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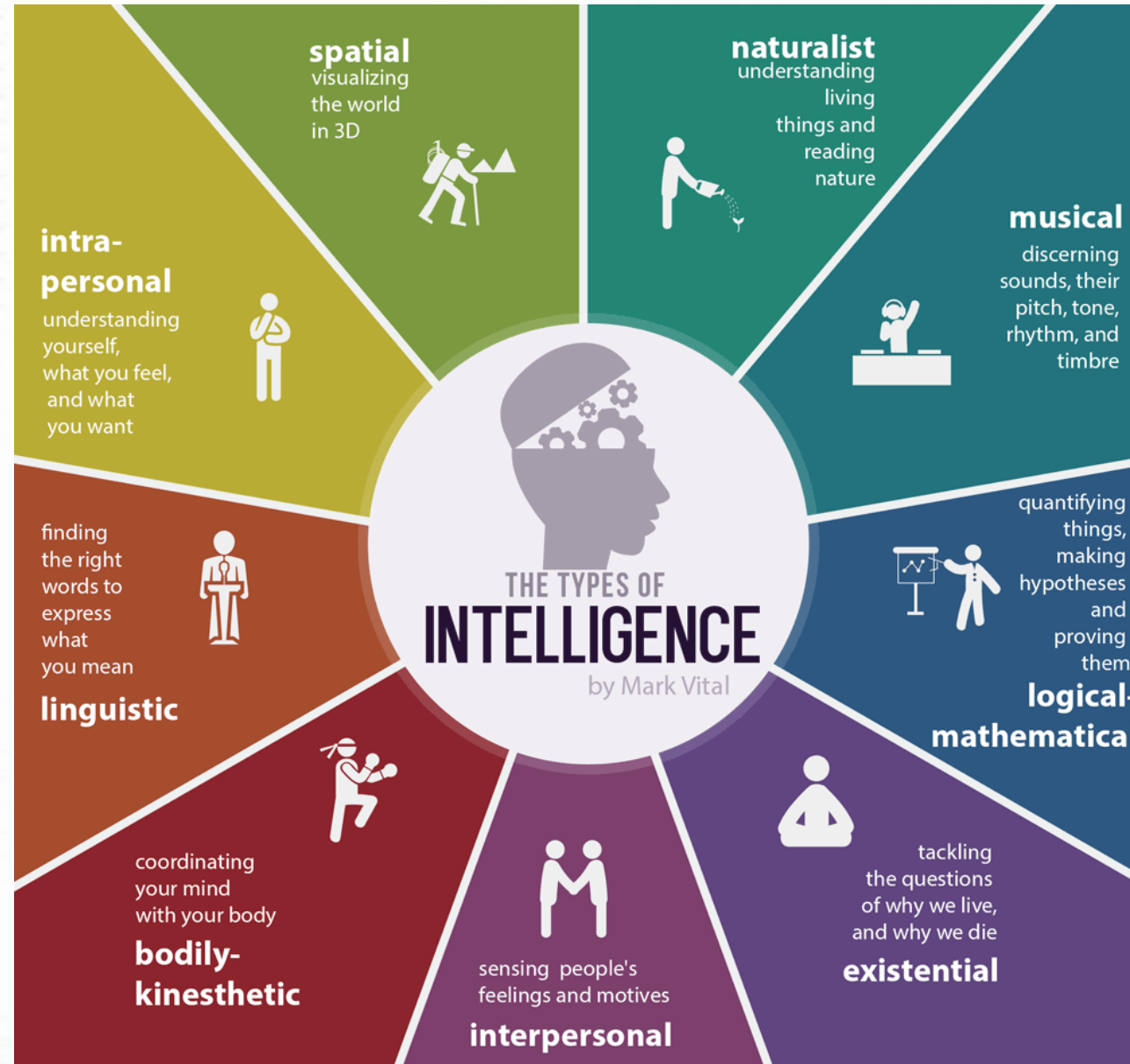
# IQ for Banking



# IQ ?

**Intelligence quotient**







# نصائح قبل اختبار IQ

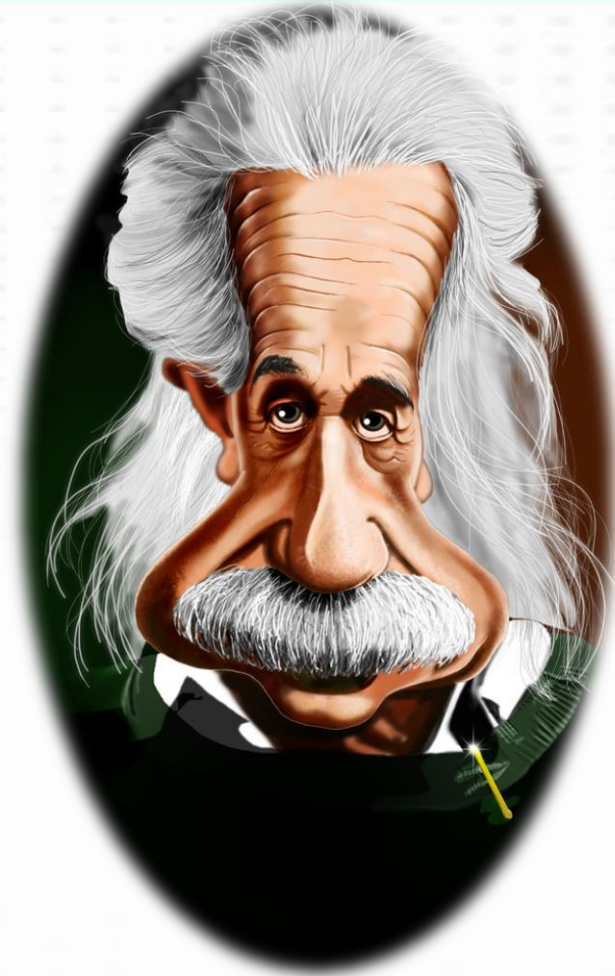
١. استخدام التصور الإيجابي لتخيل نفسك تجاوب الاختبار بشكل جيد.
٢. ممارسة تقنيات تخفيف التوتر والقلق.
٣. اعطي لنفسك استراحة لمدة ٢٤ ساعة قبل الاختبار.
٤. تناول وجبة إفطار مغذية قبل المغادرة.
٥. التمارين الرياضية والمشي
٦. ارتداء ملابس مريحة للاختبار.
٧. الوصول مبكرا.
٨. Practice Practice Practice



## نصائح اثناء اختبار IQ:

١. تنفس بانتظام و اشرب الماء
٢. استخدام وقتك بحكمة ( الاسهل فالاصعب ) - امتحان وقت وليس ذكاء
٣. في حالة وجود سؤال صعب – فجرب سياسة الاستبعاد اولا ثم الاختيار
٤. في حالة قرب انتهاء الوقت – اختيار اجابة محددة لباقي الأسئلة



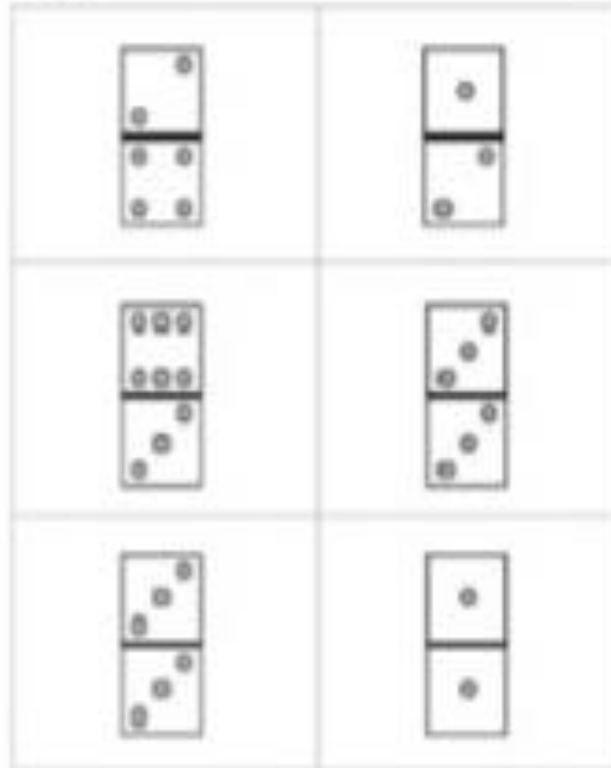


# IQ SHAPES

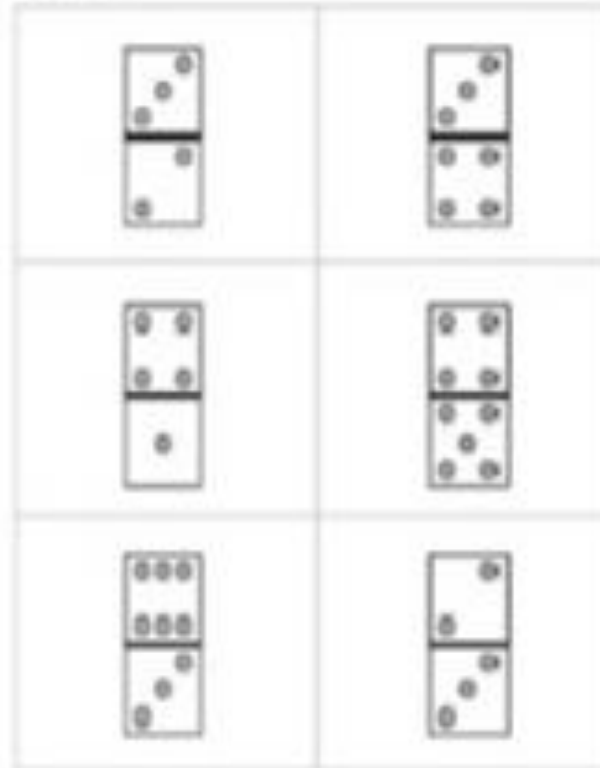
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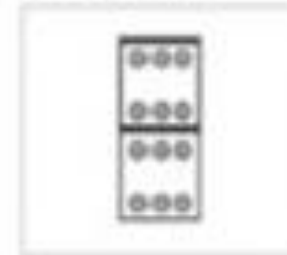
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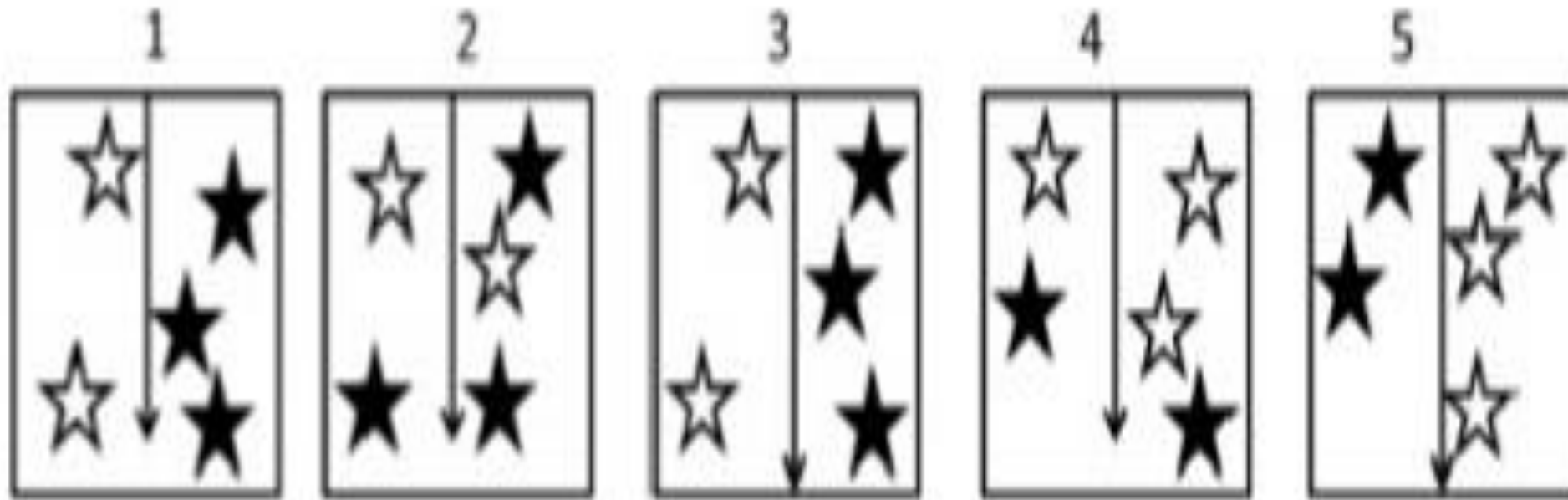


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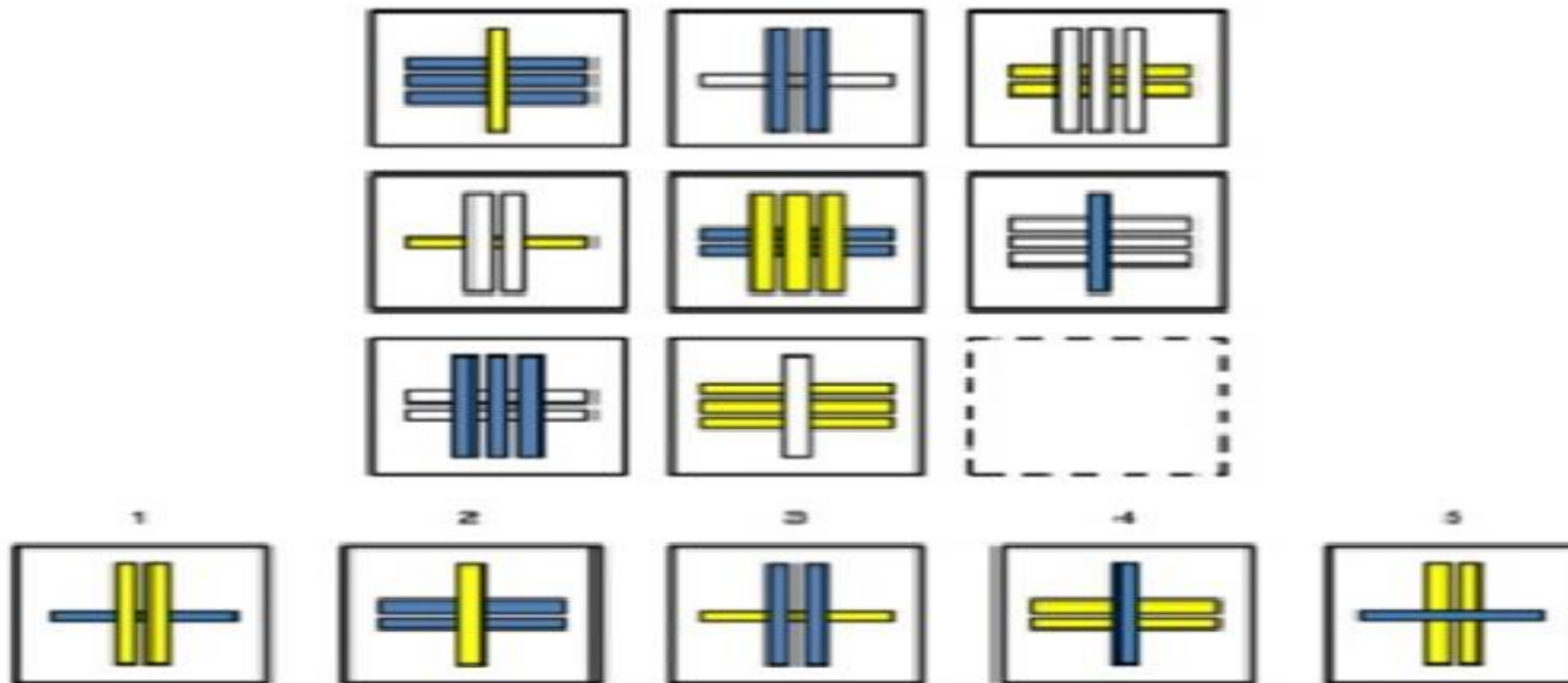




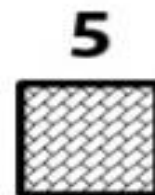
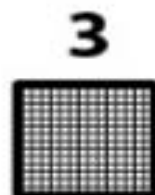
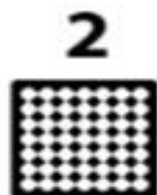
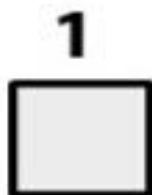
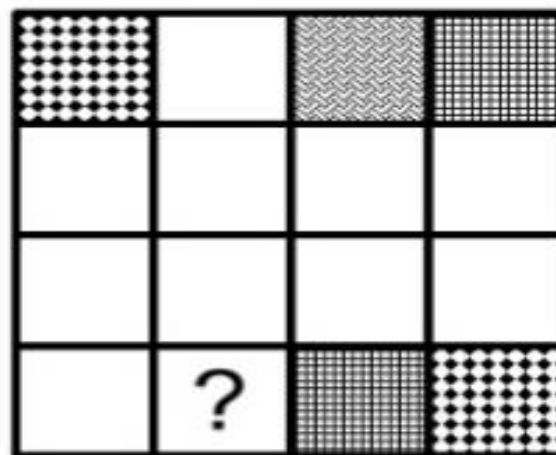
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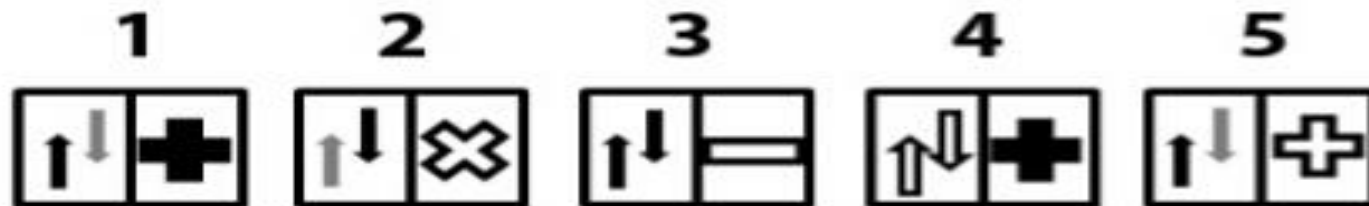
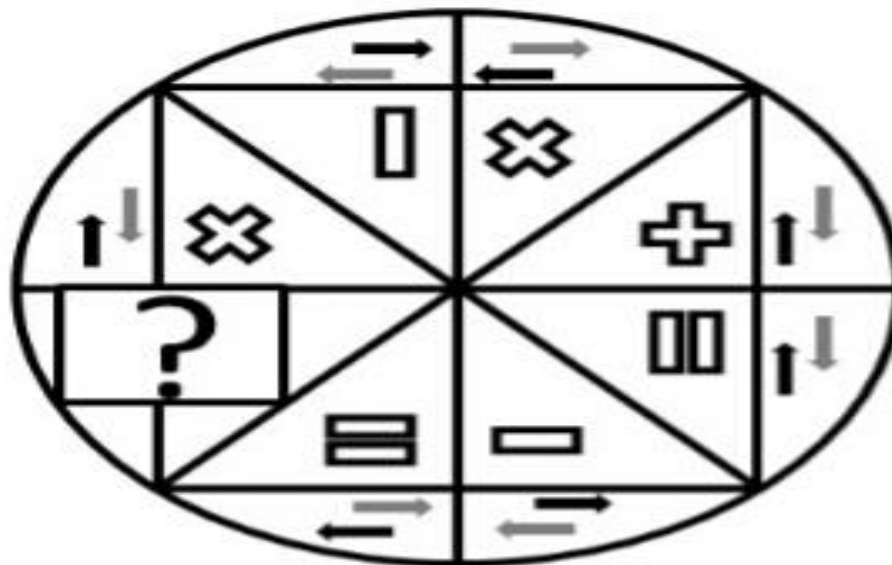
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Choose the image that completes the pattern



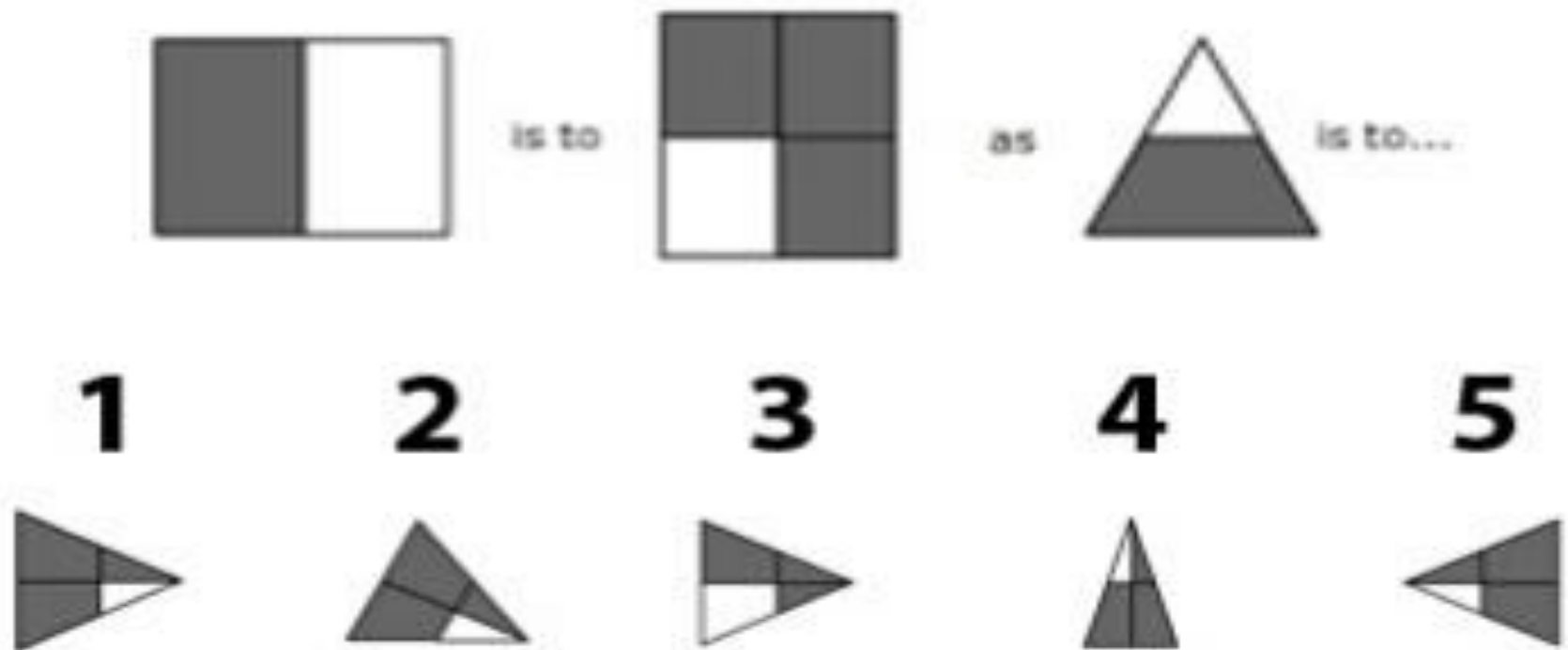
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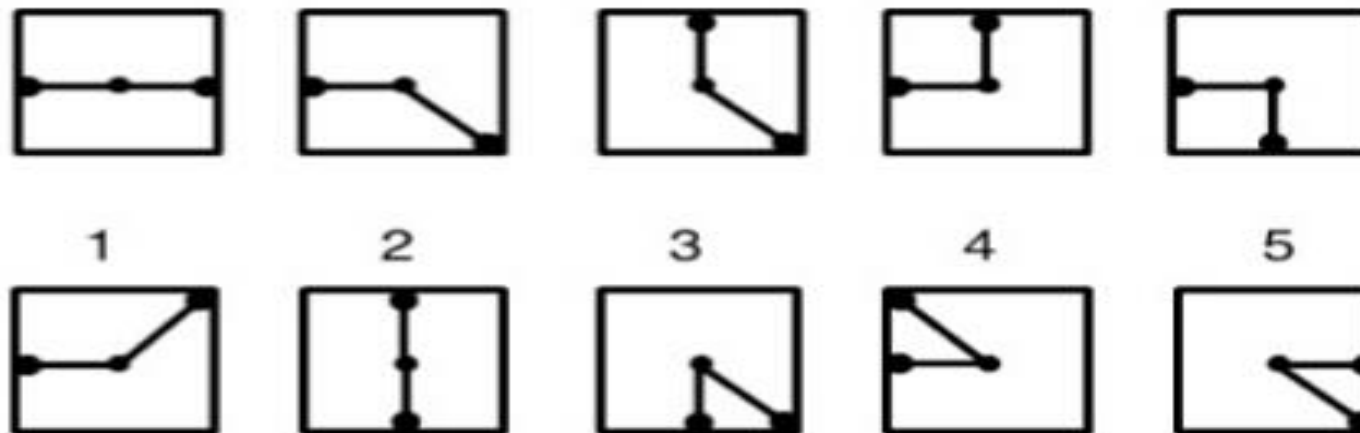
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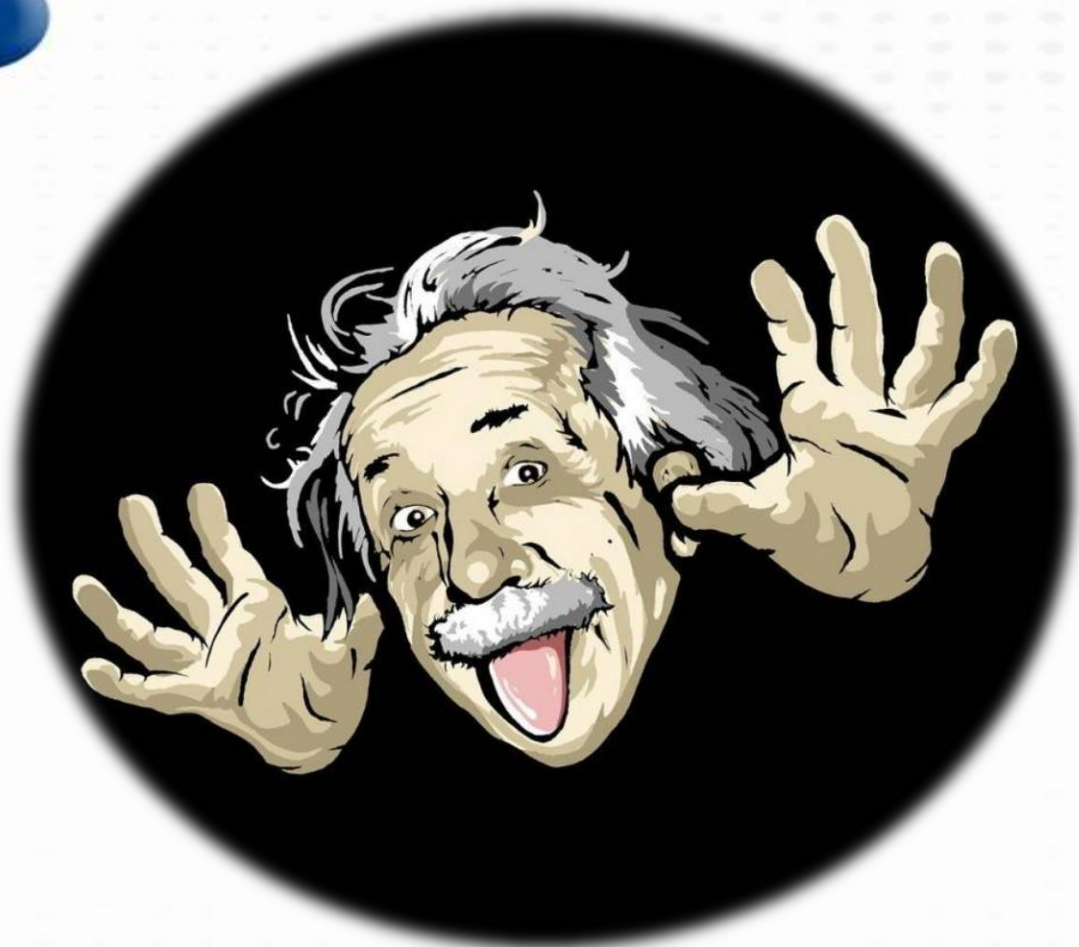
- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. 5



**11. Choose the image that completes the pattern**

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. 5





# NUMERICAL REASONING

**Which one of the numbers does not belong to the following series?**

9

7

8

6

7

5

6

3





**Complete the sequence: 15, 20, 28, 18, 23, 28, 21,  
26, 28, ?, ?**

**26, 31**

**24, 29**

**36, 25**

**23, 27**



Find the missing number: 9, 2, 7, -5, 12, ?, 29

3

-9

13

-17



**Find the missing number: 11,10, ?, 100, 1001, 1000, 10001**

101

110

111

None of these



The total of the ages of Ahmed, Khaled and Omar is 80 years. What was the total of their ages three years ago?

71 years

72 years

74 years

77 years





**Which one of the five choices makes the best comparison?**

**LIVE is to EVIL as 5232 is to:**

**2523**

**3252**

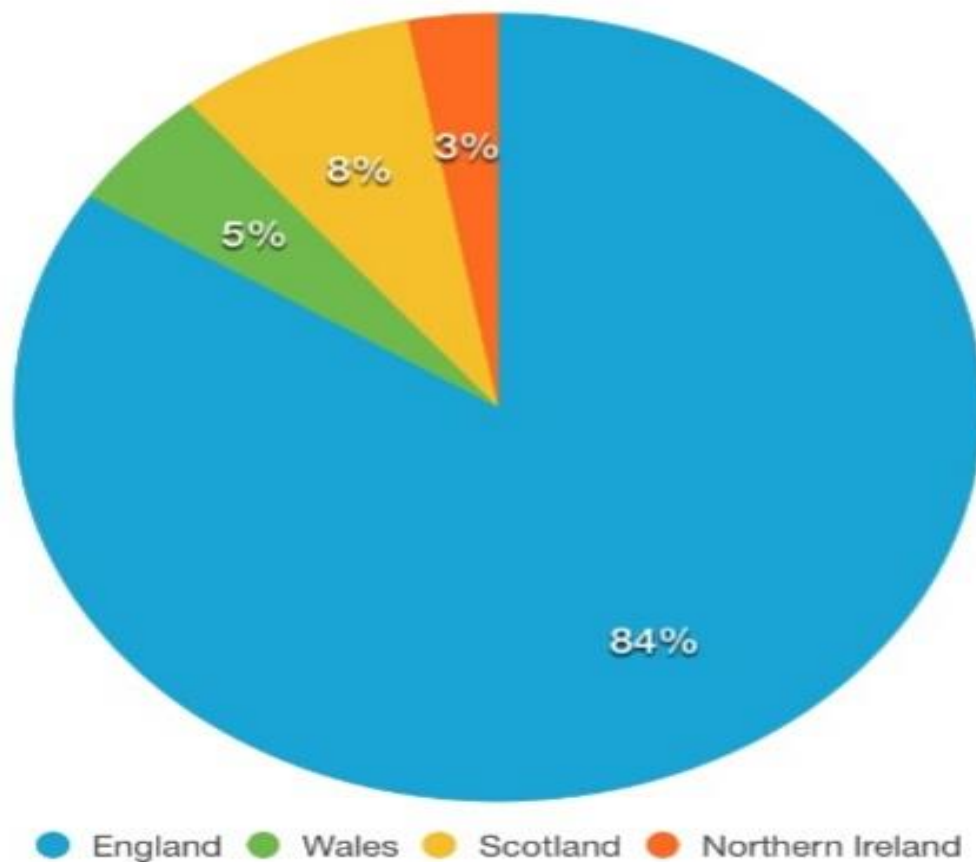
**2325**

**3225**

**5223**



Estimated Population of the UK in 2008



**The population of the UK in 2008 was 60,587,300. What was the population of Northern Ireland, to the nearest thousand?**

1,818,000

1,817,600

1,817,620

1,817,619



**The population of the UK in 2008 was 60,587,300.  
If the population of the UK grew on average 6%  
during 2008, what would you estimate the  
population of Scotland to be in 2009?**

4,846,984

7,755,174

5,137,803





**The population of the UK in 2008 was 60,587,300. If a new country joined the UK, of population 13 million, what percentage of the UK population would England make up?**

69.2%

84.0%

47.6%

68.4%



The population of the UK in 2008 was 60,587,300. What is the ratio of people living in England to those living in Scotland?

2:21

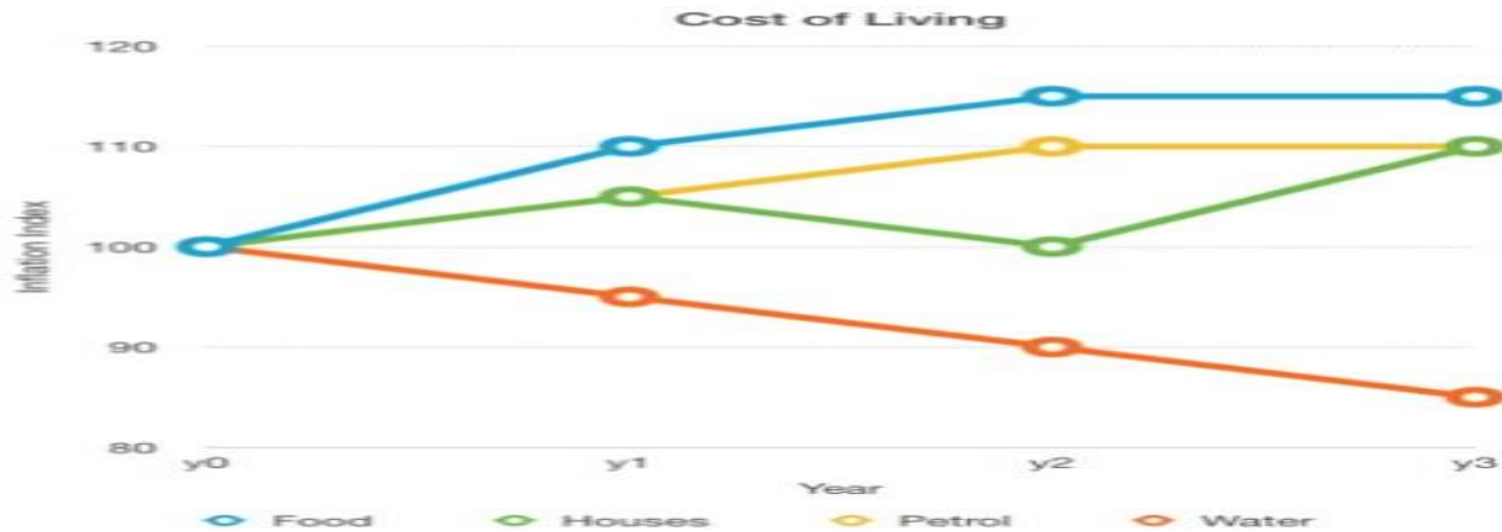
21:2

0.95

0.095

None of these





• From 26to 30

**20. Which period saw the greatest percentage decrease in water prices?**

- A. y0-y1
- B. Y1-Y2
- C. Y2-Y3I
- D. ALL the same



**21. If a house cost £300,000 at the end of y1, what will it cost at the end of y3?**

- A. £330,000
- B. £314,285.71
- C. £285,714.29
- D. £315,000
- E. None of these





**22. If the price of food was rebased in y1, what would the inflation index be for y3?**

- A. 115
- B. 110
- C. 105.4
- D. 104.5
- E. None of these



**23. Which product experienced the biggest change in percentage terms in y1-y2?**

- A. Food
- B. Houses
- C. Petrol
- D. Water
- E. Cannot tell



Monthly charges		Free calls	
Contract name	(£s)	(hours per month)	
Basic	15.00	3	
Premium	35.00	15	
Call costs	Calls out	Calls in	
Time of call	(made) (£s)	(received)	
Standard	6.00	Free	
Cheap	3.50	Free	

*Call costs are in £s per hour*

*Free calls apply only to calls made at standard hours*

*Cheap hours are week-ends and 18:00 - 06:00*

- **From 31to 34**



**28. If I have a basic contract, how many hours of free calls could I have in a year?**

• **Select correct (or nearest) answer.**

- A. 36
- B. 45
- C. 38
- D. 29



**29. If (in one month) I make a total of 10 hours of calls at standard hours, how much more or less will I pay for a basic contract than for premium?**

- **Select correct (or nearest) answer.**
- A. More by 32
- B. Less by 32
- C. More by 22
- D. less by 22





**30. If (in one month) I make a total of 15 hours of calls at standard hours, which of the contracts will be cheaper for me, and by how much?**

- **Select correct (or nearest) answer.**
- A. Basic, 20
- B. Premium, 50
- C. Premium, 65
- D. Premium, 20





# VERBAL REASONING

**Which one of the five is least like the  
other four?**

**BEAR**

**SNAKE**

**COW**

**DOG**

**TIGER**



If you rearrange the letters  
"BARBIT", you would have the name  
of a:

OCEAN

COUNTRY

STATE

CITY

ANIMAL



**Which one of the five is least like the  
other four?**

**POTATO**

**CORN**

**APPLE**

**CARROT**

**BEAN**





**Which one of the five makes the  
best comparison?  
Milk is to glass as letter is to:**

**STAMP**

**PEN**

**ENVELOPE**

**BOOK**

**MAIL**



**If some Smaugs are Thors and some  
Thors are Thrains, then some  
Smaugs are definitely Thrains**

**TRUE**

**NEITHER**

**FALSE**



**Jack is taller than Peter, and Bill is shorter than Jack.  
Which of the following statements would be most  
accurate?**

**A- Bill is taller  
than Peter.**

**B- Bill is shorter  
than Peter.**

**C- Bill is as tall as  
Peter.**

**D- It is impossible  
to tell whether Bill  
or Peter is taller.**



**31. If there are no dancers that aren't slim and no singers that aren't dancers, then which statements are always true?**

- A. There is not one slim person that isn't a dancer.
- B. All singers are slim.
- C. Anybody slim is also a singer.
- D. None of the above.



•The gas provider Centrica has seen its half-year profits fall by 20% to £992 million. Despite this it has decided to increase its dividend to shareholders to 3.9p per share. The rise in energy prices released before the announcement of Centrica's profits was designed, said the company, to restore "reasonable profitability". The chief executive, Sam Laidlaw, said, "We produced a good set of results in tough market conditions... we will continue to concentrate on improving customer service in British Gas..." This is an interesting statement given the record rise in prices to households. The announcement of profits which are not far off one billion pounds, a day after the announcement of the rise in price and the increase in dividend to shareholders, is likely to provoke angry reaction. Many will question the extent of the market power that Centrica possesses. There will also be those that will question what the phrase "reasonable profitability" means in the context of profits of nearly one billion pounds.





**33. Companies increase shareholder dividends when profits fall.**

- A. True
- B. False
- C. Cannot Tell



**34. One way companies can restore profitability is to increase prices.**

- A. True
- B. False
- C. Cannot Tell



**35. Centrica's half-year profits are not far off one million pounds.**

- A. True
- B. False
- C. Cannot Tell



**36. Announcing large profits, soon after announcing price rises, is likely to provoke angry reaction.**

- A. True
- B. False
- C. Cannot Tell



# RANDOM QUESTIONS

**WHO IS  
SMARTER !!**



**Which one of the four is least like  
the other four?**

**TOUCH**

**TASTE**

**HEAR**

**SMILE**

**SEE**





**The price of an article was cut 20% for a sale. By what percent must the item be increased to again sell the article at the original price?**

15%

20%

25%

30%

40%



**Mary had a number of cookies. After eating one, she gave half the remaining to her sister. After eating another cookie, she gave half of what was left to her brother. Mary now had only five cookies left. How many cookies did she start with?**

11

22

23

45

46



**Which one of the numbers does not belong to the following series?**

**2 - 3 - 6 - 7 - 8 - 14 - 15 - 30**

**THREE**

**SEVEN**

**EIGHT**

**FIFTEEN**

**THIRTY**



**If some Bifurs are Bofurs and all Gloins are Bofurs, then  
some Bifurs are definitely Gloins."  
This statement is**

**TRUE**

**FALSE**

**NEITHER**



**Which one of the five makes the best comparison?  
Belt is to buckle as shoe is to:**

**SOCK**

**TOE**

**FOOT**

**LACE**

**SOLE**



**John received \$.41 change from a purchase in the drugstore.  
If he received six coins, three of the coins had to be:**

**PENNIES**

**NICKELS**

**DIMES**

**QUARTERS**

**HALF**

**DOLLARS**





**If all Wargs are Twerps and no Twerps are Gollums,  
then no Gollums are definitely Wargs." This statement  
is:**

**TRUE**

**FALSE**

**NEITHER**



**Which one of the five is least like the  
other four?**

**HORSE**

**KANGAROO**

**ZEBRA**

**DEER**

**DONKEY**



**Which one of the five makes the best  
comparison?  
Finger is to hand as leaf is to:**

**TREE**

**BRANCH**

**BLOSSOM**

**TWIG**

**BARK**



**Which one of the five make the best  
comparison?**

**Foot is to knee as hand is to:**

**FINGER**

**ELBOW**

**TOE**

**LEG**

**ARM**



**Mary was both 13th highest and 13th lowest in a spelling contest.**

**How many people were in the contest?**

13

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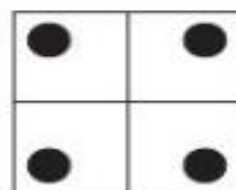
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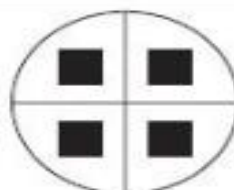
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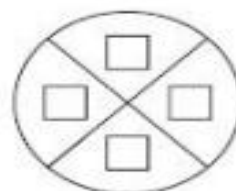
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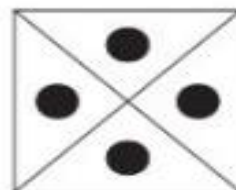
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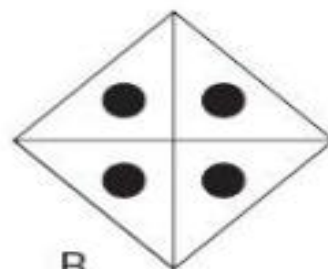
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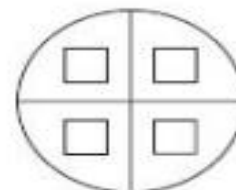
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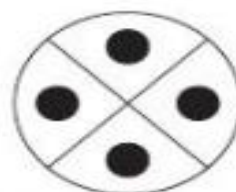
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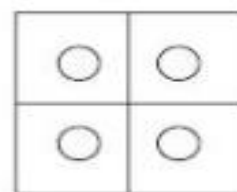
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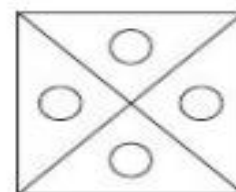
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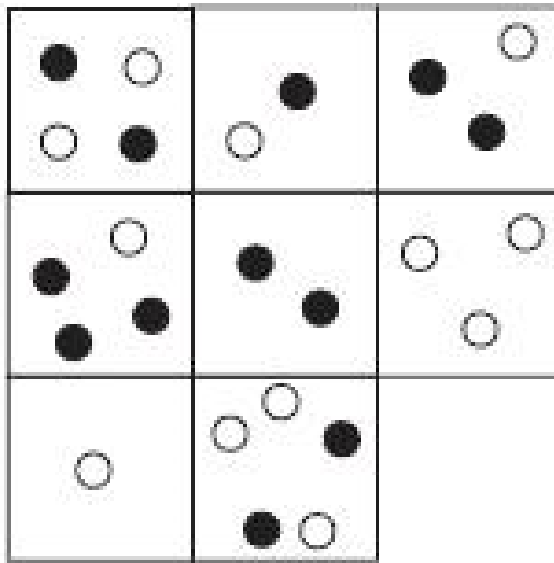
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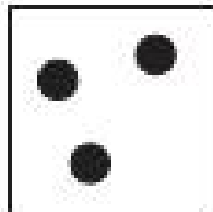
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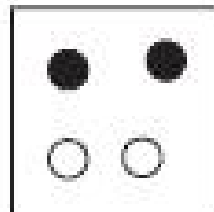
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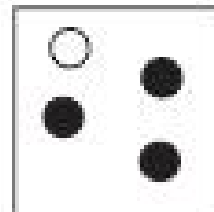
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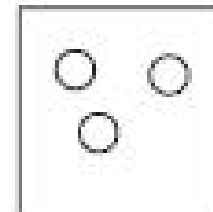
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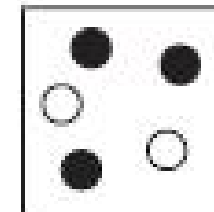
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