

SBI CLERK-2017-(PRE) MEMORY BASED PAPER -1

TOTAL TIME:-60 MINS

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

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15 . The confines of law cannot trample on or curtail the inherent rights broken up with an individual.
(A) confines (B) trample (C) curtail (D) broken up (E) All Correct
DIRECTION (Q. 16-25):- Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below it. Certain
words/phrases have been printed in bold to help you locate them while answering some of the questions.
Two doves lived on a banyan tree in the jungle. While one of them lived on the branches, the other lived inside a hole at
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stories, anecdotes and events of their lives. In this manner, the doves spent their time in happiness.



One day, one of them went with some other doves in search of food. When he did not return as usual at sunset, the other dove started worrying. He thought, "He has not done this ever. Why has he not returned home today? Has he been trapped by some hunter? Or maybe even killed? I cannot live without my friend, I hope he comes back soon. I am certain there is some reason why he has not returned even at nightfall." He did not return even the next day, or the day after. For several days, the dove kept worrying, and then gave up hope of his friend's return. One night, a hare came to the tree and observing an empty hole at the foot of the tree, took shelter inside. Since, the dove had given up hope of his friend's return, he did not object to the hole being occupied by the hare.

After a few days the dove returned. He had gone to a place where there was plenty of food to eat. He had grown fat, but remembering his dear friend, he thought of returning. On his return, when he found that a hare had taken over his house, he objected strongly, "Hare! This hole is my home, and you have taken it over during my absence. This is very unfair of you. I demand you to leave immediately". But the hare disagreed, "This place is mine now. I am not leaving." Thus, they began to quarrel. The dove understood there was no point in quarrelling with the hare, and said, "Hare! You seem to lack the basic ethics. Let us approach someone holy and knowledgeable. Let someone well-versed in holy books decide who is right, and thus, who shall have the right to occupy the hole." The hare agreed, and as suggested they went to look for a holy animal to settle their dispute.

Meanwhile, a wild wolf became aware that they wanted to settle their dispute through a holy animal. He quickly posed as a learned animal. He held a blade of holy Kusha grass in his paw stood on his hind legs, with his eyes closed, and started chanting. He stood on the bank of a river, where he would be more visible and be quickly spotted by the dove and the hare. When the dove and the hare came across him, the hare said, "He looks like a holy and learned animal, let us go and seek his advice." The dove agreed but said, "Yes, let us seek his opinion. But he is a wild wolf by birth, and a natural **predator** of both of us. We should be careful, and speak with him only from a distance."

As decided, they came to the wild wolf, but stood at a distance and asked, "Holy animal! We have a dispute amongst us. Will you please settle our dispute and tell us who is right in accordance to the Holy Scriptures? If you decide that one of us has sinned, you may as well eat him!" The wolf replied, "O my friends, I have denounced the violent life as it leads to hell. Non-violence is the very essence of true religion. I shall not harm any of you. However, I will hear both of you and settle your dispute with the knowledge I have gained."

Both the dove and the hare were impressed. The wild wolf continued, "But I am old, and cannot hear you from that distance. Fear not! I do not even harm a fly, bug or a mosquito. Come close, and explain the reason of your dispute. I shall make the most just settlement." With these words, he won the confidence of the hare and the dove. Both moved closer to the wolf and sat down to explain the reason of their dispute. This was the very opportunity that the wolf was looking for. As soon as they sat beside him, he jumped and seized one of them in his teeth and the other with his claws. He killed them both and made a meal out of them.

- 16. Which of the following statement(s) is NOT true as per the given information in the passage?
- (A) The three doves lived in a Banyan tree in the jungle
- (B) The doves became good friends
- (C) The hare and the dove thought the wild wolf was a learned animal
- (D) The hare and the dove agreed to speak with the wolf from a distance
- (E) None of the above
- 17. Which of the following statement(s) is true as per the given information in the passage?
- (A) The dove that went searching for food couldn't come back because he forgot the way back to the tree
- (B) The dove who stayed back strongly objected to the hare staying in the hole of the tree
- (C) The hare thought that the wolf looked like a holy animal and suggested that they take his advice
- (D) The hare told the dove that the wolf was their predator and they should be careful
- (E) None of the above
- 18. When the dove from the hole did not come back to the tree, the other dove thought he:
- A. May have been trapped by a hunter
- B. May have lost the way back to the tree
- C. May have been killed
- (A) Only A (B) A and B
 - (C) A and C
- (D) B and C (E) A, B and C

(C) Scenes in the Forest

- 19. According to the passage, which of the following things did the wolf not do to pose as a learned animal?
- (A) He held a blade of holy Kusha grass in his paw
- (B) He stood on his hind legs
- (C) He closed his eyes
- (D) He started chanting
- (E) He wore a flower garland in his neck
- 20. What should be the most appropriate title of the passage in your opinion?
- (B) The Friendship of Doves (A) The Cunning Mediator (D) The Holy Wolf
 - (E) The Tree with the Hole
- 21. Choose the word/group of words which is most similar in meaning to the word/group of words printed in bold as used in the passage - Anecdotes

(D) Annoy

(C) Narcolepsy

(E) None of the above



(B) Antibiotics

(A) Narrative

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in the passage - Predator	_	
(A) a highly cunning animal		
(B) an organism superior in physical str	ength	
(C) an organism that exists by preying u	pon other organisms	
(D) an organism that is very intelligent		
(E) None of the above		
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in the passage - Win the confidence		
(A) to make someone move tremble in f	fear	
(B) to make someone feel that they can		
(C) to motivate someone		
(D) to gain the admiration of someone		
(E) None of the above		
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B. Kamsa, after nine years, troubled by		his apparite and slant poorly at night
C. Nine years passed before Devaki got		ins appetite and stept poorty at night.
D. Every time Devaki gave birth to a ch		aved the shild
		lungeons and kept them under constant watch.
F. But he waited for the birth of his ner		d was determined to kill this time too.
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29 . Which of the following is the FOUR		
	C) B (D) F	(E) C
30 . Which of the following is the FIFTH		
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question?	$(35.001 + ?) \times 4.88$	(C) 27756 (D) 26244
31 . 25866 – 6488 – 2336 - 231 = ?	(A) 10 (B) 13	(E) None of these

(A) 16711 (B) 16821 (C) 20 (D) 21 **36**. $6\frac{5}{6} \times 5\frac{1}{3} + 10\frac{3}{5} \times 4\frac{1}{2} = ?$ (C) 16815 (D) 16811 (E) None of these (B) $84\frac{1}{9}$ (E) None of these **34**. $2127.9 \div 73.31 \times 95.01 = (? -$ (C) $225\frac{1}{90}$ (D) $115\frac{13}{90}$ **32**. $1891 \div 31 \times ? = 3111$ $194.79) \times 37.9$ (A) 31(B) 61(A) 185 (B) 167 (E) None of these (C) 41(D) 51 (C) 825 (D) 385 **37**. $(7.75 \times 56) \div 16 - 1230 \div 240 = ?$ (E) None of these (E) None of these $\times 5$ DIRECTION (Q. 33-34):- What **DIRECTION (Q. 35-40):- What** (A) 2.4(B) 4.2approximate value should come in will come in the place of the (C)4(D) 4.4the place of question mark '?' in question mark '?' in the following (E) 2the following question? (You are question?



38 . (1/11) of 33= ?2	$\left\{ (17424)^{\frac{1}{2}} \div (66)^2 \times \right.$
(A) 4/11	(B) 2/27

(C) 3/11

(D) 1/27

(E) None of these

39.
$$22440 \div \sqrt{?} = 34 \times 12$$
 (A) 55 (B) 3136

(C) 65

(D) 3025

(E) None of these

40.
$$\sqrt{?}$$
 + 136 = $\frac{5}{8}$ of 320

(A) 4096 (C) 1024

(B) 2045 (D) 4512

(E) None of these

41. If a wall is 1 m long, 2 m high and 20 cm thick then how many bricks each measuring 20 cm by 5 cm by 10 cm will be required to build the wall?

(A) 280

(B) 520

(C) 460

(D) 350

(E) None of these

42. Anjali told Shikha that 7 years ago, their ages (in years) were in the ratio 4:5 and 7 years hence they will be in the ratio 5:6. What will be the sum of their present ages?

(A) 200 years

(B) 163 years

(C) 170 years

(D) 140 years

(E) 180 years

43. A machine M could make bath soap with 1.67 times more speed than machine N. How much time will they, working together, take to make 1000 soaps which M alone could have done in 40 minutes 30 second? (A) 81/4 minutes

(B) 371/16 minutes

(C) 405/16 minutes

(D) 435/16 minutes

(E) 441/16 minutes

44. A cricket player after playing 10 tests scored 100 runs in the 11th test. As a result of which, the average of his runs is increased by 5. The present average of his runs is?

(A) 50

(B)45

(D) 55 (C) 30

(E) None of these **45**. A boat, whose speed in 10 km/hr in still water goes 45 km downstream

and comes back in a total of 12 hours. The speed of the stream (in

km/hr) is: (A) 10

(B) 8 (D) 2.5

(C)5

(E) 1.2

46. It takes 36 seconds for a train to cross a 300m bridge. If the length of train is 100m, what is the speed of the train?

(A) 32 kmph

(B) 36 kmph (D) 42 kmph

(C) 40 kmph (E) 48 kmph

47. Sanjay starts a business. He makes a profit of 30% in the 1st year. In the next year, he had a loss of 10% of the capital which he had at the

beginning of the 2nd year. His overall gain or loss % in the capital is

(A) 20%(C) 11%

(B) 10% (D) 30%

(E) 17%

DIRECTION (Q. 48-52):- What will come in place of the question mark '?' in the following number series?

48. 12, 35, 81, 173, 357, ?

(A) 725

(B)715(D) 736

(C)726

(E) None of these

49. 7, 8, 17, 42, ? (A) 67

(B)78

(C) 91

(D) 106

(E) None of these **50**. 1, 7, 49, 343, ?

(A) 16807

(B) 1227 (D) 2401

(C) 2058

(E) None of these

51. 353, 354, 351, 356, 349, ?

(B) 358

(A) 348

(C) 338

(D) 385

(E) 340

52. 1, 9, 65, 393, 1969, ?

(A) 2976

(B) 5479

(C) 7881

(D) 7653

(E) 7683

53. The difference in compound interest and simple interest on a certain amount at 10% p.a. at the end of the third year is Rs. 620. What is the principal amount?

(A) Rs. 40000 (C) Rs. 10000 (B) Rs. 120000 (D) Rs. 20000

(E) Rs. 200000

54. What would be the compound interest on Rs 31250 at 16% per annum compound quarterly for 9 months?

(A) Rs 3902

(B) Rs 1210

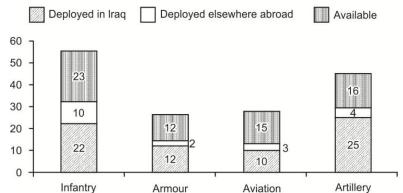
(C) Rs 1380

(D) Rs 1798

(E) None of these

Directions (Q. 55-59):- Study the following bar-diagram carefully and answer the questions.

Currently Active US combat battalions 1 battalion = 1000 troops



55. The number of total Active US combat battalions is how many times that of the total Infantry?

(A) 3 times

(B) 2.5 times

(C) 2.8 times

(D) 3.2 times

(E) None of these

56. What is the percentage of Infantry troops deployed in Iraq with respect to the total Armour troops available in the US combat troops?

(A) 84.61%

(C) 124.5%

(D) 76%

(B) 75%

(E) None of these

57. What is the ratio of total Aviation troops to total Infantry troops among the Active US combat troops?

(A) 11:9 (C) 28:55 (B) 11:8

(D) 9:11



- (E) None of these
- 58. What is the total number of Active US combat troops deployed elsewhere abroad in all types?
- (A) 19
- (B) 1800
- (C) 19000
- (D) 18000
- (E) None of these
- 59. What per cent of Active US combat battalions belonging to infantry is available?
- (A) 44.2%
- (B) 41.8%
- (C) 42.2%
- (D) 40.5%
- (E) None of these
- **60**. Arti sold an article at a loss of 20%. If she had sold that article for Rs. 1380 more, she would have gained 10%. Find the cost price of that article.
- (A) Rs. 6900
- (B) Rs. 4600
- (C) Rs. 3450
- (D) Rs. 2530

- (E) None
- 61. Mr Sharma distributed Rs. 48 equally among his grandchildren. Had there been 4 children less, each would have received Rs. 6 more. How many grandchildren does he have?
- (A) 8
- (B)4(D) 5
- (C)3
- (E) 6
- **62**. How many factors of $2^4 \times 3^7 \times 10^{-2}$ 58 are odd numbers?
- (A) 70
- (B) 81
- (C)72
- (D) 99
- (E) 100
- 63. The ages of A, B and C together is 185 years. B is twice as old as A and C is 17 years older than A. Then, the respective age of A, B and C are (A) 40, 86 and 59 years

- (B) 42, 84 and 59 years
- (C) 40, 80, 65 years
- (D) 20, 30 and 70 years
- (E) None of these
- **64**. The cost of type 1 tea is Rs. 19 per kg and type 2 tea is Rs. 40 per kg. If both type 1 and type 2 are mixed in the ratio 3:4, then the price per kg of the mixed variety of tea is
- (A) Rs. 31
- (B) Rs. 28
- (C) Rs. 19
- (D) Cannot be determined
- (E) None of these
- **65**. $P = 442 \times 484 \times 529 \times 276 \times 675$. The total number of factors of P is:
- (A) 1214
- (B) 5706
- (C) 6075
- (D) 2048
- (E) 2160

REASONING ABILITY

Directions (Q. 66-69):- Study the following alphabet series and answer the questions that follow. DQAIOPMHYGKZU

ELWRNBCV

Note: Each letter gets a numerical value starting from 1, based on its position in the above arrangement starting from D. e. g. D = 1, Q = 2, A = 3 and so on.

- 66. Find the vowel that appears the earliest and the last in the above series. What is the difference between the squares of the numerical value of these two vowels?
- (A) 123
- (B) 185
- (C) 11
- (D) 210
- (E) None of these
- **67**. If it is possible to make a meaningful word from sixth, eighth, fourteenth and fifteenth alphabets from the above series, give your answer as Y. If no such word can be formed, give your answer as N. If more than one meaningful words can be formed, give your answer as M. (A) Y
- (B) N
- (C) M
- (D) Data inadequate
- (E) None of these
- 68. Some alphabets from the above series occupy the same position as they occupy in the English alphabet

- sequence. What is the total of the numerical values of these alphabets?
- (A) 10 (C)9
- (B) 19 (D) 15
- (E) None of these
- 69. The value of which of the following consonants, when added to the value of the vowel immediately following it, is equal to 25?
- (A) V
- (B) L
- (C) K
- (D) Z
- (E) None of these
- Directions (Q. 70-72):- Study the following series and answer the questions that follow.
- KJ2^U!AS3C7\$9L # D O 8 X I % N P 4 E * M
- 70. How many such consonants are there in the above arrangement, each of which is immediately preceded by a symbol and immediately followed by a letter?
- (A) None
- (B) One
- (C) Two
- (D) Three
- (E) More than three
- 71. Which of the following is the 8th to the right of the 19th from the right end of the above arrangement?
- (A) %
- (B)# (D) X
- (C) 8
- (E) None of these
- 72. How many such numbers are there in the above arrangement, each of which is immediately preceded by

- a consonant and immediately followed by a vowel?
- (A) None
- (B) One
- (C) Two
- (D) Three
- (E) More than three
- **73**. Each of the vowels in the word "MANAGEMENT" is replaced by number 2 and each consonant is replaced by a serial number of that consonant in the word i.e. M is by 1 and N is by 3 and so on. What is the total of all numbers once the replacement is completed?
- (A) 40 (C) 42
- (B)41(D) 43
- (E)44
- **74**. How many independent words can "HEARTLESS" be divided into without changing the order of the letters and using each letter only once?
- (A) Nil (C) Two
- (B) One
- (D) Three
- (E) More than three
- 75. Which one set of letters when sequentially placed at the gaps in the given letter series shall complete it. PLA __ PL __ R P __ AR __ LAR
- (A) L P A R
- (B) RALP
- (C) A R P L
- (D) ARRP
- (E) LAPR
- DIRECTION (Q. 76-77):- Study the following information and answer the questions that follow. In a certain code language,



- (A) 'ss da mik dfg' means 'good way to gain'
- (B) 'ss ju gei zxm' means 'implement one that way'
- (C) 'ju flp zxm yux' means 'only buy that one'
- (D) 'dfg da drd flp' means 'gain good marks only'
- **76**. What is the code for "only way" in the given code language?
- (A) ss ju (C) ss zxm
- (B) flp yux (D) ss flp
- (E) Can't be determined
- **77**. Which of the following represents 'buy' in that language?
- (A) ju
- (B) flp
- (C) zxm (E) drd
- (D) yux

Directions (Q. 78-79):- Study the information carefully and answer the questions that follow.

In each question below, a group of symbols is given, followed by four combinations of letters numbered (A), (B), (C) and (D). You have to find out which of the combinations (A), (B), (C) and (D) correctly represents the group of symbols based on the following coding system and the conditions those follow and mark the number of that combination as your answer. If none of the four combinations correctly represents the group of symbols, mark (E) i.e., 'None of these' as the answer.

Symbol	5	!	9	α	@	©	3	∞	8	1	\$	μ	β	%	4	2	6	*	€	π	7	δ	#	Ω
Code	В	G	Е	L	P	A	K	С	D	F	Н	W	О	Q	Ι	R	J	U	N	Z	M	V	T	S

Conditions:

- i) If the first unit in the group is an even digit and the last unit is a symbol, then both these are to be coded as the code for the symbol.
- ii) If the first unit in the group is an odd digit and the last unit is an even digit, then their
- codes are to be interchanged.
- iii) If both the first and the last units in the group are symbols, then both these are to be coded as 'X'
- **78**. 4@312δ
- (A) VPKFRV (B) VPKFRI (C) XPKFRX (D) IPKFRV
- **80**. Using the following code and key, decode the given coded word –

(E)	None of these	•
=^	207000	

- **79**. 387@©9
- (A) KMDTAE (B) KDMATE
- (C) EDMTAK
 - (D) KDMTAE
- (E) None of these

C	Code	L	K	В	D	Y	I	S	X	T	J	W
K	Keys	h	J	r	u	У	Z	a	1	S	О	q

- Coded word: LDBBY
- (A) Humid
- (B) Hurry (D) Husky
- (C) Hello
- (E) Humpy Directions (Q. 81-83):- Read the following information carefully to
- answer these questions. A ÷ B means A is son of B
- A × B means A is sister of B
- A + B means A is brother of B
- A B means A is mother of B
- 81. How is 'V related to T' in the expression 'T \div R + V \times S'?
- (A) Aunt
- (B) Sister
- (C) Daughter
- (D) Father
- (E) None of these
- 82. How is 'T related to S' in the expression 'T \times R \div V – S'?
- (A) Father
- (B) Sister
- (C) Daughter (D) Aunt
- (E) None of these
- 83. How is 'T related to S' in the expression 'T \times R + V \div S'?
- (A) Sister
- (B) Mother (D) Uncle
- (C) Aunty (E) None of these
- 84. Manoj and Sachin are ranked seventh and eleventh respectively from the top in a class of 31 students. What will be their respective ranks from the bottom in the class?
- (A) 20th and 24th
- (B) 24th and 20th

- (C) 25th and 21st
- (D) 26th and 22nd
- (E) None of these
- Directions (Q. 85-87):- In the question below are given four statements followed by some conclusions. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance with 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.
- 85. Statements:
- Some firms are fruits.
- All fruits are vans.
- No van is a lock.

Conclusion:

- I. All vans are fruits.
- II. No fruit is lock.
- (A) None follows
- (B) Only I follow
- (C) Only II follows
- (D) Both I & II follow
- (E) None of these
- 86. Statements:
- Some doors are walls. Some doors are teeth.
- No wall is a teeth.
- Some teeth are plates.
- **Conclusions:**

- I. Some doors are not walls.
- II. Some plates are not teeth.
- III. No wall is a plate.
- (A) None follows
- (B) Only I, II, III follow
- (C) Only either II or III follows
- (D) Only conclusion I follows
- (E) None of these

87. Statements:

- All Mats are nests.
- All nests are chips.
- No dog is nest.
- All kites are frogs.
- Some kites are dogs.

Conclusions:

- I. All nests can be kites.
- II. No mat is Dog.
- III. Some chips can be kites.
- IV. Some kites are not nests.
- (A) Only IV follows
- (B) Only II follows
- (C) Only III follows
- (D) Only II and IV follow
- (E) All follow

Directions (Q. 88-92):- Study the following information and answer the given questions

Eight colleagues, A, B, C, D, E, F, G and H are sitting around a circular table facing the center but not necessarily in the same order. Each one of them holds a different post -Manager, Company Secretary,



Chairman, President, Vice President, Group Leader, Financial Advisor and Managing Director. A sits third to the right of the Managing Director. Only two people sit between the Managing Director and H. The Vice President and the Company Secretary are immediate neighbors. Neither A nor H is a Vice President or a Company Secretary. The Vice President is not an immediate neighbor of the Managing Director. The Manager sits second to the left of E. E is not an immediate neighbor of H. The Manager is an immediate neighbor of both the Group Leader and the Financial Advisor. The Financial Advisor sits third to the right of B. B is not the Vice President. C sits on the immediate right of the Chairman. A is not the Chairman. F is not an immediate neighbor of A. G is not an immediate neighbor of the Manager.

- 88. Who among the following sits third to the left of E?
- (A) Manager
- (B) G
- (C) A
- (D) Financial Advisor
- (E) B
- 89. Four of the following alike in a certain way based on the given arrangement and thus form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to the group?
- (A) F Chairman
- (B) G President
- (C) D Manager
- (D) A Financial Advisor
- (E) B Managing Director
- 90. Who among the following is the President of the company?
- (A) A
- (B) C (D) G
- (C) H
- (E) D
- 91. Which of the following is true with respect to the given seating arrangement?
- (A) The Group Leader of the company is an immediate neighbor of the Vice President
- (B) G sits second to the right of D

- (C) The Group Leader and the Company Secretary are immediate neighbors
- (D) The Chairman of the company sits to the immediate left of the Managing Director
- (E) The Group Leader sits second to the left of D
- 92. Which of the following posts does B hold in the company?
- (A) Chairman
- (B) Manager
- (C) Company Secretary
- (D) Vice President
- (E) Financial Advisor

Directions (Q. 93-95):- Read the following information and answer the below questions

- P, Q, R, S, T, V and W are sitting in a straight line facing north but not necessarily in the same order. R sits third to the left of W. Neither R nor W sits at the extreme ends of the line. Only one person sits between R and T. S is not an immediate neighbor of either R or W. Two people sit between T and P. Q is an immediate neighbor of S.
- 93. Who are the immediate neighbors of V?
- (A) PR
- (B) PT
- (D) RT (C) WQ
- (E) Can't be determined
- 94. Who is/are immediate neighbor/s of S?
- (A) VR
- (B) WT
- (C) Only R (D) Only Q
- (E) Can't be determined
- 95. Which of the following is the correct order of sitting?
- (B) SQWTRVP (A) PRVTWSQ
- (C) VTWOSRP
- (D) PRVTWQS
- (E) Can't be determined
- Directions (Q. 96-100):- Read the following information and answer the questions that follow.
- I. Seven friends Mohan, Parag, Rohith, Sahil, Tharun, Uday and Vishal have gathered at the Hyderabad airport. Five of them are scheduled to go to five different places i.e. Delhi, Chennai, Lucknow,

Bangalore, Kolkata.

II. Five of them are executives, each specializing in Administration,

Human Resource Management, Marketing, Computers and Finance.

III. Tharun, an executive, is going to Chennai and is neither from Finance nor from Marketing.

- IV. Parag is an executive from Human Resource Management but has come to the airport to see off his
- V. Vishal is a Charted Accountant and is going to Delhi. Uday is an executive but is not going to any of the five places.
- VI. Mohan is an executive, not from Marketing and is flying to one of the destinations but not to Bangalore or
- VII. Rohith is an executive from Computers and is not going to Kolkata
- 96. The one who is going to Chennai is?
- (A) Not an executive
- (B) From Administration
- (C) From Finance
- (D) Sahil
- (E) None of these
- **97**. Who among the following specializes in Marketing?
- (A) Sahil
- (B) Mohan
- (C) Uday
- (D) Data inadequate
- (E) None of these
- 98. To which pf the following places Rohith flying?
- (A) Kolkata
- (B) Bangalore
- (C) Delhi
- (D) Chennai
- (E) Lucknow
- **99**. Who among the following is not an executive?
- (A) Tharun
- (B) Mohan
- (C) Rohith
- (D) Parag
- (E) Sahil
- **100**. Who among the following is an executive going to Lucknow?
- (A) Parag
- (B) Rohith
- (C) Vishal
- (D) Mohan
- (E) Sahil



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32. (D)
$$\frac{1891}{31} \times ? = 3111$$
 $? = \frac{3111}{61}$

33. (A) Approximating values and then using bodmas:

$$(40 \times 15) - 34 \times 11 = (35 + ?) \times 5$$

$$600 - 374 = (35 + ?) \times 5$$

$$\frac{226}{5} = 35 + ?$$

$$45 - 35 = ?$$

$$? = 10$$

34. (E) Approximating values

⇒
$$2128 \div 73 \times 95 = (? - 194.79) \times 38$$

⇒ $29 \times 95 = (? - 194.79) \times 38$
⇒ $(? - 194.79) = \frac{29 \times 95}{38} = 72.5$
⇒ $? = 72.5 + 194.79$
? = 267.29
? = 267 (Approx)

35. (D)
$$\frac{30}{100} \times 260 + \sqrt{?}$$

 $\frac{48}{100} \times 550 - \frac{16}{100} \times 150$
 $78 + \sqrt{?} = 264 - 24$
 $\sqrt{?} = 240 - 78$
 $\sqrt{?} = 162$
 $\sqrt{?} = (162)^2$

36. (A)
$$\left(6\frac{5}{6} \times 5\frac{1}{3}\right) + \left(10\frac{3}{5} \times 4\frac{1}{2}\right) = ?$$

 $\sqrt{?} = 26244$

$$\left(\frac{41}{6} \times \frac{16}{3}\right) + \left(\frac{53}{5} \times \frac{9}{2}\right) = ?$$

$$? = \frac{328}{9} + \frac{477}{10}$$

$$? = \frac{3280 + 4293}{90} = \frac{7573}{90}$$

$$= 84\frac{13}{90}$$

37. (D) $(7.75 \times 56) \div 16 - 1230 \div 240 = ? \times 5$ $\Rightarrow 434 \div 16 - 1230 \div 240 = ? \times 5$ $\Rightarrow 27.125 - 5.125 = ? \times 5$ $\Rightarrow \frac{22}{5} = ?$ $\Rightarrow ? = 4.4$

38. (C)
$$?^2 = \left(\frac{1}{11}\right) \text{ of } \left[132 \div (66)^2 \times 27\right]$$

 $?^2 = \frac{1}{11} \times \frac{132}{66 \times 66} \times 27$
 $?^2 = \frac{2}{11} \times \frac{27}{66}$
 $?^2 = \frac{1}{11} \times \frac{27}{33} = \frac{1}{11} \times \frac{9}{11}$
 $?^2 = \left(\frac{3}{11}\right)^2 \Rightarrow ? = \frac{3}{11}$

39. (D)
$$22440 \div \sqrt{?} = 34 \times 12$$

$$\sqrt{?} = \frac{22440}{34 \times 12}$$

$$\sqrt{?} = 55$$

$$\sqrt{?} = (55)^{2}$$

$$? = 3025$$

40. (**A**)
$$\sqrt{?} + 136 = \frac{5}{8} \times 320$$
 $\sqrt{?} + 136 = 200$



$$\sqrt{?} = (64)^2$$

$$? = 4096$$

41. (E) Given that, length of the wall is 1m

Since
$$1m = 100 \text{ cm}$$

Length =
$$100 \text{ cm}$$

Breadth =
$$20 \text{ cm}$$

$$height = 200 cm$$

Volume of the whole wall

$$=$$
 Length \times Breadth \times Height

$$= 100 \times 20 \times 200$$

$$= 4.00,000 \text{ cm}^2$$

Also, length of a brick = 20 cm

Breadth
$$= 5$$
 cm

$$Height = 10 cm$$

Volume of one Brick

$$=$$
 Length \times Breadth \times Height

$$=20\times5\times10$$

$$= 1000 \text{ cm}^3$$

Now.

Number of bricks needed to build the wall

$$= \frac{\text{Volume of wall}}{\text{volume of one brick}}$$

$$\frac{400000}{1000}$$

$$=\frac{400000}{1000}=400$$

42. (D)
$$\frac{4x+7+7}{5x+7+7} = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$24x + 84 = 25x + 70$$

$$x = 14$$

Present Ages

Anjali
$$\rightarrow$$
 $(4 \times 14) + 7 = 63$ years

Shikha
$$\rightarrow$$
 (5 × 14) + 7 = 77 years

Now, sum of their Ages = 63 + 77

= 140 years

43. (C)
$$1.67 = \frac{5}{8}$$

Efficiency of M = 5 units

Efficiency of N = 3 units

total = 8 units

 $work = time \times Efficiency$

$$=\frac{81}{2}\times5=\frac{405}{2}$$

Time of M + N =
$$\frac{405}{2} \times \frac{1}{8} = \frac{405}{16}$$

44. (A)
$$(x-5) \times 10 + 100 = x \times 11$$

$$10x - 50 + 100 = 11x$$

$$x = 50$$

Hence, the average runs of the cricketer after 11th test are 50.

45. (C) Let the speed of the stream = x

Speed downstream = (10 + x) km/hr

Speed upstream = (10 - x) km/hr

$$\frac{45}{(10+x)} + \frac{45}{(10-x)}$$

$$45(10-x) + 45(10+x) = 12(100-x)$$

 x^2)

$$900 = 1200 - 12x^2$$

$$12x^2 = 300$$

$$x = 5 \text{ km/hr}$$

46. (C) Speed of train =
$$\frac{300+100}{36} \times \frac{18}{5}$$

$$=\frac{400}{36}\times\frac{18}{5}$$

$$= 40 \text{ km/hr}$$

47. (E) Let the initial capital be = Rs. 100

1st year profit =
$$100 \times \frac{30}{100}$$
 = Rs.30

2nd year Lon =
$$130 \times \frac{10}{100}$$
 = Rs.13

total Profit =
$$30 - 13 = Rs. 17$$

Profit
$$\% = \frac{17}{100} \times 100 = 17\%$$



48. (A)
$$12 + 23 \times 1 = 35$$

$$35 + 23 \times 2 = 81$$

$$81 + 23 \times 4 = 173$$

$$173 + 23 \times 8 = 357$$

$$357 + 23 \times 16 = 725$$

49. (C)

50. (D)
$$7^0 = 1$$

$$7^1 = 7$$

$$7^2 = 49$$

$$7^3 = 343$$

$$7^4 = 2401$$

51. (B)
$$353 + 1 = 354$$

$$353 - 2 = 351$$

$$353 + 3 = 356$$

$$353 - 4 = 349$$

$$353 + 5 = 358$$

52. (C)
$$1 \times 8 + 1 = 9$$

$$9 \times 7 + 2 = 65$$

$$65 \times 6 + 3 = 393$$

$$393 \times 5 + 4 = 1969$$

$$1969 \times 4 + 5 = 7881$$

53. (D) Sum =
$$\frac{Difference \times (100)^3}{r^2(300+r)}$$

$$=\frac{620\times100\times100\times100}{100\times310}$$

$$= Rs. 20.000$$

54. (A) Time = 9 months = 3 Quarters

Rate = 16% p.a. =
$$\frac{16}{4}$$

= 4% per Quarter

Amount =
$$P \left(1 + \frac{r}{100} \right)^t$$

$$\Rightarrow 31250 \left(1 + \frac{4}{100}\right)^3$$

$$=31250\times\frac{26}{25}\times\frac{26}{25}\times\frac{26}{25}$$

$$= Rs. 35, 152$$

compound interest =
$$35152 - 31250$$

$$= Rs. 3902$$

55. (C) Total actvie US combat battalions belonging to infantry

$$= 22 + 10 + 23 = 55$$

total active U5 combat battalions

$$= 22 + 10 + 23 + 12 + 2 + 12 + 10 +$$

$$3 + 15 + 25 + 4 + 16 = 154$$

.. Total active US combat battalions is

2.8 times $\left(\frac{154}{55}\right)$ then that of the total

infantry

56. (A) : 1 battalion = 1000 troops

:. Active US combat troops belonging

to infantry that is deployed in Iraq

$$= 22 \times 1000 = 22000$$

.. Active US combat troops belonging

to Armour

$$= 12000 + 2000 + 12000 = 26000$$

:. Required % =
$$\frac{22000}{26000} \times 100$$

= 84.61%

57. (C) Active troops belongs to

Aviation : Infantry

$$(10+3+15):(22+10+23)$$

28 : 55

58. (C) Total number of active US

battalions deployed elsewhere abroad

in all types

$$=10+2+3+4$$



= 19 battalions

.. Total number of active US combat

troops

$$= 19 \times 1000 = 19000$$

59. (B) Required Percentage

$$= \frac{\text{Infantry that is Available}}{\text{Infantry}} \times 100$$

$$=\frac{23}{55}\times100$$

$$=41.8\%$$

60. (B) Let the C.P be `x

S.P at 20% lon = 0.8x

S.P at 10% profit = 101x

Difference =
$$0.3x = 1380$$

$$x = 4600$$

61. (A) Let the number of grandchildren be 'x'

According to the question,

$$\frac{48}{x-4} = \frac{48}{x} + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 48x = (x - 4)(48 + 6x)$$

$$\Rightarrow 48x = 48x + 6x^2 - 192 - 24x$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x^2 - 24 - 192 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $x^2 - 4x - 32 = 0$

 \therefore solving for x, we get x = 8

62. (C) Any factor of this number should be in

the from
$$2^a \times 3^b \times 5^c$$

For the factor to be an odd number

a should be 0

b can take 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7

and c can take 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

total number of odd factors

$$= 8 \times 9 = 72$$

63. (B) Let the ages of A, B, C be x, y, z

$$x + y + z = 185$$

$$y = 2x$$

and z = x + 17

Put the values of y and z in equation

(i)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x + 2x + x + 17 = 185

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 168$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x = 42

Thus.

$$y = 2 \times 42 = 84 \text{ years}$$

$$z = 42 + 17 = 59$$
 years

64. (A) Let cost of 1kg of the mixture

$$=$$
 mean Price $=$ Rs. x

Ratio of type 1 and type 2

$$= \frac{\text{Type 1}}{\text{Type 2}} = \frac{\text{Quantity of cheapter}}{\text{Quantity of dearer}}$$

$$=\frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{40-x}{x-19} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x - 57 = 160 - 4x$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 7x = 217

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x = Rs. 31 per kg

65. (E) $P = 442 \times 466 \times 524 \times 276 \times 675$

Breaking the expression into the prime factors

$$\Rightarrow$$
 442 = 2 × 13 × 17

$$\Rightarrow$$
 484 = 2 × 2 × 11 × 11

$$\Rightarrow$$
 529 = 23 \times 23

$$\Rightarrow$$
 276 = 2 × 2 × 3 × 23

$$\Rightarrow$$
 675 = 3 × 3 × 3 × 5 × 5

$$P = 2^5 \times 3^4 \times 5^2 \times 11^2 \times 17 \times 23^3$$

.. Total numbers of factors

$$=$$
 $(5+1)$ $(4+1)$ $(2+1)$ $(2+1)$ $(1+1)$

(3+1)

$$= 6 \times 5 \times 3 \times 3 \times 2 \times 4$$

$$= 2160$$

66. (E) Earliest \rightarrow A \rightarrow position is 9

Last \rightarrow E \rightarrow position is 14

Thus, the required difference is the squares of the Numerical values is

$$=(14)^2-(9)^2$$

$$= 196 - 9$$

= 187

67. (A) The 6th, 8th 14th and 15th alphabets are P, H, E, and L

 $Meaningful\ word = HELP$

68. (B) There are only true alphabets in the series that occupy the same position as they occupy in the English alphabet sequence Thus Alphabets are H and K.

The total of Numerical Value = 8 + 11 = 19

69. (D) z is the consonant which has a numeric value 12 and v is the vowel which has a numeric value 13.

When, the numeric values are added, the addition is 25.

Hence, the consonant is z

70. (C) There are only there such combination

DO; %NP

- **71. (D)** The 19th letter from right end is 7. The element 8th to the right of 7 is X.
- **72. (B)** There is only one such combination: P4E
- 73. (D)

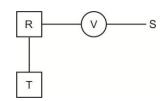
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

 \therefore Total value = 43

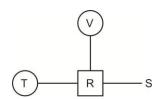
- **74.** (E) The words can be formed are: HE, ART, LESS, HEART, EAR
- **75. (B)** The Sequence is PLAR PLAR PLAR PLAR
- 76. (D)
- 77. (D)
- 78. (A)
- **79.** (**D**)

80. (B)	L	D	В	В	Y
	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow
	h	11	70	r	.,

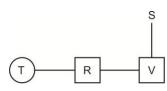
81. (A)



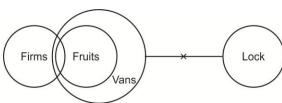
82. (B)



83. (E)

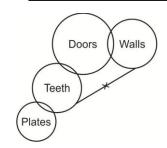


- **84.** (C) Manoj rank from Bottom = 31 - (7 - 1) = 25 thSachin rank from Bottom = 31 - (11 - 1) = 21 th
- 85. (C)

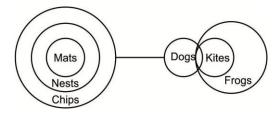


86. (D)





87. (E)

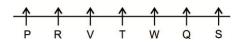


88-92



- 88. (D)
- 89. (E)
- 90. (A)
- 91. (D)
- **92.** (C)

93-95



- 93. (D)
- 94. (D)
- 95. (D)
- 96-100

Person	Specialization	Place
Tharun	Administration	Chennai
Mohan	Finance	Lucknow
Parag	Human Resource Management	
Rohith	Computers	Bangalore
Sahil		Kolkata
Uday	Marketing	
Vishal	Chartered	Delhi
	Accountant	

- 96. (B)
- 97. (C)
- 98. (B)
- 99. (E)
- 100. (D)



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ANSWER KEY

1(A)	2(C)	3(E)	4(A)	5(A)	6(C)	7(D)	8(D)	9(C)	10(B)
11(D)	12(C)	13(C)	14(B)	15(D)	16(A)	17(C)	18(C)	19(E)	20(A)
21(A)	22(C)	23(B)	24(A)	25(E)	26(A)	27(D)	28(B)	29(E)	30(E)
31(D)	32(D)	33(A)	34(E)	35(D)	36(A)	37(D)	38(C)	39(D)	40(A)
41(E)	42(D)	43(C)	44(A)	45(C)	46(C)	47(E)	48(A)	49(C)	50(D)
51(B)	52(C)	53(D)	54(A)	55(C)	56(A)	57(C)	58(C)	59(B)	60(B)
61(A)	62(C)	63(B)	64(A)	65(E)	66(E)	67(A)	68(B)	69(D)	70(C)
71(D)	72(B)	73(D)	74(E)	75(B)	76(D)	77(D)	78(A)	79(D)	80(B)
81(A)	82(B)	83(E)	84(C)	85(C)	86(D)	87(E)	88(D)	89(E)	90(A)
91(D)	92(C)	93(D)	94(D)	95(D)	96(B)	97(C)	98(B)	99(E)	100(D)

