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- **Q1.** Which of the following non-member of Parliament has the right to address it?
- (a) Attorney General of India
- (b) Solicitor General of India
- (c) Chief Justice of India
- (d) Chief Election Commissioner
- Q2. When did the first Lok Sabha function—
- (a) 1952-1956
- (b) 1953-1957
- (c) 1952-1957
- (d) None of the above
- **Q3.** From which of the following places was the Civil Disobedience Movement started by Gandhiji in 1930?
- (a) Sevagram
- (b) Dandi
- (c) Sabarmati
- (d) Wardha
- **Q4.** Mahatma Gandhi's remark, 'A post-dated cheque on a crumbling bank' is regarding the proposals of______.
- (a) Simon Commission
- (b) Cripps Mission
- (c) Cabinet Mission
- (d) Wavells Plan
- **Q5.** Who among the following leaders dominated the Lucknow Pact in December 1916?
- (a) Jawahar Lal Nehru
- (b) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
- (c) Moti Lal Nehru
- (d) Madan Mohan Malviya
- **Q6.** With reference to India's Freedom struggle which one among the following events occurred earliest?
- (a) Gandhi-Irwin Pact
- (b) Lucknow Pact
- (c) Cripps Mission Proposals
- (d) August Offer

- **Q7.** During India's freedom struggle, which one of the following led to the first 'All India Hartal'?
- (a) Protest against Rowlett Act
- (b) Protest against Jallianwala Bagh Massacre
- (c) Trial of Mahatma Gandhi
- (d) Arrival of Simon Commission
- **Q8.** The main reason for the boycott of the Simon Commission in India was—
- (a) Appointment before the time
- (b) All the members were Englishmen
- (c) Chairman was a member of the British Liberal Party
- (d) Gandhiji's Non-Co-operation Movement
- **Q9.** SIDBI Stands for-
- (a) Small Innovations Development Banker's Institute
- (b) Small Industries Development Banker Institute
- (c) Small Industries Development Bank of India
- (d) Small Industrial Design Bank of India
- **Q10.** Who is the author of the book 'Wings of Fire'?
- (a) Abdul Kalam
- (b) Abul Kalam Azad
- (c) Arundhati Roy
- (d) Chetan Bhagat
- **Q11.** The 'Arjuna' and the 'Dronacharya' awards are associated with the field of
- (a) Music and Dance
- (b) Literature
- (c) Sports and Games
- (d) Art and Culture







- **Q12.** Which of the following is observed as National Sports Day every year?
- (a) 22 April
- (b) 26 April
- (c) 29 August
- (d) 2 October
- **Q13.** The term 'Armed Rebellion' is inserted by which of the following Constitutional Amendments Acts?
- (a) 52nd Amendment Act of 1985
- (b) 44th Amendment Act of 1978
- (c) 42nd Amendment Act of 1976
- (d) 38th Amendment Act of 1975
- **Q14.** Vedanthangal Bird Sanctuary is the oldest wildlife sanctuary in India located in-
- (a) Kerala
- (b) Andhra Pradesh
- (c) Tamil Nadu
- (d) Karnataka
- **Q15.** Name the author of the book "Gautam Adani: The Man Who Changed India".
- (a) Shobha Dey
- (b) RN Bhaskar
- (c) Vinay Dixit
- (d) Ramandeep Singh
- **Q16.** Lionel Messi has bagged the Best FIFA men's player prize for 2022. He belongs to which of the following country?
- (a) Argentina
- (b) England
- (c) Spain
- (d) UAE
- **Q17.** Which edition of Asia Economic Dialogue (AED 2023) has been organized in Pune, Maharashtra with the theme "Asia and the Emerging World Order"?
- (a) 5th
- (b) 6th
- (c) 7th
- (d) 8th

- **Q18.** Which team was named the winner of the 13th Hockey India Senior Women National Championship in 2023?
- (a) Kerala
- (b) Odisha
- (c) Madhya Pradesh
- (d) West Bengal
- **Q19.** India's first hybrid sounding rocket by private players was successfully launched from Pattipulam village in the Chengalpattu district of-
- (a) Telangana
- (b) Assam
- (c) Odisha
- (d) Tamil Nadu
- **Q20.** The conference on "Financial Literacy in Amrit Kaal Empowering Investors" will be held in-
- (a) Hyderabad, Telangana
- (b) Dispur, Assam
- (c) Bhubaneshwar, Odisha
- (d) Aizawl, Mizoram
- **Q21.** Which is the World's First Cloud-Built Demonstration Satellite?
- (a) China 1
- (b) Odin
- (c) THEMIS
- (d) JANUS-1
- **Q22.** Who composed the five-day 'Devi Mahatme' episode, which was an important milestone in the history of Yakshagana literature?
- (a) Ganpati Hegde Toti
- (b) Bapila Narayan Bhagwat
- (c) Ira Gopalakrishna Bhagavatha
- (d) Actor Joshi Gokarna
- **Q23.** Which among the following Battle became the turning point in the first Anglo Sikh War?
- (a) Battle of Plassey
- (b) Battle of Aliwal
- (c) Battle of Karnal
- (d) Battle of Saragarhi





- **Q24.** Where is the memorial of the Battle of Saragarhi located?
- (a) Amritsar, India
- (b) Lahore, Pakistan
- (c) Firozpur, India
- (d) Peshawar, Pakistan
- **Q25.** Ranjit Sagar Conservation dam lies in which districts?
- (a) Gurdaspur
- (b) Amritsar
- (c) Ferozpur
- (d) Ludhiana
- **Q26.** Which of the following leaders presided over the Congress Session at Calcutta in 1906?
- (a) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
- (b) Gopal Krishna Gokhale
- (c) Aurobindo Ghosh
- (d) Dadabhai Naoroji
- **Q27.** Who among the following is known as 'The Liberator of the press'?
- (a) William Jones
- (b) Wellesley
- (c) Sir Charles Metcalfe
- (d) Lord Minto
- **Q28.** "Equal Pay for Equal Work" has been ensured in the Indian Constitution as one of the?
- (a) Preamble
- (b) Fundamental Duties
- (c) Economical Right
- (d) Directive Principles of State Policy
- **Q29.** The resolution for removing the Vice President of India can be moved in?
- (a) Rajya Sabha only
- (b) Lok Sabha only
- (c) Either of the two houses of the Parliament
- (d) Both houses of the Parliament in agreement with half of the state legislatures in India

- **Q30.** Masai is a tribe of which of the following country?
- (a) Kenya
- (b) Germany
- (c) Australia
- (d) India
- **Q31.** Which of the following is NOT correctly matched as per the Constitution of India?
- (a) The Municipalities Part IX A
- (b) The Panchayats Part IX
- (c) Tribunals Part X
- (d) The Co-operative Societies Part IX B
- **Q32.** The transfer of the Capital of British India from Calcutta to Delhi was affected during the period of
- (a) Lord Curzon
- (b) Lord Mayo
- (c) Lord Harding
- (d) Lord Minto
- **Q33.** When was Congress split into two groups-extremists and moderates?
- (a) 1905
- (b) 1906
- (c) 1907
- (d) 1908
- Q34. Where is the Bandipur National Park situated
- (a) Andhra Pradesh
- (b) Madhya Pradesh
- (c) Karnataka
- (d) Assam
- ${f Q35.}$ The most populated metropolitan city in India as per the 2011 census-
- (a) Mumbai
- (b) Chennai
- (c) Delhi
- (d) Kolkata





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Q36. The balance is the sum of the balance	Q42. Which Indian women cricketer has been		
of merchandise trade, services and net transfers	roped in by the sports brand Puma as its latest		
received from the rest of the world.	brand ambassador?		
(a) Current Account	(a) Smriti Mandhana		
(b) Savings Account			
(c) Capital Account	(b) Harmanpreet Kaur		
(d) Asset Account	(c) Deepti Sharma		
(-)	(d) Renuka Singh		
Q37. During a recession			
(a) Producers will be cautiously optimistic	Q43. What is the current year's economic growth		
(b) There will be decrease in inventory	estimated in the Union budget 2023-24?		
(c) There will be capacity under utilization	(a) 9%		
(d) There will be an expansion in bank credit	(b) 8%		
(a) There will be an expansion in saint or ear	(c) 7%		
Q38. Vishakhapatnam will be the new capital of			
Andhra Pradesh. Who is the governor of Andhra	(d) 6%		
Pradesh?			
(a) R. N. Ravi	Q44. The capital of Punjab during Maharaja Ranjit		
(b) Biswabhusan Harichandan	S <mark>ingh</mark> 's reign was		
(c) Tamilisai Soundararajan	(a) Multan		
(d) S. Abdul Nazeer	(b) Gujjrawala		
(u) 3. Abuul Nazeel	(c) Lahore		
Q39. Union Finance Minister, Nirmala	(d) None of these		
Sitharaman is presenting the Union Budget	(u) None of these		
2023 for the time in a row.			
(a) 4 th	Q45. Which of the following was the princess of		
	Nikaai Misl?		
(b) 5 th (c) 6 th	(a) Raj Kaur		
	(b) Sada Kaur		
(d) 7 th	(c) Mehtab Kaur		
040 The Asian Easthall Confederation (AEC)	(d) Bhag kaur		
Q40. The Asian Football Confederation (AFC)			
announced that won the hosting of the	Q46. Which of the following is the newly created		
2027 Asian Nations Cup, for the first time in its	division of Punjab?		
history.	•		
(a) South Africa	(a) Patiala		
(b) UAE	(b) Ropar		
(c) Brazil	(c) Ludhiana		
(d) Saudi Arabia	(d)None of the above		
O41 IDM has newtoned with NACA to gain your			
Q41. IBM has partnered with NASA to gain new findings on Forth's climate through the newer of Al-	Q47. When was Government Mohindra College		
findings on Earth's climate through the power of AI	built?		
technology. Where is the headquarters of IBM?	(a) 1863		
(a) California	(b) 1763		
(b) Seattle			
(c) New York	(c) 1870		
(d) Washington	(d) None of the above		





- **Q48.** When was Singh Sabha of Amritsar renamed?
- (a) 1882
- (b)1885
- (c)1883
- (d)1880
- **Q49.** With which of the following was Satyajit Ray associated?
- (a) Commercial art
- (b) Classical music
- (c) Classical dance
- (d) Direction of films
- **Q50.** Which one of the following literary works were not written by R.K. Narayan?
- (a) Malgudi Days
- (b) Swami and his friends
- (c) Guide
- (d) Gardner
- **Q51.** The Comptroller and Auditor-General (CAG) of India can be removed from office only by the:
- (a) Chief Justice of India
- (b) President of India after an address in both Houses of Parliament
- (c) Prime Minister
- (d) President
- **Q52.** Fundamental Duties were added on the recommendation of which committee?
- (a) Balwant Rai Mehta Committee
- (b) Sarkaria Committee
- (c) Swaran Singh Committee
- (d) Nayar Committee
- **Q53.** Anti-defection law was passed in which Constitutional Amendment Act?
- (a) 41st Constitutional Amendment Act
- (b) 46th Constitutional Amendment Act
- (c) 48th Constitutional Amendment Act
- (d) 52nd Constitutional Amendment Act
- **Q54.** The Session of the Indian National Congress of 1907 was held at the bank of which river?
- (a) Sabarmati
- (b) Loni
- (c) Tapti
- (d) Narmada

- **Q55.** Women Reservation Bill, recently in news for its reservation quota was first passed and introduced in the year –
- (a) 1993
- (b) 1996
- (c) 2006
- (d) 2014
- **Q56.** Recently, ISRO for the first time decommissioned one of its weather satellites in a controlled manner. Which satellite is it?
- (a) Cartosat 2
- (b) SARAL
- (c) Megha Tropiques
- (d) Aryabhata
- **Q57.** The "Safe Harbor" clause, recently seen in the news, is to be added to a Government Bill. Which bill it is?
- (a) The Finance Bill, 2023
- (b) The Repealing and Amending Bill, 2022
- (c) Digital India Bill, 2023
- (d) IT act
- **Q58.** The author of the new book titled "Bipin: The Man Behind the Uniform" is -
- (a) Rachna Bisht Rawat
- (b) Harish Rawat
- (c) Bipin Rawat
- (d) Arundhati Roy
- **Q59.** Which of the following states is going to host the G20 business summit 2023 in April?
- (a) Mizoram
- (b) Gujarat
- (c) Nagaland
- (d) Meghalaya
- **Q60.** Which bank of Sri Lanka has opened an Indian rupee-denominated Nostro account in an Indian bank in Mumbai?
- (a) Seylan bank
- (b) SriLankan bank
- (c) Amana bank
- (d) Bank of Sri Lanka





- Q61. Matthew Ebden of Australia and
- from India have recently won the Indian wells doubles title in the US.
- (a) Rohan Bopanna
- (b) P Gopinath
- (c) PV Sindhu
- (d) Saina Nehwal
- **Q62.** First woman in the sport to get a stadium renamed after her, in Rae Bareli?
- (a) Sania Mirza
- (b) Hima Das
- (c) Rani Rampal
- (d) Saina Nehwal
- **Q63.** Which of the following battles was fought by the allied forces of Shuja-ud-Daulah, Mir Kasim, and Shah Alam against Robert Clive?
- (a) Battle of Buxar
- (b) Battle of Wandiwash
- (c) Battle of Chelianwala
- (d) Battle of Terrain
- **Q64.** The Revolt of 1857 in Awadh and Lucknow was led by-
- (a) Wajid Ali Shah
- (b) Begum Hazrat Mahal
- (c) Asaf-ud-daula
- (d) Begum Zeenat Mahal
- **Q65.** Which personality of Sikh history is known as Sher- i Punjab?
- (a) Bhai bachitar Singh
- (b) Baba Banda Singh bahadur
- (c) Baba deep Singh
- (d) Maharaja Ranjit Singh
- **Q66.** When Maharaja Ranjit Singh was born?
- (a) 1780
- (b) 1762
- (c) 1765
- (d) None of the above

- **Q67.** Where was the headquarter of Ghadar Party situated?
- (a) Lahore
- (b) London
- (c) San Francisco
- (d) None of the above
- **Q68.** When Khalsa was attained concreted form?
- (a) 1699
- (b)1666
- (c)1634
- (d) None of these
- **Q69.** Who among the following has become the first bowler to take a hat-trick in the opening over at Ranji Trophy history?
- (a) Taruwar Kohli
- (b) Ganesh Satish
- (c) Baba Indrajith
- (d) Jaydev Unadkat
- **Q70.** Name the author of the book 'Human Anatomy'.
- (a) AK Dwivedi
- (b) Ashwin Fernandes
- (c) R Kaushik
- (d) Aashish Chandorkar
- **Q71.** Which IIT has collaborated with the Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) to develop Advanced Defence Technologies?
- (a) IIT Delhi
- (b) IIT Madras
- (c) IIT Roorkee
- (d) IIT Hyderabad
- **Q72.** Recently film 'The Kashmir Files' has been shortlisted for Oscars 2023. Who is the director of 'The Kashmir Files'?
- (a) Mani Ratnam
- (b) Ashutosh Gowarikar
- (c) Vivek Agnihotri
- (d) Neeraj Pandey





- **Q73.** Gabon's President Ali Bongo appointed the country's first female Prime Minister. What is the capital of Gabon?
- (a) N'Djamena
- (b) Libreville
- (c) Juba
- (d) Kigali
- **Q74.** The Swarajya party was formed following the failure of-
- (a) Non-Co-operation Movement
- (b) Civil Disobedience Movement
- (c) Quit India Movement
- (d) Champaran Satyagraha
- **Q75.** Who did not oppose the Non-cooperation resolution?
- (a) CR Das
- (b) Madan Mohan Malviya
- (c) Mrs Besant
- (d) J. L Nehru
- **Q76.** V.V. Giri National Labour Institute (VVGNLI) entered into a strategic alliance with ASSOCHAM to promote professional and organizational development in labour and employment-related areas. What is the full form of ASSOCHAM?
- (a) Associated Chambers of Commerce & Industry of India
- (b) Associated commercial & Industry of India
- (c) Associated Chambers of Commerce & Infrastructural Study of India
- (d) Assistance for Chambers of Commerce & Industry of India
- **Q77.** Recently, the 4th defence cooperation dialogue between India and Maldives was held in
- (a) Male
- (b) Addu city
- (c) Ahmedabad
- (d) Delhi

- **Q78.** 'Governor of the Year' 2023 award by the international publication central banking is given to –
- (a) Raghuram Rajan
- (b) Shaktikanta Das
- (c) Urjit Patel
- (d) Vimal Jalan
- **Q79.** Renowned Carnatic vocalist and musician Bombay Jayashree has been chosen for the prestigious Sangita Kalanidhi Award. Which organization gives this award?
- (a) Ministry of Culture
- (b) Sangeet Kala Vidyalaya
- (c) Music academy
- (d) Academy of Arts and Culture
- **Q80.** India has signed an MoU to launch a semiconductor sub-committee with which of the following Countries?
- (a) UK
- (b) USA
- (c) China
- (d) Germany
- **Q81.** Select the option that is related to the third term in the same way the second term related to first.

Nest: Bird :: Den: ?

- (a) Car
- (b) Horse
- (c) Lion
- (d) Mare
- **Q82.** Select the option that is related to the third term in the same way the second term related to first.

34: 65 :: 19: ?

- (a) 51
- (b) 47
- (c) 53
- (d) 50





Q83. Select the option that is related to the third term in the same way the second term related to first.

QC: VX :: IS: ?

- (a) MO
- (b) 00
- (c) NN
- (d) NO

Q84. In certain code language. 'GUJRAT' is written as 'BPEMVO'. What will be the code for 'JAIPUR' in that code language?

- (a) EVDKPM
- (b) EVEKPM
- (c) EVKPEM
- (d) EVDPKM

Q85. In certain code language. 'MOUSE' is written as '131521195'. What will be the code for 'WIRE' in that code language?

- (a) 248275
- (b) 239185
- (c) 238185
- (d) 229185

Q86. In certain code language. 'TECHADDA' is written as 'SXVGZWWZ'. What will be the code for 'FOURFIVE' in that code language?

- (a) EHNUVERU
- (b) IFLUVERU
- (c) IFNUVERU
- (d) EFLUVERU

Q87. Three of following four words are alike in a certain way and one is different. Find odd one out.

- (a) Ebola
- (b) plague
- (c) tuberculosis
- (d) gonorrhea

Q88. Which number will replace the question mark in the following series?

- 23, 59, 108, 172, ?
- (a) 247
- (b) 243
- (c) 237
- (d) 253

Q89. Which option will replace the question mark in the following series?

- AT, EO, IJ,?
- (a) 0M
- (b) ME
- (c) EM
- (d) OF

Q90. Arrange the following words as per the dictionary.

- 1. AVALANCHE
- 2. AVICIDE
- 3. AVARICIOUS
- 4. AVERAGE
- 5. AVENUE
- (a) 1, 3, 5, 2, 4
- (b) 1, 3, 2, 5, 4
- (c) 1, 3, 5, 4, 2
- (d) 1, 3, 4, 5, 2

Q91. Which two sign need to be interchange to make the following equation correct

$$53 \div 7 - 10 \times 2 + 3 = 53.33$$

- (a) \div and +
- (b) + and \times
- (c) and \times
- (d) \div and \times

Q92. Below are given 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 and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follow (s) from the given statements.

Statements:

Some Milton are steel

All steels are Tin

Conclusion:

- 1. All tin are steel
- 2. Some tins are Milton
- 3. No tin is Milton
- (a) only conclusion I follows
- (b) only collusion II follows
- (c) either I or II follows
- (d) All conclusion follows.





Q93. Which number will replace the question mark in the following figure?

7	4	33
9	5	56
3	2	?

- (a) 9
- (b) 5
- (c) 11
- (d) 14

Q94. A alone would take 8 h more to complete the job than if both A and B worked together. If B worked alone, he took 4 ½ hour more to complete the job than if A and B worked together. What time would they take if both A and B worked together?

- (a) 8 hours
- (b) 5 hours
- (c) 2 hours
- (d) 6 hours

Q95. Piyush bought 25 books for Rs 4000 and sell them at a profit equal to the selling price of 5 books. The selling price of 1 book is

- (a) Rs 100
- (b) Rs 150
- (c) Rs 200
- (d) Rs 250

Q96. A man bought 25 crates of oranges for Rs 15,000. He lost 5 crates. In order to earn a total profit of 25% of the total cost, he would have to sell each of the remaining crate at:

- (a) Rs 937.5
- (b) Rs 635
- (c) Rs 1012.5
- (d) Rs 835.5

Q97. A number is increased by 15% and then decreased by 25%. The number becomes 44 less than original number. Then find the original number?

- (a) 240
- (b) 320
- (c) 400
- (d)480

Q98. In November 2019, adda247 had 12600 students. If the number of boys increases by 8% and number of girls increases by 5%, then in December 2019, it had 13,530 students. Then find the number of girls in December 2019?

- (a) 2600
- (b) 2730
- (c) 1008
- (d) 930

Q99. Efficiency of Amit is 25% more than Piyush who complete a task in 90 days. Ram takes 12 days less than days taken by Amit & Piyush together to complete the work. If Amit and Piyush worked for 10 days, after that both left the task, then find in how many days Ram will complete the remaining work?

- (a) 14 days
- (b) 21 days
- (c) 28 days
- (d) 35 days

Q100. The value of 2430.132430.0770.25490.0753430.2 is?

- (a) $\frac{\frac{3}{7}}{\frac{7}{3}}$ (b) $\frac{3}{3}$
- $1\frac{3}{2}$
- (c) ¹ ⁷
 - $2^{\frac{2}{7}}$

(d) $\frac{7}{}$

Q101. If (a + b) : (b + c) : (c + a) = 4 : 7 : 5 and 3a + 4b + 7c = 301, then the value of c will be.

- (a) 27
- (b) 25
- (c) 28
- (d) 24

Q102. A sold a thing to B at 20% profit and B sold it to C at 25% profit. If C paid Rs 255, find out the cost price for A(in Rs)?

- (a) 170
- (b) 150
- (c) 190
- (d) 130

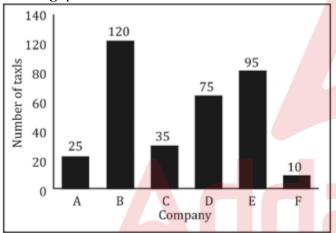




Q103. Divide Rs 9800 amongst A, B, C and D so that A and B receives three times of the part of C and D both and B gets 4 times the share of C and C gets $1\frac{1}{2}$ times of D's part, then the share of A is:

- (a) Rs1270
- (b) Rs1370
- (c) Rs1470
- (d) Rs1570

Directions (104-104): There are six types of android application of cab transport companies (A, B, C, D, E, F) in a certain city. The bar graph shows the number of cab taxis run by each of these cab companies. Study the diagram and answer the following questions.



Q104. Which taxi company has more taxis than A but less than D?

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



Q105. Find the least number which when divided by 6, 7, 8, 9, and 12, leaves remainder 4 in each case?

- (a) 504
- (b) 508
- (c)606
- (d) 656

Q106. In a code language, CRICKET is written as NSENTIK. How will TENNIS be written as in that language?

- (a) KICKER
- (b) KIECER
- (c) KIKCER
- (d) KICCER

Q107. Which number will replace the question mark (?) in the following series?

- 5, 12, 33, 170, ?
- (a) 989
- (b) 1183
- (c) 937
- (d) 1783

Q108. If LIME is coded as 3945 and KIWI is coded as 2959, then how will ORANGE be coded?

- (a) 691575
- (b) 692575
- (c) 631575
- (d) 691565

Q109. Select the set in which the number are related in the same way as are the number of the following set.

- (4, 14, 260)
- (a) (4, 14, 441)
- (b) (2, 12, 287)
- (c) (6, 15, 441)
- (d) (6, 16, 569)

Q110. Select the term that will come next in the following series.

- 4, 36, 324, 2916, ____
- (a) 27139
- (b) 13561
- (c) 21377
- (d) 26244





- **Q111.** In a certain code language, "HARMS" is written as "81181319" and "FLUTE" is written as "61221205". How is "WOUND" written in that code language?
- (a) 21144152
- (b) 21441514
- (c) 231521144
- (d) 171921415
- **Q112.** Three of the following four numbers are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the number that is different from the rest.
- (a) 4966
- (b) 4683
- (c) 4582
- (d) 3426
- **Q113.** Select the option that is related to the third number in the same way as the second number is related to the first number.

62: 32 :: 73 : ____

- (a) 13
- (b) 23
- (c) 64
- (d)40
- **Q114.** Arrange the following words in a logical and meaningful order.
- 1.Epilogue
- 2.Chapter
- 3.Index
- 4.Prologue
- 5.Cover
- (a) 5, 3, 4, 2, 1
- (b) 5, 4, 2, 1, 3
- (c) 4, 5, 2, 1, 3
- (d) 5, 2, 4, 1, 3
- **Q115.** In the question two statements are given, followed by two conclusions, I and II. You have to consider the statements to be true even if it seems to be at variance from commonly known facts. You have to decide which of the given conclusions, if any, follows from the given statements.

Statement I: No mirrors are glass

Statement II: No reflective are mirrors

Conclusion I: All glass is reflective

- Conclusion II: All reflective are glass
- (a) Only conclusion I follow(b) Only conclusion II follows
- (c) Both conclusions I and II follow
- (d) Neither conclusion I nor conclusion II follows
- **Q116.** In a certain code language, '÷' represents '+', '-' represents 'x', '+' represents '÷' and '×' represents '-'. Find out the answer to the following question.

 $8 \div 14 - 20 + 5 \times 2 = ?$

- (a) 46
- (b) 62
- (c) 32
- (d) 14
- **Q117.** 'Scissor' is related to 'Cut' in the same way as 'Razor' is related to '_____'.
- (a) Blades
- (b) Gillett
- (c) Shave
- (d) Grind
- **Q118.** Select the word-pair in which the two words are related in the same way as are the two words in the following word-pair.

Writer : Pen ::

- (a) Needle : Tailor
- (b) Artist: cinema
- (c) Painter : Canvas(d) Teacher : Class
- **Q119.** What is the maximum value of x such that 517x324 is divisible by 12?
- (a) 2
- (b) 8
- (c) 5
- (d) 11
- **Q120.** Wholesaler of tea has three types of tea that weighs 476 kg, 546 kg and 602 kg separately. What will be the minimum number of bags of the same size in which all kinds of tea can be kept unmixed?
- (a) 106
- (b) 112
- (c) 116
- (d) 120





Solutions

S1. Ans.(a)

Sol. The Attorney General for India is the Indian government's chief legal advisor. He has the right to speak and to take part in the proceedings of both the Houses of Parliament, but without a right to vote.

S2. Ans.(c)

Sol. The First Lok Sabha was constituted on 17 April 1952 after India's first general election. The 1st Lok Sabha lasted its full tenure of five years and was dissolved on 4 April 1957.

S3. Ans.(b)

Sol. The Salt March, also known as the Dandi March and the Dandi Satyagraha, was an act of non-violent civil disobedience in colonial India initiated by Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi to produce salt from the seawater in the coastal village of Dandi.

S4. Ans.(b)

Sol. Mahatma Gandhi's remark, 'A post-dated cheque on a crumbling bank' is regarding the proposals of Cripps's mission.

S5. Ans.(b)

Sol. Lucknow Pact refers to an agreement reached between the moderates, militants and the Muslim League at the joint session in Lucknow, in the year 1916. It also established cordial relation between the two prominent groups of the Indian National Congress the extremists led by Bal Gangadhar Tilak and the moderates led by Gopal Krishna Gokhale.

S6. Ans.(b)

Sol.

Lucknow Pact -1916 Gandhi-Irwin Pact-1931 August Offer -1940 Cripps Mission -1942

S7. Ans.(a)

Sol. First all India hartal on April 6, was a "hartal" organized where Indians would suspend all business and fast as a sign of their opposition, and civil disobedience would be offered against specific laws. This event is known as the Rowlatt Satyagraha.

S8. Ans.(b)

Sol. It had 7 members which were lifted from the three political parties of the British Parliament under the chairmanship of Sir John Simon. None of the Indians was appointed to the commission. When no Indian was included in the commission, it was like depriving them of their right to participate in the determination of the constitution of their own country.

S9. Ans.(c)

Sol. The small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI) was set up on 2nd April 1990 under an Act of the Indian Parliament.

 SIDBI is an independent financial institution aimed at aiding the growth and development of Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) which contribute significantly to the national economy in terms of production, employment, and exports. It aims at enhancing the wealth of shareholders through the modern technology platform.

S10. Ans.(b) Sol.

- 'Agni Ki Udan' or 'Wings of Fire' book was written by APJ Abdul Kalam.
- APJ Abdul Kalam was born on 15th October 1931 at Rameswaram, Tamil Nadu
- His nickname was 'Missile Man'.
- He was sworn in as India's 11th President in 2002







S11. Ans.(c)

Sol. The Arjuna Awards were instituted in 1961 by the government of India to recognize outstanding achievements in National sports and games.

S12. Ans.(c) Sol.

- 29th August is observed as Sports Day every year.
- The day is celebrated on the birth anniversary of Major Dhyan Chand who was the star of the hockey team of India.
- The first National Sports Day was celebrated on 29th August 2012.

S13. Ans.(b)

Sol. When a national emergency is declared on the grounds of 'war' or 'external aggression', it is known as an 'External Emergency'. On the other hand, when it is declared on the grounds of 'armed rebellion', it is known as an 'Internal Emergency.' The term 'armed rebellion is inserted from the 44th amendment. Before this term, it was known as an internal disturbance.

S14. Ans.(c)

Sol. Vedanthangal Bird Sanctuary is a protected area located in the Chengalpattu District of the state of Tamil Nadu. Vedanthangal is home to migratory birds such as pintail, garganey, grey wagtail, bluewinged teal, common sandpiper, and the like.

- Vedanthangal is the oldest water bird sanctuary in the country. The region attracted a variety of birds because it was dotted with small lakes that acted as feeding grounds for the birds.
- Realizing its ornithological importance, the British government undertook steps to develop Vedanthangal into a bird sanctuary as early as 1798. This was established in 1858 by the order of the Collector of Chengalpattu.

S15. Ans.(b)

Sol. The book "Gautam Adani: The Man Who Changed India" has been written by journalist-author RN Bhaskar.

The Book claims to bring to light, for the first time, the unknown aspects of one of the richest men in the world.

According to the Bloomberg Billionaires Index, Gautam Adani is the second-richest person in the world, behind Elon Musk.

S16. Ans.(a)

Sol. Argentina's Lionel Messi has bagged the Best FIFA men's player prize for 2022.

Additional Info-

Messi was named the winner of the Best FIFA Men's Player award for his outstanding performances in men's football from the period of 8 August 2021 to 18 December 2022. Equaling Cristiano Ronaldo and Robert Lewandowski's massive feat at the FIFA awards.

\$17. Ans.(c)

Sol. 7th Asia Economic Dialogue (AED 2023) has been organized in Pune, Maharashtra.

Additional Info-

- AED is annual flagship geo-economics conference of Ministry of External Affairs (MEA).
- It is hosted by MEA in collaboration with the Pune International Centre.
- It is a unique dialogue based in India where Asian countries come together to talk trade, finance, and business opportunities.

S18. Ans.(c)

Sol. Hockey Madhya Pradesh was named the winner of the 13th Hockey India Senior Women National Championship in 2023.

S19. Ans.(d)

Sol. India's first hybrid sounding rocket by private players was successfully launched from Pattipulam village in the Chengalpattu district of Tamil Nadu.

What are sounding rockets?

- Sounding rockets are one or two stage solid propellant rockets used for probing the upper atmospheric regions and for space research.
- They also serve as easily affordable platforms to test or prove prototypes of new components or subsystems intended for use in launch vehicles and satellites.





S20. Ans.(d)

Sol. Conference on "Financial Literacy in Amrit Kaal - Empowering Investors" will be held in Aizawl, Mizoram.

Additional Info-

- Organizers: Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority in association with the Department of Tourism, Mizoram.
- Niveshak Didi: It will be launched in collaboration with India Post Payment Bank to promote financial literacy for women by women.
- Investor Awareness Van in Mizoram (Niveshak Sarathi): It is an initiative of the IEPF Authority in collaboration with Common Service Centers (CSC E-gov) to promote financial literacy among people in far-flung areas by spreading knowledge through dedicated audio-visual and print material.

S21. Ans.(d)

Sol. World's First Cloud-Built Demonstration Satellite Launched JANUS-1. JANUS-1 rode on the Indian Space Research Organization's (ISRO) SSLV-D2 rocket.

S22. Ans.(b)

Sol. Bapila Narayan Bhagwat composed the five-day 'Devi Mahatme' episode, which was an important milestone in the history of Yakshagana literature.

S23. Ans.(b)

Sol. The Battle of Aliwal was fought between the Sikh Khalsa army and the British forces at Aliwal near the Sutlej River in Punjab on January 28, 1846.

It resulted in a decisive British victory. The British were led by Sir Harry Smith, while the Sikhs were led by Ranjodh Singh Majithia. Britain's victory in the battle is sometimes regarded as the turning point in the First Anglo-Sikh War.

The First Anglo-Sikh War began six years after the death of Ranjit Singh, who had established the Sikh Empire in Punjab.

S24. Ans.(c)

Sol. Saragarhi Memorial Gurudwara has been built in Firozpur in memory of 21 Sikh soldiers of the 36 Sikh Regiment who fell in the heroic defense of Fort Saragarhi in Waziristan on September 12 1897 while defending the fort against an attack of ten thousand Pathans.

The site of the fort is now a protected monument, and the memory of the soldiers is celebrated every year on 12 September, which is observed as Saragarhi Day.

The Battle of Saragarhi was fought on 12 September 1897 between the British Indian Army and Afghan tribes. The battle took place in the North-West Frontier Province, which is now in Pakistan.

S25. Ans.(a)

Sol. Ranjit Sagar is one of the four conservation reserves located in the Gurdaspur district.

S26. Ans.(d)

Sol. In the Calcutta session of 1906, under the leadership of Dadabhai Naoroji, Congress adopted Swaraj as the Goal of the Indian people.

S27. Ans.(c)

Sol. In 1835 Sir Charles Metcalfe succeeded Lord William Bentinck, being a senior member of the council. "Lord Metcalfe" is called Liberator of India Press but soon he became a victim of party politics in England and was succeeded by Lord Auckland in 1836.

S28. Ans(d)

Sol. The Indian Constitution recognized the principle of 'Equal Pay for Equal Work' for both men and women and the 'Right to Work' through Articles 39(d) and 41. These Articles are inserted as Directive Principles of State Policy.

S29. Ans(a)

Sol. The Constitution states that the Vice President can be removed by a resolution of the Rajya Sabha passed by an effective majority (i.e., majority of all the then member of the house) and agreed by the Lok Sabha with a simple majority (Article 67(b)).





- But no such resolution may be moved unless at least 14 days advance notice has been given.
- Notably, the Constitution does not list grounds for removal.

S30. Ans.(a)

Sol. The Maasai are a Nilotic ethnic group inhabiting southern Kenya and northern Tanzania.

S31. Ans(c)

Sol. Part X of the Indian Constitution Contains Scheduled and Tribal Areas.

S32. Ans.(c)

Sol. During British rule, until 1911, Calcutta was the capital of India. When king George V, of England, visited India to attend Delhi Darbar in 1911, He announced the transfer of capital from Calcutta to Delhi on December 12, 1911. The Capital was shifted from Delhi to Calcutta (Now Kolkata) during the tenure of Lord Harding. Hence, option (c) is correct.

S33. Ans.(c)

Sol. The Surat Split was the splitting of the (INC) Indian National Congress into two groups - the Moderates and Extremists - at the Surat session in 1907.

• The Congress was divided into two groups in 1907 mainly by extremists and moderates at the Surat session of *Congress*.

S34. Ans. (c)

Sol. Bandipur National Park was established in 1973 as a tiger reserve under Project Tiger. This national park is situated in the south Indian state of Karnataka. Bandipur is situated in Gundlupet taluka of Chamarajanagar district. It was once a private hunting reserve for the Maharaja of the Kingdom of Mysore. Together with the adjoining Nagarhole National Park, Mudumalai National Park & Wynad Wildlife Sanctuary, it is part of the Nilgiri Biosphere Reserve totaling 2,183 km2 making it the largest protected area in southern India.

\$35. Ans.(a)

Sol. As per the 2011 Census, the population of Mumbai was 12,478,447; Delhi: was 11,007,835; Chennai: was 4,681,087; & Kolkata: was 4,486,679. So, Mumbai is the most populated metropolitan city in India. But currently, Delhi has surpassed Mumbai and New Delhi is the most populous city in India.

S36. Ans.(a)

Sol. The Current Account balance is the sum of the balance of merchandise trade, services, and net transfers received from the rest of the world.

\$37. Ans.(c)

Sol. In economics, a recession is a business cycle contraction that results in a general slowdown in economic activity. During a recession, there will be capacity under-utilization.

S38. Ans.(d)

Sol. S. Abdul Nazeer is the Current Governor of Andhra Pradesh. He is the 24th Governor of Andhra Pradesh. He was appointed as the Governor of Andhra Pradesh on 12 February 2023. Earlier, Biswabhusan Harichandan was the Governor of Andhra Pradesh from 2019 to early 2023.

Details:

- Visakhapatnam, a port and industrial city brimming with cosmopolitan culture has been in the news ever since Andhra Pradesh Chief Minister YS Jagan Mohan Reddy's government announced that it would be the new capital of the state, indicating plans to develop Amaravati

 on the banks of the Krishna River – as the capital city have been scrapped.
- The announcement of Visakhapatnam, a new capital for Andhra comes nine years after the state of Telangana was carved out of its territory and given Hyderabad as its capital.

Details Related to Options:

- RN Ravi: Governor of Tamil Nadu
- Tamilisai Soundararajan: Governor of Telangana
- Thawar Chand Gehlot: Governor of Karnataka
- Biswabhusan Harichandan: Governor of Chhattisgarh







S39. Ans.(b)

Sol. Union Finance Minister, Nirmala Sitharaman presented the Union Budget 2023 for **the 5**th **time** in a row.

Details:

- She presented the financial statements and tax proposals for the fiscal year 2023-24 (April 2023 to March 2024).
- A Made in India tablet has replaced the traditional 'Bahi Khata' as Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman leaves the Finance Ministry's office to go to the Parliament to present the Budget.

S40. Ans.(d)

Sol. The Asian Football Confederation (AFC) announced that the **Kingdom of Saudi Arabia** (KSA) won the hosting of the 2027 Asian Nations Cup, for the first time in its history, since its inception in 1956.

Saudi Arabia Static Facts:

Capital: Riyadh

* Currency: Riel

S41. Ans.(c)

Sol. The headquarters of IBM is located in **New York.**

Details:

- IBM has partnered with NASA to gain new findings on Earth's climate through the power of AI technology.
- The two organizations will use AI tech developed by IBM together with the large amounts of Earth observation and geospatial data that NASA has available to share.

S42. Ans.(b)

Sol. Sports brand Puma India announced roping in women's cricket team captain **Harmanpreet Kaur** as its latest brand ambassador.

Details:

 Harmanpreet joins PUMA's roster of brand ambassadors, including Virat Kohli, football stars Neymar Jr and Sunil Chhetri, boxer MC Mary Kom, cricketer Harleen Deol, and Para-Shooter Avani Lekhara.

S43. Ans.(c)

Sol. In the union budget 2023-24, the current year's economic growth is estimated at 7%.

S44. Ans.(c)

Sol. Maharaja Ranjit Singh formed Lahore as the capital of the Sikh empire.

S45. Ans.(a)

Sol. Raj kaur was the Princess of Nikkai misl.

S46. Ans.(b)

Sol. Ropar is the newly created division in 2010. It was carved out from the Patiala division.

S47. Ans.(c)

Sol. Government Mohindra college was built by Maharaja Mohindra Singh in 1870. He was a great patron of modern education. The college building is a great piece of architecture.

S48. Ans.(d)

Sol. Singh Sabha of Amritsar was renamed Khalsa Diwan in 1880.

S49. Ans.(d)

Sol. Satyajit Ray was a film director, writer, and composer of music in India.

- For films such as The Apu Trilogy (1955–59), The Music Room (1958), The Big City (1963), and Charulata (1964), he is generally considered to have been one of the greatest filmmakers of all time.
- In Calcutta, Ray was born into a Bengali Kayastha family that was influential in the field of literature and arts. After meeting the French filmmaker Jean Renoir and seeing Vittorio De Sica's Italian neorealist film Bicycle Thieves (1948) during a visit to London, he was drawn into independent filmmaking after beginning his career as a commercial artist.
- In his career, he won several important awards, including 32 National Indian Film Awards, a Golden Lion, a Golden Bear, 2 Silver Bears, a variety of additional awards at international film festivals and ceremonies, and an Honorary Academy Award in 1992.
- He was honoured in 1992 by the Government of India with the Bharat Ratna, the highest civilian award.





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\$50. Ans.(d)

Sol. Gardner was not written by R.K. Narayan

- R. K. Narayan was an Indian writer known for his work in the fictitious South Indian town of Malgudi.
- He was honoured with the Padma Vibhushan and the Padma Bhushan.

S51. Ans.(b)

Sol. The Comptroller and Auditor-General (CAG) of India can be removed from office only by the President of India. However, before the President can remove the CAG, a motion must be passed by both Houses of Parliament, with a special majority. The Comptroller and Auditor-General (CAG) of India is a constitutional office established under Article 148 of the Constitution of India.

S52. Ans(c)

Sol. The Fundamental Duties were added to the Indian Constitution on the recommendation of the Swaran Singh Committee. The Swaran Singh Committee was appointed by the government of India in 1976.

The Fundamental Duties were added to the Constitution by the 42nd Amendment Act of 1976, and there are currently 11 duties listed under Article 51A of the Constitution.

These duties are not enforceable by law, but they serve as a moral obligation for citizens to uphold the values of the Constitution and contribute to the welfare of society.

S53. Ans.(d)

Sol. The Anti-Defection Law was passed in the 52nd Amendment Act of the Constitution of India in 1985. The Act added the Tenth Schedule to the Constitution, which contains provisions for the disqualification of elected members of Parliament and state legislatures on the grounds of defection. The aim of the Anti-Defection Law is to prevent political defections and to promote stability and integrity in the political system.

S54. Ans.(c)

Sol. The 1907 session of the Indian National Congress, also known as the Surat session, was held near the banks of the Tapti River in Surat, Gujarat. This session is particularly famous due to the split between the "moderates" and the "extremists" within the Indian National Congress.

The session of the Indian National Congress in 1907 was presided over by Rash Behari Ghosh.

S55. Ans.(b)

Sol. The Bill demands to reserve one-third of the total number of seats in state Assemblies and Parliament for women.

It was first introduced in 1996 and was referred to a Joint Parliamentary Committee

It is considered an extension of the 72nd and 73rd constitutional amendments (1992,1993), which reserved one-third of all seats and chairperson posts for women in rural and urban local governments.

S56. Ans.(c)

Sol. Megha Tropiques-1, a weather satellite of ISRO which was developed as a joint mission by Indian and French space agencies, entered the atmosphere after the final two maneuvers

For the first time, the Indian Space Research Organization brought down a satellite in a controlled manner after its end of life as a step toward space debris mitigation launched in 2011.







\$57. Ans.(c)

Sol. 'Safe harbor' is the clause that allows social media platforms to avoid liability for posts made by users.

Safe harbor has been added to the Digital India Act of 2023.

\$58. Ans.(a)

Sol. Rachna Biswat Rawat, a journalist and writer from India, has written a book called "Bipin: the man behind the uniform." Which focuses on the life, personality, and principles of General Bipin Rawat.

- Rawat was India's first Chief of Defence Staff and one of the country's most notable military leaders until he tragically died in a helicopter crash in 2021.
- General Anil Chauhan is the current and 2nd Chief of Defence Staff (CDS) of the Indian Armed Forces, since 30 September 2022.

S59. Ans.(c)

Sol. Kohima in Nagaland is going to host the G20 business summit 2023.

- Delegates, Ambassadors and other senior representatives of their respective countries and G20 countries will be attending the
- Summit.
- Aim improve agriculture & allied services, the food processing industry and tourism.
- Hornbill festival of Nagaland is famous
- Chief minister: Neiphiu Rio
- Governor: La Ganesan Iyer

S60. Ans.(a) Sol.

- Seylan bank of Sri Lanka has opened an Indian rupee Nostro account in Indian bank in Mumbai.
- It will enable cross-border transactions using Indian rupee between the two nations. Decreasing the need to conduct trade and remittance transactions in US dollars.
- A Nostro account is an account of deposits held by a bank with a foreign bank in the currency of the country holding the funds and vostro is the 2nd responsive counterpart of it. I.e., one is depositor and the other is holder.

S61. Ans.(a)

Sol. Matthew Ebden of Australia and Rohan Bopanna from India have recently won the Indian wells doubles title in the US by defeating Wesley Koolhof and Neal Skupski.

- Rohan Bopanna became the oldest 'ATP masters 1000' champion and holds 24 tour-level trophies in his cabinet.
- The Indian wells masters, also known as BNP Paribas open and Indian wells open
- Annual tennis tournament held in tennis garden in Indian wells, California, United States.

S62. Ans.(c)

Sol. Rani Rampal, a prominent player on the Indian hockey team, has achieved a significant milestone as the first woman in the sport to have a stadium named after her. The MCF Rae Bareli has renamed the hockey stadium to 'Rani's Girls Hockey Turf' in her honor.

- Capital of UP- Lucknow
- CM of UP -Yogi Adityanath
- Governor of UP Anandiben Patel

S63. Ans.(a)

Sol. The Battle of Buxar was fought on 22 October 1764 between the forces under the command of the British East India Company led by Hector Munro and the combined armies of Mir Qasim, the Nawab of Bengal the Nawab of Awadh, and the Mughal Emperor Shah Alam II. The battle was fought at Buxar, a "small fortified town" within the territory of Bengal.

S64. Ans.(b)

Sol. The Revolt of 1857 in Awadh and Lucknow was led by Begum Hazrat Mahal. Begum Hazrat Mahal was a queen consort of the Indian king Nawab Wajid Ali Shah of the state of Awadh (Oudh) in northern India.

She is remembered for her role as one of the leaders of the Indian Rebellion of 1857, also known as the First War of Indian Independence.





S65. Ans.(d)

Sol. Maharaj Ranjit Singh was the most powerful figure in Sikh history and known as sher-i-punjab or The Lion of Punjab.

S66. Ans.(a)

Sol. Maharaja Ranjit Singh was born in 1780 in Gujjrawala city into the Sikh family of the Sandhawalia clan.

S67. Ans.(c)

Sol. Ghardar party had its headquarters in San Francisco USA.

S68. Ans.(a)

Sol. On 30 March 1699 Baisakhi day) Guru Gobind Singh g concreted the Khalsa and gave Sikhs a new way to live against the Mughals.

S69. Ans.(d)

Sol. Saurashtra's Jaydev Unadkat made a slice of Ranji Trophy history, becoming the first bowler to take a hat-trick in the opening over.

\$70. Ans.(a)

Sol. The book is written by AK Dwivedi. **Details:**

 A Medical book 'Human Anatomy' in Hindi by Manav Sharir Rachna Vigyan was released by the Governor of Madhya Pradesh Shri Mangubhai Patel at the function which is a very useful book for the medical students of all courses related to medical education written by Dr AK Dwivedi.

S71. Ans.(b)

Sol. IIT Madras Centre of Excellence working with DRDO on Advanced Defence Technologies including Combat Vehicle Technologies.

Details:

Indian Institute of Technology Madras (IIT Madras) is operating a Research Centre dedicated to defence technologies jointly with the Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) to develop advanced technologies for the national defence and security needs of the nation.

 It was established by DRDO but IIT Madras has now taken over and converted it into a centre of excellence.

S72. Ans.(c)

Sol. Vivek Agnihotri is the director of the film 'The Kashmir Files'.

Details:

• Vivek Agnihotri's film 'The Kashmir Files' has been shortlisted for Oscars 2023. That means now this film has qualified to get an Oscar.

\$73. Ans.(b)

Sol. Libreville is the capital of Gabon.

Details Related to Options:

N'Djamena Capital of Chad

Juba Capital of South Sudan
 Kigali Capital of Rwanda
 Gitega Capital of Burundi

S74. Ans.(a)

Sol. The Swarajya Party was formed following the failure of the Non-Cooperation Movement led by Mahatma Gandhi in 1922. The Non-Cooperation Movement was launched as a response to the British government's brutal suppression of the nationalist movement in India and the massacre at Jallianwala Bagh in 1919.

However, the movement was called off by Gandhi after the violent incident at Chauri Chaura in 1922, where a group of protestors attacked and burned a police station, killing several policemen.

In response to this, some nationalist leaders, including Chittaranjan Das and Motilal Nehru, formed the Swarajya Party, with the goal of achieving self-government or Swaraj (self-rule) for India through constitutional means.

S75. Ans.(d)

Sol. J.L.Nehru did not opposed the Non-Cooperation resolution. The Non-Cooperation resolution was passed by the Indian National Congress in 1920.







\$76. Ans.(a)

Sol. ASSOCHAM stands for associated chambers of Commerce & Industry of India and is a non-governmental trade association and advocacy group.

- The partnership is non-binding and nonexclusive.
- Aims to promote professional and organizational development in labour and employment-related areas.
- VVGNLI comes under ministry of labour & employment.

\$77. Ans.(a)

Sol. India and the Maldives conducted the 4th Defence Cooperation Dialogue (DCD) in Male on March 19, 2023.

DCD is the highest institutionalized interactive mechanism between the armed forces of two countries

Extends to the areas of joint exercises
 "Ekuverin", "Dosti", "Ekatha" and "Operation Shield"

S78. Ans.(b)

Sol. RBI Governor Shaktikanta Das has been honoured with the title "Governor of the year" for 2023 by central banking.

- Central banking International Economic Research Journal.
- Awarded for steady leadership during challenging periods, including the collapse of a significant non-banking company, the initial and second waves of the covid-19 pandemic, and inflationary pressures due to Russia's invasion of Ukraine
- Second time an Indian central bank Governor has received the award, with Raghuram Rajan being the previous recipient in 2015.

S79. Ans.(c)

Sol. Famous Carnatic Vocalist and Musician Bombay Jayashree has been chosen for the prestigious Sangita Kalanidhi Award.

- Kalanidhi award given by Music Academy, Chennai.
- Other awards by music academy Nritya Kalanidhi, Sangita Kala Acharya.

S80. Ans.(b)

Sol. Under the framework of the India – US Commercial Dialogue, A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on establishing a semiconductor supply chain and innovation partnership was signed.

Part of the U.S.- India initiative of Critical and Emerging Technology (iCET) aims to broaden the "strategic technology partnership".

S81. Ans.(c)

Sol. Places where animals lives. Lion lives in Den.

S82. Ans.(d)

Sol.



\$83. Ans.(c)

Sol. +5, -5 series

S84. Ans.(a)

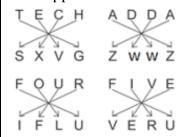
Sol. –5 series follows.

S85. Ans.(b)

Sol. Position of letter in English alphabet.

S86. Ans.(b)

Sol. Opposite letters





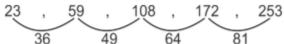


\$87. Ans.(a)

Sol. Except, (A), all other are caused by bacteria. And Ebola is caused by virus.

S88. Ans.(d)

Sol.



S89. Ans.(b)

Sol. +4, -5 series

S90. Ans.(c)

S91. Ans.(a)

Sol.

$$= 53 + 7 - 10 \times 2 \div 3$$

$$=60-\frac{20}{3}$$

= 53.33

S92. Ans.(b)

Sol.



S93. Ans.(b)

Sol.
$$(7 + 4) \times (7 - 4) = 33$$

$$(5+9) \times (9-4) = 56$$

$$(2+3) \times (3-2) = 5$$

S94. Ans.(d)

Sol. Time taken by A = (x+8) hours Time taken by B = (x+92) hours

Work done together in one hour =1x+8+1x+92

Required no. of hours = x = x+8x+922x+252=6hours

S95. Ans.(c)

$$ATQ 25BCP = 25BSP - 5BSP$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 25 BCP = 20 BSP = Rs 4000

$$\Rightarrow 1BSP = Rs \ 200$$

\$96. Ans.(a)

Sol.

CP = Rs 15,000

$$P = 25\% = Rs 3750$$

SP = Rs 18750 = 20× crates

 \Rightarrow crates = Rs 937.5

S97. Ans.(b)

Sol.

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 15\% = \frac{3}{20} \\
 20 \\
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 23 \\
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 4 \\
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 80 \\
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 69
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$$\begin{array}{r}
 25\% = \frac{1}{4} \\
 \hline
 3 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

 $11 \rightarrow 44$

 $80 \to 320$

\$98. Ans.(b)

Sol.

November 2019

12600

B = G

8% 5%

let = 8%

Now, 8% of 12,600 = 1008

But actual increase is = 13,530-12,600

=930

Hence, 3% of girls = 1008 -930

 \Rightarrow no. of Girls in novemeber 2019 = $\frac{78}{3} \times 100$

=2600

: No. of Girls in December 2019 = 2600 + 5% of 2600

= 2600+130

= 2730

S99. Ans.(b)

 $\mbox{Efficiency Ratio} = \stackrel{Amit}{-} : Piyush$

Total number of day taken by

Amit & Piyush to complete the work = $\frac{4 \times 90}{9}$ = 40 days

time taken by Ram to Complete the work = (40-12) = 28 days

time taken by Ram to complete the remining work = $28 \times \left(1 - \frac{10}{46}\right) = 21 \ days$





S100. Ans.(a)

Sol.

$$\frac{\left(3^{5}\right)^{0.13}\times\left(3^{5}\right)^{0.07}}{\left(7\right)^{0.25}\times\left(7^{2}\right)^{0.075}\times\left(7^{3}\right)^{0.2}} = \frac{3^{\left(0.65+0.35\right)}}{7^{\left(0.25+0.150+0.6\right)}} = \frac{3}{7}$$

S101. Ans.(c)

Sol. Let the ratio be 4x, 7x and 5x

A.T.Q

$$4x + 7x + 5x \rightarrow 16x$$

$$2(a + b + c) = 16x$$

$$a + b + c = 8x$$

c = 4x

b = 3x

a = x

Also,

$$3(x) + 4(3x) + 7(4x) = 301$$

$$3x + 12x + 28x = 301$$

 $43x \rightarrow 301$

 $x \rightarrow 7$

C = 4x = 28

S102. Ans.(a)

Sol.

$$20\% = \frac{1}{5} \& 25\% = \frac{1}{4}$$

A B 5 6 B C 4 5 20 : 30

A : C
Rs 170 2 : 3 Rs 255

S103. Ans.(c)

Sol.

$$A = \frac{9800}{20} \times 3 = Rs \ 1470$$

S104. Ans.(b)

Sol. No. of taxi in company A = 25

No. of taxi in company D = 75

No. of taxi in company C = 35

 \div No. of taxi in company C is more than A but less than that of D

S105. Ans.(b)

Sol. L.C.M of 6, 7, 8, 9, 12 = 504

 \therefore Least number for remainder as 4 = 508

S106. Ans.(d)

Sol.

C	R	I	C	K	E	T
\downarrow						
N	\mathbf{S}	Е	N	T	I	K
Similarly,						
T	Е	.]	N	Ν	I	\mathbf{S}
\downarrow	\downarrow	,	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow
K	I		С	C	Е	R

S107. Ans.(b)

Sol. $5 \times 2 + 2 = 12$

 $12 \times 3 - 3 = 33$

 $33 \times 5 + 5 = 170$

 $170 \times 7 - 7 = 1183$

\$108. Ans.(a)

Sol.









S109. Ans.(c)

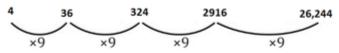
Sol.

$$4^3 + 14^2 = 260$$

 $6^3 + 15^2 = 441$

S110. Ans.(d)

Sol.



S111. Ans.(c)

Sol.

W	O	U	N	D
\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow
23	15	21	14	4

Position values of letters are according to English alphabets.

S112. Ans.(c)

Sol.

$$4 \times 9 = 6 \times 6$$

$$4 \times 6 = 8 \times 3$$

$$4 \times 5 \neq 8 \times 2$$

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

Except (c), all follow same pattern

S113. Ans.(d)

Sol.

$$(6+2) \times (6-2) = 32$$

$$(7+3) \times (7-3) = 40$$

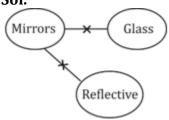
S114. Ans.(a)

Sol.

5, 3, 4, 2, 1

S115. Ans.(d)

Sol.



 $I. \times II. \times$

Neither conclusion I nor conclusion II follows

S116. Ans.(b)

Sol.
$$8 \div 14 - 20 + 5 \times 2$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 8 + 14 × 20 ÷ 5 - 2

$$\Rightarrow$$
 8 + 14 × 4 - 2

$$\Rightarrow$$
 8 + 56 - 2

$$\Rightarrow 64 - 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 62$$

S117. Ans.(c)

Sol. Scissor is used for cutting, similarly Razor is used to shave

S118. Ans.(c)

Sol. Here, Worker — Tool relationship has been shown. Writer uses pen for writing. Similarly, painter works on canvas.

S119. Ans.(b)

Sol.

For divisibility by 12



Sum of digits

$$5 + 1 + 7 + x + 3 + 2 + 4 = 22 + x$$

(24, 27, 30, 33)

Maximum possible value of x = 8

S120. Ans.(c)

Sol.

HCF of 476, 546, 602 = 14

.. Minimum number of bags required

$$=\frac{476}{14}+\frac{546}{14}+\frac{602}{14}=116$$



