

TCS NQT Numerical Ability Test

(Sample Questions)

Q1. The average age of a class of 20 students is 15 years. If the age of the teacher is included, which is 30 years, what is the new average age?

- a. 18.6 years*
- b. 15.7 years*
- c. 21 years*
- d. 30 years*

Q2. A company sells 100 widgets in a month. If 20% of the widgets are defective, how many defective widgets did the company sell?

- a. 2*
- b. 4*
- c. 10*
- d. 20*

Q3. Ramesh sold the stock of Company X for ₹7,200 and incurred a loss of 40%. At what price should he have sold the stock to have gained a profit of 25%?

- a. ₹12,800*
- b. ₹16,400*
- c. ₹13,800*
- d. ₹15,000*

Q4. If a company sells a bike with a marked price of ₹78,000 and gives a discount of 5% on ₹60,000 and 3% on the remaining amount, then the actual price charged by the company for a bike (in ₹) is:

- a. 74,460*
- b. 75,520*
- c. 75,850*
- d. 75,952*

Q5. If there are 63 litres of milk in a drum with a milk-to-water ratio of 7 : 9, what is the quantity of water in this mixture?

- a. 63 litres*
- b. 79 litres*
- c. 81 litres*
- d. 98 litres*

Q6. A recipe for a smoothie calls for 1 cup of strawberries for every 2 cups of milk. If you want to make a smoothie using 4 cups of strawberries, then how many cups of milk should you use?

- a. 2**
- b. 4**
- c. 6**
- d. 8**

Q7. The ratio of the compound interest accrued for 2 years and the simple interest accrued for 1 year on the same amount at $r\%$ p.a. is 2.21. What is the value of r ?

- a. 21**
- b. 11**
- c. 20**
- d. 10**

Q8. The ratio between the speeds of two trains is 3 : 5. If the second train runs 300 km in 4 hours, then the speed of the first train (in km/h) is:

- a. 35**
- b. 45**
- c. 55**
- d. 65**

Q9. 4 women and 3 men can do a piece of work in 20 days while 2 women and 4 men can do the same piece of work in 30 days. How much time will be taken by 7 women and 9 men to do the same piece of work?

- a. 21 days**
- b. 18 days**
- c. 15 days**
- d. 10 days**