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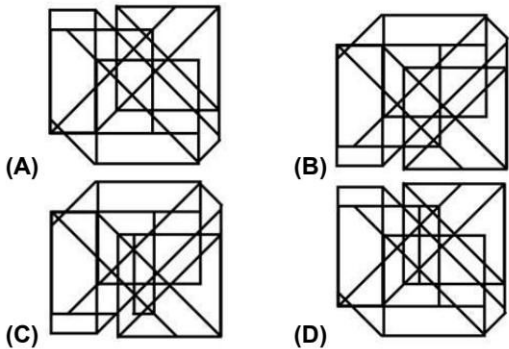
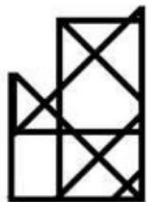
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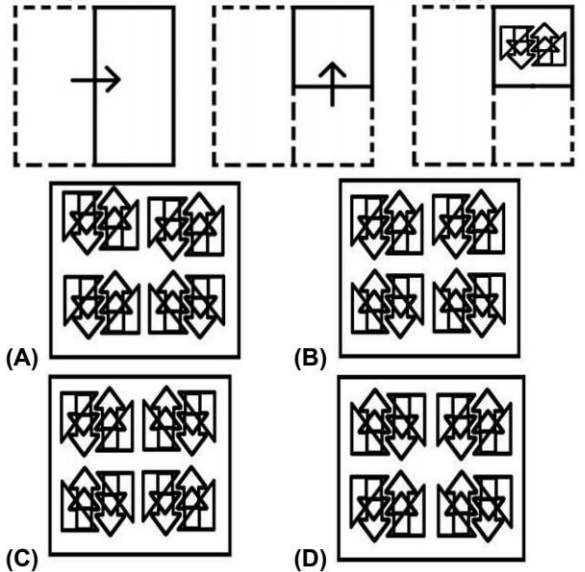
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General Intelligence and Reasoning

1. In the following question, select the related word from the given alternatives.
RIDGE: IREGD:: ACTOR: ?
(A) ZXGLI (B) CAROT
(C) CXRTO (D) ROTAC
2. Three of the following words are alike in some manner and hence form a group. Which word does NOT belong to that group? (The words must be considered as meaningful English words and must not be grouped based on the number of letters/number of consonants/vowels in the word) .
(A) Sacred (B) Secular
(C) Blessed (D) Holy
3. In the following question, four number pairs are given. In each pair the number on left side of (-) is related to the number of the right side of (-) with some Logic/Rule/Relation. Three pairs are similar on basis of same Logic/Rule/Relation. Select the odd one out from the given alternatives. (NOTE: Operations should be performed on the whole numbers, without breaking down the numbers into its constituent digits. E.g., 13 - Operations on 13 such as adding/ subtracting/ multiplying etc. to 13 can be performed. Breaking down 13 into 1 and 3 and then performing mathematical operations on 1 and 3 is not allowed)
(A) 24 - 79 (B) 11 - 40
(C) 26 - 95 (D) 19 - 64
4. A series is given with two wrong terms. Select the wrong term in the given series.
43, 54, 64, 84, 103, 129, 155
(A) 43 and 103 (B) 64 and 84
(C) 43 and 64 (D) 64 and 129
5. In the following question, four number pairs are given. In each pair the number on the left side of (-) is related to the number of the right side of (-) with some Logic/Rule/Relation. Three pairs are similar on basis of same Logic/Rule/Relation. Select the odd one out from the given alternatives. (NOTE: Operations should be performed on the whole numbers, without breaking down the numbers into its constituent digits. E.g. 21 - Operation on 21 such as adding/subtraction/division etc. to 21 can be performed. Breaking down 21 into 2 and 1 and then performing mathematical operations on 2 and 1 is not allowed)
(A) 5560 - 3210 (B) 7634 - 5284
(C) 4738 - 2388 (D) 9530 - 7270
6. Select the option figure in which the given figure is embedded. (rotation is NOT allowed)

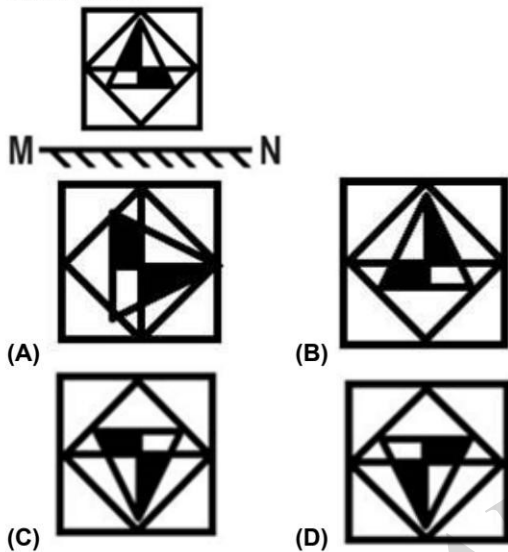


7. In a certain code language, '548' means 'beware of fraud', '421' means 'fraud happens everyday' and '179' means 'everyday is new'. Find the code for 'new happens'?
- (A) 71 (B) 92
(C) 72 (D) Either 'B' or 'C'
8. In the questions given below there are three statements followed by three conclusions I, II and III. You have to take the given three statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows from the given statements disregarding commonly known facts.
Statements: Some Reset are Set
All Set are Collection
Some Collection are Collect
Conclusion: I. Some Set are Collect
II. Some Reset are Collection
III. Some Reset are Collect
(A) Only conclusion II follows
(B) Only conclusions I and III follow
(C) Only conclusions II and III follow
(D) Either conclusion I or III follows
9. The sequence of folding a piece of paper and the manner in which the folded paper has been cut is shown below. Choose a figure which would most closely resemble the unfolded form of the paper.



10. Select the set in which the numbers are related in the same way as are the numbers of the following set.
(NOTE: Operations should be performed on the whole numbers, without breaking down the numbers into its constituent digits. E.g., 13 - Operations on 13 such as adding/ subtracting/ multiplying etc. to 13 can be performed. Breaking down 13 into 1 and 3 and then performing mathematical operations on 1 and 3 is not allowed)
(18, 30, 75)
(78, 90, 225)
(A) (13, 25, 65) (B) (47, 59, 147.5)
(C) (56, 68, 170.5) (D) (43, 55, 138)

11. Select the correct mirror image of the given combination when the mirror is placed at 'MN' as shown below.

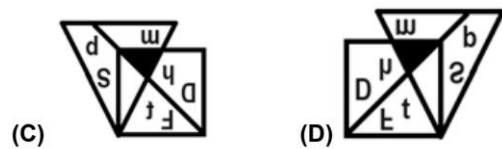
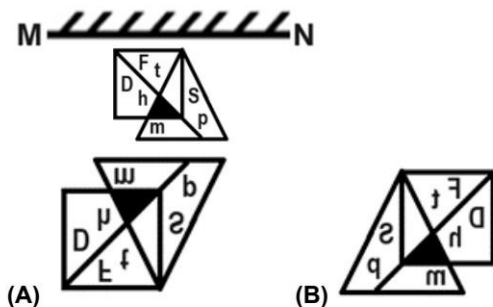


12. Select the missing number from the given responses.

88	36	180
102	?	245
64	28	140

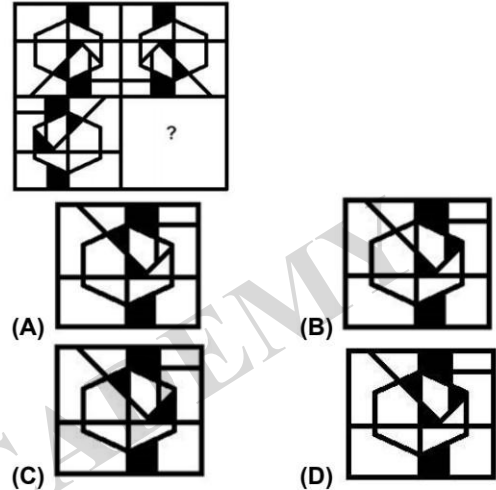
- (A) 40 (B) 49
(C) 35 (D) 25
13. According to the dictionary, which of the following word will come at third position?
1- Imperfect 2- Imbibe
3- Imitate 4- Immature
5- Impress
(A) Imbibe (B) Impress
(C) Immature (D) Imitate

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

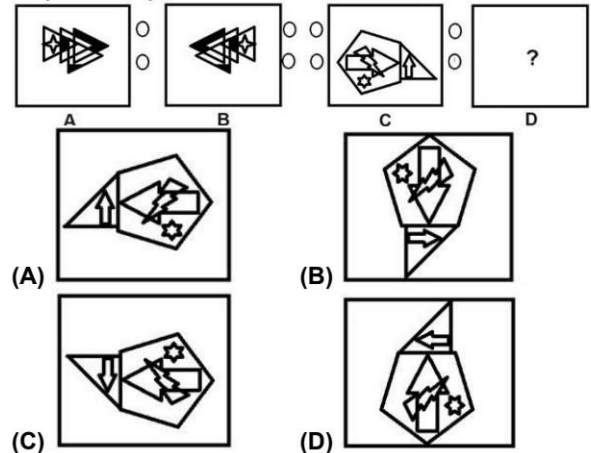


15. Which letter cluster will complete the given series?
ZRME, _____, BPQA, COSY, DNUW
(A) YQPB (B) AQOC
(C) AQPC (D) YQOC

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



17. Figure A is related to B following a certain pattern. Following the same pattern, figure C is related to D. Study the pattern and select the figure which should be placed in place of D.



18. A series is given with one term missing. Choose the correct alternatives from the given ones that will complete the series.
56, 47, ?, 38, 74, 29

(A) 44 (B) 62
(C) 68 (D) 65

19. If 'A ∈ B' means 'A × B', 'A ⊙ B' means 'A + B', 'A ≠ B' means 'A ÷ B' and 'A ⊗ B' means 'A - B', then what is the value of the expression '990 ∈ 9 ⊙ 12 ∈ 7 ⊗ 216 ∈ 12'?

(A) 172 (B) 176
(C) 174 (D) 166

20. In the questions given below, there are three statements followed by three conclusions I, II and III. You have to take the three given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions.

Statements: All Metal are Gold

All Gold are Platinum

Only a few Gold are Silver

Conclusion: I. Some Gold are not Platinum

II. All Metal are Platinum

III. Some Metal are not Platinum

(A) Only conclusion II follows

(B) Only conclusions I and II follow

(C) Only conclusion III follows

(D) All the conclusions follow

21. In the following question, select the related word pair from the given alternatives.

Flowers: Bouquet:: Lions: ?

(A) Leap

(B) Pride

(C) Herd

(D) Colony

22. The average age of 15 men is 24 years and the average age of 18 women is 21 years. What is the approximate average age of 15 men and 18 women together?

(A) 20 years

(B) 24 years

(C) 22 years

(D) 23 years

23. After interchanging the given two signs, what will be the value of the given equation?

+ and ×

$$120 - 225 \div 15 + 7 \times 20$$

(A) 245

(B) 35

(C) 65

(D) - 45

24. 'A % B' means 'A is the father of B'.
'A @ B' means 'A is the spouse of B'.
'A \$ B' means 'A is the brother-in-law of B'.
'A & B' means 'A is the daughter of B'.
If 'G % P \$ K @ M & D @ G', then how 'D' is related to 'K'?

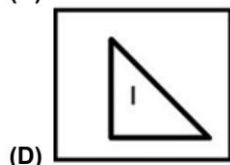
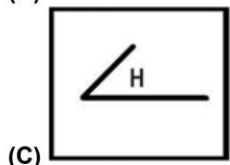
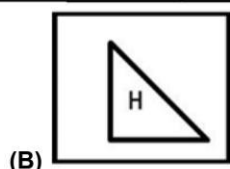
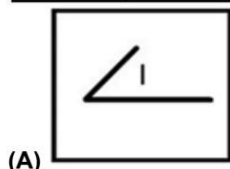
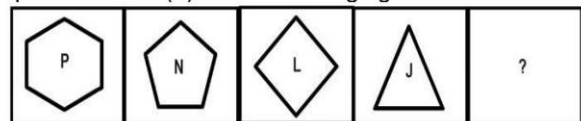
(A) Father

(B) Mother

(C) Father-in-law

(D) Mother-in-law

25. Select the figure that will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following figure series.



Quantitative Aptitude

26. The average weight of 49 students, in a class is 43.5 kg. When the weight of a teacher is also included the average weight gets increase by 720 g. Find the weight of the teacher.

(A) 76.5 kg

(B) 79.5 kg

(C) 78 kg

(D) 77 kg

27. A shopkeeper sells his goods at 14% loss. Had he sold it for ₹384 more, he would have made a profit 18%. Find the selling price of goods if it is sold at a profit of 33%.

(A) ₹1,596

(B) ₹1,432

(C) ₹1,542

(D) ₹1,484

28. A boat starts from point 'P', travels to point 'Q' and comes back to the point 'P' in 5 hours. If the speed of the stream is 4 km/h and distance between point 'P' and 'Q' is 48 km, then find the ratio of downstream speed to upstream speed of boat.

(A) 3:2

(B) 4:3

(C) 5:3

(D) 3:5

29. If $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 4 \times (3a + 4b + 5c) - 200$, then find the value of $(2a + 3b - c)$.

(A) 32

(B) 28

(C) 22

(D) 26

30. Shikha invests ₹2,500 on compound interest of 32% p.a., compounded quarterly for 6 months. Find the interest earned by her.

(A) ₹396

(B) ₹416

(C) ₹432

(D) ₹384

31. Present ages of Rudraksh is 150% more than that of his son. If 12 years hence from now, Rudraksh will be twice as old as his son, then find the present age of his wife who is three years younger than him.

(A) 60 years

(B) 63 years

(C) 57 years

(D) 54 years

32. 10 men and 10 women earn ₹2,640 in 12 days. 20 men and 40 women earn ₹14,000 in 20 days. In how many days 18 men and 12 women can earn ₹2,544?

(A) 12 days

(B) 8 days

(C) 9 days

(D) 11 days

33. A mixture contains two liquids 'A' and 'B' in the ratio 5:2, respectively. When 14 litres of the mixture was replaced with 14 litres of liquid 'B' then the quantity of liquid 'A' becomes $(15/13)$ of the quantity of 'B' in the mixture. Find the initial quantity of liquid 'B' in the mixture.

(A) 16 litres

(B) 14 litres

(C) 18 litres

(D) 22 litres

34. Simplify the following expression:
 $72 \times [120 \div \{64 + (18 \times 2 - 14) - 13 \times 2\} \times 12 + 12] \div 18$

(A) 144

(B) 216

(C) 164

(D) 184

35. Find the fourth proportional of the numbers, 24, 16, and 21.

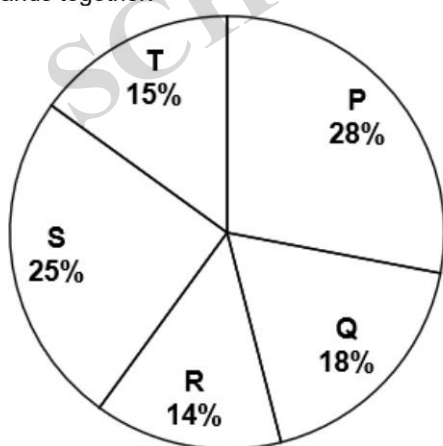
(A) 14

(B) 10.5

(C) 17.5

(D) 28

36. A sum of ₹16,400 is to be paid back in two equal annual instalments where each instalment is to be paid at the end of every year. How much is each instalment if the interest is compounded annually at 5% p.a.?
 (A) ₹17,640 (B) ₹8,800
 (C) ₹8,820 (D) ₹9,200
37. A tangent is drawn from an external point which is 18 cm away from the centre of a circle of radius 12 cm. Find the length of tangent drawn to the circle.
 (A) $8\sqrt{5}$ cm (B) $5\sqrt{3}$ cm
 (C) $6\sqrt{5}$ cm (D) $9\sqrt{3}$ cm
38. A man bought a toy at ₹600 and sold it at ₹634. Find his profit percentage (up to 2 decimal points).
 (A) 5.34% (B) 5.67%
 (C) 6.67% (D) 4.67%
39. An article is marked at a price 30% above its cost price. At what discount percentage should it be sold to make a profit of 17%?
 (A) 15% (B) 13%
 (C) 10% (D) 26%
40. A number is chosen at random from first 20 natural numbers. Find the probability that the chosen number is prime.
 (A) $(9/20)$ (B) $(3/5)$
 (C) $(2/5)$ (D) $(7/20)$
41. A contractor hires 75 workers to construct a building in 40 days. But after 25 days, some of the workers have left the work due to which the completion of work gets delayed by 22.5 days. How many workers have left the work before the completion of work?
 (A) 45 (B) 30
 (C) 25 (D) 35
42. The pie chart shows the percentage distribution of the number of people who use five different milk brands out of total number of people who use given five milk brands together.

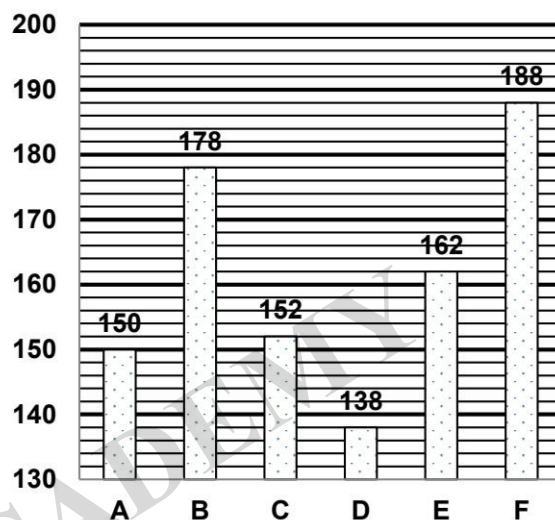


If the total number of people who use given five milk brands in the city is 72,000, then find the number of people who use milk brands 'P', 'R' and 'S' together.

- (A) 44,420 (B) 48,340
 (C) 49,240 (D) 48,240

43. Simplify the given expression:
 $\sqrt{(\tan 45^\circ + \operatorname{cosec} 30^\circ)^3 - (\sec 60^\circ + \cot 45^\circ)^2 - 4 \sin^2 45^\circ}$
 (A) 2 (B) 4
 (C) 1 (D) 0
44. The following bar graph shows the marks scored by 6 aspirants in SSC CHSL Tier - I exam.

Marks scored in SSC CHSL Tier - I Exam



Sum of marks scored by 'A', 'C', and 'F' is how much percent (correct to two decimal places) of sum of marks scored by 'B', 'D', and 'E'?

- (A) 97.52% (B) 104.78%
 (C) 102.51% (D) 96.36%
45. Which of the following set of angles form a triangle?
 (A) $60^\circ, 70^\circ, 40^\circ$ (B) $50^\circ, 60^\circ, 60^\circ$
 (C) $60^\circ, 65^\circ, 75^\circ$ (D) $50^\circ, 70^\circ, 60^\circ$
46. The length, breadth and height of a room are 250 cm, 200 cm and 150 cm, respectively. If the rate of painting is ₹50/m², then find the cost of painting the walls and roof of the room.
 (A) ₹750 (B) ₹625
 (C) ₹925 (D) ₹675
47. Simplify the given equation:
 $\sqrt{\frac{\sec A+1}{\sec A-1}} + \sqrt{\frac{\sec A-1}{\sec A+1}}$
 (A) $2 \operatorname{cosec} A$ (B) $2 \tan A$
 (C) $2 \cot A$ (D) $2 \cos A$
48. If $y - \frac{1}{y} = 6\sqrt{7}$ then find the value of $y^3 + \frac{1}{y^3}$.
 (A) 4,248 (B) 5,064
 (C) 5,226 (D) 4,048
49. If 'X' is the mean proportional between 6.4 and 129.6 and 'Y' is the third proportional to 19.2 and 28.8, then find the value of $2X:Y$ such that 'X' and 'Y' are positive integers.
 (A) 2:3 (B) 3:5
 (C) 5:2 (D) 4:3

50. 'MN' is a diameter of a circle with centre 'O'. The tangent at 'P' meets 'MN' produced at 'Q'. If $\angle PMN = 44^\circ$, then what is the measure of $\angle PNM$?
 (A) 56° (B) 48°
 (C) 46° (D) 54°

General Awareness

51. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has flagged off India's first indigenously built hydrogen fuel cell ferry boat. The vessel has been manufactured by which company?
 (A) Cochin Shipyard Limited
 (B) Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Limited
 (C) Hindustan Shipyard Limited
 (D) Garden Reach Shipbuilders & Engineers Limited
52. Rig Veda has _____ hymns.
 (A) 866 (B) 978
 (C) 1028 (D) 1234
53. Which of the following is also known as lindane and used as an agricultural insecticide and as pharmaceutical treatment for lice and scabies?
 (A) Phosgene (B) Gammexene
 (C) Brine (D) Quicklime
54. Who is the author of a book titled "The Great Flap of 1942: How the Raj Panicked over a Japanese Non-invasion"?
 (A) Anil Pratinav
 (B) Mukund Padmanabhan
 (C) Sohail Rekhy
 (D) Chandrachur Ghose
55. The first Jain council was held at which place?
 (A) Varanasi (B) Kannauj
 (C) Pataliputra (D) Peshawar
56. Siddhartha Gautama who founded Buddhism, was born at which place?
 (A) Dwarka (B) Lumbini
 (C) Ujjain (D) Birgunj
57. The coins of the Mauryan Empire were called _____.
 (A) Chatman (B) Pana
 (C) Mashak (D) Nishka
58. What is the SI Unit of Density?
 (A) kg/m^2 (B) kg/m^3
 (C) kg/m^4 (D) kg/m^6
59. Great Bear Lake is located in which country?
 (A) USA (B) Canada
 (C) Russia (D) Nicaragua
60. Aconcagua is the highest point of which mountain range?
 (A) Karakoram (B) Andes
 (C) Caucasus (D) Urals
61. Consider the following statements regarding Citizenship (Amendment) Rules, 2024 and find the correct one(s).
 (I) The rules aim to provide citizenship to migrants belonging to Hindu, Sikh, Buddhist, Jain, Parsi, or

Christian communities who entered India before December 31, 2016.

(II) Areas where the Inner Line Permit (ILP) is required for a visit by people from other parts of the country in North-eastern states are excluded from the law.

Select the code:

- (A) Only I (B) Only II
 (C) Both I and II (D) None of the above
62. Which Indian dynasty did Kumarapala belong to?
 (A) Chola (B) Chaulukya
 (C) Rashtrakuta (D) Pallava
63. Emergency provisions is Borrowed Features of the Constitution of India. It is borrowed from _____.
 (A) Germany (B) Japan
 (C) Ireland (D) South Africa
64. Which article in constitution of India deals with the abolition of untouchability?
 (A) Article 12 (B) Article 17
 (C) Article 23 (D) Article 45
65. Which of the following is a Federal feature of the Indian constitution?
 (A) Single citizenship
 (B) Proclamation of emergency
 (C) Bi-cameral legislation
 (D) Integrated Judiciary
66. Which of the following is commonly known as blue-green algae?
 (A) Listeria (B) Cyanobacteria
 (C) Campylobacter (D) Klebsiella
67. Usha Kiran Khan, the Padma Shri awardee, was a renowned writer of which of the following languages along with Hindi?
 (A) Konkani (B) Maithili
 (C) Urdu (D) Sanskrit
68. Which part of the Constitution of India contains the Directive Principles of State Policy (DPSP) ?
 (A) Part I (B) Part II
 (C) Part III (D) Part IV
69. Tsugaru Strait connects which of the following?
 (A) Black Sea and Marmara Sea
 (B) Sea of Japan and Pacific Ocean
 (C) Mediterranean Sea and Atlantic Ocean
 (D) Gulf of Hudson and Atlantic Ocean
70. Which term is NOT mentioned in the Preamble of India?
 (A) Justice (B) Equality
 (C) Liability (D) Fraternity
71. The "law of multiple proportions" states that if two elements form more than one compound, then the ratios of the masses of the second element which combine with a fixed mass of the first element will always be ratios of small whole numbers. This law was given by _____.
 (A) Edme Mariotte (B) John Dalton
 (C) C. Antoine Lavoisier (D) Joseph Louis

72. Sovereign Gold Bonds (SGBs) are government securities denominated in grams of gold. What is the maximum investment in the bond for Hindu Undivided Family (HUF) per fiscal year (April - March) ?
 (A) 2 kg (B) 3 kg
 (C) 4 kg (D) 5 kg
73. Which of the following is also known as Red Planet?
 (A) Venus (B) Mars
 (C) Mercury (D) Jupiter
74. Who among the following discovered bacteria?
 (A) Theodor Schwann
 (B) Rudolf Virchow
 (C) Andreas Vesalius
 (D) Antony Van Leeuwenhoek
75. Government of India established NITI Aayog (National Institution for Transforming India Aayog) to replace planning commission in which year?
 (A) 2012 (B) 2014
 (C) 2015 (D) 2016

English Language

76. Select the most appropriate one-word substitution of the given group of words.
 A person who can speak two languages fluently.
 (A) Multilingual (B) Bilingual
 (C) Polyglot (D) Linguist
77. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.
 He couldn't bar the thought of losing his beloved pet cat.
 (A) bear (B) bare
 (C) bair (D) beer
78. 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 Direct/ Indirect speech.
 "My sister sings beautifully," said Jack.
 (A) Jack said that his sister has to sing beautifully.
 (B) Jack said that his sister sang beautifully.
 (C) Jack said that his sister is singing beautifully.
 (D) Jack said that his sister has sung beautifully.
79. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
 P. This process involves a series of chemical reactions.
 Q. Photosynthesis is a vital biological process that occurs in plants.
 R. The energy from sunlight is used to convert carbon dioxide and water into glucose.
 S. It plays a crucial role in the production of oxygen and food for the plant.
 (A) QRSP (B) PSRQ
 (C) QSPR (D) SRPQ
80. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution required'.

Everything I did had a certain originality and quality to it that I never know I was capable of.
 (A) I has never known I was
 (B) I never knew I was
 (C) I have never known I was
 (D) I will never know I was

81. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.
 Ubiquitous
 (A) Rare (B) Pervasive
 (C) Scarce (D) Limited
82. The following sentence has been divided into parts. One of them may contain an error. Select the part that contains the error from the given options. If you don't find any error, mark 'No error' as your answer.
Watching my parents has taught me to approach work with a sense of serious and dedication.
 (A) Watching my (B) has taught
 (C) to approach (D) a sense of serious
83. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
 A thing that is kept as a reminder of a person, place, or event.
 (A) Souvenir (B) Potable
 (C) Pedantic (D) Inevitable
84. Select the most appropriate idiom for the underlined segment in the following sentence.
 Despite being just an intern, he started to act with superiority around the office, ordering others around and acting like he was in charge.
 (A) Roll up his sleeves (B) Open the floodgates
 (C) Over the top (D) Assuming airs
85. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
 The teacher asked the students to line up in a single _____ before entering the classroom.
 (A) file (B) phial
 (C) vile (D) fyle
86. Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
 (A) Turncoat (B) Adherent
 (C) Glimmer (D) Traitor
87. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, choose the one which best expresses the meaning of the given word.
 ENORMOUS
 (A) tiny (B) massive
 (C) minute (D) minimal
88. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.
 My parents were always supportive of my inquisitiveness.
 (A) indifference (B) madness
 (C) boldness (D) laziness
89. Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word.
 The first step listed in the city's AI action plan is establishing an "AI Steering Committee" of city agency stakeholders. The document goes on to list

nearly 40 "actions," with 29 of those set to be started or completed within the next year. The city said it will publish an annual AI progress report to communicate the city's updates and implementation of the plan.

- (A) operate (B) administer
(C) execution (D) management

90. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Hit the sack

- (A) To have patience
(B) Stuck in a difficult circumstance with no escape
(C) Go to sleep
(D) Being very happy

91. In the following question, choose the word opposite in meaning to the given word.

GRACEFUL

- (A) clumsy (B) elegant
(C) honest (D) swift

92. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. However, the popularity of e-books has surged in recent years, leading to a decline in the sales of traditional printed books.

B. Bookstores have struggled to adapt to this changing landscape, with many closing their doors due to dwindling profits.

C. In the past, bookstores were a common sight on every street corner, bustling with readers browsing through shelves of novels and nonfiction.

D. The rise of online retailers like Amazon has further accelerated this trend, offering readers convenient access to a vast selection of digital books.

- (A) CDBA (B) BDCA
(C) BCAD (D) CABD

93. If I were to inform my friends in passive voice that Mrs. Smith will teach French to the students, I would say:

- (A) French is taught to the students by Mrs. Smith.
(B) French will be taught to the students by Mrs. Smith.
(C) French has been taught to the students by Mrs. Smith.
(D) Mrs. Smith will be taught French to the students.

94. The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.

This is the worse / food deprivation in war time / since the Second World War.

- (A) This is the worse
(B) food deprivation in war time
(C) since the Second World War.

- (D) No error

95. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, choose the one which can be substituted for the given words/sentence.

A person fond of delicious food

- (A) cannibal (B) fatalist
(C) lunatic (D) epicure

Directions [96-100]: In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each number.

Shareholders of the International Monetary Fund ____ (1) ____ on the importance of addressing challenges faced by low-income countries, many of which are facing unsustainable debt burdens, IMF Managing Director Kristalina Georgieva said ____ (2) ____ April 19. Multiple reports from the IMF and the World Bank this week sounded the alarm about economic developments and prospects in low-income developing countries, which are still ____ (3) ____ with the aftermath of the Covid-19 pandemic and other shocks. The IMF lowered its 2024 growth forecast for low-income countries as a group to 4.7% from a/ an ____ (4) ____ of 4.9% in January. In a separate report, the World Bank said half of the world's 75 poorest countries were ____ (5) ____ a widening income gap with the wealthiest economies for the first time this century in a historical reversal of development.

96. Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 5.

- (A) tramping (B) mixing
(C) delighting (D) experiencing

97. Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 4.

- (A) assess (B) estimate
(C) apathy (D) penalty

98. Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 3.

- (A) conducting (B) suffer
(C) grappling (D) complicating

99. Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 2.

- (A) on (B) at
(C) for (D) since

100. Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 1.

- (A) sustained (B) agreed
(C) provided (D) copied

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9	(A) (B) (C) (D)	29	(A) (B) (C) (D)	49	(A) (B) (C) (D)	69	(A) (B) (C) (D)	89	(A) (B) (C) (D)
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12	(A) (B) (C) (D)	32	(A) (B) (C) (D)	52	(A) (B) (C) (D)	72	(A) (B) (C) (D)	92	(A) (B) (C) (D)
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