

**RAJASTHAN GRAMIN BANK
OFFICE ASSISTANT (CLERK) EXAM****REASONING**

1. How many such pairs of letters are there in the word CORPORAL each of which has as many letters between them in the word (in both forward and backward directions), as they have between them in the English alphabetical series?

- (1) One (2) Two
(3) None (4) Three
(5) More than three

2. If it is possible to make only one meaningful word (starting with N) with the second, fifth, and the sixth letters of the word 'INTRODUCE', which would be the second letter of that word from the left? If more than one such word can be formed, give 'X' as the answer. If no such word can be formed, give 'Z' as your answer.

- (1) O (2) D
(3) N (4) X
(5) Z

Directions (3-5) : Four of the following five are alike in a certain way and so form a group. Which is the one that **does not** belong to the group?

3. (1) Computer
(2) Microwave
(3) Telephone
(4) Television
(5) Electronics
4. (1) Street (2) Road
(3) Path (4) Car
(5) Track
5. (1) Hindi (2) Language
(3) Tamil (4) Urdu
(5) Arabic
6. 'Yellow' is related to 'Colour' in the same way as 'Pigeon' is related to
- (1) Letter (2) Bird

- (3) White (4) Sky
(5) Dove

7. 'Man' is related to 'House' in the same way as '.....' is related to 'Den.'

- (1) Pig (2) Bee
(3) Mouse (4) Squirrel
(5) Lion

Directions (8-12) : Study the information given below and answer the questions that follow :

Seven people A, B, C, D, E, F and G are sitting in a straight line facing north. A is third to the right of G, B is an immediate neighbour of A. C is third to the right of B. Neither F nor C is sitting at an extreme end. D is not an immediate neighbour of C.

8. Who amongst the following has as many people sitting to his right as to his left?

- (1) A (2) F
(3) C (4) B
(5) None of these

9. Which of the following pairs of people correctly represents the people sitting at the extreme ends of the line?

- (1) DE (2) BE
(3) GD (4) AD
(5) None of these

10. Who is sitting second to the right of F?

- (1) G (2) A
(3) B (4) E
(5) None of these

11. Who is sitting second to the left of B?

- (1) E (2) D
(3) G (4) F
(5) None of these

12. Who is sitting exactly between D and A?

- (1) E (2) G
(3) F (4) B
(5) None of these

Directions (13-16) : If '-' denotes '+', 'x' denotes '-', '+' denotes 'x' and '-' denotes '+', what will be the value of the following?

13. $5 - 10 + 2 \div 4 \times 11$
(1) 11 (2) 14
(3) 17 (4) 21
(5) None of these

14. $14 - 2 \times 7 \div 6 + 3$
(1) 6 (2) 9
(3) 2 (4) 12
(5) None of these

15. $9 \div 4 - 17 \times 25 + 5$
(1) 81 (2) 52
(3) 73 (4) 48
(5) None of these

16. $27 + 3 - 4 \times 6 \div 3$
(1) 7 (2) 6
(3) -3 (4) -5
(5) None of these

Directions (17-21) : Following questions are based on the five three digit numbers given below

648 579 820 197 316

17. In which of the following numbers is the sum of its digits the highest?

- (1) 579 (2) 648
(3) 197 (4) 316
(5) 820

18. If the second and the third digits of each of these numbers are interchanged, which of the following will be exactly divisible by 4?

- (1) 820 (2) 579
(3) 316 (4) 648
(5) 197

19. If the first and the third digits of each of these numbers are interchanged, which of the following will be the difference between the highest and the lowest numbers?

- (1) 82 (2) 893
(3) 947 (4) 975
(5) 63

20. In which of the following numbers is the difference between the first and the third digit the second highest ?

- (1) 197 (2) 316
(3) 579 (4) 820
(5) 648

21. If the first and the second digits of each of these numbers are interchanged, which of the following will be the second smallest ?

- (1) 648 (2) 316
(3) 820 (4) 197
(5) 579

22. If 'WRITES' is coded as 'SET-IRW', and 'TRYING' is coded as 'GNIYRT', how will 'CAS-KET' be coded as in the same code ?

- (1) TEKSCA (2) TEKSAC
(3) TESKAC (4) TKESAC
(5) TEKASC

23. If 'TEMPLE' is coded as '7%8#2%', and 'MOUSE' is coded as '8+34%', how will 'PESTEL' be coded as in the same code ?

- (1) #%4%72 (2) #%47%2
(3) #%74%2 (4) #%472%
(5) %47%2

Directions (24-29) : Study the following information to answer the given questions :

'P + Q' means 'P is the son of Q'.

'P - Q' means 'P is the wife of Q'.

'P ÷ Q' means 'P is the father of Q'.

'P × Q' means 'P is the sister of Q'.

Directions (24-26) :

If $S \div H \times R - A + B \div K$, then

24. How is R related to K ?

- (1) Sister (2) Brother
(3) Cousin sister
(4) Mother-in-law
(5) None of these

25. How is S related to A ?

- (1) Father-in-law
(2) Mother-in-law
(3) Mother (4) Father
(5) None of these

26. How is H related to A ?

- (1) Brother-in-law
(2) Sister-in-law
(3) Daughter-in-law
(4) Son-in-law
(5) None of these

Directions (27-29) :

If $K + R - G + M \div A \times J$, then

27. How is G related to J ?

- (1) Cousin brother
(2) Brother-in-law
(3) Brother (4) Son
(5) None of these

28. How is A related to K ?

- (1) Cousin sister
(2) Mother
(3) Sister-in-law
(4) Aunt
(5) Sister

29. How is M related to R ?

- (1) Father (2) Brother
(3) Brother-in-law
(4) Father-in-law
(5) None of these

Directions (30-35) : Study the following information and answer the questions that follow :

Eight friends P, Q, R, S, T, V, W and X are sitting in a circle facing the centre not necessarily in the same order. X is second to the left of V. S is fourth to the right of V. P is sitting to the immediate right of T. Q is not an immediate neighbour of either X or V. W is an immediate neighbour of V.

30. Who among the following is sitting second to the right of P ?

- (1) S (2) Q
(3) V (4) R
(5) None of these

31. Which of the following pairs of people correctly represents the immediate neighbours of Q ?

- (1) PW (2) WT
(3) SP (4) TS
(5) None of these

32. Who among the following is sitting exactly between X and S ?

- (1) W (2) Q
(3) R (4) P
(5) None of these

33. Four of the following five are alike in a certain way, based on the information given above and so form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to the group ?

- (1) WP (2) VT
(3) PQ (4) TS
(5) RP

34. If all the people are made to sit in an alphabetical order, in clockwise direction, starting from W (i.e. P sits where W is sitting and the rest follow in alphabetical order in clockwise direction), the positions of how many people will not change ?

- (1) One (2) Two
(3) None
(4) Three
(5) More than three

35. Which of the following is true as per the given arrangement?

- (1) P is an immediate neighbour of Q.
(2) V sits to the immediate right of T.
(3) T is second to right of S.
(4) R sits to immediate left of Q.
(5) None is true.

Directions (36-40) : Study the following arrangement of numbers, letters (consonants and vowels) and symbols carefully and answer the questions given below :

8 A % M + K E 7 T ? C P L 9 U # R

36. Which of the following is seventh to the left of eleventh element from the left and of the above arrangement ?

- (1) M (2) +
(3) K (4) %
(5) None of these

37. How many symbols are there in the above arrangement each of which is immediately preceded by a consonant and also immediately followed by a consonant ?

- (1) Four (2) Three
(3) None (4) One
(5) Two

38. Four of the following five are alike in a certain way, based on the arrangement given above and so form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to that group?

- (1) KET (2) A%+
(3) +K7 (4) L9#
(5) 7IP

39. M is related to E in the same way as 7 is related to C as per the given arrangement. Following the same pattern L is

related to which of the following?

- (1) U (2) ?
(3) # (4) R
(5) None of these

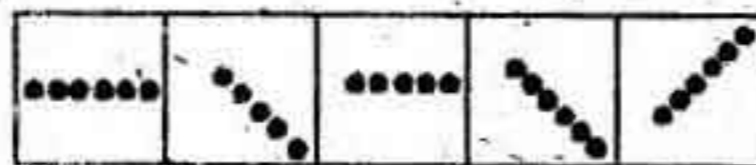
40. How many letters are there in the above arrangement each of which is immediately preceded by a number and also immediately followed by a symbol?

- (1) Two (2) Three
(3) None (4) One
(5) Four

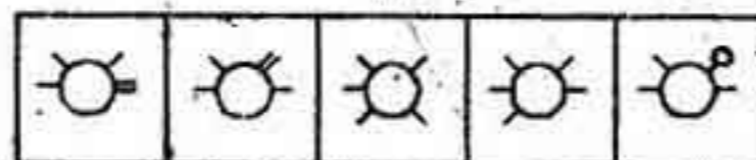
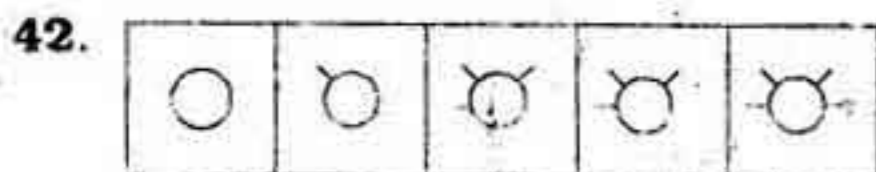
Directions (41 - 50) : In each of the questions given below which one of the five answer figures on the right should come after the problem figures on the left if the sequence were continued?

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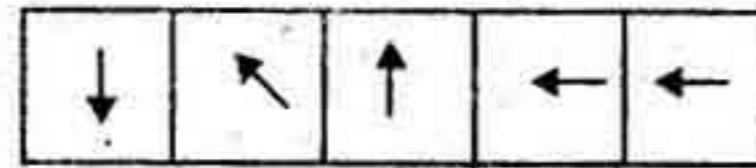
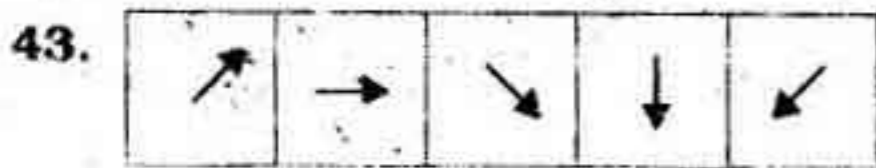
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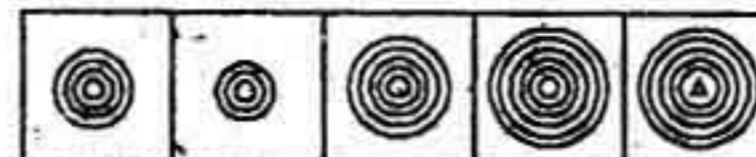
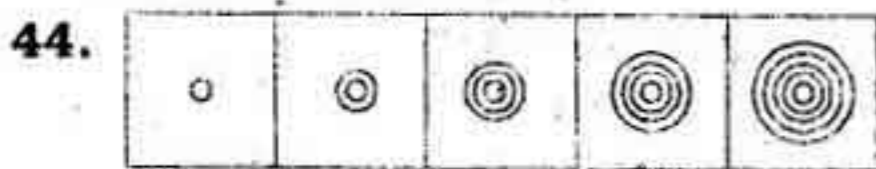
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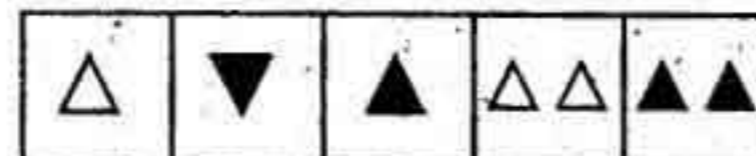
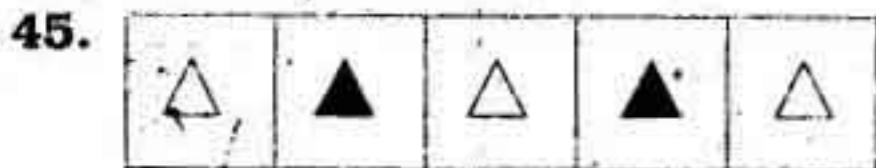
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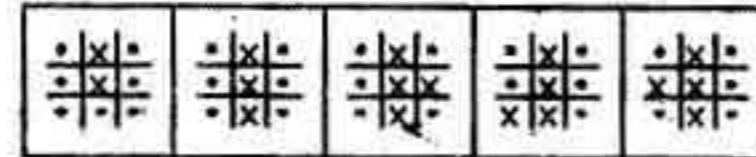
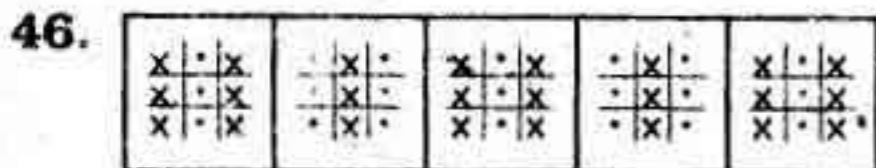
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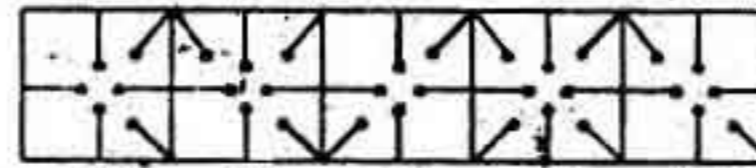
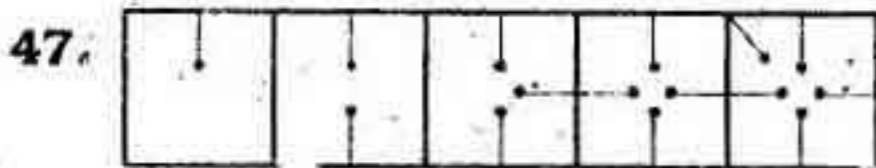
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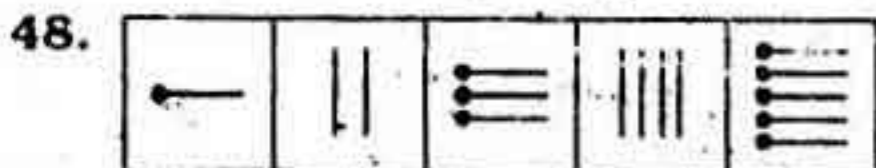
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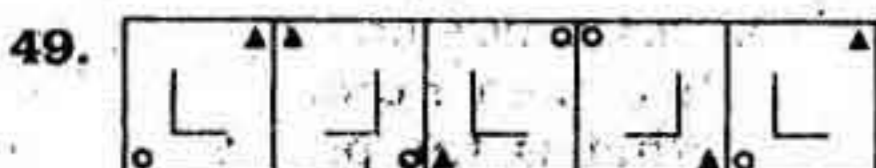
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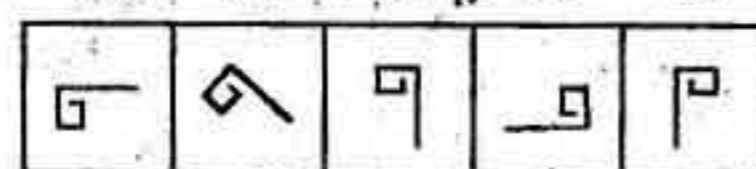
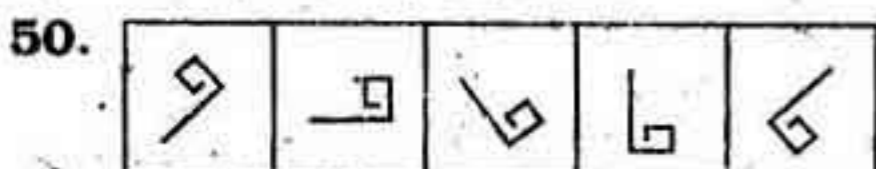
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NUMERICAL ABILITY

Directions (51-75) : What will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following questions?

51. $84.76 + (4.2)^2 + 85.67 = (?)^2 - 7.93$

- (1) $\sqrt{14}$ (2) 256
(3) 196 (4) 16
(5) 14

52. $3298 \div 194 \times 15 = \sqrt{?} + 229$

- (1) $\sqrt{25}$ (2) $\sqrt{26}$
(3) 676 (4) $(484)^2$
(5) None of these

53. $(125)^3 \times (25)^3 \div (5)^3 = (\sqrt{5})^{?+16}$

- (1) 9 (2) 5
(3) 7 (4) 8
(5) 6

54. $\sqrt{16.81} \div \sqrt{625} \times 15 = ? \div 50$

- (1) 134 (2) 143
(3) 132 (4) 123
(5) None of these

55. $(52)^2 - (7)^3 \times 12 = ? \times 4$

- (1) -435 (2) 524
(3) 353 (4) -423
(5) None of these

56. $19.6\% \text{ of } 750 + 13.5\% \text{ of } 920 = ? + 178.2$

- (1) 87 (2) 83
(3) 78 (4) 89
(5) None of these

57. $\frac{15}{31}$ of $\frac{5}{9}$ of ? = 1050

- (1) 3786 (2) 3826
(3) 3808 (4) 3906
(5) None of these

58. $1412.26 - 1095.12 + 101.29 = ? + 212.43$

- (1) 206 (2) 214
(3) 218 (4) 204
(5) None of these

59. $(1071 \div 17) \div 9 + 45 = (?)^2 + 16$

- (1) 64 (2) 8
(3) 36 (4) 12
(5) -6

60. $(?)^3 \% \text{ of } 580 = 70.2 + 301$

- (1) 4 (2) 144
(3) 64 (4) 12
(5) None of these

61. $(5 + \sqrt{3})^2 = (?)^2 + \sqrt{144} + \sqrt{300}$
 (1) 6 (2) 4
 (3) 2 (4) -6
 (5) -2

62. $\sqrt{233 + 117 + 13 \times 4 - 13} = (?)^4$
 (1) $\sqrt{2}$ (2) 16
 (3) 2 (4) 4
 (5) $(16)^4$

63. $540 \div 180 \div 2 \div 0.01 = ?$
 (1) 1500 (2) 0.0015
 (3) 15 (4) 150
 (5) None of these

64. $887788 - 778877 - 101010 - 113 = ?$
 (1) 7887 (2) 8787
 (3) 8877 (4) 7878
 (5) None of these

65. $1\frac{1}{7} - 1\frac{1}{13} + 1\frac{3}{26} = ? + 1\frac{19}{182}$

(1) $\frac{1}{28}$ (2) $\frac{1}{14}$

(3) $\frac{1}{13}$ (4) $\frac{1}{26}$

(5) None of these

66. $(11^2 \times 4^2) \div (46.2 \div 2.1) = ? \times 16$
 (1) 5.5 (2) 6.6
 (3) 1408 (4) 660
 (5) None of these

67. $(72 \div 2)^4 \times (36 \times 6)^3 = (6)^7 \times (12960 \div 10)$
 (1) 12 (2) 13
 (3) 11 (4) 14
 (5) None of these

68. $(? \div 39) \times 13 = 156$
 (1) 468 (2) 456
 (3) 568 (4) 556
 (5) None of these

69. $1262.65 - 656.48 - 412.68 = ? + 75.23$
 (1) 108.36 (2) 109.42
 (3) 118.26 (4) 119.42
 (5) None of these

70. $\sqrt{2809} \times 24 \div 8 = (?)^2 - 66$
 (1) 15 (2) 25
 (3) 5 (4) 625
 (5) 225

71. $? \% \text{ of } 289 + 28 \% \text{ of } 478 = 200.31$

(1) 27 (2) 17
 (3) 13 (4) 23
 (5) None of these

72. $1\frac{5}{11} + 1\frac{1}{22} \times 2\frac{3}{8} \times 1\frac{1}{19} = ?$

(1) $1\frac{1}{46}$ (2) $4\frac{12}{23}$

(3) $3\frac{11}{23}$ (4) $2\frac{1}{46}$

(5) None of these

73. $2175 - 1680 \div 80 - 1234 = ? + 134$

(1) 769 (2) 768

(3) 786 (4) 795

(5) None of these

74. $404 \div (64)^6 + 241 = (2 \times ?) + 423$

(1) 5 (2) 40

(3) 20 (4) 10

(5) None of these

75. $67 \% \text{ of } 887 - 525.29 = ? - 100$

(1) 153 (2) 156

(3) 169 (4) 31

(5) None of these

76. What least number should be added to 5537 to obtain a number which is exactly divisible by 34?

(1) 27 (2) 29

(3) 7 (4) 5

(5) None of these

77. Aman's present age is nine years more than Rohan's age after five years. Rohan's present age is seven years more than Pawan's age four years ago. If Pawan's present age is 19 years, what will be Aman's age after seven years?

(1) 33 (2) 42

(3) 45 (4) 40

(5) None of these

78. Cost of a laptop is equal to the total cost of two mobile phones and three hard disks. Cost of one hard disk is equal to the cost of three pen drives. Cost of one mobile phone is twice the cost of one hard disk. Cost of one pen drive is ₹725. What is the cost of the laptop?

(1) ₹ 15425 (2) ₹ 15225
 (3) ₹ 16255 (4) ₹ 16425
 (5) None of these

79. The average speed of a bus is 55 kmph. How much distance will a car cover in eight hours if the average speed of the car is 26 percent more than the average speed of the bus?

(1) 568.4 km (2) 563.6 km

(3) 548.6 km (4) 554.4 km

(5) None of these

80. The simple interest accrued on a certain principal at a rate of 9% p.c.p.a. in 5 years is ₹ 14400. What would be the compound interest accrued on the same principal in 2 years at the rate of 4 p.c.p.a.?

(1) ₹ 2614.60 (2) ₹ 2641.60

(3) ₹ 2611.20 (4) ₹ 2624.20

(5) None of these

81. A student scored a total of 1250 marks in three subjects together which comprises 22 percent of Hindi, 44 percent of Maths and remaining marks of Science. What is the difference between the marks obtained in Hindi and Science?

(1) 140 (2) 150

(3) 180 (4) 190

(5) None of these

82. A man crosses a stationary train-A of 720 metres in 8 minutes. A woman crosses another stationary train-B in 2 minutes and 30 seconds. If the respective ratio between the speed of the man and that of the woman is 15 : 16, what is the length of train-B?

(1) 260 metre

(2) 360 metre

(3) 340 metre

(4) Cannot be determined

(5) None of these

83. Thrice the sum of six consecutive even numbers is 774. What is the product of the largest and the smallest even number?

(1) 1884 (2) 1786

(3) 1824 (4) 1796

(5) None of these

84. The respective ratio between the angles of a triangle is 3 : 4 : 5. Three of the angles of a quadrilateral are exactly equal to the three angles of the triangle. What is the difference between the largest and the second smallest angle of the quadrilateral ?

- (1) 30° (2) 140°
(3) 120° (4) 135°
(5) None of these

85. Eight boys can complete a piece of work in 33 days. Two men complete the same work in 33 days. In how many days will three boys and two men together complete the same work ?

- (1) 24 (2) 22
(3) 26 (4) 28
(5) None of these

86. The length of a rectangle is 8.5 times the side of a square. Breadth of the rectangle is 56 cm less than its length. What is the perimeter of the rectangle if the area of the square is 324 sq. cm ?

- (1) 200 cm (2) 400 cm
(3) 600 cm (4) 500 cm
(5) None of these

87. Three-fourth the circumference of a circle is equal to the length of the rectangle. Also, breadth of the rectangle is two-third the radius of the circle. If the circumference of the circle is 264 cm, what is the area of the rectangle?

- (1) 4654 sq cm (2) 4488 sq cm
(3) 5654 sq cm
(4) 5454 sq cm
(5) None of these

88. Amit runs 625 metres every day except on Sunday when he runs 830 metres. How many kilometres of distance will he run in 4 weeks? (Assuming week begins from Monday)

- (1) 1.824 km (2) 16.45 km
(3) 18.32 km (4) 18.24 km
(5) None of these

89. What will come in place of all the question marks (?) in the following question?

$$\frac{(\?)^2}{24} = \frac{96 \times (\?)^1}{(\?)^5}$$

- (1) $\sqrt{44}$ (2) $(48)^2$
(3) 44 (4) 48
(5) $\sqrt{48}$

90. If ₹15465 were distributed equally among 633 people, ₹273 was left out. How much amount did each person get?

- (1) ₹ 28 (2) ₹ 24
(3) ₹ 32 (4) ₹ 34
(5) None of these

Directions (91-93) : What will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following number series?

91. 234 464 280 418 326 (?)

- (1) 294 (2) 368
(3) 284 (4) 372
(5) None of these

92. 127 152 252 477 877 (?)

- (1) 1524 (2) 1512
(3) 1522 (4) 1514
(5) None of these

93. 1 28 153 496 (?)

- (1) 1255 (2) 1285
(3) 1225 (4) 1245
(5) None of these

Directions (94-95) : What mathematical sign will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following questions ?

94. $(1633 \div 71) + 8 ? 9 - 27 = 68$

- (1) + (2) -
(3) × (4) ÷
(5) None of these

95. $\frac{5}{19} \times 532 + 19 ? 13 = 516 + 3$

- (1) + (2) -
(3) × (4) ÷
(5) None of these

Directions (96-100) : In each of these questions an equation is given with a question mark (?) in place of a correct symbol. Based on the values on the right hand side and the left hand side of the question mark, you have to decide which of the following symbol will come in place of the question mark.

Give answer If in place of question mark (?) following will come

- (1) > (greater than)
(2) = (equal to)
(3) < (less than)
(4) ≥ (either greater or equal to)
(5) ≤ (either smaller or equal to)

96. $[144 \div 5 \times 7 - 156.6] ? [9^2 \div 5 + (6.5 \times 5)]$

97. $[54 \times 4 - 12 \times 6]^{1/2} ? [(212 - 182) + (124 - 143)]$

98. $\pm[(\sqrt{961} - \sqrt{256})] ? [-\sqrt{289}]$

99. $[(5 \times 8) \div 12] ? [\sqrt{196} \div 12 + 3]$

100. $[(8)^3 - 129] ? [2278 - (1265 + 630)]$

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

101. All banks in India get major policy decisions/directives/guidelines related to their day to day operations from

- (1) Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India
(2) Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI)
(3) Reserve Bank of India (RBI)
(4) All India Bank Employees' Union
(5) Foreign Exchange Dealers' Association of India

102. Who among the following is a famous personality associated with the world of Banking ?

- (1) Dr. Amartya Sen
(2) Sri Rajiv Shukla
(3) Sri Javed Akhtar
(4) Sri Kamal Nath
(5) Dr. Subir Gokarn

103. Nobel prizes are given in which of the following fields ?

- (1) Sports
(2) Social Service
(3) Anthropology
(4) Physics
(5) All these fields

104. Which of the following is NOT a State or Union Territory of India ?

- (1) Chandigarh
(2) Punjab (3) Manipur
(4) Alwar (5) Jharkhand
- 105.** Who makes the formal announcement of general elections in a state in India?
(1) Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs
(2) Ministry of Law
(3) Ministry of Home Affairs
(4) Census Commission of India
(5) Election Commission of India
- 106.** Banks have installed ATMs at various locations in almost all the cities/towns in India. What does the letter 'T' denote in the name 'ATM' as used above?
(1) Total (2) Terminal
(3) Terminus (4) Transfer
(5) Teller
- 107.** Coins of which of the following denominations are in circulation in India?
(1) ₹ 5/- (2) ₹ 500/-
(3) ₹ 50/- (4) ₹ 100/-
(5) ₹ 20/-
- 108.** Which of the following is a major wheat producing State in India?
(1) Kerala (2) Punjab
(3) Jammu & Kashmir
(4) West Bengal
(5) Arunachal Pradesh
- 109.** Which of the following is called yellow metal and we read about it almost everyday in the newspaper?
(1) Copper (2) Gold
(3) Silver (4) Platinum
(5) Zinc
- 110.** Who among the following is a famous Badminton player?
(1) Jeev Milkha Singh
(2) Saina Nehwal
(3) Anjali Bhagwat
(4) Sania Mirza
(5) Yusuf Pathan
- 111.** Which of the following places is called the 'City of Oranges' in India?
(1) Mumbai (2) Jaipur
(3) Lucknow (4) Nagpur
(5) Hyderabad
- 112.** Famous 'Rock Garden' is located in which of the following cities in India?
(1) Ambala (2) Jaipur
(3) Bangalore
(4) Chandigarh
(5) Shimla
- 113.** Which book is written by famous Classic Hindi author Munshi Premchand?
(1) Bhootnath
(2) Madhushala
(3) Sewa Sadan
(4) Kamayani (5) Rekhachitra
- 114.** What is the currency of Brazil?
(1) Euro (2) Dinar
(3) Real (4) Dollar
(5) Pесо
- 115.** Which of the following is a Public Sector Bank?
(1) Federal Bank
(2) ICICI Bank
(3) AXIS Bank
(4) Syndicate Bank
(5) Yes Bank
- 116.** Which of the following is the Capital of Italy?
(1) Milan (2) Rome
(3) Paris (4) Tokyo
(5) Berlin
- 117.** Who among the following is the President of Nepal at present?
(1) Ram Baran Yadav
(2) Jhala Nath Khunol
(3) Baburam Bhattarai
(4) Surya Bahadur Thapa
(5) None of these
- 118.** Which of the following terms is used in the field of banking and finance?
(1) Genetics (2) Investment
(3) Metabolic Reaction
(4) Resistance
(5) Tolerance level
- 119.** Who among the following was never the Prime Minister of India?
(1) M. K. Gandhi
(2) Rajiv Gandhi
(3) Indira Gandhi
(4) J. L. Nehru
(5) Atal Behari Vajpayee
- 120.** Who among the following presents the General Budget in the Parliament?
(1) Prime Minister of India
(2) Vice President of India
(3) Governor, Reserve Bank of India
(4) Finance Minister of India
(5) Finance Secretary
- 121.** Which term is not used in Economics?
(1) Deflation
(2) Barter system
(3) Pulse Rate
(4) Density of Population
(5) Monetary Policy
- 122.** A nuclear power plant is situated in which of the following places?
(1) Lucknow (2) Jodhpur
(3) Kota (4) Shimla
(5) Srinagar
- 123.** Famous Bhakra Nangal Dam is built on which of the following rivers?
(1) Ganga (2) Narmada
(3) Godavari (4) Krishna
(5) Satluj
- 124.** Which of the following places is in Haryana?
(1) Kanpur (2) Bhagalpur
(3) Agra (4) Allahabad
(5) Sirsa
- 125.** Who among the following is a famous cricket player?
(1) Harbhajan Singh
(2) Gagan Narang
(3) Mahesh Bhupathi
(4) Pankaj Advani
(5) Pargat Singh
- 126.** Which instrument is used for measuring the intensity of electric current?
(1) Lactometer
(2) Micrometer
(3) Ammeter
(4) Radar
(5) Periscope

- 127.** Which of the following places in India does **not** have a port?
 (1) Cochin (2) Kandla
 (3) Paradip (4) Chennai
 (5) Allahabad
- 128.** 'Black Box' is an apparatus installed on/in the—
 (1) radars
 (2) atomic power plants
 (3) aircrafts
 (4) 'X' ray machines
 (5) railway engines
- 129.** Which of the following rivers does **not** flow in India ?
 (1) Yamuna (2) Gomti
 (3) Saryu (4) Sabarmati
 (5) Nile
- 130.** Who among the following is the present President of Argentina?
 (1) Cristina Fernandez de Kirchner
 (2) Jules A Hoffman
 (3) Nicolas Sarkozy
 (4) Dominique de Villepin
 (5) None of these
- 131.** Which book is written by Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam ?
 (1) India My Dream
 (2) My Presidential Years
 (3) My Story
 (4) Sunny Days
 (5) Discovery of India
- 132.** Who among the following is the Minister of External Affairs in India at present ?
 (1) Dr. Manmohan Singh
 (2) Sri S M Krishna
 (3) Sri P. Chidambaram
 (4) Sri Kamal Nath
 (5) Sri Murli Deora
- 133.** Which scheme launched by the govt of India allows lakhs of poor people to open a Bank account ?
 (1) Swabhiman
 (2) Swavlamban
 (3) Saral (4) Sahaj
 (5) Bharat man
- 134.** Which of the following is the name of a country ?
 (1) Kwanza (2) Chad
 (3) Krone (4) Ruble
 (5) Rula
- 135.** Which of the following terms is NOT used in the game of cricket ?
 (1) Short Leg (2) Silly Point
 (3) Follow on
 (4) Leg Before Wicket
 (5) Gambit
- 136.** Which of the following is the Capital of Manipur ?
 (1) Kohima (2) Imphal
 (3) Guwahati (4) Shillong
 (5) Puri
- 137.** Which of the following is NOT a direct tax ?
 (1) Income Tax
 (2) Sales Tax
 (3) Value Added Tax
 (4) Excise Duty
 (5) Education Cess
- 138.** What is Repo Rate at present?
 (1) 7% (2) 7.5%
 (3) 8% (4) 8.5%
 (5) None of these
- 139.** Which of the following is a vegetable ?
 (1) Maize (2) Castor
 (3) Groundnut
 (4) Spinach
 (5) Sweet Lime
- 140.** The World Environment Day is observed on—
 (1) 5th November
 (2) 5th June
 (3) 15th August
 (4) 25th December
 (5) 12th December
- 141.** Man Booker Prize is given for contribution in the field of—
 (1) Literature
 (2) Social Service
 (3) Sports (4) Cinema
 (5) Science & Technology
- 142.** Who among the following is a famous cine actress/actor of Indian films ?
 (1) Indra Nooyi
 (2) Leander Paes
 (3) Priyanka Chopra
 (4) Milind Deora
 (5) Vishwanathan Anand
- 143.** Dirham is the currency of—
 (1) Japan (2) Russia
 (3) Kuwait (4) Pakistan
 (5) UAE
- 144.** Which of the following Cups/Trophies is associated with the game of Lawn Tennis ?
 (1) Wimbledon Cup
 (2) Agha Khan Cup
 (3) Santosh Trophy
 (4) FIFA Cup
 (5) Ranji Trophy
- 145.** Which scheme is an effort to improve medical services in Rural India ?
 (1) IRDP (2) SEWA
 (3) Bharat Nirman
 (4) Kutir Jyoti
 (5) ASHA
- 146.** Which of the following is the name of the game not included in Olympics ?
 (1) Kabaddi (2) Table Tennis
 (3) Rifle Shooting
 (4) 100 metres Race
 (5) Swimming
- 147.** Which of the following is the name of a Hormone ?
 (1) Aspirin (2) LSD
 (3) Insulin (4) Cortex
 (5) Plasma
- 148.** The filament of electrical bulbs is made of—
 (1) Silver (2) Tungsten
 (3) Nickel (4) Cobalt
 (5) Copper
- 149.** Which of the following terms is NOT used in Computer Science ?
 (1) Cyber Attack
 (2) Java
 (3) HTML
 (4) Green Growth
 (5) RAM
- 150.** Who among the following is NOT a famous Scientist ?
 (1) Pascal
 (2) Dalton
 (3) John Milton
 (4) Benjamin Franklin
 (5) Louis Pasteur

GENERAL ENGLISH

Directions (151-155) : Each sentence below has a blank(s), each blank indicating that something has been omitted. Choose the word(s) that best fit(s) the meaning of the sentence as a whole.

- 151.** She saw many mobile phones before _____ for this one.
 (1) buying (2) settling
 (3) choosing (4) thinking
 (5) finding
- 152.** The old man understood that Umesh was not _____ him but was _____ to fool him.
 (1) helping - trying
 (2) asking - telling
 (3) near - far
 (4) assisting - cheating
 (5) leading - making
- 153.** Most of these banks will be _____ branches in our city.
 (1) cutting (2) seeing
 (3) opening (4) initiate
 (5) making
- 154.** We had to _____ for a very long time before _____ a reply from them.
 (1) wait - receiving
 (2) stay - making
 (3) be - getting
 (4) look - asking
 (5) chase - finding
- 155.** Most of the teachers were _____ at the function.
 (1) absent (2) attending
 (3) assemble (4) present
 (5) gone

Directions (156-165) : Read each sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical error or idiomatic error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. The number of that part is the answer. If there is 'No Error' the answer is (5). (Ignore errors of punctuation if any.)

- 156.** The thief escaped (1)/ from the prison two (2)/ days after he were (3)/ arrested by the police. (4)/ No Error (5)

- 157.** They managed to (1)/ retrieve all the (2)/ deleted e-mails with the (3)/ helping of a new software. (4)/ No Error (5)

- 158.** She was not a (1)/ good singer but she (2)/ danced better than (3)/ any us. (4)/ No Error (5)

- 159.** Only the problem was that (1)/ she had submitted a (2)/ photocopy of the document (3)/ instead of the original. (4)/ No Error (5)

- 160.** Most of the (1)/ guests at the party (2)/ were praise the excellent (3)/ arrangements made by the host. (4)/ No Error (5)

- 161.** The judge had to rate the (1)/ contestants not only on his (2)/ presentation but also on (3)/ their interaction with the audience. (4)/ No Error (5)

- 162.** According to sources, (1)/ the products of that (2)/ company have been (3)/ banned from the market. (4)/ No Error (5)

- 163.** The software takes (1)/ only one seconds (2)/ to generate tables and (3)/ graphs out of raw data. (4)/ No Error (5)

- 164.** There was a huge (1)/ crowd as the famous actor (2)/ was invited to (3)/ inauguration the function. (4)/ No Error (5)

- 165.** In appreciation of (1)/ their hard work the (2)/ company gave mementos (3)/ to all its employees. (4)/ No Error (5)

Directions (166-170) : In each question below, four words printed in **bold** type are given. These are numbered (1), (2), (3) and (4). One of these words printed in **bold** may either be **wrongly spelt** or **inappropriate** in the context of the sentence. Find out the word that is **inappropriate or wrongly spelt**, if any. The number of that word is your answer. If all the words printed in bold are correctly spelt and appropriate in the context of the sentence then mark (5) i.e. 'All Correct' as your answer.

- 166.** He **loved** (1)/ being the **sentre** (2)/ of attention at all the **parties** (3)/ he **attended**. (4)/ All Correct (5)

- 167.** Her **duti** (1)/ was to fill the **boxes** (2)/ with apples and **load** (3)/ them in a **truck**. (4)/ All Correct (5)

- 168.** The **dogs** (1)/ in that **vinicity** (2)/ are very **vigilant** (3)/ and **alert**. (4)/ All Correct (5)

- 169.** The **bag** (1)/ that you **picked** (2)/ up at the **airporrt** (3)/ does not **belong** (4)/ to you. All Correct (5)

- 170.** The teacher asked all her **students** (1)/ to write an **essay** (2)/ on a **topic** (3)/ of their **choice**. (4)/ All Correct (5)

Directions (171-180) : In the following passage there are blanks, each of which has been numbered. These numbers are printed below the passage, against each, five words are suggested, one of which fits the blank appropriately. Find out the appropriate word in each case.

Once upon a time, there was a selfish man named Raman. He liked everything to be his own. He did not **(171)** his belongings with anyone. One day, Raman lost thirty gold coins. He went to his friend Sudhir's house and told him how he had lost his gold coins. Sudhir was a kind man. As Sudhir's daughter was coming home from an errand she **(172)** thirty gold coins on her way. When she arrived home, she told her father about the gold coins and gave them to him. He told her that the gold coins **(173)** to his friend Raman and he sent for him. When Raman arrived, Sudhir told him how his daughter had found the thirty gold coins and **(174)** them over to him. After counting the gold coins Raman said that ten of them were missing and had been taken by the girl as he had forty gold coins. He further commented that he would recover the remaining amount and take action against Sudhir and his daughter. But Sudhir protested and said that his daughter was **(175)**.

Raman left with the gold coins and went to the court. He **(176)** to the judge about what had taken place and how he had been robbed.

The judge sent for Sudhir and his daughter, and when they arrived he asked the girl, "How many gold coins did you find?" She replied, "Thirty gold coins, Sir." The Judge then asked Raman, "How many gold coins did you lose?" He answered, "Forty gold coins, Sir."

The judge then told Raman that the gold coins did not belong to him because the girl found thirty and not forty as he had **(177)** to have lost. He asked the girl to take the gold coins and said that if anybody came looking for thirty gold coins he would send for her.

The judge then turned to Raman and said that if anybody **(178)** that they had found forty gold coins he would send for him. It was then that Raman **(179)** that he had lied and that he had lost thirty gold coins but the judge did not **(180)** to him.

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- (A) The third artist had drawn the portrait in a profile that showed only his good eye.
- (B) A despotic sultan who was blind in one eye, invited three artists to paint his picture. "If you paint a bad portrait, I will punish you," he warned, "but if you paint a good one I will reward you. Now start."
- (C) The first artist had painted a picture that showed the sultan as he was - blind in one eye. The Sultan had him executed for showing disrespect to his monarch.
- (D) The second artist had painted a picture in which the Sultan had both eyes intact. The Sultan had him punished for trying to flatter him.
- (E) After all the three artists had finished their paintings, he called them one by one to see which one was the best.
- (F) The Sultan was pleased with him and rewarded him with gold and honours.

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The next day when the young man was cooking, the instructor came from behind and hit him with a wooden sword and vanished. The young man was taken by surprise. The teacher repeated the same thing every day. The young man now started preparing himself mentally to **counter** any such surprise attacks. After a few days, whenever the instructor came to attack him, the young man was able to dodge the blow of the sword. ~~He~~ was very **happy** with his performance. He asked the instructor, "Now have I learnt the art of defending myself?" The instructor did not respond to his question and walked away. The surprise attacks continued and the young man kept improving on his skill of countering the attacks.

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One day the young man saw that the instructor was seriously **engaged** in a task and a sudden desire crept into his head. He thought, "Now let me catch the instructor unawares and attack him." He took the wooden sword and attacked the instructor without a sound from behind. But to his surprise the instructor was fully prepared for it. He took a shield lying near him, turned around and defended himself using techniques the young man had never seen before.

Realisation struck the young man that very moment. He thought, "How great is this instructor! Today I have learnt the real secret of sword fighting. He has taught me that merely swinging the sword and learning the opponent's moves are not the essentials of sword fighting. What is **important** is to read what goes on in the opponent's mind and to counter his movement and his thoughts too." The young man continued to take lessons **in all humbleness** and with newer insights trained well to become a great sword fighter of his country.

186. Why did the young man approach the instructor?

- (1) He wanted to learn the art of cutting vegetables
- (2) He wanted to perform chores for the instructor
- (3) He did not agree with the instructor's methods of teaching
- (4) He wanted to request the instructor to stop attacking him everyday
- (5) He wanted to learn the art of sword fighting

187. What did the instructor ask the young man to do?

- (1) To practice sword fighting with a real sword
- (2) To do household chores like washing, cleaning and cooking
- (3) To practise sword fighting with the help of a wooden sword
- (4) To prepare himself for attacks
- (5) To defend himself from the attacks of other students

188. How did the young man learn the art of defending himself?

- (1) The teacher did not tell him how to defend himself so he learnt it on his own from another teacher
- (2) The teacher gave him a shield and asked him to learn the art of defending on his own
- (3) The teacher kept surprising him with attacks and eventually he started defending himself
- (4) He learnt the art of defending himself by learning how to attack the teacher
- (5) The teacher asked him to observe how other students defended themselves.

189. What did the young man do when he saw that his instructor was busy?

- (1) He went and offered help to the instructor in the task that he was doing
- (2) He tried to kill the instructor as the instructor was not teaching him properly
- (3) He tried to render a surprise attack on the instructor with a wooden sword
- (4) He asked the instructor to stop whatever he was doing and start the lesson
- (5) He told the instructor that he was going to attack him with a wooden sword

190. How did the instructor react to the young man's attack?

- (1) He took a shield and defended himself very skillfully
- (2) He asked the student to leave his house immediately
- (3) He called the police and had the student arrested
- (4) He was delighted and congratulated the student for his presence of mind
- (5) He continued doing his chores and did not react at all

191. Which lesson did the young man learn on the day he attacked his instructor?

- (1) That sword fighting cannot be learnt without the help of wooden swords and also learning how to render surprise attacks
- (2) That sword fighting is not just about learning the opponent's moves but also about understanding the opponents mind in order to counter his next move
- (3) That being humble about ones skill is the most important trait that one can possess and being boastful about it can backfire
- (4) That the instructor is a far better sword fighter than him and he could never compete with the great instructor
- (5) That it is only through surprise attacks that one can win a fight

192. Which of the following is **true** according to the given passage?

- (1) The instructor asked the young man to practise sword fighting
- (2) The young man refused to do the chores assigned by the instructor
- (3) The instructor used a real sword to attack the young man
- (4) The defence techniques of the instructor were new to the young man
- (5) None is true

193. What did the young man do after learning the essentials of sword fighting?

- (1) He thanked the instructor with humbleness and left
- (2) He gained confidence in his skills and started teaching sword fighting
- (3) He proclaimed that he was the greatest sword fighter of the country
- (4) He continued to take further lessons with humbleness
- (5) He continued doing the household chores for the instructor