

NOTICE

NEST-2012 paper setters' committee met on June 5, 2012 to deliberate on queries raised by students about the NEST-2012 question paper and answer key put on NEST-2012 website. The final answer key as per the deliberations of the committee is given below. Further queries on questions and the answer key will not be entertained.

Final Answers (Set-A)

| General | | Biology | | Chemistry | | Mathematics | | Physics | |
|---------|--------|---------|--------|-----------|--------|-------------|--------|---------|----------|
| Q. No. | Answer | Q. No. | Answer | Q. No. | Answer | Q. No. | Answer | Q. No. | Answer |
| 1.1 | A | 2.1 | A | 3.1 | B | 4.1 | C | 5.1 | C |
| 1.2 | D | 2.2 | B | 3.2 | C | 4.2 | C | 5.2 | A |
| 1.3 | B | 2.3 | B | 3.3 | A | 4.3 | B | 5.3 | C |
| 1.4 | A | 2.4 | B | 3.4 | A | 4.4 | A | 5.4 | B |
| 1.5 | C | 2.5 | D | 3.5 | D | 4.5 | D | 5.5 | C |
| 1.6 | D | 2.6 | C | 3.6 | B | 4.6 | C | 5.6 | C |
| 1.7 | A | 2.7 | C | 3.7 | B | 4.7 | A | 5.7 | B |
| 1.8 | B | 2.8 | C | 3.8 | D | 4.8 | B | 5.8 | B |
| 1.9 | D | 2.9 | D | 3.9 | D | 4.9 | D | 5.9 | D |
| 1.10 | D | 2.10 | A | 3.10 | D | 4.10 | A | 5.10 | A |
| 1.11 | B | 2.11 | CD | 3.11 | ABD | 4.11 | BCD | 5.11 | DROPPED* |
| 1.12 | C | 2.12 | AB | 3.12 | AC | 4.12 | ABC | 5.12 | BC |
| 1.13 | A | 2.13 | BC | 3.13 | CD | 4.13 | AB | 5.13 | ABC |
| 1.14 | A | 2.14 | AC | 3.14 | ABCD | 4.14 | BC | 5.14 | ABD |
| 1.15 | B | | | | | | | | |
| 1.16 | C | | | | | | | | |
| 1.17 | B | | | | | | | | |
| 1.18 | C | | | | | | | | |
| 1.19 | C | | | | | | | | |

* The marks for the physics section will be scaled by a factor of 50/45

Final Answers (Set-B)

| General | | Biology | | Chemistry | | Mathematics | | Physics | |
|---------|--------|---------|--------|-----------|--------|-------------|--------|---------|----------|
| Q. No. | Answer | Q. No. | Answer | Q. No. | Answer | Q. No. | Answer | Q. No. | Answer |
| 1.1 | C | 2.1 | B | 3.1 | D | 4.1 | D | 5.1 | B |
| 1.2 | C | 2.2 | D | 3.2 | C | 4.2 | D | 5.2 | C |
| 1.3 | D | 2.3 | A | 3.3 | B | 4.3 | B | 5.3 | B |
| 1.4 | B | 2.4 | C | 3.4 | D | 4.4 | C | 5.4 | C |
| 1.5 | A | 2.5 | D | 3.5 | B | 4.5 | C | 5.5 | B |
| 1.6 | D | 2.6 | C | 3.6 | A | 4.6 | A | 5.6 | B |
| 1.7 | C | 2.7 | A | 3.7 | C | 4.7 | A | 5.7 | C |
| 1.8 | B | 2.8 | A | 3.8 | B | 4.8 | B | 5.8 | C |
| 1.9 | D | 2.9 | B | 3.9 | C | 4.9 | C | 5.9 | A |
| 1.10 | B | 2.10 | D | 3.10 | C | 4.10 | A | 5.10 | D |
| 1.11 | C | 2.11 | AC | 3.11 | BCD | 4.11 | CD | 5.11 | ACD |
| 1.12 | A | 2.12 | BD | 3.12 | CD | 4.12 | ABC | 5.12 | ABD |
| 1.13 | A | 2.13 | CD | 3.13 | AC | 4.13 | AB | 5.13 | DROPPED* |
| 1.14 | C | 2.14 | AB | 3.14 | ABCD | 4.14 | BCD | 5.14 | BC |
| 1.15 | B | | | | | | | | |
| 1.16 | A | | | | | | | | |
| 1.17 | B | | | | | | | | |
| 1.18 | D | | | | | | | | |
| 1.19 | D | | | | | | | | |

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