**PARAJUMBLES PRACTICE EXERCISE**

1. What were the 'boundary conditions' at the beginning of universe?
2. Science seems to have uncovered a set of laws that, within the limits set by the uncertainty principle, tells us how the universe will develop with time, if we know its state at any one time.

C. But how did he choose the initial stage or configuration of the universe?

D. God may have originally decreed these laws, but it appears that he has since left the universe to evolve according to them and does not now intervene in it.

(1) BCAD (2) ACDB (3) BACD (4) BDCA

1. A. So for a sufficiently large number of matter particles, gravitational forces can dominate over all other forces.
2. This does not matter too much, because gravity is such a weak force that its effects can usually be neglected when we are dealing with elementary particles or atoms. '

C. Grand unified theories do not include the force of gravity.

D. However, the fact that it is both long range and always attractive means that its effects all add up.

(1) CABD (2) CBDA (3) CADB (4) ABDC

1. A. The potential exchanges between the officials of IBBF and the Maharashtra Body-Building Association has all the trappings of a drama we are accustomed to.
2. In the case of sportspersons, there is room for some sympathy, but the apathy of the administrators, which has even led to sanctions from international bodies, is unpardonable.
3. A case in the point is the hefty penalty of US $10,000 slapped on the Indian Body-Building Federation for not fulfilling its commitment for holding the Asian Championships in Mumbai in October.
4. It is matter of deep regret and concern that the sports administrators often cause more harm to the image of the country than sportsmen and sportswomen do through their dismal performances.

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(I) CABD (2) DBCA (3) DABC (4) CDBA

1. A. By releasing an ultraviolet photon, the atom falls back to the original energy level.

B. From this high energy level, the atom will almost always release an electron, whereby the energy of the ultraviolet photon is dissipated.

C. In the absence of green light, when a strontium atom absorbs a photon of ultraviolet radiations, its energy increases by a discrete amount.

D. But, ever so often, the high -energy atom will emit a photon of other ultraviolet or green light.

(1) CBDA (2) CBAD (3) CADB (4) CABD

1. A. Frictions accruing from bilateral trade have been on the increase since the 1980s.

B. Apart from the electronic problem, the automobile issue began to assume the character of a significant irritant.

C. The protective policy followed by Japan has its adverse impact on trading partners, particularly the US.

D. Japan in the 1970s continued to maintain an exceptionally high tariff even after lifting of quantitative restrictions on imports of automobiles.

(1) DBCA (2) DBAC (3) BDCA (4) BDAC

1. A. Instead, one could always help in averting these situations.

B. Often in a religion, people fight with each other on issues that are thoroughly irrational and illogical.

C. If one used scientific reasoning and logic, examined facts and the basis.

D. Much of the rising and blood shed in communal violence can be avoided if the people involved don’t blindly believe the rumours or get swayed by those who preach hatred.

(1) CBAD (2) BDCA (3) DBCA (4) CADB

1. A. With the pressure on resources of development becoming increasingly severe, the issue of tapping the agricultural surplus cannot be put off.

B. But the methods of utilizing these resources more efficiently have not been debated sufficiently.

C. The existence of a substantial surplus in this sector is not in doubt.

D. There has been a tendency to concentrate on the possibilities of using an agricultural income tax to tap these resources.

(1) ABCD (2) ACBD (3) CBDA (4) DCBA

1. A. And, at its best such programming represents a creative collaboration between the educational faculty and production teams.

B. Tele-education or telecourses have been beamed in the United States since the early 1950s.

C. Today, televised learning for the distant learner has come to use all the capabilities of the medium to bring a subject alive.

D. The early programmes merely telecasted the teacher at a black board, or used the simplest of visual aids.

(1) BCDA (2) BDCA (3) DCBA (4) BDAC

1. A. Yet, paradoxically, there is greater mass discontent in nearly the whole of Latin America, the Caribbean, the Middle East and parts of Asia.

B. Commodity prices have been at levels yielding much better terms of trade than they were before the war.

C. Real income has risen faster than ever before social services have improved.

D. The decade and a half since the end of the war, has over-all been a good period for the underdeveloped countries.

(1) CADB (2) DCBA (3) DBCA (4) CDBA

1. A. These dynamics shape the future of the organisation.

B. Such concept shifts disrupt the status quo and position the organisation for thought leadership in a marketplace that is suddenly capable of fundamentally new dynamics.

C. Conventional competition seeks growth solely by pulling at the conventional levers of growth.

D. In contrast, what drives innovation-based organizationis making a significant impact or transformation upon the market-shaping concept first, and the marketplace second?

(1) ABCD (2) BACD (3) CDBA (4) DCBA

1. A. Whether it is the energy crisis, crime in the streets or meals lacking nutritious balance, there inevitably are those, who will believe that advertising made it happen.

B. Name a natural, problem and someone will almost certainly find a way to blame it on advertising.

C. The era of modern consumerism sparks endless debates over proposals to restrict advertising to children or require specific types of information in ads for cigarettes and liquor.

D. While problems are often easy to recognize, answers are elusive.

(1) DBCA (2) BCDA (3) BACD (4) CBDA

1. A. People can get infected handling reptiles and then touching their mouths or an open cut.

B. At first, they look like the perfect pets: exotic, quiet and tidy. .

1. A study estimate that in 1995, there was as many as 6,700 reptile-caused salmonella infections.

D. But lizards and other pet reptiles can harbour a salmonella becteria that makes people sick.

(1) DCBA (2) BCDA (3) BACD (4) BDCA

1. A. You must be joking, lady, is my first reaction, or the joke's on me;

B. "How come there's so much attention on Bill Gates?"

C. I look at her again, and decide that she's serious.

D. Well, you folks yourself say we're a huge software center you guys hire Indians. 'The Road Ahead has been on top of non-fiction best-seller lists here; too..

(1) ABCD (2) DCBA . (3) CABD (4) BACD

1. A. While this may be true, it will be even more so during the festival.

B. To make gold buying even more exciting, the Dubai gold trade is offering glittering raffles.

C. Gold has always been the biggest attraction for Indian shoppers who come to Dubai.

D. When, you buy gold, many believe, you do not spend your invest.

(1) ACBA (2) CDAB (3) ACDB (4) BDCA

1. A. Today, international cosmetics giants are giving Indian women a much wider choice.

B. Time was when you would find the world's best designer cosmetics only in the baggage of international flights into India.

C. How times change.

D. Lakme was once the colossus that bestrode the Indian cosmetics scene.

(1) BCDA (2) ABCD (3) CBAD (4) CADB