## Combined Higher Secondary Level Examination 2024 Tier I

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Q.1 The following sentence has been divided into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error. The meeting / will taking / place next / Wednesday.

Ans

X 1. place next

2. will taking

X 3. The meeting

X 4. Wednesday.

Q.2 The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.

Urgent activities are those things / that you must do immediately, / as they require quick action / and cannot be put on.

Ans

✓ 1. and cannot be put on

X 2. that you must do immediately

X 3. Urgent activities are those things

X 4. as they require quick action

Q.3 The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error. (1) When Christy (2) grew out, (3) he turned out (4) to be a gentleman.

Ans

X 1.4

X 2.3

**3**. 2

X 4. 1

Q.4 The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error. Rashmi was / quite amusing when / she heard about / what had happened.

Ans

X 1. Rashmi was

2. quite amusing when

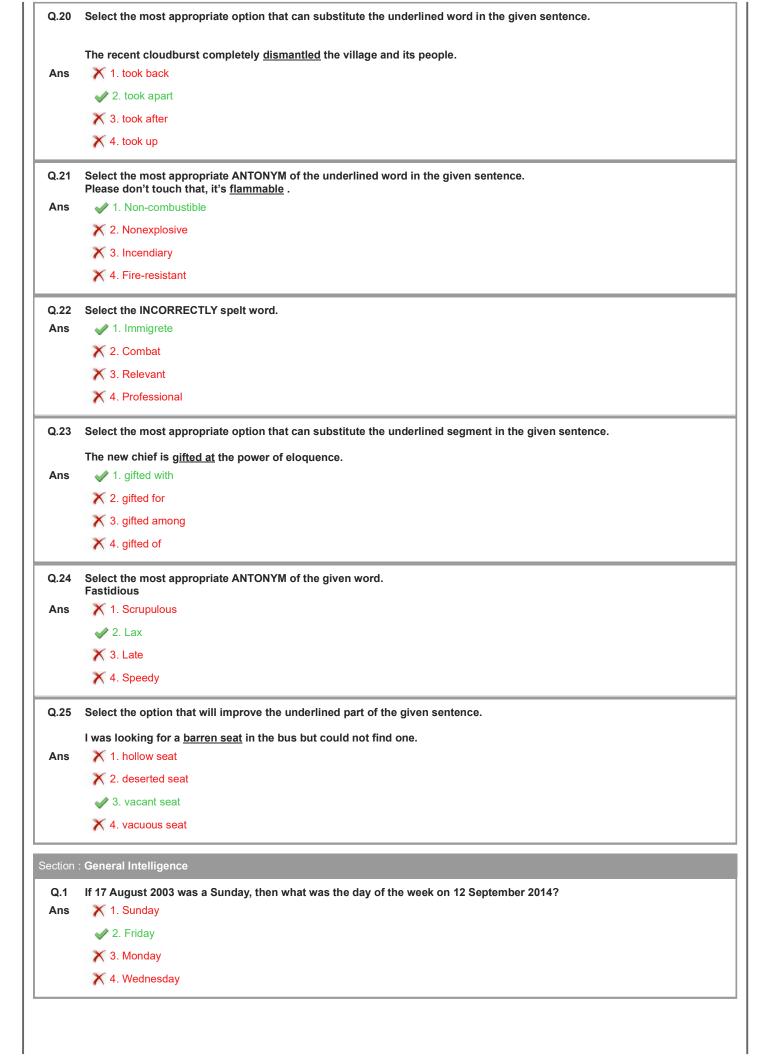
X 3. she heard about

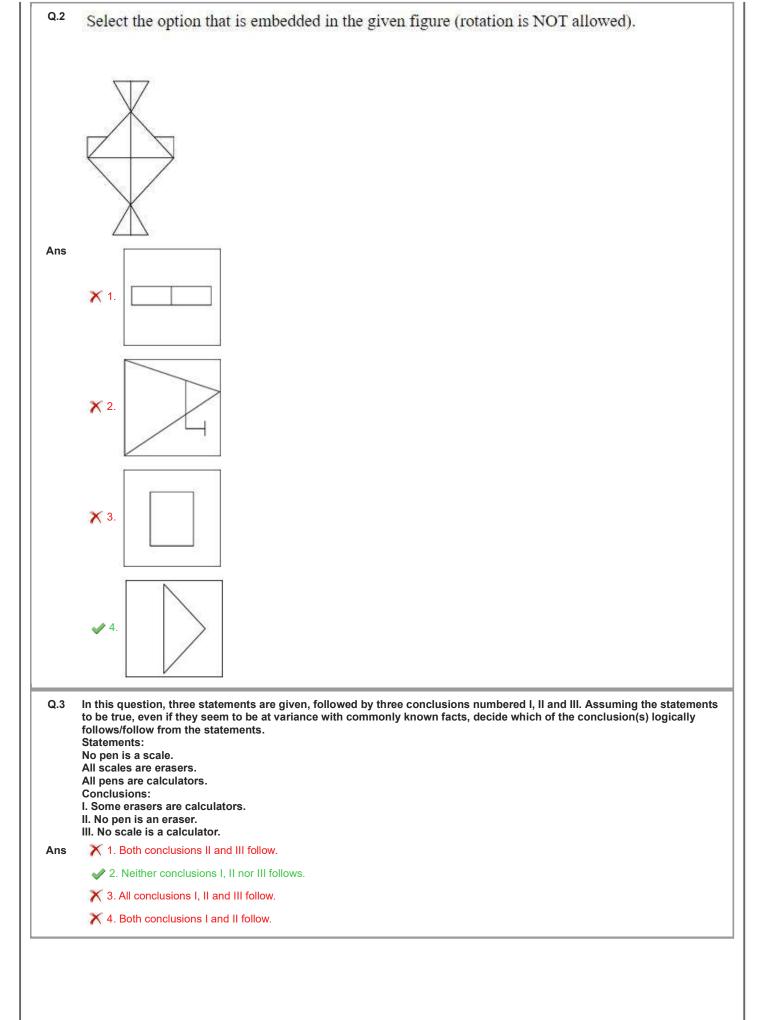
4. what had happened

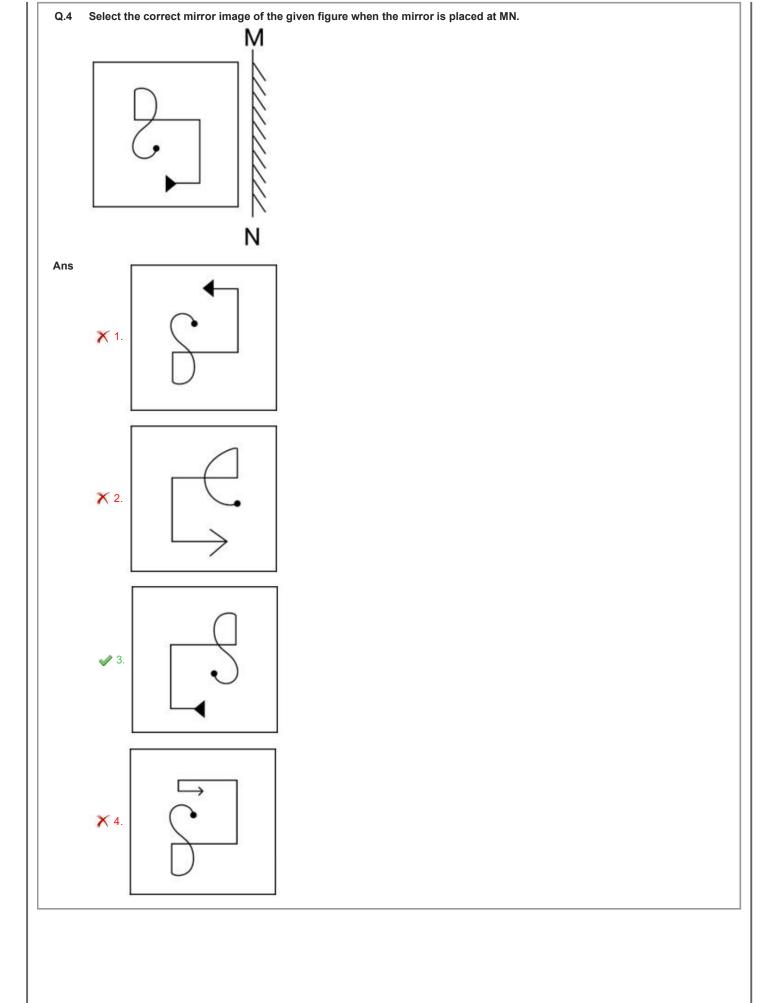
	Comprehension:
	In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage carefully and select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank.
	There is nothing more (1) than when you sit down at your table to study with the most sincere of intentions and instead of being able to finish the task at hand you find your thoughts (2) However, there are certain techniques that you can use to (3) your concentration. To begin with, one should (4) to create the physical environment that is conducive to (5) thought.
	SubQuestion No: 5
Q.5	Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank no. 1
Ans	X 1. exciting
	2. frustrating
	X 3. surprising
	X 4. interesting
	Comprehension:
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	SubQuestion No : 6
Q.6	Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank no. 2.
Ans	X 1. worrying
	× 2. tiring
	X 3. interesting
	✓ 4. wandering
	Comprehension:
	In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage carefully and select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank.
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	SubQuestion No: 7
Q.7	Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank no. 3.
Ans	√ 1. enhance
	× 2. convince
	X 3. commit
	X 4. discover

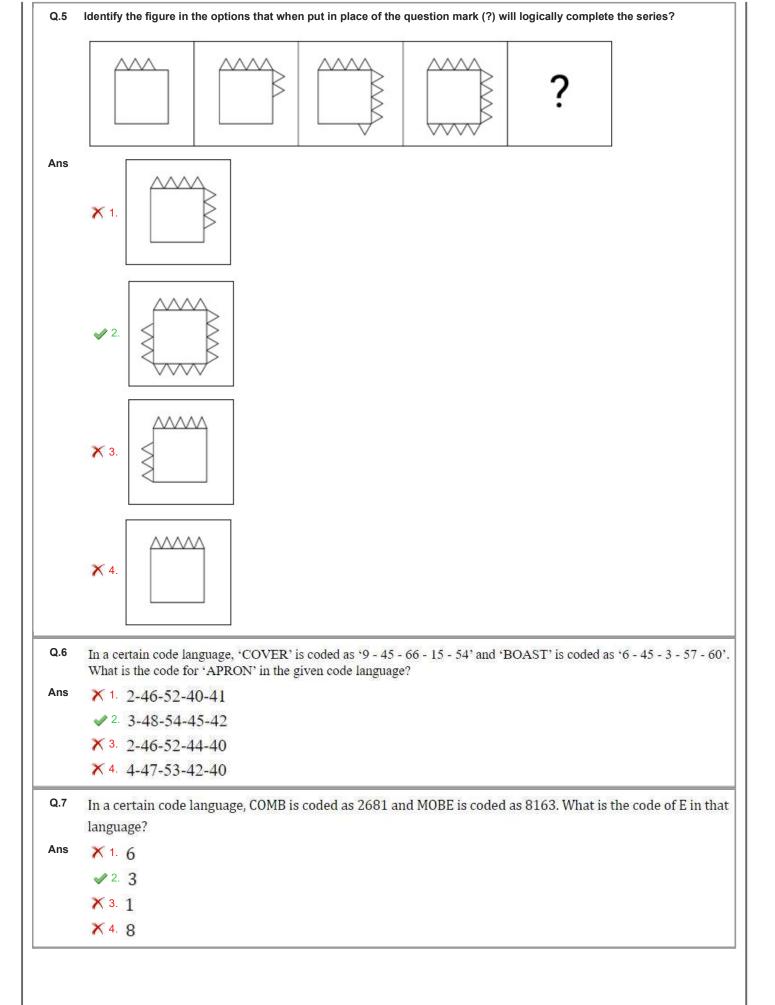
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	SubQuestion No: 8
Q.8	Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank no. 4.
Ans	√ 1. attempt
	X 2. announce
	X 3. imagine
	X 4. lead
	Comprehension:
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	SubQuestion No: 9
Q.9	Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank no. 5.
Ans	X 1. dazzling
	√ 2. focussed
	X 3. cautious
	★ 4. joyful
Q.10	Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
	My sister's paintings were at the national museum.
Ans	X 1. in display
	√ 2. on display
	★ 3. upon display
	X 4. into display
Q.11	Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom. Stick to one's guns
Ans	X 1. To become a rebel
	× 2. To shoot at
	X 3. To become unfaithful to
	✓ 4. To remain faithful to
Q.12	Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
Ans	✓ 1. Litrature
	X 2. Reformation
	X 3. Schedule
	X 4. Miserable

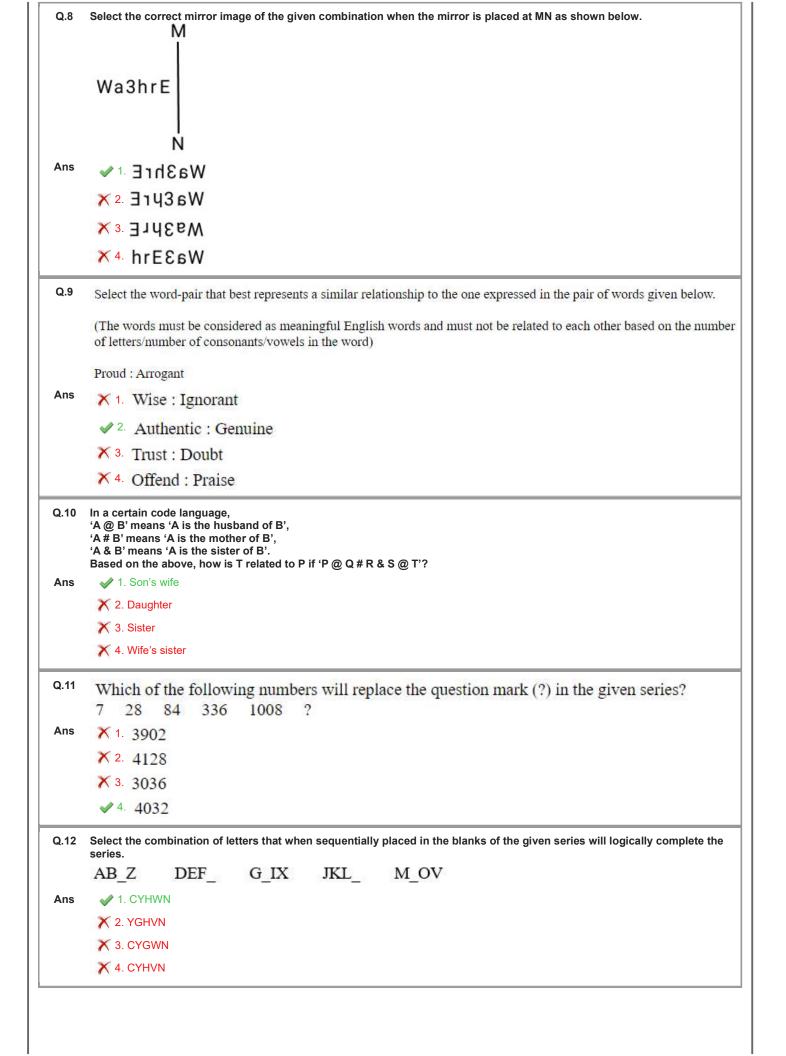
Q.13	Select the most appropriate option that can replace the bracketed word segment in the following sentence.  An (imperfect positioning) of the Sun, Earth and Moon results in the Moon passing through only part of Earth's umbra, resulting in a partial lunar eclipse.
Ans	X 1. imperfect alliance
	X 2. imperfect revolution
	X 3. imperfect allegiance
	✓ 4. imperfect alignment
Q.14	Select the option that can substitute the bracketed word segment meaningfully. The city of Hyderabad is located (on the heart from Telangana).
Ans	X 1. with the heart in Telangana
	X 2. in the heart with Telangana
	X 3. of the heart in Telangana
Q.15	Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word in the given sentence. Anthony Trollope was an <u>industrious</u> and disciplined writer.
Ans	X 1. Exhausting
	× 2. Skittish
	X 3. Dizzy
	√ 4. Lazy
Q.16	Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the word 'Contaminate' from the given sentence.  She spent the entire night working non-stop to clean the blood stains from the rug.
Ans	× 1. rug
	X 2. spent
	X 3. working
	✓ 4. clean
Q.17	Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word. Frivolity
Ans	X 1. Consequence
	X 2. Substantial
	X 3. Meaningful
	✓ 4. Insignificance
Q.18	Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom. Have a bee in your bonnet
Ans	√ 1. Be preoccupied or obsessed with something
	X 2. Unable to stay at a place for long
	X 3. To keep worrying about yourself
	X 4. Having a cruel intention or grudge against someone
Q.19	Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.
	There is no way I can swallow the <u>ghastly</u> medicine.
Ans	✓ 1. horrible
	× 2. comforting
	X 3. agreeable
	X 4. pleasant



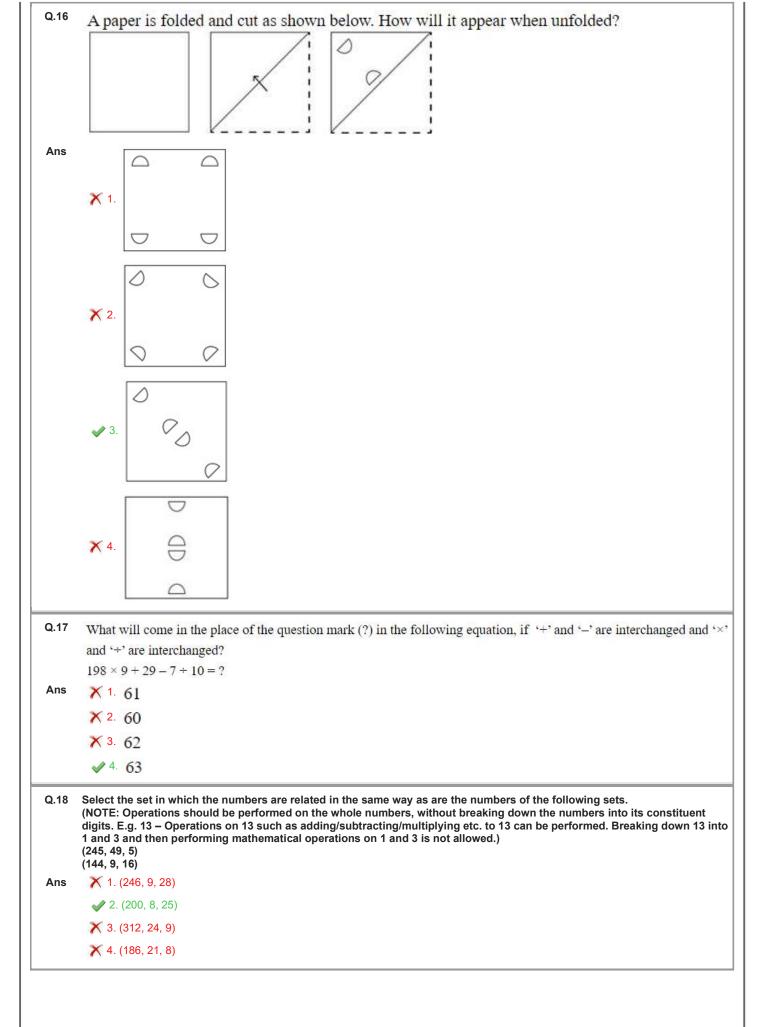




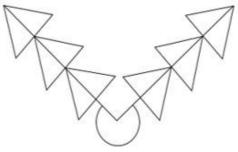




Q.13 The position of how many letters will remain unchanged if each of the letters in the word MENTOR is arranged in the alphabetical order? X 1. Two Ans X 2. None X 4. Three Q.14 'D + E' means 'D is the father of E' 'D - E' means 'D is the sister of E' 'D × E' means 'D is the mother of E' 'D  $\div$  E' means 'D is the brother of E'. Which of the following represents 'K is the brother's daughter of L'? √ 1. L – F + K – P Ans X 2. K – L × X ÷ U X 3. U + F + K ÷ P X 4. L ÷ Z × X – K If 'Z' stands for '÷', 'H' stands for 'x', 'M' stands for '+' and 'T' stands for '-', what will come in place of the question mark (?) Q.15 in the following equation? 52 M 36 Z 18 T 46 H 19 = ? X 1. -754 Ans √ 2. –820 X 3. -654 **X** 4. –898



Q.19 How many triangles are there in the given figure?



Ans X 1. 15

X 2.20

**3**. 18

X 4. 16

Q.20 What should come in place of? in the given series based on the English alphabetical order?

PHO SRP VBQ ? BVS

Ans

X 1. UMO

X 2. CFE

X 4. VXY

Q.21 Six numbers 2, 3, 5, 7, 8 and 9 are written on different faces of a dice. Two positions of this dice are shown in the figure. Which is the number on the face opposite to the face containing 5?





Ans

X 1. 9

X 2. 2

√ 3. 3

X 4. 8

Q.22 Select the word-pair that best represents a similar relationship to the one expressed in the pair of words given below.
(The words must be considered as meaningful English words and must not be related to each other based on the number of letters/consonants/vowels in the word.)

Pleasure: Delight

Ans

X 1 Silly : Serious

X 2. Rain: Sky

X 3. Knowledge: Book

4. Demolish : Destroy

Q.23 100 is related to 20 following a certain logic. Following the same logic, 250 is related to 50. To which of the following is 550 related, following the same logic?

(NOTE: Operations should be performed on the whole numbers, without breaking down the numbers into its constituent digits. E.g. 13 – Operations on 13 such as adding /deleting /multiplying etc. to 13 can be performed. Breaking down 13 into 1 and 3 and then performing mathematical operations on 1 and 3 is not allowed)

Ans 1.105

2.110

3.115

Q.24 If 'H' stands for '÷', 'A' stands for '+', 'B' stands for '-' and 'L' stands for '×', what will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following equation?

84 H 42 A 63 L 46 B 23 = ?

Ans 🍛

√ 1. 2877

× 2. 2482

X 3. 2864

× 4. 4632

Q.25 What should come in place of the question mark (?) in the given series?

91, 100, 109, 118, 127, ?

Ans

X 1. 135

√ 2. 136

× 3. 138

X 4. 137

## Section : Quantitative Aptitude

Q.1 Find the value of the following expression.

$$\sin(30+\theta)-\cos(60-\theta)$$

Ans

 $\times$  1.  $2\sin(30+\theta)$ 

X 2. 1

 $\times$  3.  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ 

√ 4. 0

Q.2 A man invested a sum of ₹5,000 on simple interest for 5 years such that the rate of interest for the first 2 years is 10% per annum, for the next 3 years it is 12% per annum How much interest (in ₹), will he earn at the end of 5 years?

Ans X 1. 3180

**2. 2800** 

X 3. 3000

X 4. 2450

2. 15 cm3. 18 cm4. 12 cm

Q.4 A sells a bike to B at 45% profit. Then B sells it to C at 30% profit. If C pays ₹43,355, then what is the cost price of the bike

**X** 2. ₹27,000

X 3. ₹29,000

**X** 4. ₹21,000

Q.5 What is the area of the region created by the two linear equations 2x + y = 6 and 2x - y = -2 bounded by these lines and the x-axis?

Ans X 1. 5 sq. units

2. 8 sq. units

X 3. 3 sq. units

X 4. 6 sq. units

Q.6 The following table shows admitted students in an institute during the academic years 2015 to 2020 in different courses.

Academic year	Engineering	Science	Arts	Management
2015	1200	850	450	240
2016	1362	821	525	275
2017	1351	870	624	286
2018	1409	921	615	293
2019	1421	931	795	300
2020	1400	950	750	320

Which course had the highest growth rate (in percentage) during the period from 2015 to 2020?

Ans 💜 1. Arts

2. Management

X 3. Engineering

X 4. Science

Q.7 A circle of diameter 26 cm has two equal parallel chords of length 10 cm each, then the distance between the two chords is:

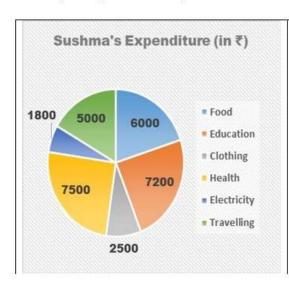
Ans X 1. 23 cm

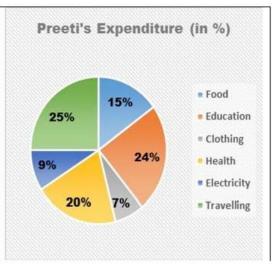
X 2. 26 cm

X 3. 21 cm

4. 24 cm

Q.8 Following Pie chart presents monthly expenditure by Sushma and Preeti in different heads. Sushma and Preeti make equal expenditure every month.





What is the ratio of central angles of expenditure on Education incurred by Sushma and Preeti?

Ans

- X 1. 2:3
- × 2. 1:2
- √ 3. 1:1
- X 4. 2:1

Q.9 Two circles touch each other externally at M. PQ is a direct common tangent to the two circles, P and Q are points of contact and ∠MPQ = 38°. ∠MQP is:

Ans

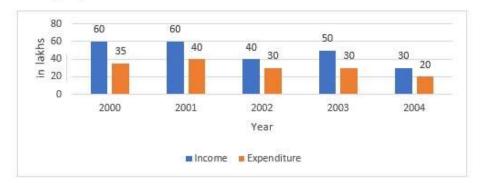
- X 1.38°
- √ 2. 52°
- X 3.42°
- X 4.48°

A fraction  $\frac{3}{5}$  is decreased by  $\frac{2}{5}$ . The resulting fraction is then increased by 20%. What is the percentage decrease/increase in the value of the original fraction?

Ans

- X 1. Increase, 60%
- X 2. Decrease, 50%
- X 3. Increase, 50%

Q.11 Study the following bar chart, which represents the income and expenditure of a company.



What is the difference of profit between the years 2001 and 2002?

Ans

- 1. 10 lakhs
- X 2. 2 lakhs
- X 3. 5 lakhs
- X 4. 15 lakhs

Q.12 A policeman starts chasing a thief who is 500 m ahead of him. The speed of the thief is 18 km/h, and the speed of the policeman is 36 km/h. Find the time taken by the policeman to catch the thief.

Ans

- X 1. 300 sec
- √ 2. 100 sec
- X 3. 150 sec
- X 4. 250 sec

Q.13 Find the remainder when  $179 \times 172 \times 173$  is divided by 17.

Ans

- **1**. 3
- X 2.6
- X 3.9
- X 4.2

Q.14 By selling an article at 66% of its marked price, a merchant makes a profit of 10%. If he sells the article at 80% of its marked price, then the profit percentage will be:

Ans

- X 1. 20 %
- √ 2. 33 ½ %
- × 3. 25 %
- $\times$  4.  $33\frac{2}{3}\%$

Q.15 The value of  $(17 + 15) \div 2 - 11 + 16 \times 4 - 28 + 13 (-16 + 13)$  is:

Ans

- X 1.3
- X 2. 1
- X 3.0
- **4**. 2

The salaries of T in twelve months of a year are: ₹12,000, ₹12,000, ₹15,000, ₹15,000, ₹15,000, ₹21,000, ₹21,000, ₹21,000, ₹30,000, ₹30,000, ₹30,000. The average salary of T per month in ₹ is \_ Ans X 2. 18500 X 3. 18000 X 4. 19000 Q.17 The curved surface area of a right circular cylinder of height 14 cm, is 88 cm<sup>2</sup>. Find the total surface area of the cylinder. Ans  $\times 1. \frac{560}{7} \text{ cm}^2$  $\times$  2.  $\frac{360}{7}$  cm<sup>2</sup>  $\sqrt{3}$  3.  $\frac{660}{7}$  cm<sup>2</sup>  $\times$  4.  $\frac{460}{7}$  cm<sup>2</sup> Q.18 If a:b=3:7 and b:c=4:9, then find a:b:c. Ans √ 1. 12:28:63 X 2. 3:28:63 X 3. 12:28:9 X 4. 3:28:9 A, B, C are three points such that AB = 11 cm, BC = 13 cm and AC = 24 cm. Number of circles passing through the points A, B, C is: **1.0** Ans X 2.3 X 3. 1 X 4.2 Q.20 A person wants to buy 10 chairs. The total cost of 10 chairs is ₹4,500. After bargaining, the shopkeeper agrees to decrease the cost of each chair by 20%. Then, the person purchased 10% more chairs. What will be the cost of the chairs that he purchased? Ans X 1. ₹4,100 √ 2. ₹3,960 X 3. ₹3,260 X 4. ₹3,900 Q.21 18 men can complete  $\frac{1}{5}$  of a work in 10 days. How many people are required to complete  $\frac{2}{5}$  of the same work in 5 days? X 1.36 Ans X 2.90 **3**. 72 X 4.54

Q.22 Ramana spends 75% of his income. His income is increased by 25% and he increases his expenditure by 10%. By what percentage are his savings increased?

Ans

× 1 60%

× 2. 50%

3. 70%

× 4. 40%

Q.23 Study the given bar-graph and answer the question that follows.

The bar-graph shows the production (in lakh) of kitchen appliances manufactured by three companies A, B, and C over a period of six years from 2012 to 2017.



What is the difference (in lakh) between the average production of company B during the period 2012 to 2017 and the combined average of the production of company A in 2012, 2014, 2015 and the production of company C in 2014, 2016 and 2017, respectively?

Ans

**1**. 25

X 2.40

X 3.30

X 4.50

Q.24 The area of a rectangular field is 3600 m<sup>2</sup>. If the field is 45 m long, what is its perimeter?

Ans

X 1. 260 m

X 2. 255 m

X 3. 265 m

√ 4. 250 m

Q.25 If the surface area of cuboid is 108 m<sup>2</sup>, then find the height of the cuboid, whose length is 6 m and breadth is 3 m.

Ans

💢 1. 4.5 m

2. 4 m

X 3.5 m

X 4. 5.5 m

Q.1	We can add a table in an MS Word document from which of the following tabs?
Ans	X 1. View Tab
	X 2. Home Tab
	X 3. Design Tab
	✓ 4. Insert Tab
Q.2	In which year was the first underground section (Vishwavidyalaya- Kashmere Gate) of the Golden Route opened in New Delhi?
Ans	<b>✓</b> 1. 2004
	<b>X</b> 2. 2000
	<b>X</b> 3. 1997
	<b>×</b> 4. 1998
Q.3	Name the digital payment platform launched in 2021 by the National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) in association with Department of Financial Services (DFS), National Health Authority (NHA) and Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHFW).
Ans	X 1. MobiKwik
	√ 2. e-RUPI  ———————————————————————————————————
	X 3. Dhani
	X 4. YONO
Q.4	Which Article of the Constitution mentions that "the Parliament consists of the President and two Houses known as the Council of States (Rajya Sabha) and the House of the People (Lok Sabha)"?
Ans	<b>★</b> 1.82
	<b>✓</b> 2.79
	<b>★</b> 3. 70
	<b>★</b> 4.73
Q.5	Which of the following statements best describes the Hardy Schulze rule?
Ans	X 1. The ions are removed from the solution by the phenomenon of diffusion through a permeable membrane.
	X 2. The partial pressure of a component in a liquid mixture is proportional to its mole fraction in that mixture.
	X 3. This is applied to obtain a colloidal solution of metals such as gold, silver or platinum.
Q.6	What was the name of Swami Vivekanand's guru?
Ans	X 1. Swami Ram Singh
	X 2. Swami Dayanand
	X 3. Aadi Shankaracharya
	✓ 4. Ramakrishna Paramhansa
Q.7	The Green Revolution was due to the introduction of:
Ans	X 1. irrigation
	× 2. fertilisers
	X 4. fisheries
Q.8	Guru Vempati Chinna Satyam is a famous dancer of dance form of India.
Ans	X 1. Bharatanatyam
	× 2. Manipuri
	× 3. Odissi
	✓ 4. Kuchipudi

Q.9	The famous book 'Sangraha Choodamani', which deals with the current system of Carnatic music was written by:
Ans	X 1. Damodara Misra
	X 2. Matanga
	X 3. Haripala
	✓ 4. Govindacharya
Q.10	Kiran Nadar was conferred with the highest civilian award of which country in April 2023?
Ans	√ 1. France
	× 2. Poland
	X 3. Egypt  ✓ 3. Egypt
	X 4. Germany
Q.11	What do you mean by semiconservative DNA replication?
Ans	★ 1. After the completion of replication, each DNA molecule would have two parental and two newly synthesised strand.
	X 2. RNA is dependent on DNA for the synthesis of proteins
	X 3. DNA is dependent on RNA for the synthesis of proteins
	4. Alter the completion of replication, each proximolecule would have one parental and one newly synthesised strand.
Q.12	The colour of the surface of Mars is red because of the presence of large amounts of chemical compounds in it. What is the name of that compound?
Ans	X 1. Tin oxide
	✓ 2. Iron oxide
	X 3. Magnesium oxide
	X 4. Nitrogen oxide
Q.13	In MS-Word, a number printed above the base line is called
Ans	✓ 1. superscript
	X 2. strikethrough
	X 3. above BL
	X 4. subscript
Q.14 Ans	How many censuses had been completed in India as of year 2011?  X 1. 12
Alls	X 2.7
	<b>→</b> 3. 15
	<b>★</b> 4. 16
Q.15	Which of the following statement(s) is/are INCORRECT vis-à-vis features of the Indian Constitution?
	1) Though India has a federal system, the Constitution does not mention the word 'federation'.  2)Article 5 of the Constitution says that the Parliament by law can create a new state.
	3) On the subjects in the Union list, each State Legislature can enact laws for the State.  4)Both the Parliament and State Legislature can pass laws on subjects in concurrent list.
Ans	X 1. 1 and 4
	X 2. 1 and 3
	X 3. Only 1
	✓ 4. 2 and 3
Q.16	Under which Gharana do the composition of blend of Khayal and Dhrupad-Dhamar styles come?
Ans	X 1. Indore Gharana
	✓ 2. Agra Gharana
	X 3. Gwalior Gharana
	X 4. Patiala Gharana

Q.17	The number of Indian athletes who participated in the Tokyo Paralympics 2020 was
Ans	X 1. 57
	× 2. 56
	<b>→</b> 3. 54
	<b>X</b> 4. 55
Q.18	Which Pala ruler temporarily occupied Kanauj?
Ans	X 1. Gopala
	✓ 2. Dharmapala
	<ul><li>✗ 3. Devapala</li><li>✗ 4. Harapala</li></ul>
	A - Harapaia
Q.19	According to Census of India 2011, what was the sex ratio recorded in the Union Territory of Puducherry?
Ans	<ul><li>✗ 1. 980 females/1000 males</li><li>✗ 2. 1095 females/1000 males</li></ul>
	✓ 3. 1037 females/1000 males
	X 4. 890 females/1000 males
Q.20 Ans	The Ultimate Kho-Kho League was started in which year?  1. 2020
Alls	X 2. 2021
	✓ 3. 2022
	X 4. 2023
Q.21	Indian Constitution came into force on and is celebrated as Republic Day.
Ans	X 1. 26 Jan 1951
	√ 2. 26 Jan 1950
	X 3. 26 Jan 1948
	X 4. 26 Feb 1950
Q.22	Who among the following launched the digital platform 'FASTER'?
Ans	√ 1. Chief Justice of India
	X 2. Prime Minister
	X 3. Finance Minister X 4. President
	4. President
Q.23	In field hockey, in a penalty stroke, an attacker shoots at goal from yards away in a one-on-one confrontation with the goalkeeper.
Ans	<b>X</b> 1. 10
	<b>★</b> 2.8
	<b>→</b> 3. 7
	<b>★</b> 4.9
Q.24	Who was appointed as the Chief Economic Advisor to the Government of India in the year 2022?
Ans	X 1. S Somanath
	X 2. Krishnamurthy Subramanian
	√ 3. V Anantha Nageswaran  ✓ 4. P Pangersian
	X 4. R Rangarajan