Andhra Bank PO Exam Paper 2009

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Based on Memory

TEST - I
GENERAL AWARENESS

Q.1. Who has been appointed as the Governor of Madhya Pradesh ?
(1) Hans Raj Bhardwaj
(2) Devanand Konwar
(3) Rameshwar Thakur
(4) R.L. Bhatia
(5) None of these

Q.2. Jeev Milkha Singh is related to-------------.
(1) Tennis
(2) Football
(3) Golf
(4) Chess
(5) None of these

Q.3. Karl Malden who passed away recently was a famous------------.
(1) Politician
(2) Sportsman
(3) Actor
(4) Singer
(5) None of these

Q.4. Who is the author of the book "The Making of Barack Obama" ?
(1) Imran Sheikh
(2) R.S. Sharma
(3) Amartya Sen
(4) Richard Wolffe
(5) None of these

Q.5. When is the International Youth Day celebrated ?
(1) July 11
(2) August 12
(3) September 21
(4) June 5
(5) None of these

Q.6. Central Statistical Organisation is set up during------------
(1) 1950-57
(2) 1951-52
(3) 1952-53
(4) 1942-43
(5) None of these

Q.7. Regional Rural Banks are the Brain child of----------
(1) C. Rangrajan
(2) M.Swaminathan
(3) K.C. Niyogi
(4) R. Gadgil
(5) None of these

Q.8. The largest source of National Income in India is-------------
(1) Service sector
(2) Agricultrual Sector
(3) Industrial sector
(4) Trade sector
(5) None of these

Q.9. Which Indian Bank has maximum branch is abroad ?
(1) Bank of Hindustan
(2) State Bank of India
(3) Bank of Baroda
(4) Canara Bank
(5) None of these

Q.10. About how much amount has been approved by Central Government for "Pradhan Mantri Adarsh" Gram Yojana" in Budget 2009-10?
(1) Rs. 100 cr.
(2) Rs. 250 cr.
(3) Rs. 285 cr.
(4) Rs. 300 cr.
(5) None of these

Q.11. How many community colleges are established by government to trained the unskilled person to improve their skills ?
(1) 630
(2) 670
(3) 600
(4) 580
(5) None of these

Q.12. How many T-20 tanks are included in Indian Army to strengthen its condition ?
(1) 50
(2) 52
(3) 59
(4) 49
(5) None of these

Q.13. Recently to which bank RBI said to make more clear norm about NPAs ?
(1) State Bank of India
(2) Urban Co-operative Bank
(3) Rural Co-operative Bank
(4) Allhabad Bank
(5) None of these

Q.14. Government approved----------amount for Rural electrification in budget 2009-10 .
(1) Rs. 3000 cr.
(2) Rs. 7000 cr.
(3) Rs. 5000 cr.
(4) Rs. 4000 cr.
(5) None of these

Q.15. In which city the first EMU Train is launched ?
(1) Delhi   (2) Bangalore   (3) Kolkata
(4) Bangalore   (5) None of these

Q.16. Which of the following countries has launched the World Largest Commercial Satellite ?
(1) Russia   (2) North Korea   (3) USA
(4) India   (5) None of these

Q.17. Who has been appointed as the new Foreign Secretary of Bangladesh ?
(1) Nirupama Rao   (2) Mijarul Quayes
(3) Shiv Shankar Menon   (4) M. Touhid Hossein
(5) None of these

Q.18. Which of the following banks have won the Model Bank Award for 2009 ?
(1) Indian Bank   (2) Punjab National Bank   (3) Canara Bank
(4) Corporation Bank   (5) None of these

Q.19. Railway Minister has announced that--------- "Adarsh Stations" will be established ?
(1) 375   (2) 400   (3) 425
(4) 455   (5) None of these

Q.20. Goa carbon will be launched its wholly owned subsidiary unit in which country ?
(1) America   (2) China   (3) France
(4) Japan   (5) None of these

Q.21. Who has been appointed as the Secretary in the department of Defence ?
(1) Vijay Singh   (2) Madhukar Gupta   (3) S.N. Menon
(4) Raj Kumar Singh   (5) None of these

Q.22. Which country comes at the top in the emission Green House Gases ?
(1) America   (2) France   (3) China
(4) India   (5) None of these

Q.23. Which of the following company is the subsidiary of Indian oil cooporation ?
(1) Manali Petroleum Corporation
(2) Chennai Petroleum Corporation
(3) Madras Petroleum Corporation
(4) Bengal Petroleum Corporation
(5) None of these

Q.24. Which of the following Tax is imposed by Central Government ?
(1) Service Tax   (2) Entertainment Tax   (3) Sale Tax
(4) Land Tax   (5) None of these

Q.25. Which Bank started Kiosc Banking in Rural sectors ?
(1) Corporation Bank   (2) State Bank of India
(3) Bank of India   (4) Allahabad Bank
(5) None of these

Q.26. Which of the following state is the largest producer of Tobacco in India ?
(1) Punjab   (2) Himachal Pradesh
(3) Andhra Pradesh   (4) Kerala
(5) None of these

Q.27. In Budget 2008-09, About how much additional amount is approved for NREGA ?
(1) Rs. 400000 cr.   (2) Rs. 39100 cr.   (3) Rs. 35100 cr.
(4) Rs. 45100 cr.   (5) None of these

Q.28. In Rajasthan-----------launches "Mini Bank Scheme".
(1) Gramin Bank   (2) State Bank of India
(3) Allahabad Bank   (4) Corporation Bank
(5) None of these

Q.29. What is the recent forecast of IMF about economic growth of India ?

(1) 5.4%   (2) 4.7%   (3) 9.8%
(4) 7.8%   (5) None of these

Q.30. Recently which of the following countries has made law for Rural Land Disputes ?

(1) China   (2) Russia   (3) India
(4) Bangladesh   (5) None of these

Q.31. Which of the following countries is the Major Asian Investor in India during 2008 ?

(1) Dubai   (2) Singapore   (3) Malaysia
(4) China   (5) None of these

Q.32. "Brain Gain" scheme is related to--------.

(1) Education   (2) Infrastructure Development   (3) Indian Culture
(4) Poverty   (5) None of these

Q.33. Which of the following countries celebrate "Bastil Day" as "National Day" ?

(1) Russia   (2) France   (3) Japan
(4) Thailand   (5) None of these

Q.34. Which of the following statements is/are true about Kiosc Banking ?

(A) It will provide banking facilities to Rural India.

(B) This banking is started under "State Wide Area Network" scheme.

(C) State Bank of India started this project in Rajasthan

(1) Only A   (2) Only B   (3) A and B
(4) All   (5) None of these

Q.35. Recently which country joins membership of International Monetary Fund (IMF) ?

(1) Bangladesh   (2) Kosovo   (3) China
(4) North Korea   (5) None of these

Q.36. How many outlet stores will be opened by Zudas France in India ?

(1) 290   (2) 280   (3) 250
(4) 270   (5) None of these

Q.37. Who is appointed as Chairman of National Developmental Council ?

(1) Dr. Man Mohan Singh   (2) Montek Singh Ahluwalia

(3) Nirupama Rao   (4) Shiv Shankar Menon
(5) None of these

Q.38. With which Bank Tata Motor signed an agreement for purchasing Fiat cars ?

(1) State Bank of India   (2) Allahabad Bank   (3) Canara Bank
(4) Punjab National Bank   (5) None of these

Q.39. Book "India and Global Economic crises " is written by-

(1) Ruskin Bond   (2) Salman Rushdie   (3) Y.V. Reddy

(4) Amartya Sen   (5) None of these

Q.40. About how much amount has been allocated for Defence Sector in Budget 2009-10 ?

(1) Rs. 17006 cr.   (2) Rs. 146100 cr.   (3) Rs. 147100 cr.
(4) Rs. 141703 cr.   (5) None of these

Q.41. Q.IP. stands for–

(1) Qualified Investment Placement

(2) Qualify Investment Programme

(3) Qualified Institutional Placement.

(4) Qualified Institution Placement.

(5) None of these

Q.42. Which of the following actors are nominated for 12th Rajiv Gandhi Award ?

(1) Saif Ali Khan   (2) Shahid Kapoor

(3) Sharukh Khan   (4) Amitabh Bachchan

(5) None of these

Q.43. Who is appointed as Home secretory of India ?

(1) Rahul Khullar   (2) N. M. Nelkani   (3) G.K. Pillai

(4) S.S. Menon   (5) None of these

Q.44. Who was the Author of Book "Boys will be Boys" ?

(1) Mohammad Hanif   (2) Ruskin Bond   (3) Richard Wolfee

(4) Amartya Sen   (5) None of these

Q.45. 7 July is celebrated as---------------

(1) International Cooperative Day

(2) International Laughing Days

(3) International Population Day

(4) International Environmental Day

(5) None of these

Q.46. Fiat Money is known as–

(1) Legally declared Money   (2) Advance Money

(3) Soft Money   (4) Hot Money

(5) None of these

Q.47. Finance commission is included under--------of Indian constitution.

(1) Article 180   (2) Article 220   (3) Article 280

(4) Article 260   (5) None of these

Q.48. In the recently released Monetary Policy of RBI which rate is remain unchanged ?

(1) Cash Reserve Ratio   (2) Statutory Liquid Ratio

(3) Bank Rate   (4) All

(5) None of these

Q.49. How many countries are included in Human Development Report which is released by UNO ?

(1) 176   (2) 179   (3) 177

(4) 165   (5) None of these

Q.50. Which one is not included in the Indian economy ?

(1) M_1 (2) M_2 (3) M_3

(4) Both (1) and (2)   (5) None of these

TEST - II
English Language

Q.51-65. 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.

A new analysis has determined that the threat of global warming can still be greatly **diminished** if nations cut emissions of heat-trapping greenhouse gases by 70% this century. The analysis was done by scientists at the National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR). While global temperatures would rise, the most dangerous potential aspects of climate change, including **massive** losses of Arctic sea ice and permafrost and **significant** sea-level rise, could be partially avoided.

"This research indicates that we can no longer avoid significant warming during this century," said NCAR scientist Warren Washington, the study paper's lead author. "But, if the world were to implement this level of emission cuts, we could stabilize the threat of climate change", he added.

Average global temperatures have warmed by close to 1 degree Celsius since the pre-industrial era. Much of the warming is due to human-produced emissions of greenhouse gases, **predominantly** carbon dioxide. This heat-trapping gas has increased from a pre-industrial level of about 284 parts per million (ppm) in the atmosphere to more than 380 ppm today. With research showing that additional warming of about 1 degree C may be the threshold for dangerous climate change, the European Union has called for **dramatic** cuts in emissions of carbon dioxide and other greenhouse gases.

To examine the impact of such cuts on the world's climate, Washington and his colleagues ran a series of global studies with the NCAR-based Community Climate System Model (CCSM). They assumed that carbon dioxide levels could be held to 450 ppm at the end of this century. In contrast, emissions are now on track to reach about 750 ppm by 2100 if unchecked. The team's results showed that if carbon dioxide were held to 450 ppm, global temperatures would increase by 0.6 degrees Celsius above current readings by the end of the century. In contrast, the study showed that temperatures would rise by almost four times that amount, to 2.2 degrees Celsius above current readings, if emissions were allowed to continue on their present course. Holding carbon dioxide levels to 45.0 ppm would .have other impacts, according to the climate modelling study.

Sea-level rise due to thermal expansion as water temperatures warmed would be 14 centimetres (about 5.5 inches) instead of 22 centimetres (8.7 inches). Also, Arctic ice in the summertime would shrink by about a quarter in volume and stabilize by 2100, as **opposed** to shrinking at least three-quarters and continuing to melt, and Arctic warming would be reduced by almost half.

Q.51. Why has the European Union called for dramatic cuts in carbon dioxide and greenhouse gas emissions ?
(1) As global warming is not an issue of concern.
(2) As the temperatures may rise almost by an additional one degree and this may lead to severe climate change. .
(3) As the NCAR has forced the European Union to announce the cuts.
(4) As all the nations have decided to cut emissions of carbon dioxide.
(5) None of these

Q.52. What would NOT be one of the impacts of cutting greenhouse gas emissions ?
(1) Temperatures will stop soaring
(2) Ice in the Arctic sea would melt at a slower pace
(3) The rise in sea level would be lesser
(4) All of the above would be the impact
(5) None of these

Q.53. What would be the impact of holding the carbon dioxide level at 450 ppm at the end of this century ?
(A) Global temperatures would increase by 0.6 degrees Celcius.
(B) Arctic warming would be reduced by half.
(C) Thermal expansion will stop completely.
(1) Only (A)   (2) Only (A) and (B)   (3) Only (B) and (C)
(4) All the three (A), (B) and (C)   (5) None of these

Q.54. What does the scientist Warren Washington mean when he says "we could stabilize the threat of climate change" ?
(1) Climate change can be stopped completely.
(2) Climate change can be regularized.
(3) Climate change and its effects can be studied extensively.
(4) The ill-effects of the change in climate can be minimized.
(5) None of these

Q.55. Why did Washington and his colleagues conduct a series of studies ?
(1) Because they realized that the temperature increase was almost about degree
(2) So that they could stabilize the climate change
(3) So that they could help the European Union in cutting the carbon dioxide emissions
(4) Because they found out that the greenhouse gas emissions could be cut by 70%
(5) None of these

Q.56. What would be the impact of unchecked greenhouse gas and carbon dioxide emissions ?
(1) The temperature would rise from the current temperature by 2.2 degrees Celsius
(2) The sea-level would rise by about 5.5 inches
(3) The arctic ice would stabilize by 2100
(4) The arctic ice would reduce by one-fourth
(5) None of these

Q.57. What can be the most appropriate title of the above passage ?
(1) A study of the rise in water level
(2) A study of rise in temperatures
(3) A study of the effects of greenhouse gas emissions
(4) A study of the Arctic region
(5) A study of change in seasons

Q.58. Which of the following statements is **TRUE** in context of the passage ?
(1) At present the carbon dioxide emission is about 284 ppm.
(2) The carbon dioxide emissions will be about 450 ppm at the end of this century if unchecked.
(3) The carbon dioxide emission was about 380 ppm during .the pre-industrial era.
(4) The carbon dioxide emissions will be about 750 ppm at the end of this century if unchecked.
(5) None of these

Q.59-62. Choose the word which is **MOST SIMILAR** in meaning to the word printed in **bold** as used in the passage.

Q.59. **PREDOMINANTLY**
(1) clearly   (2) aggressively   (3) mainly
(4) firstly   (5) faintly

Q.60. **MASSIVE**
(1) tall   (2) tough   (3) total   (4) little   (5) severe

Q.61. **SHRINK**
(1) contract   (2) physician   (3) wither   (4) shrivel   (5) reduce

Q.62. **DRAMATIC**
(1) unprecedented   (2) thrilling   (3) spectacular
(4) effective   (5) feeble

Q.63-65. Choose the word which is **MOST OPPOSITE** in meaning to the word printed in **bold** as used in the passage.

Q.63. **OPPOSED**
(1) resistant   (2) against   (3) favouring   (4) similar   (5) agree

Q.64. **DIMINISHED**
(1) created   (2) rose   (3) increased   (4) lessen   (5) finished

Q.65. **SIGNIFICANT**
(1) substantial   (2) minuscule   (3) incoherent
(4) unimportant   (5) irrelevant

Q.66-70. Which of the phrases (1), (2), (3) and (4) given below each sentence should replace the phrase printed in **bold** in the sentence to make it grammatically correct ? If the sentence is correct as it is given and no correction is required, mark (5) as the answer.

Q.66. Naturally, with everything **gone so well** for them, it was time for celebration.
(1) go so well   (2) going so well   (3) gone as well
(4) going as well   (5) No correction required

Q.67. The ban was imposed by the state's commercial taxes department last Friday after protests by a certain community, which **had threat to burn** cinema halls screening the controversial movie.
(1) had threats of burning   (2) had threated to burn
(3) had threatened to burn   (4) had threatened to burning
(5) No correction required

Q.68. Rakesh, an avid football player who captained his team in school and college, **will inaugurate the** match tomorrow in Pune.
(1) will be inaugurate   (2) is inauguration   (3) will inaugurating
(4) is inaugurate   (5) No correction required

Q.69. At a musical night organised for them, the artistic side of the doctors **came as forward,** as they sang beautifully and made the evening truly memorable.
(1) come forward   (2) come to the fore   (3) came to the forth
(4) came to the fore   (5) No correction required

Q.70. Although scared of heights, she **gather all her courage** and stood atop the 24-storey building to participate in the activities.
(1) gathered all her courage   (2) gathered all courageous
(3) gather all courageous   (4) is gathered all courage
(5) No correction required

Q.71-75. Each question below has two blanks, each blank indicating that something has been omitted. Choose the set of words for each blank which best fits the meaning of the sentence as a whole.

Q.71. Along with a sharp rise in _____, a recession would eventually result in more men, women, and children living in_____.
(1) crime, apathy   (2) fatalities, poor   (3) deaths, slums
(4) unemployment, poverty   (5) migrations, streets

Q.72. Behaving in a_____and serious way, even in a_____situation, makes people respect you.
(1) calm, difficult   (2) steady, angry   (3) flamboyant, tricky
(4) cool, astounding   (5) silly, sound

Q.73. An airplace with_____passengers on board made an unscheduled_____as the airport to which it was heading was covered with thick fog.
(1) irritable, slip   (2) faulty, stop   (3) variety, halt
(4) tons, wait   (5) numerous, landing

Q.74. The government has_____to provide financial aid to the ones_____by severe floods in the city.
(1) desired, troubled   (2) promised, havoc   (3) failed, affected
(4) wanted, struck   (5) decided, ill

Q.75. Deemed universities_____huge fees, but have not been successful in providing_____ education to our students.
(1) collect, maintaining   (2) pay, better   (3) ask, good
(4) charge, quality   (5) demand, quantitative

Q.76-80. Rearrange the following six sentences (A), (B), (C), (D), (E) and (F) in the proper sequence to form a meaningful paragraph; then answer the questions given below them.
(A) In turn the buyer is called the franchise.
(B) These two parties are called the franchisor and franchisee.
(C) This means that it gives permission for the buyer to use its name and sell its products.
(D) He pays money to the franchisor, and agrees to obey the rules the franchise or makes.
(E) A franchising agreement includes two parties.
(F) The franchisor is the business house/entity which grants the franchisee license.

Q.76. Which of the following should be the **LAST (SIXTH)** sentence after rearrangement ?
(1) B   (2) C   (3) D   (4) E   (5) F

Q.77. Which of the following should be the **THIRD** sentence after rearrangement ?
(1) E   (2) F   (3) A   (4) D   (5) B

Q.78. Which of the following should be the **FOURTH** sentence after rearrangement ?
(1) B   (2) C   (3) D   (4) E   (5) F

Q.79. Which of the following should be the **FIRST** sentence after rearrangement ?
(1) A   (2) B   (3) C   (4) D   (5) E

Q.80. Which of the following should be the **SECOND** sentence after rearrangement ?
(1) B   (2) C   (3) D   (4) E   (5) F

Q.81-85. Read each sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical error or idiomatic error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. The number of that part is the answer. If there is no error, the answer is (5). (Ignore errors of punctuation, if any.)

Q.81. The angry at being / left out of the bonanza / is palpable among /
    (1)   (2)   (3)
employees of the organization. No error
     (4)   (5)

Q.82. There are just too few trains / for, the ever-growing / number of passengers / in the city. No error
       (1)   (2)   (3)   (4)   (5)

Q.83. If all goes well, / the examination scheduled for next month / is all set to be completely free /
    (1)   (2)   (3)
from annoying power cuts and disruptions. No error
       (4)   (5)

Q.84. His comments came after / the research group said that its /
             (1)   (2)
consumer confidence index were / slumped to its lowest level./ No error
         (3)   (4)   (5)

Q.85. The buzz at the party was / that a famous / filmstar and politician, would /
                     (1)   (2)   (3)
probable drop by for a while. No error
      (4)   (5)

Q.86. The President has denied / that the economy is in recession / or was go into one /
        (1)   (2)   (3)
despite a spate of downcast reports. No error
        (4)   (5)

Q.87. Aggression in some teenage boys / may be linkage to overly /
           (1)   (2)
large glands in their brains, / a new study has found./No error
         (3)   (4)   (5)

Q.88. The Opposition disrupted proceedings / in both Houses of Parliament /
          (1)   (2)
for the second consecutive day / above the plight of farmers in the country. No error
        (3)   (4)   (5)

Q.89. In response to the growing crisis, / the agency is urgently asking for /
             (1)   (2)
more contributions, to make up for / its sharp decline in purchasing power. No error
        (3)   (4)   (5)

Q.90. The tennis player easy through / the opening set before her opponent, /
         (1)   (2)
rallied to take the final two sets / for the biggest victory of her young career. No error
        (3)   (4)   (5)

Q.91-100. In the following passage there are blanks, each of which has been numbered. These numbers are printed below the passage and against each, five words are suggested, one of which fits the blank appropriately. Find out the appropriate word in each case.

In economics, the term recession generally describes the reduction of a country's Gross Domestic Product (GDP) for at least two quarters. A recession is **(91)** by rising unemployment, increase in government borrowing, **(92)** of share and stock prices, and falling investment. All Of these characteristics have effects on people. Some recessions have been anticipated by stock market declines.

The real-estate market also usually **(93)** before a recession. However real-estate declines can last much longer than recessions. During an economic decline, high **(94)** stocks such as financial services, pharmaceuticals, and tobacco **(95)** to hold up better. However when the economy .starts to recover growth, stocks tend to recover faster. There is significant disagreement about how health care and utilities tend to **(96)**.

In 2008, an economic recession was suggested by several important indicators of economic downturn. These **(97)** high oil prices, which led to **(98)** high food prices due to a dependence of food production on petroleum, as well as using food crop products such as ethanol and biodiesel as an **(99)** to petroleum; and global inflation; a substantial credit crisis leading to the drastic bankruptcy of large and well **(100)** investment banks as well as commercial banks in various, diverse nations around the world; increased unemployment; and signs of. contemporaneous economic downturns in major economies of the world, a global recession.

Q.91. (1) visualized   (2) characterized   (3) imagined
       (4) depict   (5) shown

Q.92. (1) decrease   (2) abundance   (3) increase
       (4) variance   (5) more

Q.93. (1) strengthens   (2) volatile   (3) weakens   (4) initiates   (5) awakens

Q.94. (1) result   (2) payment   (3) maintained   (4) yield   (5) heavy

Q.95. (1) yearn   (2) made   (3) are   (4) want   (5) tend

Q.96. (1) increased   (2) fight   (3) distribute   (4) recover   (5) wait

Q.97. (1) included   (2) encompass   (3) meant   (4) show   (5) numbered

Q.98. (1) healthy   (2) nutritious   (3) fearful   (4) dangerous   (5) abnormally

Q.99. (1) element   (2) integral   (3) alternative   (4) variant   (5) substitute

Q.100. (1) created   (2) established   (3) wealthy   (4) costly   (5) stand

TEST - III
QUANTITATIVE APTITUDE

Q.101-110. What will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following questions ?

Q.101. 65% of 240 + ?% of 150 = 210
(1) 45　　　　　(2) 46　　　　　(3) 32　　　　　(4) 36　　　　　(5) None of these

Q.102. $\dfrac{3}{5}$ of $\dfrac{5}{9}$ of $\dfrac{2}{7}$ of 9450 = ?
(1) 960　　　　　(2) 480　　　　　(3) 450　　　　　(4) 900　　　　　(5) None of these

Q.103. 358.085 + 42.91 + 25.55 = ?
(1) 425.565　　(2) 426.545　　(3) 426.555　　(4) 425.545　　(5) None of these

Q.104. 45 × 390 ÷ 26 = ?
(1) 645　　　　　(2) 675　　　　　(3) 765　　　　　(4) 745　　　　　(5) None of these

Q.105. 140% of 56 + 56% of 140 = ?
(1) 78.4　　　　(2) 158.6　　　　(3) 156.6　　　　(4) 87.4　　　　(5) None of these

Q.106. 3895 - 1563 + 1089 = ?
(1) 3321　　　　(2) 3527　　　　(3) 3329　　　　(4) 3429　　　　(5) None of these

Q.107. $\sqrt{?} + \sqrt{961} = \sqrt{2025}$
(1) 28　　　　　　　　　　(2) 24　　　　　　　　　　(3) 169
(4) 256　　　　　　　　　　(5) None of these

Q.108. $3\dfrac{3}{8} + 2\dfrac{1}{4} - 4\dfrac{1}{8} = ?$

(1) 1　　　　　　　　(2) $\dfrac{1}{2}$　　　　　　　　(3) $1\dfrac{1}{2}$

(4) $1\dfrac{3}{4}$　　　　　　　　(5) None of these

Q.109. $23^{2.8} \times 23^{7.2} \times 23^{3.6} = 23^{?}$
(1) 13.6　　　　　　　　　　(2) 12.6　　　　　　　　　　(3) 12.8
(4) 13.8　　　　　　　　　　(5) None of these

Q.110. 2.2 × 5.6 + 17.8 = ?
(1) 30.12　　　　　　　　　(2) 30.012　　　　　　　　　(3) 31.12
(4) 31.012　　　　　　　　　(5) None of these

Q.111. If the compound interest accrued on an amount of Rs.15,000/- in two years is Rs.2,496/-. What is the rate of interest p.c.p.a. ? .
(1) 8　　　　　　　　　　(2) 10　　　　　　　　　　(3) 6
(4) Cannot be determined　　　(5) None of these

Q.112. If the digits of a two digit number are interchanged, the number formed is greater than the original number by 45. If the difference between the digits is 5. What is the original number ?
(1) 16　　　　　　　　　　(2) 27　　　　　　　　　　(3) 38
(4) Cannot be determined　　　(5) None of these

Q.113. Area of a rectangle is equal to the area of circle whose radius is 14 cms. If the breadth of the rectangle is 22 cms. What is its length ?
(1) 24 cms.　　　　　　　(2) 28 cms.　　　　　　　(3) 26 cms.
(4) Cannot be determined　　　(5) None of these

Q.114. Ages of A and B are presently in the ratio of 5 : 6 respectively. Six years hence this ratio will become 6 : 7 respectively. What was B's age 5 years ago ?
(1) 25 years　　　　　　　(2) 30 years　　　　　　　(3) 36 years
(4) 31 years　　　　　　　(5) None of these

Q.115. In how many different ways can the letters of the word DISPLAY be arranged ?
(1) 5040　　　　　　　　　(2) 2520　　　　　　　　　(3) 720
(4) 1440　　　　　　　　　(5) None of these

Q.116. Harshad bought 15 pieces **of DVD.players** @ RS.4,500/- each and sold all of them at the total price of Rs.81,000/-. What is the percent profit earned in the deal ?

(1) $16\frac{2}{3}$ (2) 20   (3) 25

(4) 20.5   (5) None of these

Q.117. 75% of a number is equal to four-fifth of another number. What is the ratio between first number and the second number ?

(1) 5:3   (2) 15:16   (3)3:5

(4) 16:15   (5) None of these

Q.118. Mr. Morey spent 20% of his monthly income on food and 15% on children's education. 40% of the remaining he spent on entertainment and transport together and 30% on the medical. He is left with an amount of Rs.8,775/- after all these expenditures. What is Mr. Morey's monthly income ?

(1) Rs.40,000/-   (2) Rs.35,000/-   (3) Rs.42,000/-   (4) Rs.38,000/-   (5) None of these

Q.119. If the numerator of a fraction is increased by 25% and the denominator is doubled, the fraction thus obtained is $\frac{5}{9}$. What is the original fraction ?

(1) $\frac{2}{3}$ (2) $\frac{4}{9}$ (3) $\frac{8}{9}$

(4) Cannot be determined   (5) None of these

Q.120. P, Q and R invested Rs.45,000/-, Rs. 70, 000/- and Rs. 90,000/- respectively to start a business. At the end of two years, they earned a profit of Rs.1,64,000/-. What will be Q's share in the profit ?

(1) Rs.56,000/-   (2) Rs.36,000/-   (3) Rs. 72, 000/-

(4) Rs.64,000/-   (5) None of these

Q.121-125. What will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following number series ?

Q.121. 5   6   ?   45   184

(1) 15   (2) 12   (3) 16   (4) 9   (5) None of these

Q.122. 8   4   6   ?   52.5

(1) 9   (2) 12.5   (3) 15   (4) 16   (5) None of these

Q.123. 37   84   260   ?   5234

(1) 306   (2) 512   (3) 1146   (4) 1046   (5) None of these

Q.124. 2   3   10   ?   172

(1) 45   (2) 39   (3) 36   (4) 42   (5) None of these

Q.125. 7   15   ?   63   127

(1) 32   (2) 29   (3) 33   (4) 31   (5) None of these

Q.126-130. What **approximate** value will come in place of the (You are not expected to calculate the exact value.) question mark (?) in the following questions ?

Q.126. $(35.95)^2 - (24.001)^2 = ?$

(1) 680   (2) 700   (3) 720

(4) 740   (5) 730

Q.127. 75% of 230 - ? = 64% of 249

(1) 14   (2) 17   (3) 22

(4) 18   (5) 20

Q.128. $(24.99)^2 + (31.05)^2 = (?)^2$

(1) 45   (2) 36   (3) 32

(4) 30   (5) 40

Q.129. $367.85 \div 22.95 \times 14.93 = ?$

(1) 280   (2) 240   (3) 260

(4) 220   (5) 290

Q.130. $5687.285 + 4872.35 \div 12 = ?$

(1) 5995   (2) 5905   (3) 6025   (4) 6095   (5) 6295

Q.131-135. Study the following graph carefully to answer these questions.

Strength (number of students) of seven institutes over the years

Institutes / Year	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
2002	750	640	680	780	740	620	650
2003	700	600	720	800	720	580	720
2004	800	620	730	820	760	640	730
2005	820	660	670	760	750	560	750
2006	740	760	690	790	780	650	680
2007	720	740	700	810	730	630	690
2008	780	700	660	840	720	660	740

Q.131. What is the ratio between total strength of institutes A, B and C together in year 2003 and the total strength of institutes E, F and G together in 2005 respectively ?
(1) 103 :101   (2) 101 :103   (3) 51 : 53
(4) 53 : 51   (5) None of these

Q.132. If in the year 2002, the overall percentage of students passed from all the institutes is 70%, total how many students passed in 2002 from all the institutes together ?
(1) 3402   (2) 3420   (3) 3422   (4) 3382   (5) None of these

Q.133. If from institute B, overall 60% students passed for all the given years, **approximately** what is the average number of students passed ?
(1) 430   (2) 425   (3) 390   (4) 395   (5)405

Q.134. Strength of institute F in the year 2004 is what percent of the total strength of that institute for all seven years together ? (rounded off to two digits after decimal).
(1) 14.28   (2) 14.98   (3) 12.90   (4) 14.75   (5) None of these

Q.135. What is the difference between the total number of students in 2006 for all the institutes together and total number of students in the year 2008 for all the institutes together ?
(1) 50   (2) 70   (3) 10   (4) 30   (5) None of these

Q.136-140. Study the following graph carefully to answer these questions.

INVESTMENTS (IN LAKH RS.) OF TWO BUSINESS PARTNERS A & B OVER THE YEARS
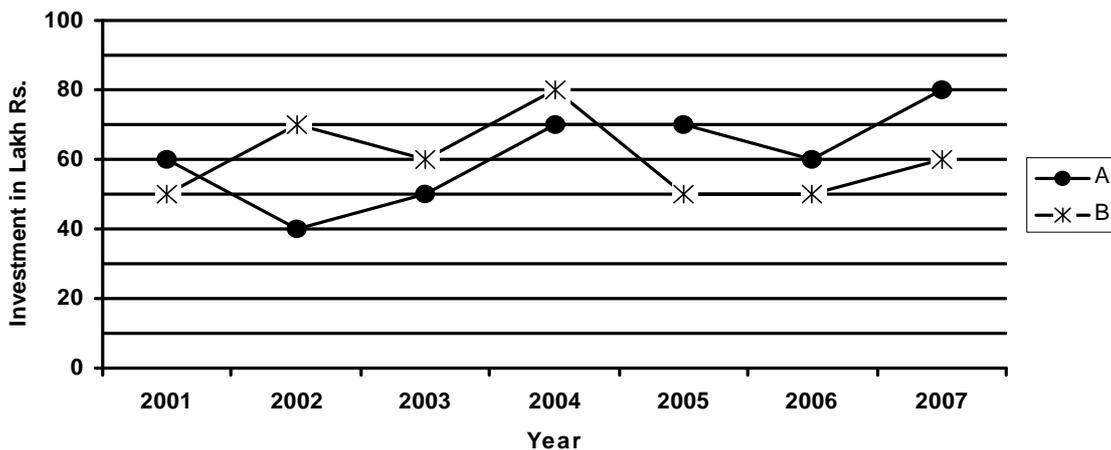
Q.136. What was the percent rise in A's investment in the year 2004 from the previous year ?

(1) 25%   (2) 20%   (3) $33\frac{1}{3}$ %

(4) $33\frac{2}{3}$ %   (5) None of these

Q.137. What was the percent rise in investment of B in the year 2004 from 2001 ?

(1) 45.6   (2) 37.5   (3) 30   (4) 60   (5) None of these

Q.138. What was the percent rise/fall in the total investment of A & B together from the year 2002 to 2005 ? (Rounded off to two digits after decimal)

(1) 8.33% fall   (2) 9.09% rise   (3) 8.33% rise
(4) 9.09% fall   (5) None of these

Q.139. What is the ratio between total investment of A in the year 2001, 2002 and 2003 together and the total investment of B in these three years together respectively ?

(1) 5:6   (2) 6:5   (3)15:17
(4)17:15   (5) None of these

Q.140. Investment of B in the year 2003 is **approximately** what percent of his total investment for all the years together ?

(1) 12   (2) 18   (3) 20
(4) 17   (5) 14

Q.141-145. Study the following table carefully to answer these questions.

Number of students appeared and passed in an examination from five different schools over the years

School	A		B		C		D		E	
Year	App.	Pass.	App.	Pass.	App.	Pass.	App.	Pass.	App.	Pass.
2004	600	350	450	250	520	350	580	460	620	500
2005	580	250	480	300	550	420	600	480	650	550
2006	640	300	420	280	500	400	560	420	580	500
2007	650	400	460	320	560	450	620	450	660	550
2008	680	450	500	380	580	480	640	520	680	580

Q.141. What is the ratio between the total number of students appeared from all the schools together in the year 2004 and 2005 respectively ?

(1) 286 :295   (2) 277: 286   (3) 286 : 277
(4) 295 : 286   (5) None of these

Q.142. During year 2006, which School had the highest percentage of students passed over appeared ?

(1) C   (2) B   (3) A
(4) D   (5) E

Q.143. For School D, which year had the lowest percentage of students passed over appeared ?

(1) 2004   (2) 2005   (3) 2006
(4) 2007   (5)2008

Q.144. What was the overall percentage of students passed over the number of students appeared from all the schools together in the year 2007 ? (rounded off to next integer)

(1) 74   (2) 73   (3) 76
(4) 72   (5) None of these

Q.145. What is the ratio between average number of students passed from Schools B and C respectively for all the given years ?

(1) 70:51   (2) 70:53   (3) 53:70
(4) 51:70   (5) None of these

Q.146-150. Study the following graph carefully to answer these questions.

AVERAGE MONTHLY EXPENDITURE OF AN ORGANISATION UNDER VARIOUS HEADS

TOTAL EXPENDITURE RS. 18,50,000
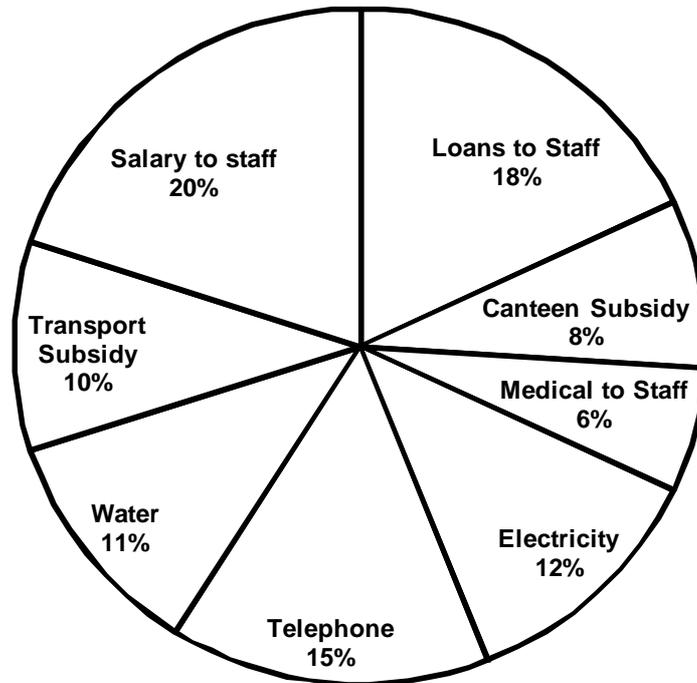
Q.146. What is the difference between the expenditure on salary to staff and loans to staff ?

(1) Rs.37,200/-
(2) Rs.35,700/-
(3) Rs.37,500/-
(4) Rs.35,000/-
(5) None of these

Q.147. What was the total expenditure on Electricity and Water together ?

(1) Rs.4,25,000/-
(2) Rs.4,25,500/-
(3) Rs.4,22,500/-
(4) Rs.4,25,800/-
(5) None of these

Q.148. How much amount spent on Transport subsidy and Canteen subsidy together ?

(1) Rs.3,34,000/-
(2) Rs.3,43,000/-
(3) Rs.3,30,000/-
(4) Rs.3,33,000/-
(5) None of these

Q.149. Amount spent on medical to staff is what percent of the amount spent on salary ?

(1) 30%
(2) 33%
(3) 25%
(4) 22%
(5) None of these

Q.150. How much amount spent on Telephone ?

(1) Rs.2,75,500/-
(2) Rs.2,70,,500/-
(3) Rs.2,77,500/-
(4) Rs.2,77,000/-
(5) None of these

TEST - IV
TEST OF REASONING

Q.151. 'JM' is related to 'PS' in the same way as 'BE' is related to __ ?

(1) HJ   (2) HK   (3) IL   (4) JM   (5) None of these

Q.152. How many meaningful English words can be made with the letters 'ELRU' using each letter only once in each word ? .

(1) None   (2) One   (3) Two
(4) Three   (5) More than three

Q.153. Four of the following five are alike in a certain way and so form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to that group ?

(1) Plastic   (2) Nylon   (3) Polythene
(4) Terelyn   (5) Silk

Q.154. In a certain code **ROAM** is written as **5913** and **DONE** is written as **4962**. How is **MEAN** written in that code ?

(1) 5216   (2) 3126   (3) 3216   (4) 9126   (5) None of these

Q.155. Four of the following five are alike in a certain way and so form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to that group ?

(1) Blue   (2) Green   (3) Yellow   (4) Violet   (5) Black

Q.156. How many such pairs of letters are there in the word **STORM** each of which-has as many letters between them in the word as in the English alphabet ?

(1) None   (2) One   (3) Two
(4) Three   (5) More than three

Q.157. The positions of the first and the fifth digits in the number **53261489** are interchanged. Similarly, the positions of the second and the sixth digits are interchanged and so on. Which of the following will be the second from the right end after the rearrangement ?

(1) 8   (2) 2   (3) 3   (4) 4   (5) None of these

Q.158. What should come next in the following letter series ?

M L K J I H G F M L K J I H G M L K J I H M L K J I

(1) K   (2) N   (3) H   (4) M   (5) None of these

Q.159. In a certain code **DENIAL** is written as **MDCMBJ.** How is **SOURCE** written in that code ?

(1) TNRFDS   (2) RNTFDS   (3) TNRSDF
(4) TRNDBQ   (5) None of these

Q.160. M is sister of D. R is brother of D. F is father of M and T is mother of R. How is D related to T ?

(1) Brother   (2) Son   (3) Daughter
(4) Data inadequate   (5) None of these

Q.161-166. In each question below are three statements followed by three conclusions numbered I, II and III. You have to take the three given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows from the three given statements disregarding commonly known facts. Then decide which of the answers (1), (2), (3), (4) and (5) is the correct answer and indicate it on the answer sheet.

Q.161. **Statements :**   All stamps are packets. Some packets are buckets. All buckets are tubes.

Conclusions :   **I.** Some tubes are stamps.   **II.** Some buckets are stamps.

III. Some tubes are packets.

(1) None follows   (2) Only I follows
(3) Only II follows   (4) Only III follows
(5) Only II and III follow

Q.162. Statements : All machines are crowns. All crowns are tablets. Some tablets are bottles.
Conclusions : I. Some bottles are crowns.   II. Some tablets are machines.
                       III. Some bottles are machines.

(1) Only I follows   (2) Only II follows   (3) Only III follows
(4) Only II and III follow   (5) None of these

Q.163. Statements : All rooms are hotels. All hotels are buildings. All buildings are mountains.
Conclusions : I. Some mountains are hotels.   II. Some buildings are rooms.
                       III. Some mountains are rooms. .

(1) Only I and II follow   (2) Only I and III follow
(3) Only II and III follow   (4) All I, II and III follow   (5) None of these

Q.164. Statements : Some towns are villages. Some villages are lanes. Some lanes are hamlets.
Conclusions : I. Some hamlets are villages.   II. Some lanes are towns.
                       III. Some hamlets are towns.

(1) None follows   (2) Only I follows   (3) Only II follows
(4) Only III follows   (5) Only I and II follow

Q.165. Statements : Some rivers are hills. No hill is taxi. All taxis are buses.
Conclusions : I. Some buses are rivers.   II. Some taxis are rivers. .
                       III. No bus is river.

(1) None follows   (2) Only I follows   (3) Only III follows
(4) Only II follows   (5) Only either I or III follows

Q.166. Statements : Some doors are windows. Some windows are lamps. All lamps are candles.
Conclusions : I. Some candles are doors.   II. Some candles are windows.
                       III. Some lamps are doors.

(1) Only I follows   (2) Only II follows   (3) Only III follows
(4) Only I and II follow   (5) None of these

Q.167-172. Study the following arrangement carefully and answer the questions given below:

    E   %   3   R   5   #   A   6   B   I   J   @   2   9   H   U   4   ©   M   1   *   F   7 $ W   8   P   N   D

Q.167. What should come in place of the question mark (?) in the following series based on the above arrangement ?

    35A   **I@9**   **4M***   **?**
(1) 7WP   (2) 7W8   (3) $8N   (4) FWP   (5) None of these

Q.168. Which of the following is the eighth to the right of the twentieth from the right end of the above arrangement ?

(1) ©   (2) @   (3) 3
(4) P   (5) None of these

Q.169. How many such consonants are there in the above arrangement each of which is immediately; preceded by a letter and immediately followed by a symbol ?

(1) None   (2) One   (3) Two
(4) Three   (5) More than three

Q.170. How many such numbers are there in the above arrangement each of which is immediately preceded by a consonant and immediately followed by a symbol ?

(1) None   (2) One   (3) Two   (4) Three   (5) More than three

Q.171. Four of the following five are alike in a certain way based on their positions in the above arrangement and so form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to that group ?

(1) 4 U ©   (2) 8 W P   (3) 6 B A
(4) R 3 5   (5) H 9 U

Q.172. If all the numbers in the above arrangement are dropped, which of the following will be the fourteenth from the left end ?

(1) J   (2) ©   (3) *   (4) @   (5) None of these

Q.173-178. In the following questions, the symbols @ , ©, $, % and # are used with the following meanings illustrated.

'P $ Q' means 'P is neither smaller than nor equal to Q'.

'P # Q' means 'P is not smaller than Q'.

'P @ Q' means 'P is not greater than Q'.

'P % Q' means 'P is neither smaller than nor greater than Q'.

'P © Q' means 'P is neither greater than nor equal to Q'.

In each of the following questions assuming the given statements to be true, find out which of the three conclusions I, II and III given below them is/are **definitely true.**

Q.173. Statements :   B % H, H $ E, E @ K

Conclusions :   **I.** K$H   **II.** K$B   **III.** E©B

(1) None is true   (2) Only III is true   (3) Only II is true
(4) Only I is true   (5) Only I and III are true

Q.174. Statements :   M # W, W % N, N $ B

Conclusions :   **I.** N % M   **II.** N©M   **III.** M $ B

(1) Only either I or II is true   (2) Only either I or III is true
(3) Only either I or II and III are true   (4) Only III is true
(5) None of these

Q.175. Statements :   M©T, T#J, J$K

Conclusions :   **I.** K©T   **II.** M©J ,   **III.** K @ M

(1) None is true   (2) Only III is true   (3) Only II is true
(4) Only I is true   (5) Only I and II are true

Q.176. Statements :   F # N, N © D, D @ R

Conclusions :   **I.** D # F   **II.** R$N   **III.** R $ F

(1) None is true   (2) Only I is true   (3) Only II is true
(4) Only III is true   (5) Only II and III are true

Q.177. Statements :   W @F, F$M, M©D

Conclusions :   **I.** D $ F   **II.** W©M   **III.** F $ D

(1) None is true   (2) Only I is true   (3) Only II is true
(4) Only III is true   (5) Only II and III are true

Q.178. Statements :   R © F, F # D, D @ M

Conclusions   **I.** R©D   **II.** M % F   **III.** M $ R

(1) None is true   (2) Only I is true   (3) Only II is true
(4) Only III is true   (5) Only I and II are true

Q.179-184. Study the following information carefully and answer the questions given below :

A, B, C, D, E, F, G and H are sitting around a circle facing at the centre. H is fourth to the left of B and second to the right of F. A is third to the left of C who is not an immediate neighbour of F. G is second to the left of A. D is second to the right of E.

Q.179. Who is third to the left of A ?

(1) C   (2) F   (3) B   (4) Data inadequate   (5) None of these

Q.180. Which of the following pairs represents the immediate neighbours of E ?

(1) DH   (2) HC   (3) CA   (4) Data inadequate   (5) None of these

Q.181. Who is to the immediate right of B ?

(1) D   (2) E   (3) F   (4) Data inadequate   (5) None of these

Q.182. Who is to the immediate right of H ?

(1) E   (2) C   (3) H   (4) Data inadequate (5) None of these

Q.183. Who is to the immediate right of F ?

(1) H   (2) A   (3) G   (4) Data inadequate (5) None of these

Q.184. In which of the following pairs is the first person sitting to the immediate left of the second person ?

(1) EH   (2) CE   (3) AF   (4) DB   (5) None of these

Q.185-190. In each question below is given a group of letters followed by .four combinations of digits/symbols numbered (1), (2), (3) and (4). You have to find out which of the combinations correctly represents the group of letters based on the following coding system and the conditions and mark the number of that combination as your answer. If none of the combinations correctly represents the .group of letters, mark (5) i.e. 'None of these' as your answer.

Letter :   **F   P   M   R   E   K   D   A   I   H   T   U   J   W**

Digit/Symbol :   **6   5   4   *   8   1   2   ©   7   3 $ @   %   9**

Conditions :

(i) If the first letter is consonant and the last letter is a vowel, their codes are to be inter changed.

(ii) If both the first and the last letters are vowels both are to be coded as the code for the last letter.

(iii) If both the first and the last letters are consonants both are to be coded as the code for the first letter.

Q.185. MUPRKE

(1) 4@5*18   (2) 8@5*14   (3) 8@5*18   (4) 4@5*14   (5) None of these

Q.186. HMUIWA

(1) 34@79©   (2) 34@ 793   (3) ©4@79©   (4) ©4 ©793   (5) None of these

Q.187. DAHITJ

(1) 2©37$%   (2) %©37$%   (3) %©37$2   (4) 2©37$2   (5) None of these

Q.188. AJFIKD

(1) ©1%672   (2) ©%671©   (3) 2%671©   (4) 2%6712   (5) None of these

Q.189. EWMAPH

(1) 894©53   (2) 394©58   (3) 894©58   (4) 8945©3   (5) None of these

Q.190. IPDTWU

(1) 752$97   (2) 752$9@   (3) @52$9@   (4) @52$97   (5) None of these

Q.191-200. Study the following information carefully and answer the questions given below :

Following are the conditions for selecting Chief Manager - Sales in an organization. The candidate must__

(i) be graduate in any discipline with at least 60 percent marks.

(ii) have secured at least 55 percent marks in the selection process.

(iii) be at least 30 years and not more than 40 years as on 1.5.2009.

(iv) be a post graduate degree/diploma holder in Marketing/Sales Management.

(v) have post qualification work experience of at least eight years in the Sales/Marketing division of an organisation.

If the case of a candidate who satisfies all the conditions **EXCEPT-**

(A) at (ii) above but has secured more than 65 percent marks in graduation, the case is to be referred to GM-Sales.

(B) at (v) above but has post qualification work experience of at least five years as Manager - Sales ' in an organization, the case is to be referred to VP-Sales.

In each question below details of one candidate are given. You are to take one of the following courses of action based on the information and the conditions and sub-conditions given above and mark the number of that course of action as the answer. You are not to assume anything other than the information provided in each case. All these cases are given to you as on 01.05.2009.-

Mark answer (1) if the candidate is to be selected.

Mark answer (2) if the candidate is not to be selected.

Mark answer (3) if the data provided are inadequate to take a decision.

Mark answer (4) if the case is to be referred to the GM-Sales.

Mark answer (5) if the case is to be referred to the VP-Sales,

Q.191. Mohan Das was born on 25th March 1976. He has secured 60 percent marks in both' graduation and the selection process. He is a first class post graduate degree holder in Management. He has been working for the last eight years in the sales division of an organization.

Q.192. Joseph D'Souza was born on 18th February 1979. He has secured 60 percent marks in graduation and 55 percent marks in the selection process. He has been working for the past six years as Manager-Sales in an organization after completing his post graduate diploma in Sales Management.

Q.193. Mita Keswani has been working in the marketing division of an organisation for the past eleven years after completing her post graduation. She has secured 62 percent marks in the selection process and 70 percent marks in graduation. She was born on 2nd November 1978.

Q.194. Pravin Vohra was born on 2nd July 1972. He has been working in the sales division of an organization for the past ten years after completing his postgraduate degree in Sales Management with 50 percent marks. He has secured 68 percent marks is graduation and 50 percent marks in the selection process.

Q.195. Meena Srivastava has been working in the Sales division of an organization for the past twelve years after completing her postgraduate degree in sales management with 65 percent marks. She has secured 58 percent marks in graduation and 57 percent marks in the selection process. She was born on 12th May 1976.

Q.196. Kalpesh Mehta was born on 16th February 1970. He has secured 68 percent marks in graduation and 58 percent marks in the selection process. He has been working for the past six years as Manager-Sales in an organization after completing his post graduate diploma in Sales.

Q.197. Abhinav Shukla has secured 62 percent marks in graduation and 58 percent marks in the selection process. He has been working in the marketing division of a company for the past nine years after completing his post graduate diploma in Marketing with 55 percent marks. He was born on 5th August 1974.

Q.198. Akash Malhotra was born on 6th April 1975. He has been working in the sales division of a company for the past ten years after completing his post graduate diploma in Marketing Management. He has secured 65 percent marks in graduation and 56 percent marks in the selection process.

Q.199. Seema Mahajan was born on 12th July 1973. She has secured 56 percent marks in the selection process. She has been working in the sales division of an organisation for the past thirteen years after completing her post graduate degree in Sales Management. She has secured 59 percent marks in graduation.

Q.200. Jayant Sahu has secured 52 percent marks in the selection process and 72 percent marks in graduation. He has been working for the past twelve years in the marketing division of a company after completing his post graduation in Marketing Management. He was born on 19th March 1972.

Q.201-205. In making decisions about important questions, it is desirable to be able to distinguish between 'strong' arguments and 'weak' arguments. 'Strong' arguments are those which are both important and directly related to the question. 'Weak' arguments are those which are of minor importance and also may not be directly related to the question or may be related to a trivial aspect of the question.

Each question below is followed by two arguments numbered I and II. You have to decide which of the argument is a 'strong' argument and which is a 'weak' argument.

Give answer (1) if only argument I is strong.

Give answer (2) if only argument II is strong.

Give answer (3) if either argument I or II is strong.

Give answer (4) if neither argument I nor II is strong.

Give answer (5) if both arguments I and II are strong.

Q.201. Statement : Should there be no examination upto IX Std. in all the Schools in India ?

Arguments : **I.** No, students need to go through the process of giving examinations right from the young age.

II. Yes, this will help students to think laterally and achieve their creative pursuits.

Q.202. Statement : Should the sale of tobacco products be restricted to only few outlets in each city/town ? .

Arguments : **I.** Yes, this will substantially reduce consumption of tobacco products.

II. No, those who want to purchase tobacco products should get them at convenient locations.

Q.203. Statement : Should the sale of all the toys made in China be banned in India ?

Arguments : **I.** Yes, these are very cheap and hence will put the local toy manufacturers out of business.

II. No, Indian toys are of much better quality and their sale will not be affected.

Q.204. Statement : Should there be only a uniform rate of income tax irrespective of the level of income ?

Arguments : **I.** Yes, this will substantially reduce the work of the officials of the income tax department.

II. No, this will reduce Govt. tax collection to a large extent.

Q.205. Statement : Should there be only two political parties in India ?

Arguments : **I.** Yes, in many developed countries there are only two political-parties.

II. No, Indian electorate is not matured to select between only two political parties.

Q.206-210. In each question below is given a statement followed by two assumptions numbered I and II. An assumption is something supposed or taken for granted. You have to consider the statement and the following assumptions and decide which of the assumptions is implicit in the statement.

Give answer (1) if only Assumption I is implicit.

Give answer (2) if only Assumption II is implicit.

Give answer (3) if either Assumption I or II is implicit.

Give answer (4) if neither Assumption I nor II is implicit.

Give answer (5) if both Assumptions I and II are implicit.

Q.206. Statement : A major retail store announced thirty percent reduction on all food items during the 'weekend.

Assumptions: **I.** People may still prefer buying food items from other stores.

II. Large number of customers may visit the retail store and buy food items.

Q.207. Statement : The captain of the school football team selected only fourteen players to play all the eight matches of the interschool football competition.

Assumptions : I. There may be adequate number of football Players for all the matches.

II. The captain may be able to play in all the matches.

Q.208. Statement : The railway authority has rescheduled the departure time of many long distance trains and put up the revised timing on its website.

Assumptions : I. The passengers may note the change in departure times from the website.
II. The passengers may be able to notice the change and board their respective trains before departure.

Q.209. Statement : The school authority has decided to give five grace marks in English to all the students of Std. IX as the performance of these students in English was below expectation.

Assumptions : I. Majority of the students of Std. IX may still fail in English even after giving grace marks.

II. Majority of the students of Std. IX may now pass in English after giving grace marks.

Q.210. Statement : The civic administration has asked the residents of the dilapidated buildings to move out as these buildings will be demolished within next thirty days.

Assumptions : I. The civic administration may be able to demolish these buildings as per schedule. .

II. The residents of these buildings may vacate and stay elsewhere.

Q.211-215. Below in each question are given two statements (A) and (B). These statements may be either independent causes or may be effects of independent causes or a common cause. One of these statements may be 'the effect of the other statement. Read both the statements and decide which of the following answer choice correctly depicts the relationship between these two statements.

Mark answer (1) if statement (A) is the cause and statement (B) is its effect.

Mark answer (2) if statement (B) is the cause and statement (A) is its effect.

Mark answer (3) if both the statements (A) and (B) are independent causes.

Mark answer (4) if both the statements (A) and (B) are effects of independent causes.

Mark answer (5) if both the statements (A) and (B) are effects of some common cause.

Q.211. (A) Most of the students enrolled themselves for the educational tour scheduled for next month.

(B) The school authority cancelled the educational tour scheduled for next month.

Q.212. (A) The "prices of fruits have dropped substantially during the last few days.

(B) The prices of foodgrains have increased substantially during the last few days.

Q.213. (A) The road traffic between the two towns in the state has been disrupted since last week.

(B) The rail traffic between the two towns in the state has been disrupted since last week.

Q.214. (A) Heavy showers are expected in the city area during next forty-eight hours.

(B) The inter-club cricket tournament scheduled for the week was called off.

Q.215. (A) Govt. has decided to distribute part of the foodgrain stock through Public Distribution System to people below poverty line.

**(B)** There has been bumper khariff crop for the last two seasons.

Q.216-220. In each of the following questions series begins with unnumbered figure on the extreme left. One and only one of. the five numbered figures in the series does **not** fit into the series. The two unnumbered figures one each on the extreme left and the extreme right fit into the series. You have to take as many aspects into account as possible of the figures in the series and find out the one and only one of the five numbered figures which does **not** fit into the series. The number of that figure is the answer.

Study the following question.

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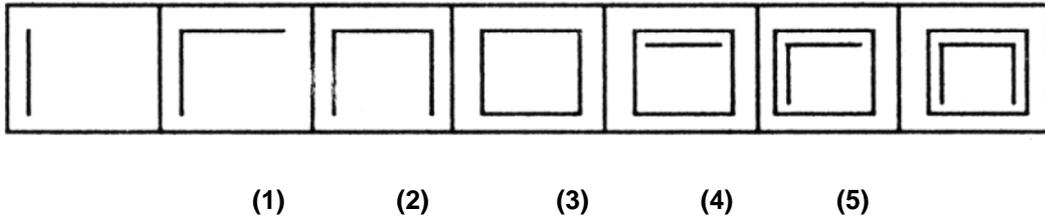
In this question the number of lines in the figures goes on increasing by one from left to right. If we go by this aspect of 'number of lines' only then there is no wrong figure in the series. But if we also consider the 'manner' in which the 'number of lines' in the figures goes on increasing from left to right we come to know that the figure No.4 does **NOT** fit into the series. Therefore, 4 is the answer.

Now solve the following questions.

Q.216.

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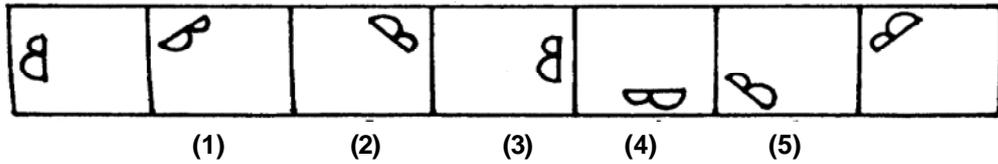
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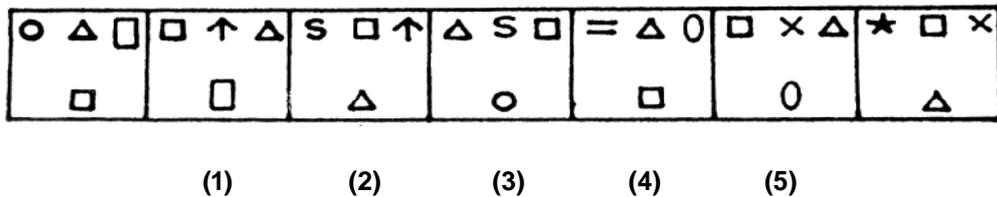
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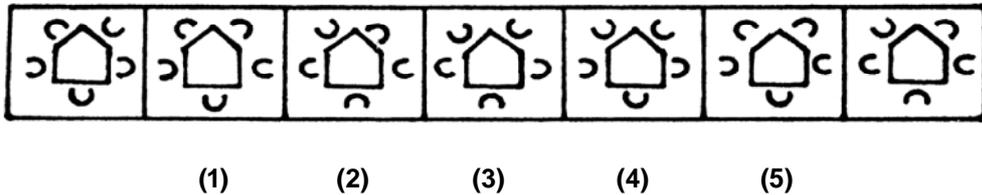
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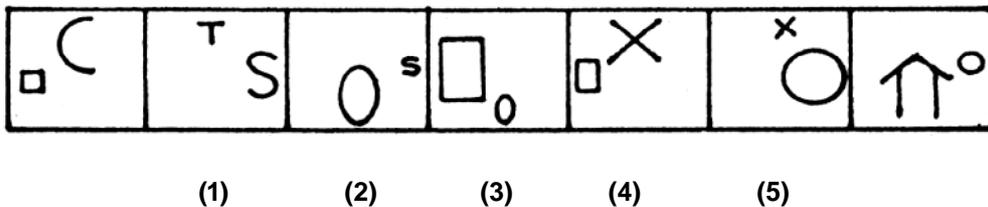
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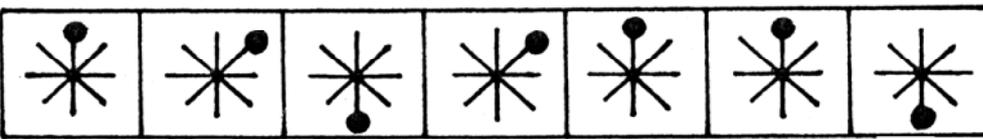
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Q.221-225. In each of the questions given below which one of the five answer figures on the right should come after the problem figures on the left, if the sequence were continued ?

PROBLEM FIGURES   **ANSWER FIGURES**

Q.221.
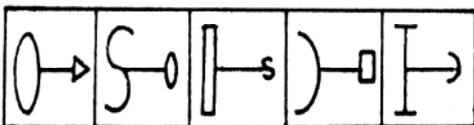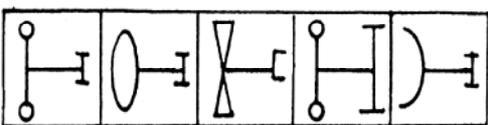
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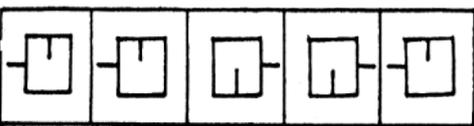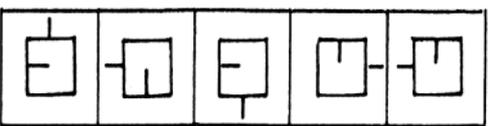
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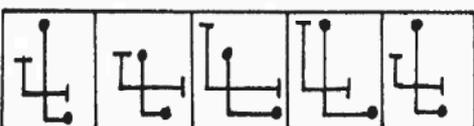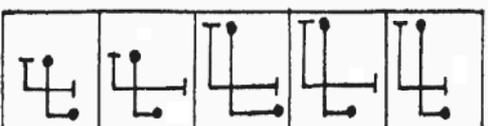
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Q.224.

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Q.225.

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