

## Important HTET Quantitative Aptitude Question and Answers with Solution

**Q1.** A square number is divisible by 6. Then, which of the following statements need not always be true about that square number ?

- (a) It is divisible by 36
- (b) Its square root is divisible by 6
- (c) Its square root is divisible by 3
- (d) It is divisible by 24

**Q2.** Which of the following numbers is divisible by 3 and 4 both ?

- (a) 1716
- (b) 1816
- (c) 1713
- (d) 1178

**Q3.** After joining as a chemist in a fire cracker production company, Meenu was told that to make a specific type of gun powder; Carbon, Sulphur and Pottasium Nitrate must to be mixed in the ratio 3 : 2 : 1. If 1.2 kg of gun powder is to be made, then how much Sulphur she should add ?

- (a) 200g
- (b) 300g
- (c) 400g
- (d) 600g

**Q4.** When Babu purchased a new Nissan Micra in 2020, its price was 5,00,000 /-. Every year, its price will decrease 4% from that years price. What will be its price (in rupee) in the year 2022 ?

- (a) 4,80,000
- (b) 4,60,800
- (c) 4,60,000
- (d) 5,60,800

**Q5.** A ten litre mixture consists of acid and water only. The acid is 60% in that mixture. If we want to make the percentage of water 25% in the mixture, then how much more acid has to be added to it ?

- (a) 3L
- (b) 4L
- (c) 6L
- (d) 7L

**Q6.**

If  $x + \frac{y}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$ ,  $y + \frac{z}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$  and  $z + \frac{x}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$ , then the value of  $x + y + z$  is:

- (a) 1/4
- (b) 1/3
- (c) 1/2
- (d) 1

**Q7.**

If a and b are positive integers (a and b  $\neq$  0) such that  $a^b = 4913$ , then  $(a+b)^{a-b-14}$  is equal to :

- (a) 0
- (b) 1
- (c) 13
- (d) 23

**Q8.** The measures of four angles of a quadrilateral are in the ratio of 1:2: 3 : 4. What is the measure of the smallest angle ?

- (a) 18°
- (b) 20°
- (c) 36°
- (d) 72°

**Q9.** If a polyhedron has 6 faces and 12 edges, then number of its vertices is :

- (a) 4
- (b) 8
- (c) 14
- (d) 18

**Q10.** In a rectangle ABCD, AC= (2x+3) cm and BD=(3x—5) cm. Then, value of (2x+09) is :

- (a) 8
- (b) 16
- (c) 25
- (d) 27

**Q11.** Bisectors of angles B and C of a triangle ABC intersect at a point O. If  $\angle BOC = 105^\circ$  then  $\angle BAC$  is equal to:

- (a) 15°
- (b) 30°
- (c) 45°
- (d) 50°

**Q12.** If  $x$  and  $y$  are respectively the supplement and complement of an angle  $60^\circ$  then value of  $(x+y)$  is equal to :

- (a)  $120^\circ$
- (b)  $185^\circ$
- (c)  $145^\circ$
- (d)  $150^\circ$

**Q13.** Area of a rhombus, whose diagonals are of lengths 12 cm and 25 cm, is :

- (a)  $150 \text{ cm}^2$
- (b)  $100 \text{ cm}^2$
- (c)  $300 \text{ cm}^2$
- (d)  $75 \text{ cm}^2$

**Q14.** MORE is a trapezium in which  $MO \parallel RE$ ,  $MO = 24$  units and  $RE = 18$  units. If area of the trapezium is 336 square units, then the distance between  $MO$  and  $RE$  is :

- (a) 12 units
- (b) 14 units
- (c) 16 units
- (d) 18 units

**Q15.** A gift box of cuboidal shape has to be covered by paper which costs ₹ 0.50 per square centimetre. If the box has dimensions 8cm X 3 cm X 5 cm, then the cost of the paper will be :

- (a) ₹ 158.00
- (b) ₹ 79.00
- (c) ₹ 316.00
- (d) ₹ 790.00

**Q16.** The median of the observations 11, 12, 14, 18,  $x+2$ , 22, 22, 25 and 61, arranged in ascending order, is 21. Then, value of  $3x+7$  is :

- (a) 50
- (b) 57
- (c) 64
- (d) 67

**Q17.** Numbers 3, 4, 5, . . . , 47 are written on separate slips (one number on one slip) and are kept in a box. A slip is drawn from the box, without looking into it. What is the probability of getting a number divisible by 6 ?

- (a)  $7/44$
- (b)  $7/45$
- (c)  $8/45$
- (d)  $9/44$

The value of  $\frac{\sqrt{768} \times \sqrt{3267}}{\sqrt{144}}$  is

**Q18.**

- (a) 198
- (b) 128
- (c) 132
- (d) 134

**Q19.**

If  $\left(\frac{-3}{2}\right)^{-3} \div x = \left(\frac{9}{4}\right)^{-2}$ , then the value of  $(2x+5)^{-1}$  is

- (a) 2
- (b)  $1/2$
- (c)  $3/2$
- (d)  $2/3$

**Q20.** If  $a = 360$  and  $b = 900$ , then  $(\text{LCM of } a \text{ and } b) \div (\text{HCF of } a \text{ and } b)$  is equal to

- (a)  $5/2$
- (b) 5
- (c) 15
- (d) 10

**Q21.** If a 6-digit number  $43x82y$  is divisible by 72, then what is the value of  $(2x-y)$ ?

- (a) 8
- (b) 10
- (c) 12
- (d) 14

$\frac{\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{-3} \times \left(\frac{3}{8}\right)^2 \div 3^{-2}}{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 \times \left(\frac{4}{9}\right)^{-3}}$  is equal to

**Q22.**

- (a) 9
- (b) 12
- (c) 16
- (d) 24

**Q23.** One of the factors of  $25(x+y)^2 - 36(x-2y)^2$  is

- (a)  $7x+11y$
- (b)  $17y-x$
- (c)  $11x+7y$
- (d)  $11x-y$

$\frac{(x^2-4)(x-1)(x+1)}{(x^2-3x+2)(x+2)}$  is equal to

**Q24.**

- (a)  $x-1$
- (b)  $x+2$
- (c)  $x+1$
- (d)  $x-2$

**Q25.**

If  $5x - 6\left(x + \frac{1}{30}\right) = \frac{1}{3}(x + 1)$ , then what is the value of  $(5x + 6)$ ?

- (a) 3
- (b) 4
- (c) 5
- (d) 7

**Q26.** What is the constant term in the following product?

$$\left(2x^2 - 3x - \frac{9}{x}\right) \times \left(\frac{7}{x} - x\right)$$

- (a) -9
- (b) -12
- (c) 12
- (d) 16

**Q27.** After giving a discount of 15% on the marked price of an article, a shopkeeper still gains 19%. By what percent is the marked price above the cost price?

- (a) 30%
- (b) 35%
- (c) 38%
- (d) 40%

**Q28.** If F, V and E represent the number of faces, number of vertices and the number of edges, respectively of a pyramid whose base is a pentagon, then what is the value of  $(2V - 3F + E)$ ?

- (a) 3
- (b) 4
- (c) 5
- (d) 6

**Q29.** The length of the diagonals of a rhombus are 24cm and 70cm. What is the length of a side of the rhombus?

- (a) 28 cm
- (b) 35 cm
- (c) 37 cm
- (d) 47 cm

**Q30.** The interior angle of a regular polygon exceeds its exterior angle by  $108^\circ$ . The number of sides of the polygon is

- (a) 8
- (b) 9
- (c) 10
- (d) 12

## Solutions

**S1. Ans.(d)**

**Sol.** It is divisible by 24

$$n^2 = (6k)^2 = 36k^2$$

$n^2$  is divisible by 36 but not necessarily by 24.

For example, if  $n=6$ ,  $n^2=36$ , which is not divisible by 24.

**S2. Ans.(a)**

**Sol.** For option 1716

**Sum of digits:**  $1+7+1+6=15$

15 is divisible by 3 and last two digits 16

16 is divisible by 4.

**S3. Ans.(c)**

**Sol.** The total parts of the ratio:  $3+2+1=6$  parts

Weight of one part =  $1.2/6$  kg = 0.2 kg

Weight of Sulphur =  $2 \times 0.2$  kg = 0.4 kg = 400g

**S4. Ans.(b)**

**Sol. Price in 2021:**

Price in 2021 = Price in 2020  $\times (1 - 0.04)$

Price in 2021 =  $5,00,000 \times 0.96 = \text{Rs. } 4,80,000$

**Price in 2022**

Price in 2022 = Price in 2021  $\times (1 - 0.04)$

Price in 2022 =  $4,80,000 \times 0.96 = \text{Rs. } 4,60,800$

**S5. Ans.(c)**

**Sol.** Amount of acid in the initial mixture  
Acid =  $0.60 \times 10$  L = 6 L

**Amount of water in the initial mixture:**

Water =  $0.40 \times 10$  L = 4 L

Let's assume x liters of acid is added

New total volume =  $(10+x)$  L

New amount of acid:  $(6+x)$  L

Percentage of water =  $(\text{Amount of water} / \text{New total volume}) \times 100 = 25\%$

$$\frac{4}{10+x} = 0.25$$

$$4 = 0.25 \times (10+x)$$

$$4 = 2.5 + 0.25x$$

$$4 - 2.5 = 0.25x$$

$$1.5 = 0.25x$$

$$x = 6L$$

**S6. Ans.(c)****Sol.**

$$x + \frac{y}{2} = \frac{1}{4}, y + \frac{z}{2} = \frac{1}{4} \text{ and } z + \frac{x}{4} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$x + \frac{y}{2} + y + \frac{z}{2} + z + \frac{x}{2} = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\frac{3x}{2} + \frac{3y}{2} + \frac{3z}{2} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$x + y + z = 1/2$$

**S7. Ans.(b)****Sol.**

$$a^b = 4913$$

$$(17)^3 = 4913$$

$$a=17 \text{ and } b = 3$$

$$(17 + 3)^{17-3-14} = (20)^0 = 1$$

**S8. Ans.(c)****Sol.** The measures of four angles of a quadrilateral = x,

2x, 3x and 4x

$$x + 2x + 3x + 4x = 360^\circ$$

$$10x = 360^\circ$$

$$x = 36^\circ \text{ (smallest angle)}$$

**S9. Ans.(b)****Sol.** V-E+F=2

Given F=6 and E=12

$$6-12+F = 2$$

$$F = 2+6 = 8$$

**S10. Ans.(c)****Sol.** Given AC=2x+3 and BD=3x-5

Here diagonals are equal

$$2x+3=3x-5$$

$$x=8$$

$$2x+9=2(8)+9=16+9=25$$

**S11. Ans.(b)****Sol.**

$$\angle BOC = 90^\circ + \frac{1}{2}\angle BAC$$

Given  $\angle BOC = 105^\circ$ 

$$105^\circ = 90^\circ + \frac{1}{2}\angle BAC$$

$$15^\circ = \frac{1}{2}\angle BAC$$

$$\angle BAC = 30^\circ$$

**S12. Ans.(d)****Sol.**The supplement of an angle  $60^\circ$ 

$$x = 180^\circ - 60^\circ = 120^\circ$$

The complement of an angle  $60^\circ$ 

$$y = 90^\circ - 60^\circ = 30^\circ$$

$$x + y = 120^\circ + 30^\circ = 150^\circ$$

**S13. Ans.(a)****Sol.**

$$\text{Area of rhombus} = \frac{1}{2} \times d_1 \times d_2 = \frac{1}{2} \times 12 \times 25 = 150 \text{ cm}^2$$

**S14. Ans.(c)****Sol.**

$$\text{The area of a trapezium} = \frac{1}{2}(a+b)h$$

$$336 = \frac{1}{2}(24+18)h$$

$$672 = 42h \text{ Type equation here.}$$

$$h = 16 \text{ units}$$

**S15. Ans.(b)****Sol.** the surface area of a cuboid =  $2(lb+bh+hl)$ 

$$S = 2(8 \times 3 + 8 \times 5 + 3 \times 5) = 2(24+40+15) = 2 \times 79 = 158 \text{ cm}^2$$

the cost of the paper required to cover the gift box =  $158 \times 0.50 = \text{Rs. } 79$ **S16. Ans.(c)****Sol.** the median is the 5th observation  $x + 2 = 21$  or  $x = 19$ 

$$3x + 7 = 3 \times 19 + 7 = 57 + 7 = 64$$

**S17. Ans.(b)****Sol.** The total number of numbers =  $47-3+1 = 45$ 

The largest number in this range divisible by 6 = 42

the multiples of 6 from 6 to 42 = 6,12,18,24,30,36,42

Count the number of these multiples = 1,2,3,4,5,6,7

$$P = \frac{\text{number of favorable outcomes}}{\text{total number of outcomes}} = \frac{7}{45}$$

**S18. Ans.(c)****Sol.** 132

S19. Ans.(b)

Sol.

$$\left(\frac{-2}{3}\right)^3 \div x = \left(\frac{4}{9}\right)^2$$
$$= -\frac{8}{27} \div x = \frac{16}{81}$$

$$\text{or, } -\frac{8}{27} = \frac{16}{81} \times x$$

$$\text{or, } -\frac{8}{27} \times \frac{81}{16} = x$$

$$\text{or, } x = -\frac{3}{2}$$

So, the value of  $(2x + 5)^{-1}$

$$= \left(2 \times \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) + 5\right)^{-1}$$

$$= \left(-\frac{6}{2} + 5\right)^{-1}$$

$$= (5 - 3)^{-1}$$

$$= (2)^{-1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

S20. Ans.(d)

Sol.

LCM of a and b = 1800

HCF of a and b = 180

So,

$(\text{LCM of a and b}) \div (\text{HCF of a and b})$

$$\frac{1800}{180} = 10$$

S21. Ans.(a)

Sol.

According to the question,  $43x82y$  is divisible by 72

Or, 82y is divisible by 8

Or,  $y = 4$

Sum of the digits =  $4 + 3 + x + 8 + 2 + 4 = 21 + x$

Now,  $21 + x$  is divisible by 9

So,  $x = 6$

Therefore,  $(2x - y) = 2 \times 6 - 4 = 8$

S22. Ans.(c)

Sol.

$$\frac{\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{-3} \times \left(\frac{3}{8}\right)^2}{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 \times \left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^{-3}} = 16$$

S23. Ans.(b)

Sol.  $17y - x$

S24. Ans.(c)

Sol.

$$\frac{(x^2-4)(x-1)(x+1)}{(x^2-3x+2)(x+2)} = x + 1$$

S25. Ans.(b)

$$\text{Sol. } 5x - 6x - \frac{6}{30} = \frac{x}{3} + \frac{1}{3}$$

$$-x - \frac{1}{5} = \frac{x}{3} + \frac{1}{3}$$

$$x + \frac{x}{3} = -\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\frac{4x}{3} = -\frac{8}{15}$$

$$x = -\frac{2}{5}$$

$$5x + 6 = 5 \times -\frac{2}{5} + 6 = -2 + 6 = 4$$

S26. Ans.(b)

$$\text{Sol. Given } \left(2x^2 - 3x - \frac{9}{x}\right) \times \left(\frac{7}{x} - x\right)$$

$$= \frac{14x^2}{x} - 2x^3 - \frac{21x}{x} + 3x^2 - \frac{63}{x^2} + \frac{9x}{x}$$

$$= 14x - 2x^3 - 21 + 3x^2 - \frac{63}{x^2} + 9$$

$$= 14x - 2x^3 + 3x^2 - \frac{63}{x^2} - 12$$

Constant term is -12.

S27. Ans.(d)

Sol.

$$\frac{MP}{CP} = \frac{100+p\%}{100-D\%} \text{ or, } \frac{MP}{CP} = \frac{119}{85} = \frac{7}{5}$$

Let,  $MP = 7x$

So,  $CP = 5x$

Here, Article is sold at MP

So,  $SP = 7x$

Profit =  $7x - 5x = 2x$

$P\% = 40\%$

S28. Ans.(b)

Sol. A pyramid with a pentagonal base consists of:

- **1 pentagonal base** (which has 5 edges and 5 vertices),
- **5 triangular faces**, one for each side of the pentagon, connected to the apex (the top vertex of the pyramid).

Total number of faces:  $F=1+5=6$

Total number of vertices:  $V=5+1=6$

Total number of edges:  $E=5+5=10$

$$2V-3F+E=2(6)-3(6)+10=12-18+10=4$$

**S29. Ans.(c)**

**Sol.**

According to the question,  $S = \frac{\sqrt{(24^2+70^2)}}{2} = \frac{74}{2} = 37$

**S30. Ans.(c)**

**Sol.** The interior angle of a regular polygon exceeds its exterior angle by  $108^\circ$ . The number of sides of the polygon is 10

