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Directions (1-8): Read the following passage and answer the questions given below.

India's population **dynamics (A)** have been a subject of extensive debate among policymakers, business leaders, and social commentators. The discussion encompasses concerns about both the rapid increase in numbers and the simultaneous **drop** in fertility rates, creating a complex demographic landscape that will shape the country's future.

One of the most notable trends observed over the past few decades is the **steady** decline in population growth. The Census data from 2001-2011 showed a population growth rate of 17.70 per cent, down from 21.54 per cent in the previous decade. This marked the slowest growth rate in sixty years. The last time such a low growth rate was **recorded (B)** was in 1951, when it stood at 13.31 per cent. Experts attribute this decline to multiple factors, including increased urbanization, better access to healthcare, and widespread awareness regarding family planning.

A major contributing factor to the **declining (C)** population growth is the reduction in India's Total Fertility Rate (TFR). Over the 2001-2011 period, the TFR dropped to 2.2 from 2.5 in the previous decade. This indicates that, on average, each couple had fewer children than before. A TFR of 2.1 is considered the replacement level fertility rate, meaning that India is inching closer to a stabilization phase where the number of births is just enough to replace the existing population.

However, the declining fertility rate has **speculated (D)** mixed reactions. While some experts view it as a positive shift toward a more balanced population, others worry about potential future challenges. A rapidly aging population, coupled with a _____ workforce, could impact economic growth and strain social welfare systems. Countries like Japan and some European nations have already faced economic slowdowns due to declining birth rates, and India must prepare for similar challenges.

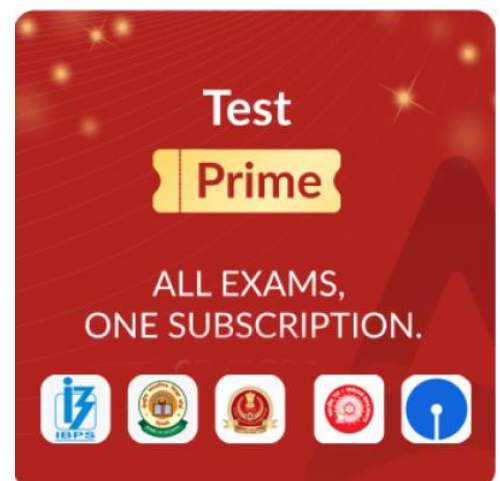
As India moves forward, policymakers must strike a balance between population control and workforce sustainability. Encouraging responsible family planning while ensuring economic stability will be crucial in shaping the nation's demographic future. The coming decades will determine whether India can successfully navigate these shifting population trends.

Q1. According to the passage, which factor is NOT mentioned as a reason for India's declining population growth?

- (I) Increased urbanization leading to lifestyle changes and smaller families.
 - (II) Greater awareness and accessibility of family planning measures.
 - (III) Rising unemployment rates discouraging people from having more children.
- (a) Only I and II
(b) Only II and III
(c) Only III
(d) Only I and III
(e) I, II, and III


Q2. Which of the words has been incorrectly used in the passage?

- (a) Dynamics
- (b) Recorded
- (c) Declining
- (d) Speculated
- (e) All are correct



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Q3. Identify which of the following statements is correct as per the passage.

- (I) A declining fertility rate could lead to an aging population, which may impact social welfare systems.
 - (II) Countries like Japan and some European nations have faced economic challenges due to a falling birth rate.
 - (III) A fertility rate of 2.1 is considered high for a developing country like India.
- (a) Only I and II
 - (b) Only II and III
 - (c) Only I and III
 - (d) Only III
 - (e) I, II, and III

Q4. Choose the most suitable word to fill in the blank.

- (a) Cumulating
- (b) Shrinking
- (c) Strengthening
- (d) Reduced
- (e) Producing

Q5. Identify which of the following statements is incorrect based on the passage.

- (I) India's population growth rate has been consistently increasing over the past six decades.
 - (II) The slowest population growth rate in 60 years was recorded in the 2001-2011 period.
 - (III) The passage suggests that the declining fertility rate is beneficial for long-term economic growth.
- (a) Only I and II
 - (b) Only II and III
 - (c) Only I and III
 - (d) Only III
 - (e) I, II, and III

Q6. Which of the following is the closest synonym of the word "drop" as used in the passage?

- (a) Plummet
- (b) Fall
- (c) Suspend
- (d) Elevate
- (e) Fluctuate

Q7. Why is a Total Fertility Rate (TFR) of 2.1 considered important, according to the passage?

- (I) It ensures that the number of births is just enough to replace the existing population.
 - (II) It helps prevent population decline, which could lead to labor shortages and economic stagnation.
 - (III) It guarantees that economic growth will accelerate without any demographic challenges.
- (a) Only I and II
 - (b) Only II and III
 - (c) Only I and III
 - (d) Only I
 - (e) I, II, and III

Q8. Which of the following is the closest synonym of the word "steady" as used in the passage?

- (a) Consistent
- (b) Abrupt
- (c) Unreliable
- (d) Erratic
- (e) Temporary

Directions (9-14): In the following passage there are blanks, each of which has been denoted by letters. For each blank, five options are given. Choose the most appropriate word from the options that fits the blank appropriately.

In a significant move aimed at _____ **(A)** children's mental health and online safety, Australia's House of Representatives has passed a bill that would _____ **(B)** young children from accessing social media platforms. The legislation, which is now set to be debated in the Senate, proposes a strict age verification system to ensure compliance.

Under the bill, children under the age of 16 would be barred from creating accounts on social media platforms, while those between 16 and 18 would require parental _____ **(C)**. The government argues that excessive social media use negatively impacts children's well-being, leading to increased anxiety, cyberbullying, and exposure to harmful content.

Advocates of the bill _____ **(D)** it as a necessary step in protecting young minds from online dangers. "This is about prioritizing children's mental health over corporate profits," said an Australian MP in support of the legislation. However, critics argue that the ban may be difficult to enforce and could _____ **(E)** children toward unregulated online spaces. Some also raise concerns about privacy risks associated with age verification measures.

If the bill passes the Senate, Australia would join a growing number of countries _____ **(F)** stricter online safety laws for minors. As digital technology continues to evolve, the debate over balancing internet freedom with child protection remains a crucial issue worldwide.

Q9. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank A.

- (a) safeguarding
- (b) jeopardizing
- (c) confusing
- (d) endangering
- (e) capturing

Q10. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank B.

- (a) promote
- (b) permit
- (c) invite
- (d) limiting
- (e) prohibit

Q11. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank C.

- (a) rejection
- (b) guide
- (c) consent
- (d) instruction
- (e) obstruction

Q12. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank D.

- (a) criticizing
- (b) condemning
- (c) ridicule
- (d) praise
- (e) ignore

Q13. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank E.

- (a) guide
- (b) mislead
- (c) push
- (d) abandon
- (e) deprive

Q14. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank F.

- (a) neglecting
- (b) resisting
- (c) destroying
- (d) implementing
- (e) opposing

Directions (15-19): Read each sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical or idiomatic error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. The corresponding letter of that part is the answer. If the given sentence is correct as it is, then choose option 'No error' as your answer response. (Ignore errors of punctuation, if any).

Q15. By the time the scientists (A)/ announced their findings, (B)/ they have conducted multiple rounds (C)/ of experiments to validate their results. (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D
- (e) No error

Q16. The team won the (A)/ championship, despite of the injuries (B)/ that plagued several key (C)/ players throughout the season. (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D
- (e) No error

Q17. The vase shattered (A)/ into pieces when (B)/ it fallen off the table (C)/ during the commotion. (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D
- (e) No error

Q18. The company had to (A)/ innovate rapidly to keep up (B)/ to the changing market (C)/ demands and stay competitive. (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D
- (e) No error

Q19. A strong bond exist (A)/ between the siblings, (B)/ even though they (C)/ live in different countries. (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D
- (e) No error

Directions (20-21): The sentence given below consists of an idiom/phrasal verb given in bold. From the given alternatives, identify the most suitable option reflecting the meaning of the idiom/phrasal verb

Q20. In the meeting, James kept complaining about the mistake he made last week, but his manager told him not to **cry over spilled milk** and instead focus on fixing the current issues.

- (a) To be extremely careful
- (b) To regret something that can't be changed
- (c) To make an issue bigger than it is
- (d) To delay making a decision
- (e) To ignore a problem completely

Q21. The negotiations between the two companies have been going on for months, but a final agreement is still **up in the air**.

- (a) Completely forgotten
- (b) Dismissed as unimportant
- (c) Already confirmed
- (d) Yet to be decided
- (e) Postponed indefinitely

Directions (22-24): In the question a section is given in bold, which may or may not grammatically correct. Choose the correct alternative for the highlighted part so to make a grammatically correct and meaningful statement.

Q22. I didn't know how to **respond until I full grasped** the situation and realized what had actually taken place.

- (a) respond until I fully grasping
- (b) respond until I fully grasped
- (c) respond until I fully grasp
- (d) responded until I fully grasped
- (e) No replacement needed

Q23. **My sister has taken the same** route to college every morning for the past five years.

- (a) My sister taken the same
- (b) My sister taking the same
- (c) Mine sister took the same
- (d) My sister's takes the same
- (e) No replacement needed

Q24. The local school **is frequent criticized for maintaining** poor educational standards.

- (a) is high criticised for maintained
- (b) is high criticism for maintaining
- (c) is high criticised by maintaining
- (d) is highly criticised for maintaining
- (e) No improvement needed

Directions (25-29): In the question given below, four words have been highlighted. These four words are may not have been placed in their correct positions. The sentence is then followed by options with the correct combination of words that should replace each other in order to make the sentence grammatically and contextually correct. Find the correct combination of the words that should replace each other.

Q25. Because of its **appetite (A) voracious (B)**, the shark is often **creature (C)** more of an eating machine than a living **considered (D)**.

- (a) A-D
- (b) A-C & B-D
- (c) B-C
- (d) A-B & C-D
- (e) No interchange required

Q26. During the ice **storm (A)**, the hotel owner **stranded (B)** his **greed (C)** by overcharging **showed (D)** people for their hotel rooms.

- (a) A-B
- (b) B-D
- (c) B-C
- (d) C-D
- (e) No interchange required

Q27. The **school (A)** set a **end (B)** of reading at least 100 books by the **goal (C)** of the **students (D)** year.

- (a) A-B
- (b) A-C & B-D
- (c) B-C & A-D
- (d) A-B & C-D
- (e) No interchange required

Q28. Her **determination (A)** to keep her child safe was **deliberate (B)** when she had a **evident (C) conversation (D)** about looking both ways before crossing the street.

- (a) B-A
- (b) B-C
- (c) A-D
- (d) C-D
- (e) No interchange required

Q29. People who are **voted (A)** onto the homecoming court are **considered (B)** popular because they **received (C)** the highest **number (D)** of votes.

- (a) B-C & A-D
- (b) A-C
- (c) B-C
- (d) A-B & C-D
- (e) No interchange required

Directions (30-32): In the question below, two columns are given, each containing three phrases/sentences. Choose the option that will connect the phrases to form meaningful and correct sentences.

Q30. Column-I

- (A) The little girl's eyes lit up with excitement as she unwrapped her birthday
- (B) The scientist spent years researching a cure for the rare disease
- (C) While walking through the abandoned mansion, the group of friends couldn't

Column-II

- (D) shake the eerie feeling that they were being watched from the shadows
- (E) present and found the very doll she had been wishing for all year
- (F) the little boy was thrilled to see his lost puppy running toward him

- (a) A-D & B-F
- (b) C-E
- (c) A-E & C-D
- (d) B-D
- (e) None of the above

Q31. Column-I

- (A) As the deadline approached, the employees worked late into the night, making sure
- (B) As the final whistle blew, the underdog team celebrated their unexpected victory,
- (C) Despite the freezing temperatures and strong winds, the hikers continued their journey

Column-II

- (D) that every detail of the project was perfect before submitting it to their boss
- (E) proving that perseverance and teamwork could overcome any challenge
- (F) up the mountain, determined to reach the summit before sunset

- (a) A-D, B-E & C-F
- (b) C-E
- (c) A-D & B-E
- (d) B-D
- (e) None of the above

Q32. Column-I

- (A) Heavy rain caused flooding in several areas of the city last night
- (B) After years of dedication and hard work, the scientist finally discovered a breakthrough
- (C) The mother carefully explained to her young son the importance of kindness, reminding

Column-II

- (D) treatment for the rare disease that had puzzled researchers for decades
- (E) winning a spot on the homecoming court is often associated with being popular
- (F) him that small acts of generosity could make a big difference in someone's life

- (a) A-D & B-F
- (b) C-E
- (c) A-E & C-D
- (d) B-D & C-F
- (e) None of the above

Directions (33-37): Rearrange the following sentences in the proper sequence to form a meaningful paragraph; then answer the questions given below them.

- (A) Therefore, while technology offers numerous benefits, it is essential to address its challenges to ensure responsible and sustainable development.
- (B) With these advancements, businesses can operate more smoothly, and individuals can perform tasks faster than ever before.
- (C) The rise of the internet and smartphones has made instant communication possible, connecting people across the globe.
- (D) Additionally, artificial intelligence and automation are reshaping industries by improving efficiency and reducing human effort.
- (E) Technology has transformed the way we communicate, work, and access information in today's world.
- (F) However, the rapid growth of technology also raises concerns about privacy, cybersecurity, and job displacement.

Q33. Which of the following should be the **THIRD** sentence after rearrangement?

- (a) D
- (b) A
- (c) F
- (d) E
- (e) C

Q34. Which of the following should be the **first** sentence after rearrangement?

- (a) A
- (b) F
- (c) E
- (d) B
- (e) D

Q35. Which of the following should be the **fifth** sentence after rearrangement?

- (a) C
- (b) E
- (c) D
- (d) A
- (e) F

Q36. Which of the following should be the **second** sentence after rearrangement?

- (a) B
- (b) E
- (c) F
- (d) C
- (e) A

Q37. Which of the following should be the **last** sentence after rearrangement?

- (a) C
- (b) B
- (c) E
- (d) D
- (e) A

Directions (38-40): In the question below, a statement has been given with two words omitted. Following the statement are five set of words which may fit in the blanks in the similar sequence as given. Choose the most appropriate set of words to make the statement contextually correct and grammatically meaningful.

Q38. You must carefully _____ the best images for your project and then _____ them to enhance their quality.

- (a) rectify, survive
- (b) finalize, submit
- (c) write, proofread
- (d) choose, edit
- (e) create, publish

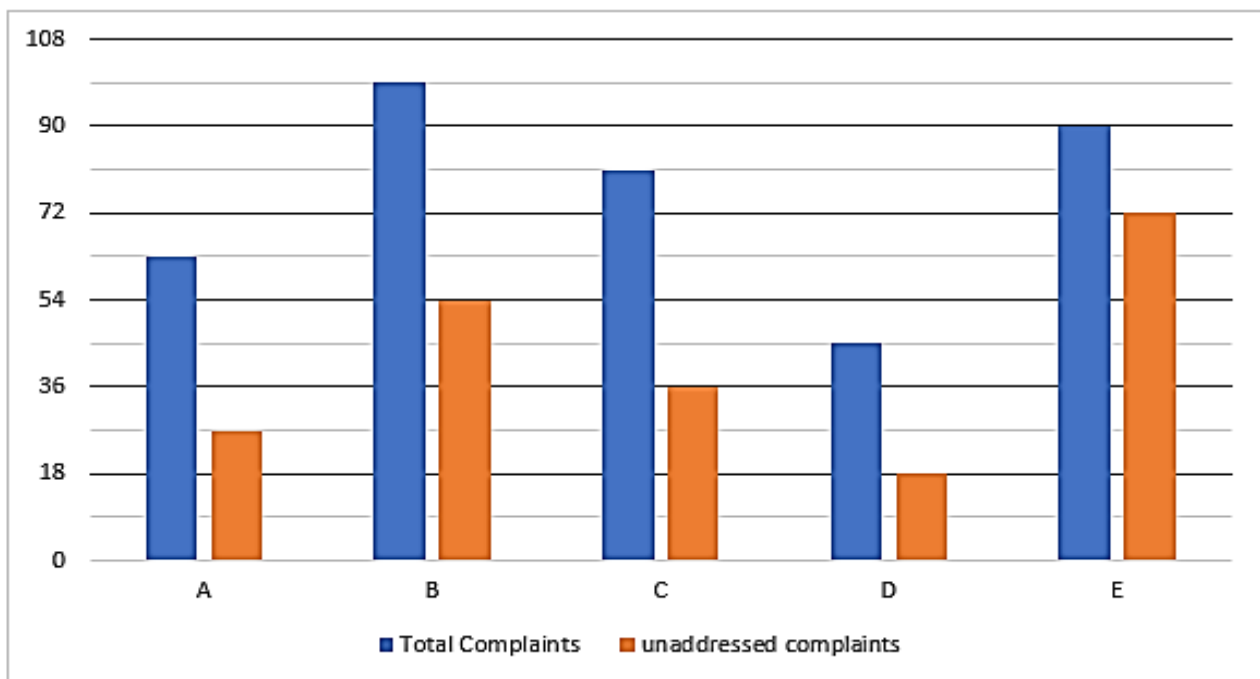
Q39. Regular practice will _____ your skills and help you _____ confidence in your abilities.

- (a) empower, reduce
- (b) maintain, forfeit
- (c) enhance, gain
- (d) deteriorate, break
- (e) develop, destroy

Q40. She was _____ about the innovative ideas, which were later _____ to improve workflow efficiency.

- (a) realistic, absconded
- (b) pessimistic, finalized
- (c) confused, criticized
- (d) apprehensive, ignored
- (e) enthusiastic, implemented

Directions (41-45): The bar graph shows the total number of complaints filed and total unaddressed complaints in five different cities. Read the bar graph and answer the following questions.



Note - Total complaints = addressed complaints + unaddressed complaints

Q41. Total complaints filed in city D and E is what percentage of total addressed complaints in A and B.

- (a) 110.10
- (b) 166.66
- (c) 116.13
- (d) 118.18
- (e) 110.20

Q42. Find the ratio of undressed complaints in C and D together to addressed complaints in A and E.

- (a) 1:1
- (b) 6:7
- (c) 6:5
- (d) 1:3
- (e) 3:1

Q43. In city F, total complaint filed are average complaints filed in A and D. The ratio of undressed complaints in F to addressed complaints in C is 4:5. Find the addressed complaints in F.

- (a) 18
- (b) 60
- (c) 36
- (d) 42
- (e) 40

Q44. If total number of robbery complaints filed in A is 45, rest are theft complaints and out of robbery complaints filed in A , 20% are unaddressed. Find the difference between addressed robbery complaints and total theft complaints.

- (a) 18
- (b) 16
- (c) 6
- (d) 12
- (e) 14

Q45. If the ratio of complaints filed by females and males in A is 7:2 and total 10 complaints are unaddressed which are filed females. Find the complaints address which are filed by females in A is how many more/less than total complaints filed in C.

- (a) 100
- (b) 60
- (c) 63
- (d) 42
- (e) 40

Directions (46-50): The table shows the total number of girls, percentage of boys out of total number of students and percentage of students attended the seminar in four different schools.

Schools	Number of girls	Percentage of boys out of total number of students	Percentage of students attended the seminar out of the total students
P	120	40%	x%
Q	80	80%	40%
R	35	65%	y%
S	50	75%	60%

Note – I. x is the 5% of average number students in P & Q and y is 12.5% of the total students attended the seminar in Q.

II. Total students = total girls + total boys

III. Total students = total students attended the seminar + total students not attended the seminar.

Q46. Find the students who are not attending the seminar in S is what percentage of the total girl in P and total boys in Q together (approx.).

- (a) 21
- (b) 6
- (c) 11
- (d) 18
- (e) 25

Q47. If the ratio of girls and boys who attended the seminar in Q and R is 3:1 and 3:2. Find the sum of the total boys who attended the seminar in Q and R.

- (a) 100
- (b) 60
- (c) 63
- (d) 42
- (e) 48

Q48. The difference between boys and girls in R is half of the girls who attended the seminar in Q. Find the ratio of total boys who attended the seminar in Q to total students in R and S.

- (a) 1:1
- (b) 6:7
- (c) 6:5
- (d) 1:3
- (e) 3:1

Q49. The average number of boys in P and S is what percentage of the difference between the students who attended seminars in P and R?

- (a) 1010
- (b) 1160
- (c) 1130
- (d) 1150
- (e) 1140

Q50. In school E, the ratio of boys to girls is the same as in P, and boys in E are 20% more than girls in R. Find the girls in E.

- (a) 100
- (b) 60
- (c) 63
- (d) 42
- (e) 40

Directions (51-54): The information about the total number of girls and boys who are appeared and who are not appeared in an exam from three different schools (A, B and C).

The total number of students in all the schools is 350, out of which 150 students are in B. Boys in A are equal to girls in C. Boys in C is equal to girls in A, i.e., 25. Equal numbers of boys and girls in B.

In A, 20% of boys did not appear in the exam, which is five more than girls who appeared in the examination.

In B, girls did not appear in the exam from A are equal to boys who did not appear in the exam from B. The total number of students who did not appear in the exam is 40.

In C, the ratio of students who did not appear to those who appeared in the exam is 1:1. 45 girls did not appear for the exam.

Q51. Find the ratio of boys not appeared in exam from A and B together to boys appeared in exam from C.

- (a) 1:2
- (b) 3:2
- (c) 3:1
- (d) 2:1
- (e) 1:5

Q52. Find the difference between students who are not appeared in exam from B and students appeared in exam from A.

- (a) 60
- (b) 30
- (c) 36
- (d) 12
- (e) 15

Q53. Total boys in A and B together is what percentage of the total girls in C.

- (a) 200
- (b) 20
- (c) 10
- (d) 100
- (e) 150

Q54. The ratio of total students in D to total students who are not appeared in exam from C is 3:5. Total girls in D is 20% less than total boys who are not appeared in exam from A. Find the total boys in D.

- (a) 18
- (b) 9
- (c) 36
- (d) 12
- (e) 15

Q55. What is the S.I accrued on a principle of Rs.6000 in 5 years.

Quantity I – The rate of interest for the first 2 years is 10% and for the last 3 years is 15%.

Quantity II – Rs.3900

- (a) Quantity I > Quantity II
- (b) Quantity I < Quantity II
- (c) Quantity I \geq Quantity II
- (d) Quantity I \leq Quantity II
- (e) Quantity I = Quantity II or no relation

Q56. A and B started a business with investments of Rs 8000 and Rs 12000. After four months, A withdrew two-fifths of his investment, and B added Rs 2000 more. If at the end of the year, the profit share of A is Rs 11000, then find the total profit (in Rs).

- (a) 42500
- (b) 36000
- (c) 47800
- (d) 49000
- (e) 41000

Q57. A man invested Rs P each in two schemes, A and B, and both schemes offer compound interest at 10% p.a. and 20% p.a. for two years. If the difference between the interest received by the man is Rs 3105, then find P.

- (a) 13500
- (b) 14000
- (c) 12000
- (d) 12500
- (e) 14500

Q58. A mixture of milk to water in the ratio of 4:1, respectively. If 10 liters of mixture are taken out, then the water becomes $\frac{2}{3}$ rd of the milk. Find the initial quantity of water (in liters).

- (a) 4
- (b) 12
- (c) 18
- (d) 2
- (e) 10

Q59. The ratio of ages of A to B two years ago was 13:15. After 5 years, the age of B is four years more than the age of A. Find the present age of B (in years).

- (a) 26
- (b) 28
- (c) 32
- (d) 30
- (e) 38

Q60. A man spends 20% of his income on rent and 25% of the remaining on his clothes, and the remaining income is invested in FD and RD in the ratio of 1:4, respectively. If the difference between the amount invested on FD and the amount spent on cloth is Rs 1680, then find the income of the man (in Rs).

- (a) 26000
- (b) 24000
- (c) 21000
- (d) 23000
- (e) 20000

Q61. The ratio of the length to the breadth of a rectangle is 3:2 and the area of the rectangle is 216 sq. cm. If the circumference of a circle is 28 cm more than the perimeter of the rectangle, then find the area of the circle (in sq. cm).

- (a) 616
- (b) 824
- (c) 940
- (d) 756
- (e) None of these

Q62. The average weight of 15 men and Y women is 18 kg and 12 kg respectively. If the average weight of all men and women together is 15 kg, find Y.

- (a) 8
- (b) 12
- (c) 10
- (d) 18
- (e) 15

Q63. A shopkeeper marked an article 60% above its cost price and allowed a 15% discount. He earned a profit of Rs 72. If he had allowed a 30% discount, find the profit he would have earned (in Rs).

- (a) 24
- (b) 30
- (c) 34
- (d) 18
- (e) 20

Q64. X, Y, and Z can complete a work in 20 days, 16 days, and 8 days respectively. If X and Z work together for D days, and Y completes the remaining work in 2D days, then find the value of 3D.

- (a) 15
- (b) 8
- (c) 4
- (d) 12
- (e) 10

Q65. The speed of a stream is 20% of the downstream speed of a boat. The boat covers 180 km upstream in 6 hours. If the boat covers $(D - 5)$ km downstream and $(D + 60)$ km upstream in 5.9 hours, then find the value of D.

- (a) 100
- (b) 80
- (c) 75
- (d) 65
- (e) 70

Q66. The length of train X is 80% more than that of train Y. The speed of train X is 108 km/hr, and it crosses a bridge in 20 seconds. The ratio of the speeds of train X to Y is 5:3. Find the time taken for train Y to cross 200 meters (in seconds).

- (a) 30
- (b) 54
- (c) 24
- (d) Can't be determined
- (e) 80

Q67. Set P contains three consecutive multiples of 9, and set Q contains four consecutive even numbers. The largest number in set P is equal to the smallest number in set Q. The average of the smallest number in sets P and Q is 27. Find the difference between the 2nd smallest number in set P and the 2nd largest number in set Q.

- (a) 11
- (b) 12
- (c) 13
- (d) 17
- (e) 19

Directions (68-70): What will come in the place of question (?) mark in following number series:

Q68. 7, 296, 657, 1098, 1627, ?

- (a) 1657
- (b) 1296
- (c) 790
- (d) 2252
- (e) 198

Q69. 18, 82, 207, 423, 768, ?

- (a) 1278
- (b) 820
- (c) 184
- (d) 568
- (e) 1234

Q70. ?, 68, 193, 157, 500, 436

- (a) 78
- (b) 84
- (c) 18
- (d) 68
- (e) 23

Directions (71-75): Study the following information carefully and answer the question given below:

Fourteen persons sit in two parallel rows in such a way that seven persons sit in each row. A, B, C, D, E, F, G sit in Row 1 and face north, while P, Q, R, S, T, U, V sit in Row 2 and face south. The persons in both rows sit exactly opposite each other. All the information is not necessarily used in the given order.

V sits fourth to the left of Q. The one who sits opposite to V, sits third to the right of D. Three persons sit between D and G. The number of persons sit to the right of R is same as the number of persons sit to the right of C. R and C don't sit opposite to each other. T sits immediate left of R. More than two persons sit between C and A. U and V are immediate neighbours to each other. G doesn't sit opposite to S. The one who sits opposite to S, sits third to the F. B is neither an immediate neighbour of D nor sits at the extreme ends of the row.

Q71. If P is related to D, R is related to C, in the similar way, Q is related to whom?

- (a) A
- (b) The person who sits fourth to the left of G
- (c) The persons who sits second to the right of F
- (d) F
- (e) C

Q72. Which among the following pair of persons sit opposite to each other?

- (a) S-E
- (b) Q-A
- (c) T-F
- (d) R-D
- (e) U-E

Q73. What is the position of R with respect to the one who sits opposite to B?

- (a) Third to the left
- (b) Immediate left
- (c) Fourth to the right
- (d) Fourth to the left
- (e) Third to the right

Q74. Which of the following statement is not true?

- I. More than three persons sit to the right of P
 - II. Two persons sit between F and E
 - III. D is not the neighbour of A
- (a) Only II
 - (b) Only I and III
 - (c) Only I and II
 - (d) Only III
 - (e) Only II and III

Q75. Who among the following person sits exactly between D and the person who sits opposite to U?

- (a) B
- (b) E
- (c) F
- (d) G
- (e) C

Directions (76-80): Study the following information carefully and answer the given questions:

Nine persons A, B, C, D, E, F, G, I and J sit around a circular-shaped table, and all of them face towards the centre, but not necessarily in the same order.

G sits third to the right of C. One person sits between C and I. E sits third to the left of I. One person sits between E and D. J sits third to the right of B. J and G are not immediate neighbours of each other. B is not an immediate neighbour of E. The number of persons sit between I and A when counting from the right of I is one less than the number of persons sit between E and F when counting from right of E.

Q76. What is the position of A with respect to J?

- (a) Fourth to the right
- (b) Fourth to the left
- (c) Fifth to the left
- (d) Second to the left
- (e) Second to the right

Q77. How many persons sit between F and D when counted in the clockwise direction from F?

- (a) Two
- (b) Three
- (c) Four
- (d) One
- (e) None

Q78. Four of the following five are alike in a certain way and thus form a group. Find the one which doesn't belong to the group.

- (a) F - A
- (b) B - E
- (c) J - I
- (d) D - C
- (e) G - J

Q79. Who among the following sits second to the left of the person who sits fourth to the right of G?

- (a) C
- (b) E
- (c) D
- (d) B
- (e) J

Q80. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- (a) A sits immediate left of G.
- (b) E and C are immediate neighbours.
- (c) B sits second to the left of E.
- (d) One person sits between I and B.
- (e) I sits third to the right of A.

Directions (81-85): Read the given information carefully and answer the questions below:

Nine persons were born on the same date and month of different years, i.e., 1968, 1970, 1972, 1975, 1978, 1983, 1989, 1998, and 2009. Their ages are calculated as per the base year 2025.

L is three years elder than K. Only one person was born between L and M. R is two years younger than M. More than three persons were born between M and F. H is immediately younger than A. A is three persons elder than D. S is not elder than F.

Q81. How many persons were born between S and L?

- (a) As many persons born between M and A
- (b) Two
- (c) As many persons born between F and H
- (d) Five
- (e) As many persons born between M and D

Q82. What is the sum of ages of H, F and K?

- (a) 135 years
- (b) 148 years
- (c) 129 years
- (d) 128 years
- (e) 151 years

Q83. Which among the following combination is correct?

- (a) F - 1989
- (b) D- 1983
- (c) R- 1972
- (d) L- 1975
- (e) None is correct

Q84. The number of persons elder than A is same as the number of persons between ____ and ____.

- (a) M, K
- (b) R, H
- (c) K, S
- (d) F, A
- (e) L, M

Q85. What is the age difference between M and H?

- (a) 12 years
- (b) 15 years
- (c) 17 years
- (d) 22 years
- (e) None of the these

Directions (86-90): Study the following information carefully and answer the given questions:

Eight persons—A, B, C, D, E, F, G, and H—purchased different items—Lamp, Calculator, Pen, Pencil, Book, Watch, Bag and Laptop—one after the other. However, not necessarily in the same order.

A purchased an item immediately after C. Three persons purchased items between C and the one who purchased Pen. Two persons purchased items between the one who purchased pen and the one who purchased calculator. G purchased an item immediately before the person who purchased calculator. As many persons purchased before the one who purchased calculator as after the one who purchased watch. G doesn't purchase watch. H purchased Laptop immediately before E and immediately after D. Two persons purchased between D and the one who purchased Bag. G doesn't purchase Lamp. B purchased the item before F. G and D doesn't purchase book.

Q86. Who among the following purchased the Pencil?

- (a) E
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) G
- (e) F

Q87. How many persons purchased an item between A and the one who purchased the Bag?

- (a) One
- (b) Two
- (c) Three
- (d) Four
- (e) None

Q88. Which of the following pairs is incorrect?

- (a) D - Watch
- (b) E - Pen
- (c) B - Bag
- (d) G - pencil
- (e) F - Calculator

Q89. Which of the following statements is true?

- (a) G purchased before the one who purchased watch
- (b) F was the last one to purchase the item.
- (c) The one who purchased pen is the first one to purchase the item
- (d) E purchased the Notebook
- (e) G purchased immediately before B.

Q90. How many persons purchased items after the one who purchased Lamp?

- (a) Four
- (b) Three
- (c) Five
- (d) Two
- (e) One

Q91. If we form a four-letter meaningful word by using the first, third, fifth and sixth letter from the left end of the word 'CAPITALISM', then which of the following will be the fourth letter from the left end of the meaningful word thus formed. If more than one word is formed, mark Z as your answer. If no meaningful word is formed, mark X as your answer?

- (a) P
- (b) T
- (c) A
- (d) X
- (e) Z

Directions (92-94): In the question below, some statements are given followed by some conclusions. You have to assume everything in the statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts. Now, decide which of the two given conclusions logically follow from the statements, disregarding commonly known facts.

Q92. Statements:

All pink are tulips.
Only a few tulips are flowers.
Some pink are yellow.

Conclusions:

I. Some yellow are not flowers.
II. Some yellow being tulips is a possibility.

- (a) If only conclusion I follow
- (b) If only conclusion II follow
- (c) If either conclusion I or II follow
- (d) If neither conclusion I nor II follow
- (e) If both conclusions I and II follow

Q93. Statements:

Only a few train are truck.

Some train are not buses.

No truck is van.

Conclusions:

I. No buses being van is a possibility.

II. All train being truck is a possibility.

- (a) If only conclusion I follow
- (b) If only conclusion II follow
- (c) If either conclusion I or II follow
- (d) If neither conclusion I nor II follow
- (e) If both conclusions I and II follow

Q94. Statements:

No chair is table.

Only chair are desk.

All table are shelf.

Conclusions:

I. No desk is shelf

II. Some desk is shelf

- (a) If only conclusion I follow
- (b) If only conclusion II follow
- (c) If either conclusion I or II follow
- (d) If neither conclusion I nor II follow
- (e) If both conclusions I and II follow

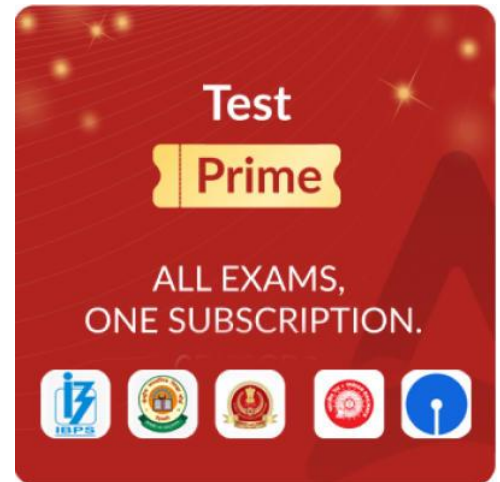
Q95. If in the given word "MARATHON" if all the vowels are replaced with their opposite letter in English Alphabet and all the consonants are replaced with their second preceding letter, then find how many words are repeating in the new word formed?

- (a) Two
- (b) One
- (c) Three
- (d) Four
- (e) Five

Directions (96-100): Read the given information carefully and answer the related questions:

Seven persons A, B, C, D, E, F, G - sit in a row facing north. They also like different fruits – pear, apple, grape, mango, kiwi, cherry, papaya. The information is not used in the same order as given.

B sits four places to the right of the one who likes mango. Two persons sit between B and D. The number of persons to the left of D is one less than the number of persons to the right of the one who likes papaya. The one who likes kiwi sits third to the left of G. The one who likes pear sits immediate left of A. One person sits between A and the one who likes grape. The number of persons to the left of A is same as the number of persons between F and the one who likes cherry. F and C do not like pear.



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Q96. E likes which among the following fruit?

- (a) Papaya
- (b) Mango
- (c) Grape
- (d) Apple
- (e) Pear

Q97. How many persons sit between C and the one who likes apple?

- (a) One
- (b) Two
- (c) Three
- (d) Four
- (e) Five

Q98. Which among the following person likes grape?

- (a) C
- (b) F
- (c) D
- (d) G
- (e) B

Q99. Choose the correct pair?

- (a) F - kiwi
- (b) C - grape
- (c) D - cherry
- (d) A - mango
- (e) B - apple

Q100. Which of the following statement is/are correct?

- I. G likes papaya
 - II. C and D sit adjacent to each other.
 - III. Two persons sit to the left of E.
- (a) Only II
 - (b) Only I
 - (c) Only I and II
 - (d) Only II and III
 - (e) Only I and III