

Directions for Q.1 & Q.2 : In each of the following questions, a number series is given with one term missing. Choose the correct alternative that will continue the same pattern and replace the question mark in the given series.

- 2760, 960, ?, 48, 16, 8
(a) 120 (b) 160 (c) 192 (d) 240
- 4, 10, ?, 82, 244, 730
(a) 24 (b) 28 (c) 77 (d) 218
- In the series 10, 17, 24, 31, 38, which of the following will be a number of the series?
(a) 48 (b) 346 (c) 574 (d) 1003
- Find the next term in the series : BMO, EOQ, HQS, ?
(a) KSU (b) LMN (c) SOV (d) SOW

Direction for Q.5 : In the following question, various terms of an alphabet series are given with one or more terms missing as shown by (?). Choose the missing terms out of the given alternatives.

- ADVENTURE, DVENTURE, DVENTUR, ?, VENTU
(a) DVENT (b) VENTURE
(c) VENTUR (d) DVENTU (e) None

Direction for Q.6 : In the following letter series, some of the letters are missing which are given in that order as one of the alternatives below it. Choose the correct alternative.

- aa _ aaa _ aaaa _ aaaa _ b
(a) baaa (b) bbaa (c) bbbb (d) bbba

Directions for Q.7 & Q.10 : There is a certain relation between two given words on one side of :: and one word is given on another side of :: while another word is to be found from the given alternatives, having the same relation with this word as the given pair has. Select the best alternative.

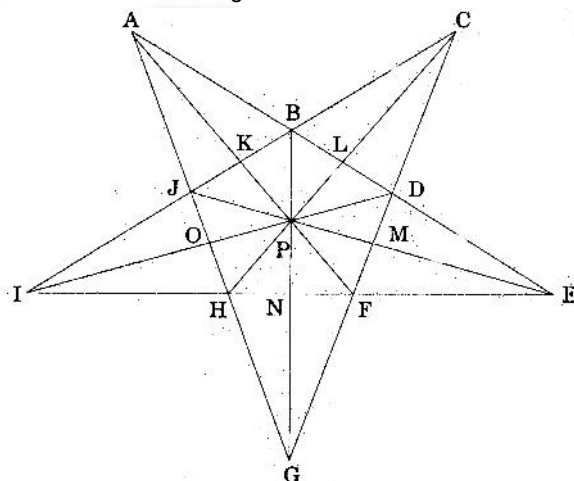
- Deep : Shallow :: Freedom : ?
(a) Prison (b) Discipline
(c) Convict (d) Democracy
- Ludhiana : Hosiery :: Surat : ?
(a) Silk (b) Textile (c) Pottery (d) Wool
- Monarchy : King :: Aristocracy : ?
(a) Nobles (b) Wealthy (c) People (d) God
- Connoisseur : Art :: Gourmet : ?
(a) Food (b) Money (c) Drink (d) Flesh

Directions for Q.11 : There is a certain relationship between two given numbers on one side of :: and one number is given on another side of :: while another number is to be found from the given alternatives, having the same relation with this number as the numbers of the given pair bear. Select the best alternative.

- 182 : ? :: 210 : 380
(a) 156 (b) 240 (c) 272 (d) 342
- 0.16 : 0.0016 :: 1.02 : ?
(a) 0.0102 (b) 0.102 (c) 1.020 (d) 10.20

Directions for Q.13 : The following question is based on the letters written along the figure given. The relationship between the two terms written to the left of :: is retained in the two terms

to the right of it. Out of these four terms, one term is missing. Choose the term out of the given alternatives.



- BPM : GNJ :: ? : AKD
(a) FPO (b) FPM (c) HPB (d) LPH (e) KPD

Directions for Q.14 : There is some relationship between the two terms to the left of :: and the same relationship holds between two terms to its right. Also, in each question one term either to the right of :: or to the left of it is missing. This term is given as one of the alternatives given below each question. Find out this term.

- B : 16 :: D : ?
(a) 120 (b) 150 (c) 200 (d) 256

Directions for Q.15 : In the following question, choose that set of numbers from the four alternative sets, that is similar to the given set.

- Given set : (18, 8, 2)
(a) 3, 7, 1 (b) 11, 12, 10 (c) 17, 9, 3 (d) 24, 22, 4
- Choose the odd numeral which is different from others in the group :
(a) 21 (b) 36 (c) 49 (d) 56 (e) 91
- Choose the odd numeral pair/group in each of the following question :
(a) 22 - 3 (b) 28 - 4 (c) 36 - 5 (d) 43 - 6 (e) 50 - 7
- Choose the odd numeral pair/group in each of the following question :

- (a) 0.50, $1\frac{1}{2}$, 3.00, 0.25 (b) $\frac{1}{2}$, 0.75, $1\frac{1}{2}$, 1.00
(c) 0.5, 0.75, 1.5, 1 (d) 1.00, $1\frac{1}{2}$, 3.00, 2.00

- In the following question, some groups of letters are given, all of which, except one, share a common similarity while one is different. Choose the odd one out.
(a) XW (b) FG (c) ML (d) PO (e) TS
- In the following question, five groups of letters are given, out of which four are alike in a certain way while one is different. Choose the odd one.
(a) abcq (b) pqrB (c) mnpC (d) xyzT (e) efgP

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1. (c) : The pattern is $\div 6, \div 5, \div 4, \div 3, \div 2$. So the missing term = $960 \div 5 = 192$.
2. (b) : Each number in the series is 2 less than thrice the preceding number. So, missing number = $(10 \times 3) - 2 = 28$.
3. (b) : The given series consists of numbers each of which, on dividing by 7, leaves a remainder 3. No other number except 346 satisfies the property.
4. (b) : Clearly, the individual letters of the terms of the given series follow the pattern shown below :
 1st letter : $A \xrightarrow{+3} D \xrightarrow{+4} H \xrightarrow{+5} M \xrightarrow{+6} S \xrightarrow{+7} Z$
 2nd letter : $B \xrightarrow{+5} G \xrightarrow{+6} M \xrightarrow{+7} T \xrightarrow{+8} B \xrightarrow{+9} K$
 3rd letter : $D \xrightarrow{+7} K \xrightarrow{+8} S \xrightarrow{+9} B \xrightarrow{+10} L \xrightarrow{+11} W$
 Thus, the missing term is ZKW. Hence the answer is (b).
5. (c) : One letter from the beginning and one from the end of a term are removed, one by one, in alternate steps.
6. (d) : The series is $aab/aaab/aaaab/aaaaab$.
 Thus, the number of a's is increasing by one in the successive sequence.
7. (b) : The word in each pair are antonyms of each other.
8. (b) : First is a place famous for the production of second.
9. (a) : Monarchy is rule by a king. Similarly, aristocracy is government by the nobles.
10. (a) : First has a good taste for the second.
11. (d) : Clearly, $210 = (15)^2 - 15$ and $380 = (15 + 5)^2 - (15 + 5)$
 Now, $182 = (13)^2 + 13$
 So, required number = $(13 + 5)^2 + (13 + 5) = (18)^2 + 18 = 342$
12. (a) : The relationship is $100x : x$.
13. (a) :
14. (d) : B is the 2nd letter of the English alphabet and $2^4 = 16$.
 Similarly, D is the 4th letter of the English alphabet and $4^4 = 256$.
15. (d) : Each set consists of even numbers only whose H.C.F. is 2.
16. (b) : Each of the numbers except 36, is divisible by 7.
17. (b) : In all other pairs, the first number when divided by the second leaves 1 as remainder.
18. (a) : In all other groups, the numbers are in the ratio $2 : 3 : 6 : 4$.
19. (b) : All other groups contain two consecutive letters in reverse order.
20. (a) : Each of the other groups contains a capital letter.

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