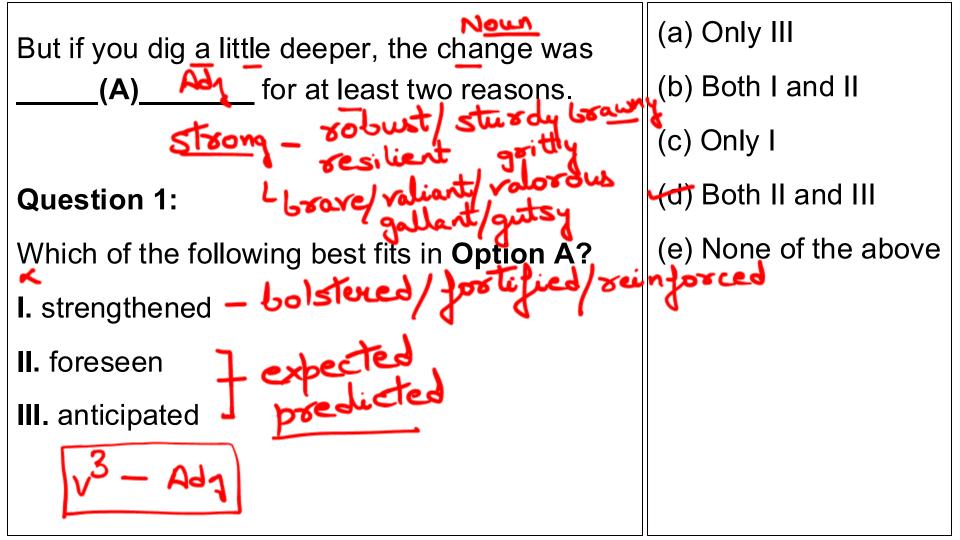
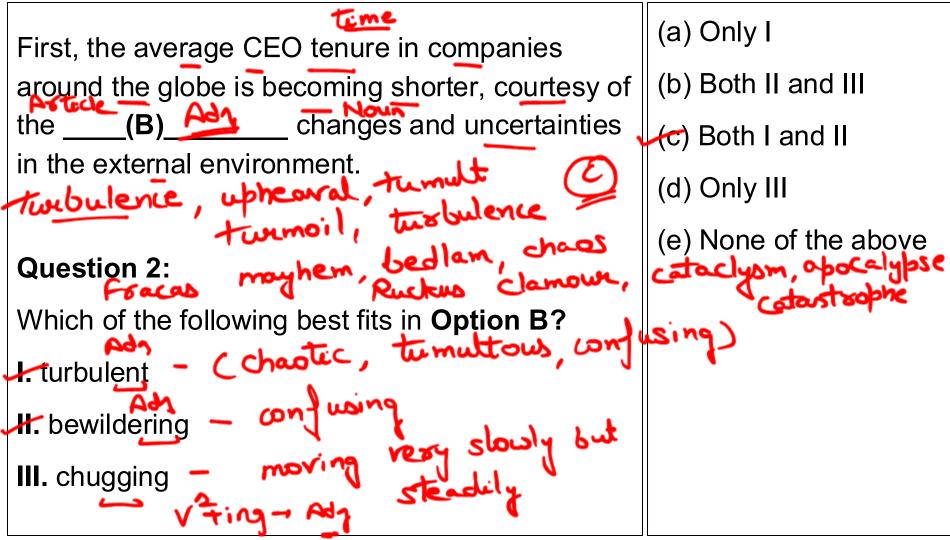
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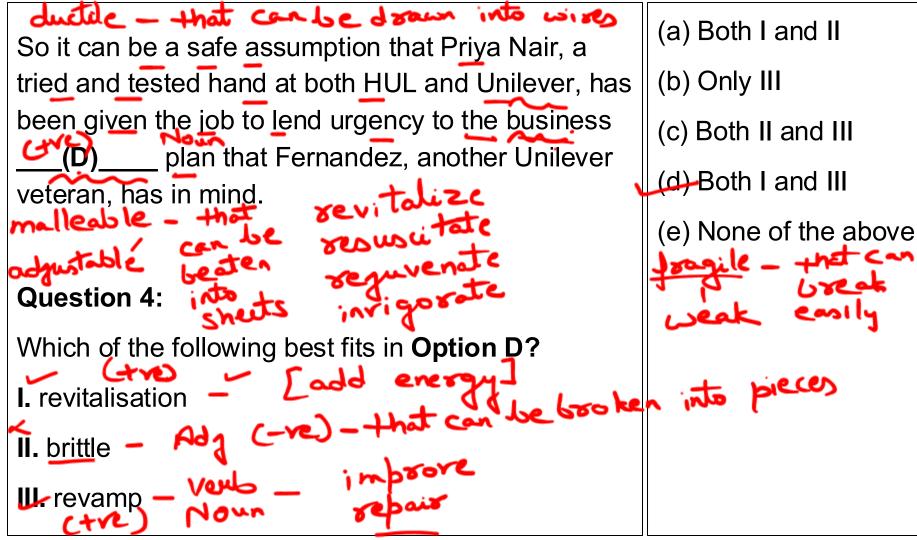
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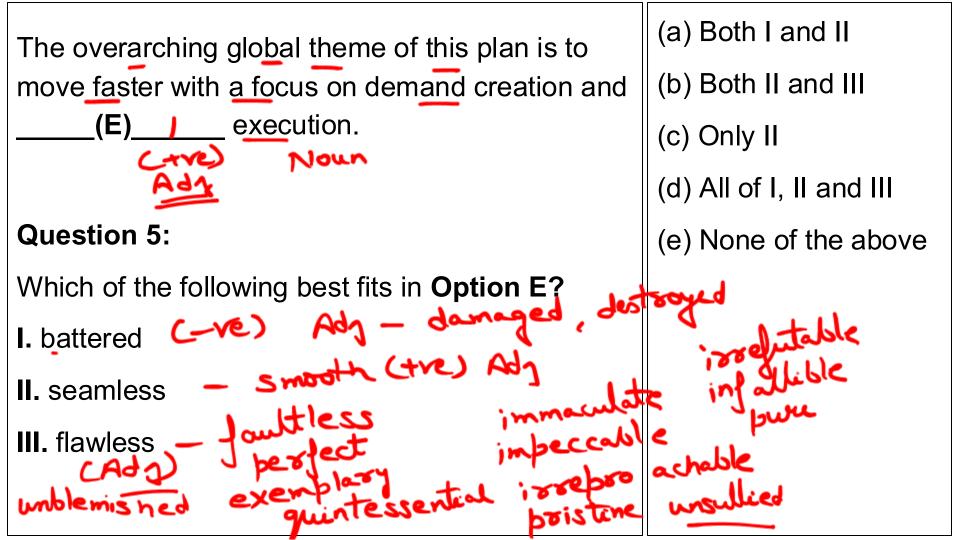
The swift leadership change at Hindustan Unilever (HUL), has been given the job to lend urgency to the announced on Thursday, came as a surprise to many, which business ____(**D**)___ plan is understandable as Rohit Jawa is only the second CEO in HUL's long history to have just a two-year stint at the helm. that Fernandez, another But if you dig a little deeper, the change was ___(A)___ for Unilever veteran, has in at least two reasons. First, the average CEO tenure in mind. The overarching companies around the globe is becoming shorter, courtesy of global theme of this plan is the ____(B)___ changes and uncertainties in the external to move faster with a focus environment. Second, Unilever itself saw the abrupt exit of on demand creation and Hein Schumacher as the global CEO just 20 months into his **_(E)**___ execution. tenure in February. He was replaced by Fernando Fernandez, who the board thought could ___(C)___ the Tone company's growth plan "with urgency". It all came down to that one word, much beloved by Wall Street: urgency. So it can be a safe assumption that Priya Nair, a tried and tested hand at both HUL and Unilever,





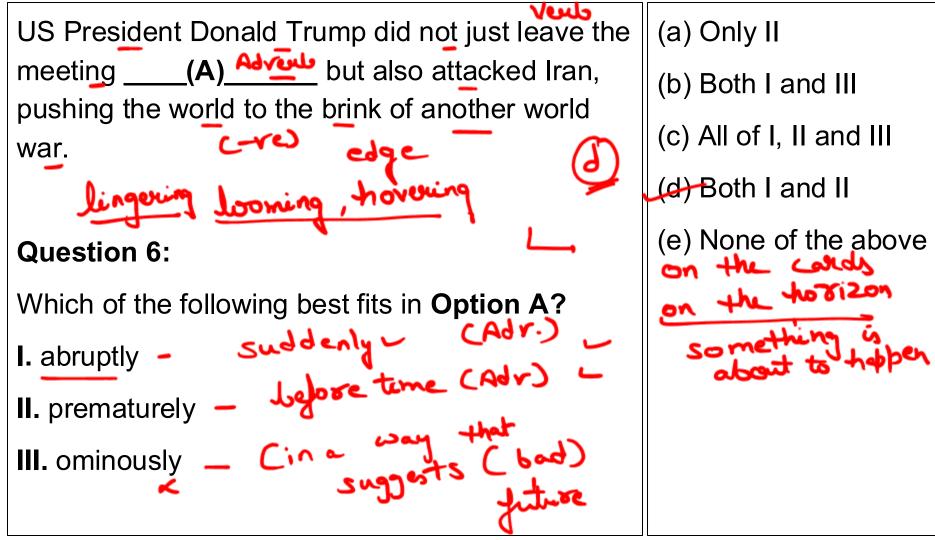
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company's growth plan "with urgency".	(e) Both II and III
	(d) Only II
Question 3:	(e) None of the above
Which of the following best fits in Option C? I. intercede (resolve a confidence of confidence) III. leverage III. capitalise on	

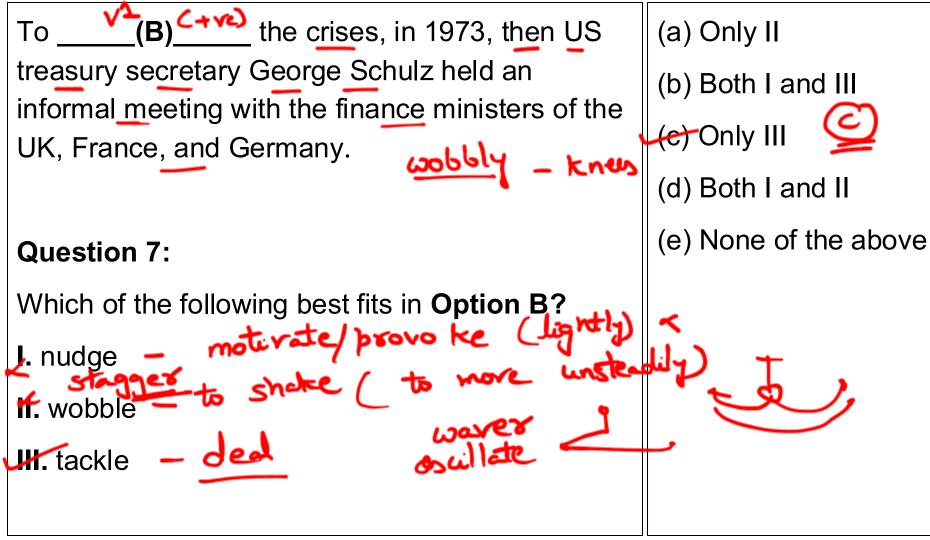




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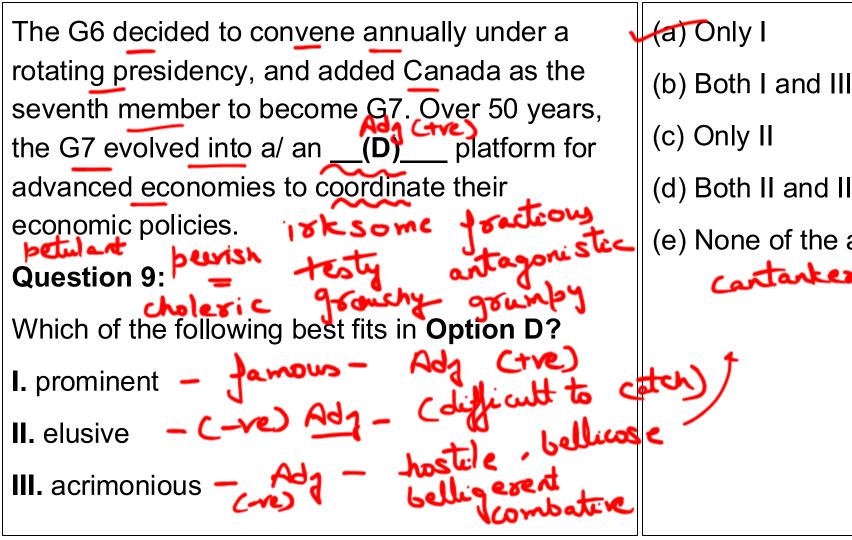
The G7 meeting in Canada last month made waves, mainly for member to become G7. Over the wrong reasons. US President Donald Trump did not just 50 years, the G7 evolved into leave the meeting __(A)___ but also attacked Iran, pushing the a/ an __(**D**)___ platform for world to the brink of another world war. The G7 was established advanced economies to coordinate their economic 50 years ago, but things have not changed much since then. The start of the 1970s brought multiple economic crises in the world policies. In 1981, the European Economic Community was economy—the breakdown of Bretton Woods, oil shock, and the dual problems of high inflation and high unemployment. To made an informal member and __(B)___ the crises, in 1973, then US treasury secretary George was **(E)** by the Schulz held an informal meeting with the finance ministers of the European Union in 2009. UK, France, and Germany. In mid-1973, Japan was added, Russia was made a member in 1998, but its membership was making it G5. In 1975, most of the G5 countries went through political ____(C) and leadership changes. Given the crisis in suspended after Russia's geopolitics and geoeconomics, the French presidency organised annexation of Crimea in 2014. the first formal meeting of the G5, with Italy as the sixth member, at Château de Rambouillet. The G6 decided to convene annually under a rotating presidency, and added Canada as the seventh



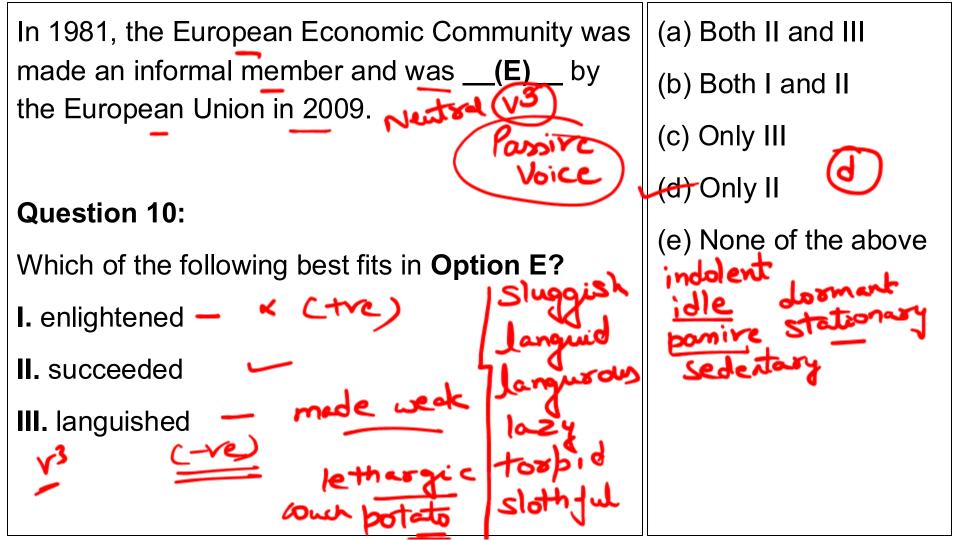


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political(C) and leadership changes.	(c) Both II and III
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Question 8:	(d) All of I, II and III
Which of the following best fits in Option C? Lebound Lebound	(e) None of the abo
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II. upheaval - tudoulence (-ve) III. overhaul - repair, revamp (+ve))
III. overhaul - repair / repair	

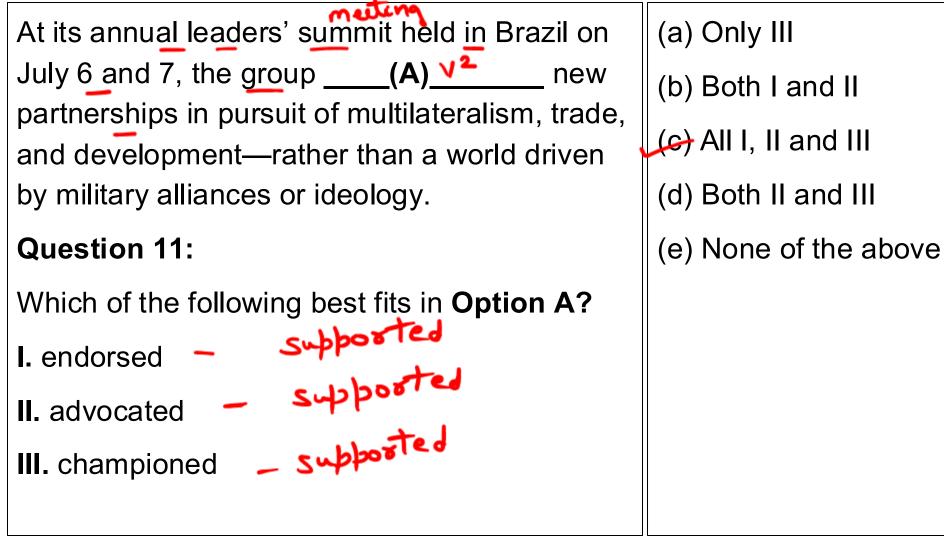
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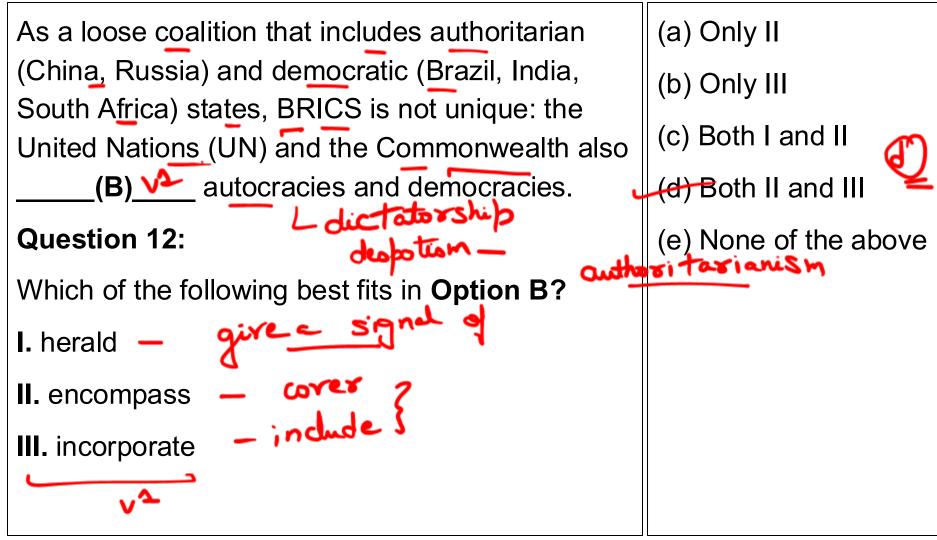


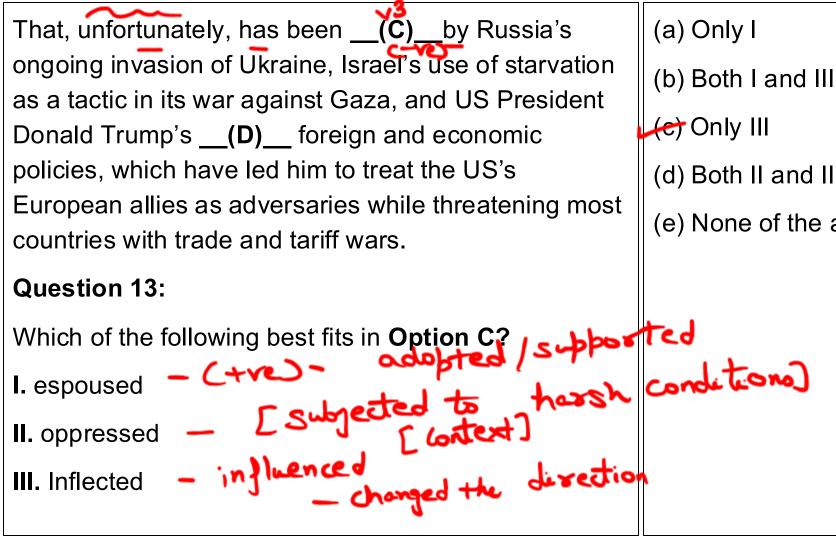
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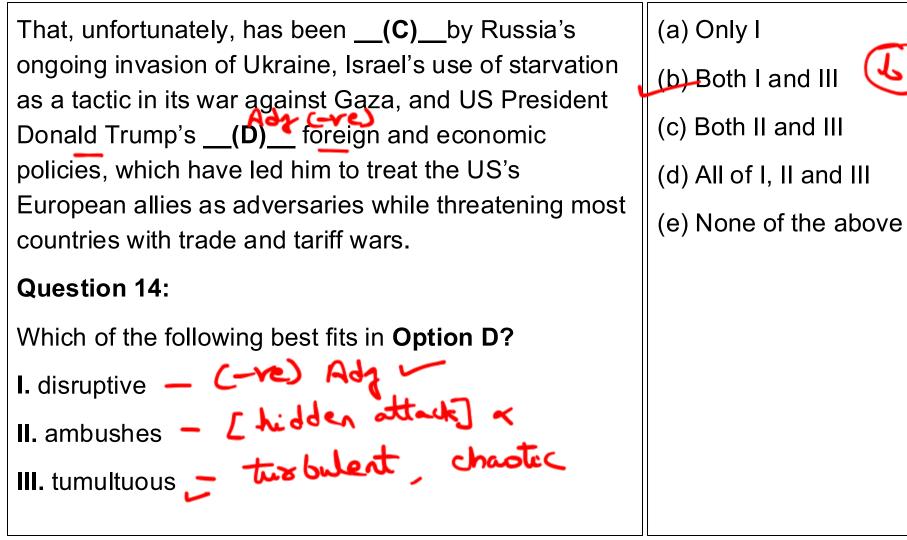
What brought together Brazil, Russia, India, China, and South international shockwaves. So has Africa (BRICS), along with six new members—Egypt, Ethiopia, Iran, what Brazil's President Luiz Inácio Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates, and Indonesia—at the Lula da Silva described as "the latest BRICS+ summit in Rio de Janeiro was their common desire to genocide carried out by Israel in explore new ways of addressing their development challenges. At Gaza." However, while appearing its annual leaders' summit held in Brazil on July 6 and 7, the group to __(E)_ the Trump __(A)__ new partnerships in pursuit of multilateralism, trade, and administration's tariffs and foreign development—rather than a world driven by military alliances or policies, the BRICS final statement ideology. As a loose coalition that includes authoritarian (China, did not directly mention him or the Russia) and democratic (Brazil, India, South Africa) states, BRICS US. In short, the ending of one is not unique: the United Nations (UN) and the Commonwealth also international order—signified by the US's sudden retreat from **(B)** autocracies and democracies. BRICS is not synonymous with a new world order. That, unfortunately, has been (C) by multilateralism, international law, Russia's ongoing invasion of Ukraine, Israel's use of starvation as a and global governance—is not necessarily making way for the tactic in its war against Gaza, and US President Donald Trump's **(D)** foreign and economic policies, which have led him to treat sudden arrival of a brave new the US's European allies as adversaries while threatening most world led by a larger BRICS countries with trade and tariff wars. Trump's attack on the nuclear group. facilities of Iran—one of the new members of BRICS—has also sent







(d) Both II and III (e) None of the above

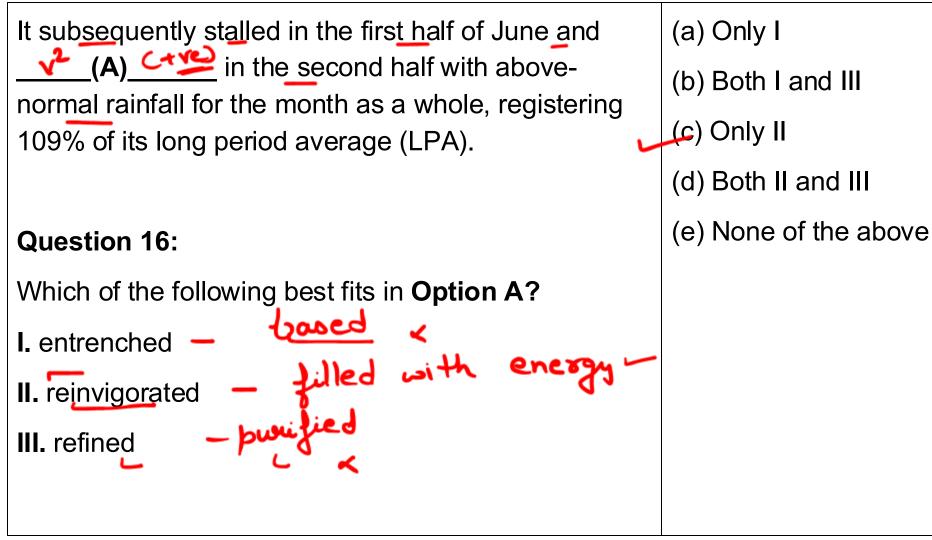


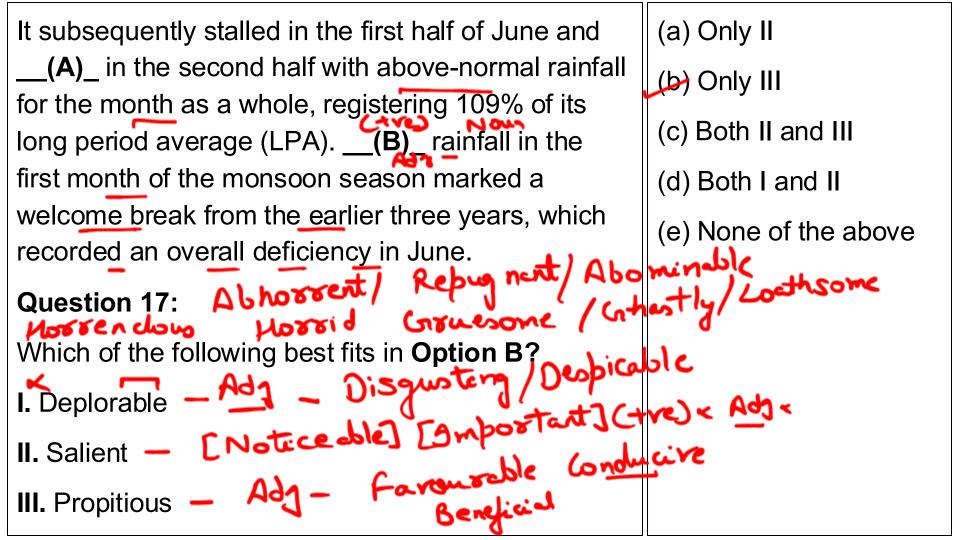
However, while appearing to __(E) the (a) Only I Trump administration's tariffs and foreign (b) Both I and III policies, the BRICS final statement did not (c) Only II directly mention him or the US. themper/tinder/deroil
comb/contain/check (d) Both I and II throttle (e) None of the above encumber/smother/custail **Question 15:** Which of the following best fits in Option E? inhibit

I. stymie - breve tt/delex/obstruct/ inhibit III. downplay cres berate denigrate, deside exposiate swy snew vibe mock new, snew

Set-4
Direction (16-20): The passage given below contains some blanks wherein the words have been removed. Find the word from the given options that is suitable for each blank and mark that as
your answer.

The good news for agricultural operations during the kharif or months in this regard. Kharif summer season is that the southwest monsoon has rapidly sowing, in fact, accounts for advanced to cover the entire country nine days ahead of its 60% of the annual crop normal schedule on July 8. The monsoon also had an early production in the country. onset over Kerala eight days before its normal date of June The prospect for above-1. It subsequently stalled in the first half of June and normal rains should result in ___(**E**)____ levels of (A) in the second half with above-normal kharif food grain output in rainfall for the month as a whole, registering 109% of its long period average (LPA). ____(B)___ rainfall in the first the 2025–26 crop year from month of the monsoon season marked a welcome break July to June. from the earlier three years, which recorded an overall deficiency in June. In July, too, the India Meteorological Department (IMD) forecasts above-normal rainfall of 106% of the LPA, which ____(C)____ well for brisk sowing operations for crops like paddy, coarse cereals, pulses, and soya bean. June and July are the most (D)





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If. bodes — gives a signal

(e) None of the above

