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Section : General Knowledge

Q.1 In which Union Territory of India is the Wular Lake located?

- Ans

✗ 1. Delhi

✗ 2. Ladakh

✗ 3. Chandigarh

✓ 4. Jammu and Kashmir

Q.2 Who among the following is known as a founder of the Bharatiya Jana Sangh, a forerunner of the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)?

- Ans

✗ 1. Deendayal Upadhyaya

✗ 2. Atal Bihari Vajpayee

✗ 3. LK Advani

✓ 4. Syama Prasad Mukherjee

Q.3 In October 2024, the Supreme Court slammed the _____ governments for failing to prosecute farmers found to be involved in stubble burning.

- Ans

✗ 1. Haryana and Bihar

✗ 2. Haryana and Rajasthan

✓ 3. Haryana and Punjab

✗ 4. Rajasthan and Punjab

Q.4 In the context of the Census conducted in India, which of the following statements is accurate?

- Ans

✗ 1. Census is conducted annually in India.

✗ 2. Census is primarily focused on collecting economic data of the citizens

✗ 3. Census is solely managed by the Ministry of Rural Development.

✓ 4. Census captures demographic information at a broader level.

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Q.5 Which of the following Mughal emperors was defeated by the Afghan ruler Sher Shah Suri during the Battle of Chausa?

- Ans** ☒ 1. Humayun
☐ 2. Babur
☐ 3. Jahangir
☐ 4. Akbar

Q.6 Select the correct statement from the following.

- Ans** ☐ 1. The Sayyid dynasty was established in Delhi by killing the last ruler of the Khilji dynasty.
☐ 2. The practice of Sijda was started by Alauddin Khilji.
☒ 3. Sijdah was a form of salutation in which a person had to kneel down and touch the ground with his forehead.
☐ 4. After the Ghulam dynasty, the Tughlaqs took over the power of Delhi.

Q.7 Who among the following wrote the autobiography 'I Have the Streets: A Kutti Cricket Story'?

- Ans** ☐ 1. Zaheer Khan
☒ 2. Ravichandran Ashwin
☐ 3. Harbhajan Singh
☐ 4. Sachin Tendulkar

Q.8 The Chitradurga iron-ore region is located in which state?

- Ans** ☒ 1. Karnataka
☐ 2. West Bengal
☐ 3. Bihar
☐ 4. Madhya Pradesh

Q.9 Who among the following speakers of the Lok Sabha presided over two successive Lok Sabha?

- Ans** ☐ 1. Somnath Chatterjee
☐ 2. Meira Kumar
☐ 3. Shivraj Patil
☒ 4. Balram Jakhar

Q.10 What does the term 'Secular' imply in the context of the Indian Constitution?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. The State promotes one religion over others.
 - ☐ 2. The State has an official religion.
 - ☒ 3. The State treats all religions equally without any official religion.
 - ☐ 4. The State does not allow religious freedom.

Q.11 The first spy satellite in India, which is set to be launched in a SpaceX rocket by April 2024, and will be used by the armed forces to get discreet information, is to be made by _____.

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO)
 - ☐ 2. Hindustan Aeronautics Limited
 - ☒ 3. Tata Advanced Systems Limited
 - ☐ 4. Astrome Technologies

Q.12 Which of the following Acts created a unified administration for India, uniting the three presidencies under the authority of the Governor of Bengal?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Government of India Act, 1919
 - ☒ 2. Regulating Act, 1773
 - ☐ 3. Pitt's India Act, 1784
 - ☐ 4. Charter Act, 1813

Q.13 At the 2025 BRS COPs, held in Geneva, which key areas did India emphasise under the leadership of Environment Minister Bhupender Yadav?

- Ans**
- ☒ 1. Plastic pollution, access to finance and technology and sound chemical waste management
 - ☐ 2. Only biodiversity conservation and climate change finance
 - ☐ 3. Deforestation policies and global carbon pricing mechanisms
 - ☐ 4. Marine resource exploitation and space debris management

Q.14 The Third United Nations conference on Afghanistan was held at which place in June-July 2024, which was also attended by the Taliban for the first time?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Tehran
 - ☒ 2. Doha
 - ☐ 3. Dubai
 - ☐ 4. Baghdad

Q.15 According to the Census of India 2011, which of the following states has the highest percentage of Hindu population?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. Odisha
 - ☐ 2. Assam
 - ☐ 3. Manipur
 - ☒ 4. Himachal Pradesh

Q.16 Who was the Prime Minister of India from 1991-1996?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. Atal Bihari Vajpayee
 - ☐ 2. HD Deve Gowda
 - ☐ 3. Chandra Shekhar
 - ☒ 4. PV Narasimha Rao

Q.17 Who among the following attended all the three round table conferences held in London?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. Mahatma Gandhi
 - ☒ 2. Bhimrao Ambedkar
 - ☐ 3. Jawaharlal Nehru
 - ☐ 4. Lala Lajpat Rai

Q.18 Balshastri Jambhekar started the first Anglo-Maratha newspaper 'Darpan' in the year ____.

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 1835
 - ☐ 2. 1833
 - ☒ 3. 1832
 - ☐ 4. 1834

Q.19 Which of the following countries signed a Bilateral Investment Treaty with India in September 2024, aiming to strengthen investor confidence and promote economic cooperation?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. Myanmar
 - ☒ 2. Uzbekistan
 - ☐ 3. Maldives
 - ☐ 4. Sri Lanka

Q.20 Which group of biospheres is located in Assam?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. Cold Desert and Seshachalam
 - ☐ 2. Panna and Nanda Devi
 - ☐ 3. Sunderban and Pachmarhi
 - ☒ 4. Dibru-Saikhowa and Manas

Section : Logical Reasoning

Q.21 What will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following equation if '×' and '−' are interchanged and '÷' and '+' are interchanged?

$$114 + 3 - 25 \div 41 \times 20 = ?$$

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 963
 - ☒ 2. 971
 - ☐ 3. 943
 - ☐ 4. 956

Q.22 Based on the English alphabetical order, three of the following four letter-clusters are alike in a certain way and thus form a group. Which letter-cluster DOES NOT belong to that group? (Note: The odd one out is not based on the number of consonants/vowels or their position in the letter-cluster.)

- Ans
- ☐ 1. DZY
 - ☐ 2. NJI
 - ☐ 3. XTS
 - ☒ 4. PLI

Q.23 12 is related to 48 following a certain logic. Following the same logic, 7 is related to 28. To which of the given options is 18 related, following the same logic?

(NOTE: Operations should be performed on the whole numbers, without breaking down the numbers into their constituent digits. E.g. 13 – Operations on 13 such as adding/subtracting/multiplying to 13 can be performed. Breaking down 13 into 1 and 3 and then performing mathematical operations on 1 and 3 is not allowed.)

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 54
 - ☒ 2. 72
 - ☐ 3. 73
 - ☐ 4. 53

Q.24 ADVICE is related to YITNAJ in a certain way based on the English alphabetical order. In the same way, GATE is related to EFRJ.

To which of the following is WEALTH related to, following the same logic?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. UJYQPM
 - ☐ 2. UJZQRM
 - ☐ 3. UJYQRN
 - ☒ 4. UJYQRM

Q.25 What should come in place of the question mark (?) in the given series?

741 749 757 765 773 ?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 797
 - ☐ 2. 787
 - ☐ 3. 793
 - ☒ 4. 781

Q.26 K is the mother of F. F is the sister of P. M is the son of E. E is the husband of P. How is F related to M?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. Father's sister
 - ☐ 2. Wife's brother
 - ☒ 3. Mother's sister
 - ☐ 4. Sister's husband

Q.27 KJ 4 is related to MN 16 in a certain way. In the same way, SG 13 is related to UK 52. To which of the following is ET 23 related, following the same logic?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. HX 92
 - ☐ 2. GY 90
 - ☒ 3. GX 92
 - ☐ 4. HY 90

Q.28 Select the pair that follows the same pattern as that followed by the two pairs given below. Both pairs follow the same pattern.

QPL–NMI

ONJ–LKG

- Ans
- ☒ 1. DBW–ZYU
 - ☒ 2. DCY–AZV
 - ☐ 3. DCY–ZZU
 - ☐ 4. DBW–AZV

Q.29 Refer to the following number series and answer the question (all numbers are single digit only).

(Left) 2 4 6 7 2 1 7 9 0 5 3 2 3 2 1 3 6 8 8 6 5 4 5 7 8 8 4 4 6 4 8 0 9 7 9 7 3

(Right)

How many such odd digits are there each of which is immediately preceded by an even digit and also immediately followed by an odd digit?

(Note: zero is to be considered as an even number.)

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Five
 - ☐ 2. Three
 - ☐ 3. Six
 - ☐ 4. Four

Q.30 Refer to the following letter series and answer the question that follows.

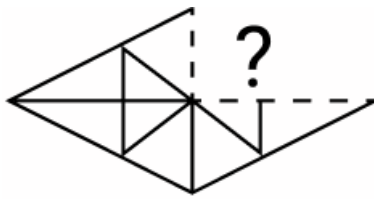
Counting to be done from left to right only.

(Left end) P K J U E D V Z R G O L H F A I (Right end)

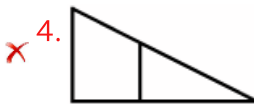
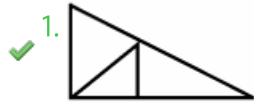
How many consonants are there in between the letter which is fourth from the left end and the letter that is sixth from the right end of the above series?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. Three
 - ☐ 2. Four
 - ☐ 3. Six
 - ☒ 4. Five

Q.31 Select the option figure that will replace the question mark (?) in the figure given below to complete the pattern.



Ans



Q.32 9 is related to 54 following a certain logic. Following the same logic, 13 is related to 74. To which of the given options is 22 related, following the same logic?

(Note: Operations should be performed on the whole numbers, without breaking down the numbers into their constituent digits. E.g. 13 – Operations on 13 such as adding/subtracting/multiplying to 13 can be performed. Breaking down 13 into 1 and 3 and then performing mathematical operations on 1 and 3 is not allowed.)

Ans

✗ 1. 124

✗ 2. 142

✓ 3. 119

✗ 4. 132

Q.33 Seven people, A, B, C, D, E, F, and G, are sitting in a row, facing north. A sits third to the left of F. B is an immediate neighbour of both D and F. D is not an immediate neighbour of A. C is an immediate neighbour of both F and G. A sits to the immediate right of E.

What is the position of A with respect to D?

- Ans ☒ 1. Fifth to the left
☒ 2. Fifth to the right
☒ 3. Immediate right
☒ 4. Second to the left

Q.34 Refer to the given series and answer the question that follows. Counting to be done from left to right only. (All numbers are single-digit numbers only.)

(Left) 7 8 7 7 3 9 2 6 7 4 6 8 9 9 6 4 3 2 3 7 8 3 5 8 5 5 3 (Right)

How many such even numbers are there each of which is immediately preceded by an odd number and also immediately followed by an odd number?

- Ans ☒ 1. Five
☒ 2. Two
☒ 3. Four
☒ 4. One

Q.35 What should come in place of the question mark (?) in the given series?

3 ? 12 39 103 228

- Ans ☒ 1. 4
☒ 2. 10
☒ 3. 6
☒ 4. 8

Q.36 What will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following equation, if '-' and '÷' are interchanged, and '×' and '+' are interchanged?

$$38 + 54 - 6 \times 2 \div 2 = ?$$

Ans ☐ 1. 344

☒ 2. 342

☐ 3. 345

☐ 4. 343

Q.37 Refer to the following number series and answer the question that follows. Counting to be done from left to right only. (All numbers are single-digit numbers only.)

(Left) 4 1 7 2 9 6 3 5 8 2 5 8 1 3 6 9 4 7 3 6 8 5 1 4 9 2 7 (Right)

How many times does a perfect square number followed by an odd number appear in the given series?

Ans ☐ 1. Three

☐ 2. Four

☐ 3. Two

☒ 4. Five

Q.38 What will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following equation, if '×' and '-' are interchanged, and '÷' and '+' are interchanged?

$$333 + 37 - 7 \div 66 \times 49 = ?$$

Ans ☐ 1. 69

☒ 2. 80

☐ 3. 75

☐ 4. 67

Q.39 Three of the following pairs of words are alike in a certain way and thus form a group. Which word-pair DOES NOT belong to that group?

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Aeroplane - Aileron
 - ☒ 2. Boat - Rudder
 - ☒ 3. Car - Steering
 - ☒ 4. Motorbike - Pedal

Q.40 In a ticket counter, Mr. X is 18th from the left and 24th from the right. How many people are there in that counter?

- Ans
- ☒ 1. 40
 - ☒ 2. 43
 - ☒ 3. 41
 - ☒ 4. 42

Section : General English and Comprehension

Q.41 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

Rustic

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Bucolic
 - ☒ 2. Pastoral
 - ☒ 3. Rural
 - ☒ 4. Urban

Q.42 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

Incapable of being seen

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Invincible
 - ☒ 2. Invisible
 - ☒ 3. Inaudible
 - ☒ 4. Intangible

Q.43 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

I _____ that they are going to build a new sports complex.

Ans ☒ 1. hear

☐ 2. hears

☐ 3. listen

☐ 4. hearing

Q.44 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Throw in the towel

Ans ☐ 1. To celebrate a victory

☐ 2. To start something new

☐ 3. To make a strong comeback

☒ 4. To give up or surrender

Q.45 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

The mother started to marinate the chicken _____.

Ans ☐ 1. tomorrow

☒ 2. yesterday

☐ 3. earliest

☐ 4. while

Comprehension:

Read the given passage and answer the questions that follow.

I emerged into the hot sunshine and stood on the steps of the Bank, where I had stood as a small boy some fifteen years back, waiting for granny to finish her work — I think she had been the only one in the family to put some money by for a rainy day — but these had been rainy days for her sons and daughters and various fickle relatives who were always battenning off her. Her own needs were few. She lived in one room of her house, leaving the rest of it for the family to use. When she died, the house was sold so that her children could once more go their impecunious ways.

I had no relatives to support, but here was Williams Matheson waiting for me under the old peepal tree. His hands were shaking.

SubQuestion No : 46

Q.46 Select the most appropriate theme for the passage.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Conflicts between generations
 - ☒ 2. A nostalgic reflection on family and loss
 - ☒ 3. The importance of education
 - ☒ 4. Financial planning for retirement

Comprehension:

Read the given passage and answer the questions that follow.

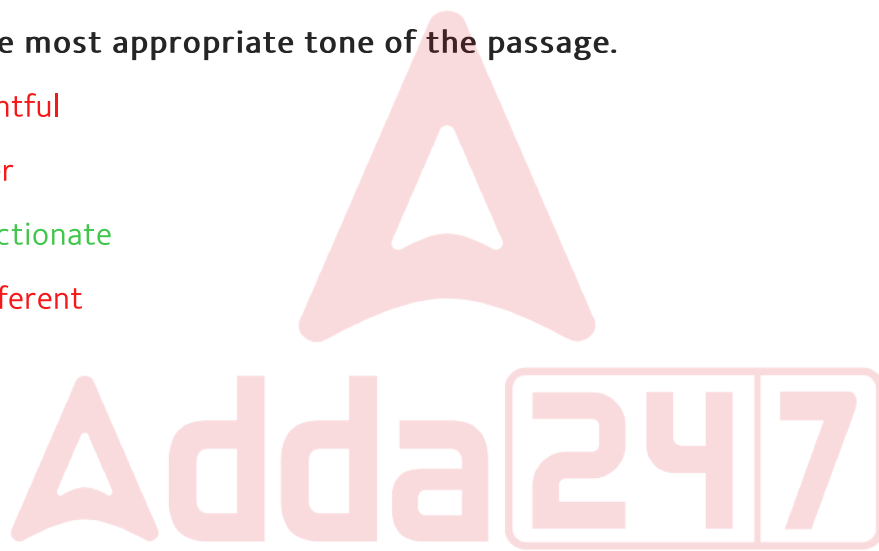
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SubQuestion No : 47

Q.47 Select the most appropriate tone of the passage.

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Resentful
 - ☐ 2. Bitter
 - ☒ 3. Affectionate
 - ☐ 4. Indifferent



Comprehension:

Read the given passage and answer the questions that follow.

I emerged into the hot sunshine and stood on the steps of the Bank, where I had stood as a small boy some fifteen years back, waiting for granny to finish her work — I think she had been the only one in the family to put some money by for a rainy day — but these had been rainy days for her sons and daughters and various fickle relatives who were always battenning off her. Her own needs were few. She lived in one room of her house, leaving the rest of it for the family to use. When she died, the house was sold so that her children could once more go their impecunious ways.

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SubQuestion No : 48

Q.48 Select the most appropriate **ANTONYM** of the word 'fickle'.

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Temporary
 - ☒ 2. Steadfast
 - ☐ 3. Unpredictable
 - ☐ 4. Superficial



Comprehension:

Read the given passage and answer the questions that follow.

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SubQuestion No : 49

Q.49 Select the most appropriate inference that can be drawn about the writer's attitude toward the grandmother and her children.

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. He blames his grandmother for not helping her children enough.
 - ☐ 2. He is indifferent to his grandmother's life and choices.
 - ☒ 3. He feels admiration for her frugality and disapproves of her children's dependence.
 - ☐ 4. He believes she should have spent more money on herself.

Comprehension:

Read the given passage and answer the questions that follow.

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SubQuestion No : 50

Q.50 Select the most appropriate synonym of the word 'impecunious'.

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Wealthy
 - ☐ 2. Abundant
 - ☐ 3. Ungrudging
 - ☒ 4. Impoverished



Q.51 'क्षुद्र' का विलोम शब्द होगा

- Ans
- ✗ 1. लघिमा
 - ✗ 2. अग्राह्य
 - ✗ 3. उथला
 - ✓ 4. महान्

Q.52 'शोणित' का पर्यायवाची शब्द होगा

- Ans
- ✓ 1. रुधिर
 - ✗ 2. कूल
 - ✗ 3. शुनक
 - ✗ 4. शिव

Q.53 क्रिया का उचित रूप रिक्त स्थान में भरें
मैं पत्र.....हूँ।

- Ans
- ✗ 1. लेखक
 - ✓ 2. लिखता
 - ✗ 3. लिखूंगा
 - ✗ 4. लिखना

Q.54 निम्नलिखित लोकोक्ति का सही अर्थ पहचानें।
बुढ़िया मरी तो आगरा तो देखा।

- Ans
- ✗ 1. किसी दुश्मन का दूर हो जाना
 - ✓ 2. हर बात के अच्छे-बुरे दो पहलू होते हैं।
 - ✗ 3. किसी को याद न करना
 - ✗ 4. बहुत खुश होना

Q.55 'अपनी करनी पार उतरनी' लोकोक्ति का सही अर्थ होगा-

- Ans
- ✗ 1. अन्याय का बोलबाला
 - ✓ 2. अपने किये का फल भोगना
 - ✗ 3. मनमानी करना
 - ✗ 4. बेसहारे का सहारा

Comprehension:

दिए गए गद्यांश के आधार पर निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

‘महाकाव्य’ को प्रबंध काव्य भी कहते हैं। पाश्चात्य साहित्य में इसके लिए ‘एपिक’ शब्द का प्रयोग किया जाता है। यह अत्यंत प्राचीन काव्य विधा है। हमारे यहाँ रामायण और महाभारत जैसे विशाल महाकाव्य लिखे गए हैं, जिन्हें उपजीव्य कविय भी कहा जाता है, क्योंकि ये परवर्ती काव्यों और महाकाव्यों के स्रोत भी हैं। इसलिए प्राचीन समय से इस विधा के स्वरूप एवं लक्षणों पर विचार किया जाता रहा है। महाकाव्य ‘महत्’ और ‘काव्य’ इन दो शब्दों से व्युत्पन्न पद है। ‘काव्य’ के साथ महत् शब्द का प्रयोग सबसे पहले वाल्मीकि-‘रामायण’ में मिलता है-“कर्ता काव्यस्य महतः क्व चासौ मुनिपुंगवः ।” इस पंक्ति से महाकाव्य के तीन लक्षणों पर प्रकाश पड़ता है- महाकाव्य के आकार की विशालता, किसी महान चरित्र की प्रतिष्ठा और प्रणेता की महानता। भारतीय काव्यशास्त्र में संभवतः सर्वप्रथम आचार्य भामह ने महाकाव्य के स्वरूप –निर्धारण का प्रयास किया। उन्होंने स्वरूप विधान के आधार पर काव्य के पांच भेद किए हैं। महाकाव्य उनमें से एक है।

SubQuestion No : 56

Q.56 गद्यांश में प्रयुक्त प्राचीन का विलोम शब्द होगा -

- Ans
- ✗ 1. परुष
 - ✗ 2. आदिम
 - ✗ 3. परोक्ष
 - ✓ 4. अर्वाचीन



Comprehension:

दिए गए गद्यांश के आधार पर निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

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SubQuestion No : 57

Q.57 गद्यांश में प्रयुक्त उपजीव्य का अर्थ क्या है ?

- Ans** ✓ 1. जिसके सहारे जीवन चलता हो
✗ 2. जिसके नाम से राज्य चलता हो
✗ 3. जिसके होने से भय लगता हो
✗ 4. जिसके आने से सुख मिले

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SubQuestion No : 58

Q.58 गद्यांश के लिए उपयुक्त शीर्षक का चयन कीजिए।

- Ans
- ☒ 1. खंडकाव्य
 - ☒ 2. मुक्तक काव्य
 - ☒ 3. चरित काव्य
 - ☒ 4. महाकाव्य

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SubQuestion No : 59

Q.59 'काव्य' के साथ महत् शब्द का प्रयोग सबसे पहले कहाँ मिलता है?

- Ans
- ✓ 1. वाल्मीकि-रामायण में
 - ✗ 2. कबीरदास- बीजक में
 - ✗ 3. सूरदास -सूरसागर में
 - ✗ 4. तुलसीदास- रामचरितमानस में

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SubQuestion No : 60

Q.60 महाकाव्य किन दो शब्दों से व्युत्पन्न पद है ?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. उप और न्यास
 - ☐ 2. लघु और दीर्घ
 - ☒ 3. महत् और काव्य
 - ☐ 4. महान और छुद्र

Section : Basic Knowledge of Computer

Q.61 Which tab of MS Word allows users to customise the size of a document?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. Home
 - ☐ 2. Design
 - ☒ 3. Layout
 - ☐ 4. View

Q.62 Which protocol is commonly used by email clients to send messages?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. HTTP
 - ☐ 2. FTP
 - ☒ 3. SMTP
 - ☐ 4. POP

Q.63 Which feature in an email client allows you to organise emails based on criteria such as sender, date or subject?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Sorting
 - ☒ 2. Filtering
 - ☐ 3. Searching
 - ☐ 4. Archiving

Q.64 How can you set an exact column width in MS-Excel 2010?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Right-click the column heading and choose 'Set Width'.
 - ☐ 2. Go to the 'Insert' tab and select Column 'Settings'.
 - ☐ 3. Double-click the column heading.
 - ☒ 4. Select the column, go to 'Home > Format > Column Width', and input the exact number.

Q.65 How can a user enable the Power Saving mode in the Windows operating system?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Select Start > Settings > System > Power & battery > Sleep
 - ☐ 2. Select Start > Settings > System > Power & battery > Screen
 - ☒ 3. Select Start > Settings > System > Power & battery > Energy Saver
 - ☐ 4. Select Start > Settings > System > Power & battery > Energy usage

Q.66 Why should you refrain from making important transactions on your smartphone using public Wi-Fi?

- Ans**
- ☒ 1. Public Wi-Fi networks are often insecure and can be used to intercept sensitive information.
 - ☐ 2. It helps save mobile data.
 - ☐ 3. It speeds up the process.
 - ☐ 4. It allows free access to paid services.

Q.67 What additional protocols do sites like Gmail support to enable users to download mail onto their machines?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. POP and SMTP
 - ☐ 2. SMTP and IMAP
 - ☐ 3. HTTP and FTP
 - ☒ 4. IMAP and POP

Q.68 If you click the three vertical dots icon (Vertical Dots) present at upper right corner of the browser window (E.g. Google Chrome) and go to the 'Settings' option from the menu displayed, then from the new tab opened, which of the following settings can be changed?

- i. Settings of people
- ii. Appearance
- iii. Search Engines
- iv. Default Browser
- v. Startup and Advance Tabs

Ans ✓ 1. Only ii, iii and iv

✗ 2. Only i, ii and iii

✗ 3. i, ii, iii, iv and v

✗ 4. Only iii, iv and v

Q.69 Which of the following occurs when you employ a template for a presentation's style and layout in MS PowerPoint?

Ans ✗ 1. They remain blank until manually configured.

✗ 2. They are automatically adjusted to previous presentation settings.

✗ 3. They default to the standard MS PowerPoint settings.

✓ 4. They are set according to the chosen template.

Q.70 Which of the following characteristics would you apply to locate worksheet cells that satisfy particular requirements?

Ans ✗ 1. Data Table

✗ 2. Auto Sum

✗ 3. Sort

✓ 4. Conditional Formatting

Q.71 Which of the following permits you to perform a search for a document that was NOT saved effectively in the Open dialog box?

Ans ✗ 1. Compatibility Mode

✗ 2. Open and Repair

✓ 3. Recover Unsaved Documents

✗ 4. Protected View

Q.72 Which of the following best describes how antivirus software protects a computer from viruses?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. It stops the computer from connecting to any network, preventing virus transmission.
 - ☒ 2. It scans files and programs for known virus signatures and quarantines suspicious files.
 - ☐ 3. It blocks access to all external devices connected to the computer.
 - ☐ 4. It deletes all downloaded files from the internet to prevent virus infections.

Q.73 What does the 'Undo' function do in word processing software?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Repeats the last action
 - ☐ 2. Creates a new document
 - ☒ 3. Cancels the last action
 - ☐ 4. Saves the last action

Q.74 Where does Windows display the real-time clock on the desktop?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Top of the screen
 - ☐ 2. Left of the taskbar
 - ☐ 3. Centre of the taskbar
 - ☒ 4. Right of the taskbar

Q.75 Which kind of malware frequently spreads through network connections and has the ability to duplicate itself without human intervention?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Trojan horse
 - ☒ 2. Worm
 - ☐ 3. Virus
 - ☐ 4. Spyware

Q.76 Which are the four main types of alignment in MS Word?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. Left alignment, right alignment, center alignment and wrap alignment
 - ☐ 2. Left alignment, right alignment, common alignment and justify alignment
 - ☒ 3. Left alignment, right alignment, center alignment and justify alignment
 - ☐ 4. Left alignment, right alignment, merge alignment and justify alignment

Q.77 Which of the following best describes a Wide Area Network (WAN)?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. A network that connects devices within a single room or a small group of adjacent rooms
 - ☐ 2. A network that covers a small geographic area, such as a single building or a campus
 - ☐ 3. A network that is designed to connect personal devices like smartphones, tablets, and laptops within a personal workspace
 - ☒ 4. A network that spans a large geographic area, often a country or continent, and connects multiple local area networks (LANs)

Q.78 To create a new blank MS PowerPoint presentation, which of the following steps should be followed?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. File > Open > Recent Presentations
 - ☐ 2. File > Save As > New Presentation
 - ☒ 3. File > New > Blank Presentation
 - ☐ 4. File > New > From Template

Q.79 How can a user change the display settings in the Windows operating system?

- Ans**
- ☒ 1. Select Start > Settings > System > Display
 - ☐ 2. Select Start > Settings > System > Devices
 - ☐ 3. Select Start > Settings > System > Control
 - ☐ 4. Select Start > Settings > System > Panel

Q.80 What is the use of Secure Sockets Layer/Transport Layer Security (SSL/TLS) in email configuration?

- Ans**
- ☐ 1. To create email templates
 - ☐ 2. To block spam emails
 - ☐ 3. To send larger attachments
 - ☒ 4. To secure the connection between the email client and server

Q.81 A train runs at a speed of 100 km/hr to cover a distance of 150 km and then at a speed of 180 km/hr to cover a distance of 90 km. Find the average speed of the train for the entire distance.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. 150 km/hr
 - ☒ 2. 120 km/hr
 - ☐ 3. 160 km/hr
 - ☐ 4. 140 km/hr

Q.82 Evaluate: $35 - [25 - \{31 - (21 - 14 + 9)\}]$

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 28
 - ☐ 2. 24
 - ☐ 3. 22
 - ☒ 4. 25

Q.83 A man covers half of his journey at 5 km/hr and the remaining half at 3 km/hr. His average speed (in km/hr) is:

- Ans
- ☒ 1. 3.75
 - ☐ 2. 4
 - ☐ 3. 3.55
 - ☐ 4. 4.15

Q.84 If 4% of $x = 252$, then x is equal to:

- Ans
- ☒ 1. 6300
 - ☐ 2. 12600
 - ☐ 3. 6400
 - ☐ 4. 12700

Q.85 Seven men can complete a work in 12 days. They start the work and after 5 days, 3 men leave. In how many days will the remaining work be completed by the remaining men?

- Ans
- ☒ 1. $12\frac{1}{4}$
 - ☐ 2. $13\frac{1}{4}$
 - ☐ 3. 12
 - ☐ 4. 14

Q.86 After getting two successive discounts, a table with a marked price of ₹3,000 is available at ₹2,160. If the second discount was 20%, then find the first discount.

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 8%
 - ☒ 2. 10%
 - ☐ 3. 15%
 - ☐ 4. 5%

Q.87 Find the single percentage discount [correct to 1 decimal] equivalent to three successive discounts of 44%, 89%, and 34% respectively.

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 89.3%
 - ☒ 2. 95.9%
 - ☐ 3. 94.7%
 - ☐ 4. 93.3%

Q.88 Ravi's age 5 years ago was five times Rohit's age. Ravi's age 4 years ago was four times Rohit's age. How many times was Rohit's age the same as Ravi's age 6 years ago?

- Ans
- ☒ 1. 7 times
 - ☐ 2. 5 times
 - ☐ 3. 8 times
 - ☐ 4. 6 times

Q.89 Find the value of 2.76×8.4 .

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 21.384
 - ☐ 2. 24.184
 - ☒ 3. 23.184
 - ☐ 4. 23.194

Q.90 The average of the marks of 15 students in a class is 49. If the marks of each student are doubled, find the new average.

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 30
 - ☐ 2. 15
 - ☐ 3. 49
 - ☒ 4. 98

Q.91 In an election between two candidates, 80% of the voters cast their votes. From there, 480 votes were declared invalid. The winner gets 1568 more votes than his opponent. If the winner receives 42% of the registered votes, then how many voters cast their votes?

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 27,200
 - ☐ 2. 21,670
 - ☐ 3. 27,000
 - ☒ 4. 21,760

Q.92 The ratio of the ages of Anil and Ankith is 9 : 4. After 2 years, the ratio of their ages will be 2 : 1. Find Anil's age.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. 18 years
 - ☐ 2. 20 years
 - ☐ 3. 16 years
 - ☐ 4. 8 years

Q.93 A person saves 60% of his income. If his expenditure is ₹680, then his income (in ₹) is:

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 840
 - ☒ 2. 1,700
 - ☐ 3. 1,740
 - ☐ 4. 700

Q.94 A retailer buys an electronic item for ₹175. His overhead expenses are ₹25. He sells the electronic item for ₹500 and makes x% profit. The value of x is:

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 140
 - ☐ 2. 170
 - ☐ 3. 130
 - ☒ 4. 150

Q.95 The average salary of all the teachers in a school is ₹12,000. The average salary of 8 senior teachers is ₹15,000 and the average salary of the remaining teachers is ₹8,000. Find the total number of teachers in the school.

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 12
 - ☐ 2. 13
 - ☒ 3. 14
 - ☐ 4. 15

Q.96 A number is first increased by 10%, then increased by 20%, and then decreased by 30%. After given three successive percentage changes, the net percentage change in number will be:

- Ans
- ☐ 1. 8.5% increase
 - ☐ 2. 6.4% decrease
 - ☒ 3. 7.6% decrease
 - ☐ 4. 10.4% increase

Q.97 Evaluate the following:

$$1850 - [450 - \{210 - (90 - 60 - 8)\}]$$

- Ans
- ☒ 1. 1588
 - ☐ 2. 1448
 - ☐ 3. 1663
 - ☐ 4. 1518

Q.98 The selling price of 40 books is equal to the cost price of 6 books. Find the loss or gain percentage.

- Ans
- ☐ 1. $\frac{100}{34}$ % loss
 - ☐ 2. 85% gain
 - ☒ 3. 85% loss
 - ☐ 4. $\frac{100}{34}$ % gain

Q.99 If $7^x - 7^{x-1} = 42$, then the value of $\frac{2x-1}{2x+3}$ is:

Ans ☒ 1. $\frac{3}{2}$

☒ 2. $\frac{3}{3}$

☒ 3. $\frac{3}{7}$

☒ 4. $\frac{3}{5}$

Q.100 The time it takes for one tap to fill a particular tank is 1200 seconds. Meanwhile, it takes another tap 30 minutes to fill the same tank. The time taken (in minutes) to fill the tank if both the taps are opened at the same time would be:

Ans ☒ 1. 20

☒ 2. 12

☒ 3. 15

☒ 4. 19

