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Instructions [1]

The following sentence use modifier incorrectly. Choose the alternative that uses the modifier correctly in the given context.

1. While reading the novel, the lights suddenly went out.

    A   The lights suddenly went out while reading the novel.

    B   While reading the novel, I suddenly lost the lights.

    C   While I was reading the novel, the lights suddenly went out.

    D   Reading the novel, the lights went out suddenly.

Instructions [2 - 3]

The following sentence may contain grammatical error(s). If so, spot the error(s).

2. He feels that the scissor that he has bought is not very sharp and cannot be used for his tailoring work.

    A   scissor

    B   cannot

    C   Both "scissor" and "cannot" should change

    D   No error

Instructions [3]

In the following question, convert the type of voice from active to passive or vice versa.

3. Active: The teacher had been correcting the papers before the power went out.
Which is the correct passive form?

    A   The papers had been corrected by the teacher before the power went out.

    B   The papers had been being corrected by the teacher before the power went out.

    C   The papers were being corrected by the teacher before the power went out.

    D   The papers have been being corrected by the teacher before the power went out.

Instructions [4 - 5]

In the sentence below, choose the option that correctly completes the blank with who, whom, whoever, or whomever.

4. The director asked for a report on the consultant, ____ he was told had already resigned.

    A   who

    B   whom

C whoever

D whomever

5. Give the award to _____ you think will use it best.

A who

B whom

C whoever

D whomever

Instructions [6]

Identify the figure of speech involved in the following sentence:

6. "The pen is mightier than the sword"

A Synecdoche

B Metonymy

C Antithesis

D Apostrophe

7. Find the opposite: Apoplectic

A Calm

B Furious

C Annoyed

D Relaxed

Instructions [8]

In the following question, choose the word which best expresses the meaning of the given word.

8. Foist

A Bestow

B Impose

C Bequeath

D Concede

Instructions [9]

Choose the correct meaning of proverb/idiom:

9. Cut to the quick

    A   To hurt someone deeply in their emotions

    B   To finish something quickly

    C   To avoid unnecessary details

    D   To suffer a minor injury

Instructions [10]

Find the correctly spelt word.

    A   Committee

    B   Comittee

    C   Commitee

    D   Commite

Instructions [10 - 11]

In each question, an incomplete statement followed by fillers. Pick out the best one which can complete incomplete statement correctly and meaningfully.

10. No sooner had we passed the cave than…

    A   a sudden roar emerged from within.

    B   the villagers spoke about its legends.

    C   we planned our route for the next day.

    D   the sun had already set behind the hills.

Instructions [11]

In the question below, the sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect speech. From the given alternatives, choose the one that best expresses the given sentence in Indirect/Direct speech:

11. "He needs to get it fixed else he'll face a lot of trouble soon", I told him.

    A   I told him that he needs to get it fixed or he will face a lot of trouble soon

    B   I told him that he needed to get it fixed or he would face a lot of trouble soon

    C   I told him he needed to get it fixed otherwise he faces a lot of trouble soon.

    D   I told him he will face a lot of trouble if he doesn't get it fixed.

Instructions [12 - 13]

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12. I was really determined to get the task done so.....

    A   I worked late into the night to complete it.

    B   I work late into the night to complete it.

    C   I had worked late into the night to complete it.

    D   I will work late into the night to complete it

Instructions [13 - 14]

The following sentence may contain grammatical error(s). If so, spot the error(s).

13. Even when we run the risk of losing our lives, courage make us defend what is right and oppose what is wrong.

    A   No error

    B   make

    C   oppose

    D   Both "make" and "oppose" should change

Instructions [14]

In the question below, each passage consists of six sentences. The first (S1) and sixth (S6) sentences are fixed. The middle four sentences P, Q, R, S are jumbled. Find the proper order of the four sentences:

14. S1: For Mao, dialectical materialism was not a static doctrine but a living method of analysis.
He saw contradiction as the driving force of all development, both in nature and society.
P. Mao's writings, particularly On Contradiction and On Practice, reveal how he applied dialectical materialism to questions of strategy, organization, and ideology.
Q. He believed that only by identifying and resolving these contradictions could China advance toward socialism.
R. This conviction shaped his insistence that the Chinese Revolution could not simply replicate the Russian path but had to grow out of China's own realities: chiefly, the semi-colonial, semi-feudal structure of its economy and the centrality of the peasantry.
S. Through this lens, Mao emphasized the dynamic balance between opposites: theory and practice, leadership and mass line, reform and revolution, centralization and decentralization.
S2: Dialectical materialism thus became the cornerstone of Mao's political philosophy, guiding both his revolutionary tactics and his vision of continuous struggle within socialism itself.

    A   PRSQ

    B   SRPQ

    C   QRSP

    D   RPSQ

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15. Find the odd one out in the series: 5, 10, 17, 26, 38, 50

A 10

B 26

C 38

D 50

16. Find the missing term in the series: AZ, CX, FU,?

A JQ

B KP

C IR

D JP

17. In a row of students, Rohan is 12th from the left end and Sunita is 15th from the right end. If they interchange their positions, Rohan becomes 20th from the left end. How many students are there in the row?

A 34

B 35

C 33

D 36

18. A man starts from point A, walks 10 km East, then turns to his right and walks 5 km. He again turns to his right and walks 10 km. Finally, he turns to his left and walks 5 km to reach point B. In which direction is point B from point A?

A South

B North

C East

D West

19. Each of A, B, C, D, and E belongs to a different profession among - teacher, doctor, lawyer, police-officer, and banker. A is the police-officer. B is neither the doctor nor the lawyer. C is the teacher. D is neither the banker nor the lawyer. Who among them is the banker?

A E

B B

C B or E

D None of the above

20. Arrange the given words in the sequence in which they occur in the dictionary and then choose the correct sequence.
1. Juncture
2. Justice
3. Jumbo
4. Junior

A 3, 4, 1, 2

B 3, 1, 4, 2

C 3, 4, 2, 1

D 4, 3, 1, 2

21. Seven friends A, B, C, D, E, F, and G are sitting in a straight line facing North.

C sits third to the right of G.
G sits at one of the extreme ends of the line.
A is an immediate neighbor of C.
B sits second to the left of A.
Only two people sit between B and F.
E is not an immediate neighbor of G.

Who sits at the extreme right end of the line?

A D

B C

C E

D A

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E is not an immediate neighbor of G.

What is the position of E with respect to C?

A   Second to the left

B   Immediate right

C   Third to the right

D   Immediate left

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Who sits exactly in the middle of the line?

A   B

B   A

C   C

D   F

24. In a code language, if 'go to school' is coded as 'la ta ma' and 'study in school' is coded as 'pa sa ma', what is the code for 'school'?

A   la

B   ta

C   ma

D   pa

25. H is the mother of I. I is the sister of J. J is married to K. K is the only son of L. L is the daughter of M. If L is the mother of N, then how is N related to M?

A   Grandson

B   Great-niece

C   Grandchild

D   Granddaughter

26. A family consists of six members P, Q, R, S, T and U. There are two married couples. Q is a doctor and the father of T. U is grandfather of R and is a contractor. S is grandmother of T and is a housewife. There is one doctor, one contractor, one nurse, one housewife and two students in the family. What is the profession of R's mother?

A Doctor

B Housewife

C Nurse

D Cannot be determined

27. A clock shows 3:00. After how many minutes will the angle between the hands be 60° ?

A 16 4/11

B 21 9/11

C 27 3/11

D 32 8/11

28. If February 29, 2024 falls on a Thursday, on which day will February 29, 2028 fall?

A Thursday

B Tuesday

C Saturday

D Sunday

29. A clock loses 3 minutes every 2 hours. It shows the correct time at 12:00 noon on Monday.At the actual time of 6:00 PM on Wednesday, what time will the clock show?

A 4:18 PM

B 4:41 PM

C 5:39 PM

D 4:39 PM

30. Given below are three statements. Assume these statements are true irrespective of whether they are true in real life. Each question has two conclusions.

Statements:
No snake is a bird.
Some birds are animals.
All animals need food.

Conclusions:
I. Some snakes need food.
II. No bird is a snake.

A Only I follows

B Only II follows

C Both I and II follow

D Neither I nor II follows

31. Given below are three statements. Assume these statements are true irrespective of whether they are true in real life.

Statements:
Some toys are pens.
Some pens are papers.
Some papers are black.

Conclusions:
I. Some toys are black.
II. No pen is black.
III. No toy is black.
IV. Some pens are black.

A None follows

B Either II or IV

C Either I or III and either II or IV

D All follow

32. Statement I: The price of vegetables has increased significantly in the last month.
Statement II: There were unseasonal heavy rains across the country last month, damaging crops.

A Statement I is the cause and Statement II is its effect.

B Statement II is the cause and Statement I is its effect.

C Both statements are independent causes.

D Both statements are effects of some common cause.

33. Statement: All scientists are hardworking. Some hardworking people are not well-paid.
Conclusions:
I. Some scientists are not well-paid.
II. Some well-paid people are scientists.

A Only conclusion I follows

B Only conclusion II follows

C Both I and II follow

D Neither I nor II follows

34. Statement: To improve the employment rate, the government should provide vocational training to the youth.
Which of the following, if true, would weaken the argument?

A   A large number of vocations trained youth are already unemployed.

B   Vocational training is often expensive for the government to implement.

C   Most industries prefer candidates with a traditional academic degree.

D   The youth are not interested in vocational training programs.

35. Statement: The company has decided to lay off 20% of its workforce due to economic recession.
Conclusion: The company will now be able to overcome its financial crisis.

A   The conclusion definitely follows

B   The conclusion probably follows

C   The conclusion is irrelevant

D   The conclusion definitely does not follow

36. Statement: The quality of primary education in government schools has been a cause for concern as many students are failing to achieve basic literacy and numeracy skills.

Assumptions:
I. Private schools provide better primary education.
II. The government has the resources and capability to improve the quality of education in its schools.

A   Only assumption I is implicit

B   Only assumption II is implicit

C   Both I and II are implicit

D   Neither I nor II is implicit

37. Statement: Despite a significant increase in marketing expenditure, the sales of 'Alpha' brand smartphones have remained stagnant for the last quarter.
Which of the following, if true, would best explain this phenomenon?

A   The marketing campaign was widely praised for its creativity.

B   A major competitor launched a new model with superior features at a lower price during the same quarter.

C   The company increased the price of 'Alpha' brand smartphones just before the quarter began.

D   The overall smartphone market grew by 10% in the last quarter.

38. Large national budget deficits do not cause large trade deficits. If they did, countries with the largest budget deficits would also have the largest trade deficits. In fact, when deficit figures are adjusted so that different countries are reliably comparable to each other, there is no such correlation.
If the statements above are all true, which of the following can properly be inferred on the basis of them?

A Countries with large national budget deficits tend to restrict foreign trade.

B Reliable comparisons of the deficit figures of one country with those of another are impossible.

C Reducing a country's national budget deficit will not necessarily result in a lowering of any trade deficit that country may have.

D When countries are ordered from largest to smallest in terms of population, the smallest countries generally have the smallest budget and trade deficits.

39. Statement: "Democracy cannot exist without secularism." Which of the following statements, if true, would show that the above statement is false?

A Libya was democratic and secular but democracy could not survive there

B Britain is democratic but not secular

C Iran is neither democratic nor secular

D North Korea is secular but not democratic

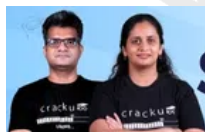## QA, DI & Data Sufficiency

40. The income of Q is 25% less than the income of R. The income of P is 20% higher than that of Q. What percent less is P's income from R's income?

A 40%

B 10%

C 12%

D 8%

41. In how much time (in years), will a sum of money become thrice of itself at the rate of 25% per annum simple interest?

A 6 years

B 8 years

C 12 years

D 10 years

42. The half of the average value of three number is 20. The second number is thrice the third number and first number is twice the second number. What is the sum of smallest and largest number?

A 68

B 56

C 84

D 96

43. If a train runs at 50 km/hr, it reaches 60 minutes earlier than its schedule time at its destination but if it runs at 8.33 m/s it reaches at its destination 300 minutes late, find the correct time for the train to complete its journey.

A 10 hours

B 6.5 hours

C 7.33 hours

D 13.3 hours

44. If from a square of side 150 cm. A quarter of radius 14 cm is cut from each of the four corners, then find the remaining area.

A 10548

B 20872

C 21884

D 22254

45. A and B together can complete a task in 12 days. A alone can complete the task in 18 days. In how many days can B alone complete it?

A 24

B 36

C 30

D 20

46. If $x2-7x+12=0$, what are the roots?

A (3, 4)

B (2, 6)

C (4, 5)

D (1, 12)

47. The least number which when divided by 12, 18, and 27 leaves a remainder of 9 is:

A 207

B 189

C 171

D 225

48. The length of a rectangle is increased by 25% and the breadth is decreased by 20%. What is the percentage change in area?

A 0%

B 5% decrease

C 5% increase

D 10% decrease

49. A sum of ₹12,000 is divided between A, B, and C in the ratio 2:3:5. How much does B get?

A ₹2,000

B ₹3,600

C ₹4,000

D ₹3,000

50. Two dice are thrown. What is the probability of getting a sum of 9?

A 1/12

B 1/9

C 1/6

D 5/36

51. A man covers a distance of 120 km at 40 km/h and returns at 60 km/h. What is his average speed?

A 48 km/h

B 50 km/h

C 52 km/h

D 54 km/h

52. If log10(2)=0.3010 , log10(3)=0.4771, log10(12) = ?

A 0.7781

B 1.0791

C 1.3010

D 1.4771

53. The sum of three numbers in AP is 27. If 1 is added to the first number, 2 to the second, and 3 to the third, the new numbers are in GP. Find the numbers.

A 6, 9, 12

B 5, 9, 13

C 10, 9, 8

D 4, 9, 14

54. A container has milk and water in the ratio 5:3. 16 liters of mixture is taken out and replaced with water. The ratio becomes 5:4. Find the total quantity of mixture in the container.

A 132 L

B 140 L

C 144 L

D 150 L

55. The HCF of two numbers is 15 and LCM is 360. If one number is 45, find the other.

A 120

B 110

C 100

D 90

56. An electric pump can fill a cistern in 6 hours. Because of a leak in the cistern it was taking 9 hrs to fill the cistern. Find the time in which the leak can drain all the water of the cistern when full.

A 18 hours

B 21 hours

C 24 hours

D 27 hours

57. A trader sells 2 articles at the same price. On one he gains 30% and on the other he loses 20%. Find the overall gain/loss percentage.

A 4% gain

B 5% loss

C 2% gain

D 1% loss

58. A train covers a certain distance at 60 km/h. If the speed had been 10 km/h more, it would have taken 30 minutes less. Find the distance.

A 180 km

B 200 km

C 240 km

D 210 km

59. A three-digit number is divisible by 3, 5, and 7. What is the largest such number less than 500?

A 420

B 455

C 490

D 495

Answers

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1.**C**	2.**A**	3.**B**	4.**A**	5.**C**	6.**B**	7.**A**	8.**B**
9.**A**	10.**A**	11.**A**	12.**B**	13.**A**	14.**B**	15.**D**	

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16.**C**	17.**C**	18.**A**	19.**A**	20.**B**	21.**B**	22.**C**	23.**C**
24.**C**	25.**C**	26.**D**	27.**C**	28.**C**	29.**B**	30.**D**	31.**B**
32.**C**	33.**B**	34.**A**	35.**A**	36.**B**	37.**D**	38.**B**	39.**C**
40.**B**							

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41.**C**	42.**B**	43.**C**	44.**A**	45.**C**	46.**B**	47.**A**	48.**A**
49.**A**	50.**B**	51.**B**	52.**A**	53.**B**	54.**C**	55.**C**	56.**A**
57.**A**	58.**B**	59.**D**	60.**A**				

Explanations

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