable
- c. Food
- d. Fruit

#### Ans. b

Explanation:

The logic followed here is:

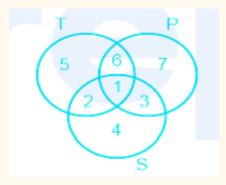
Apple is the fruit.

Similarly,

Bottle Gourd is a vegetable.

Hence, "option 2" is the correct answer.

94. In the given diagram, circle T represents 'teachers', circle S represents 'students' and circle P represents 'principals'. The regions are denoted by the numbers 1 to 7. Based on the diagram answer the question given below.



Select the region that represent principals who are both, teachers and students.

a. 1

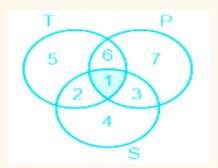


- b. 3
- c. 7
- d. 6

#### Ans. a

Explanation:

The Venn diagram is given below:-

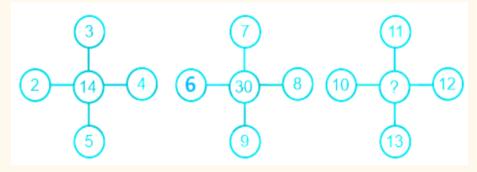


The shaded part is the principals who are both, teachers and students.

So, 1 principal who are both, teachers and students.

Hence, "option 1" is the correct answer.

# 95. Study the given pattern carefully and select the numbers from among the given options that can replace the question marks (?).



- a. 26
- b. 46
- c. 62
- d. 64

#### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

The logic followed here is:

We add all four to the outer number we get the centre number.



From figure A2 + 3 + 4 + 5 = 14

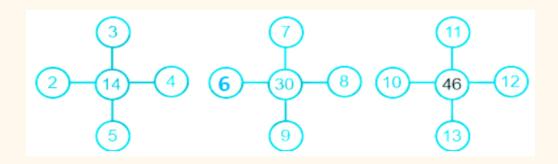
From the figure B:-

$$6 + 7 + 8 + 9 = 30$$

Similarly,

From the figure C:-

$$10 + 11 + 12 + 13 = 46$$
.



Hence, "option 2" is the correct answer.

96. Select the alphanumeric-cluster from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.

A1Z, D4W, G7T, ?

a. Q10J

b. Q17J

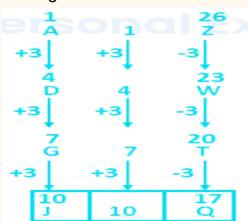
c. J17S

d. J10Q

### Ans. d

Explanation:

The logic followed here is:





Hence, "option 4" is the correct answer.

97. Read the given statements and conclusions carefully. Assuming that the information given in the statements is true, even if it appears to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the given conclusion logically follow(s) from the statements.

#### Statements:

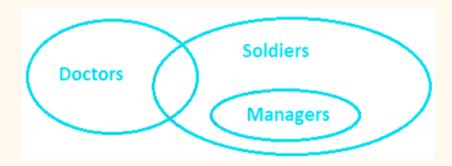
- (a) Some doctors are soldiers.
- (b) All managers are soldiers.

#### **Conclusions:**

- (i) All doctors are soldiers.
- (ii) Some soldiers are managers.
- (iii) All solders are doctors.
- (iv) Some doctors are managers.
- a. Only conclusions (ii) and (iv) follow.
- b. Only conclusion (ii) follows.
- c. Only conclusion (i) follows.
- d. Only conclusions (iii) and (iv) follows.

# **Ans.** b Explanation:

The Venn diagram are given below:-



#### Conclusions:

- (i) All doctors are soldiers → False (Given the statement is some doctors are soldiers then all doctors are soldiers is possible not definitely.)
- (ii) Some soldiers are managers →True (Given the statement is all managers are soldiers, so we can also say that some soldiers are managers.)
- (iii) All soldiers are doctors → False (Given the statement is some doctors are



soldiers then it never be all soldiers are doctors.)

(iv) Some doctors are managers  $\rightarrow$  False (Given the statements are some doctors are soldiers, all managers are soldiers, that means we can not say that some doctors are managers.)

Hence, "option 2" is the correct answer.

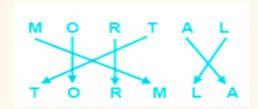
# 98. In a certain code, if MORTAL is rearranged as TORMLA, how would PEOPLE be rearranged in the same code?

- a. PEOPEL
- b. PPOELE
- c. PEOLEP
- d. PEPOEL

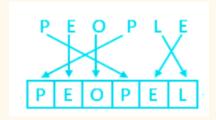
### Ans. a

Explanation:

The logic followed here is:



Similarly,



Hence, "option 1" is the correct answer.

### 99. If Ram is the brother of the son of Mohan, then how is Ram related to Mohan?

- a. Grandson
- b. Son



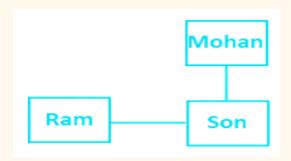
- c. Brother
- d. Father

#### Ans. b

**Explanation:** 

If Ram is the brother of the son of Mohan.

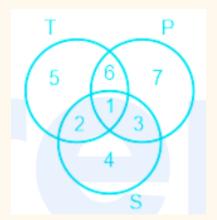
The family tree is given below:-



Ram is the son of Mohan.

Hence, "option 2" is the correct answer

100. In the given diagram, circle T represents 'teachers', circle S represents 'students' and circle P represents 'principals'. The regions are denoted by the numbers 1 to 7. Based on the diagram answer the question given below.



Select the region that represents principles who are students but not teachers.

- a. 3
- b. 6



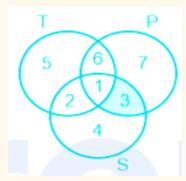
c. 2

d. 1

### Ans. a

Explanation:

The Venn diagram is given below:-



The shaded part is the principles who are students but not teachers. So, 3 principals who are students but not teachers. Hence, "option 1" is the correct answer.

