TANCET MODEL QUESTION PAPER

1. In 1970, it cost \$12 to purchase 100 pounds of fertilizer. In 1990 it costs \$34 to					
purchase 100 pounds of fertilizer. The price of 100 pounds of fertilizer increased how					
many dollars betw	ween 1970 and 1990?				
1) 1.20	2)2.20	3)3.40	4)22		
2. A train 700 meter	r long is running at 72	km/ hour. If it cross	es a tunnel in 1 minute the		
length of the tunn	nel is				
1) 500 m	2) 700 m	3) 1200 m	4) 1900 m		
3. A car driver's inc	come consists of his sa	lary and tips. His sa	lary is \$50 a week. During		
one week his tins	were 5/4 of his salary	. What fraction of his	s income for the week came		
from tins?	······································				
1) 4/9	2)1/2	3)5/9	4)5/8		
4 The ratio of A's a	nd B's age is 3 · 5 and	the sum of their age	is 80 years. The ratio of their		
and after 10 years	will ha	i the sum of them age	is ob years. The facto of them		
$\frac{agc}{1} \frac{1}{1\cdot 2}$	$\frac{2}{2} \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{2}$	3) 3.1	1) 1.5		
1) 1.2 5 Thore are 22 stud	2) 2.3	$\frac{J}{J} \frac{J}{J} \frac{J}$	+)+.5		
5. There are 52 stud	the group are not righ	at handed how many	male students are right		
and 5 females in t	the group are not righ	it nanueu, now many	male students are right		
nanded:	2) 0	2) 12	4) 12		
	2)9	5) 12	4) 13		
6. If the radius of th	le circle is increased b	y 6%, then the area (of the circle is increased by		
1) 0.36%	2) 3.6%	3) 6%	4) 12.36%		
7. If the average of (6 numbers is 4.5, wha	t is the sum of the nu	mbers?		
1) 4.5	2) 24	3) 27	4) 30		
8. The cost price of	20 articles is the same	e as selling price of 15	articles. The profit		
percentage in the	transaction is				
1) 25	2) 30	3) 33(1/3)	4) 50		
9. The perimeter of	a rectangular field is	480 m and ratio betw	veen the length and breadth is		
5:3. The area of	f the field is	2			
1) 1350 m^2	2) 13500 m ²	3) 54000 m^2	4) 5.4 km ²		
10. A bag of chicker	n feed will feed 18 chie	ckens for 54 days. Ho	w many days will it feed 12		
chickens?					
1) 36	2) 37	3) 53	4) 81		
11. A man works fo	r 5 days a week and b	inds 35 sets of books	each week. If there are 7		
books in a set, w	hat is the number of	books he binds each o	lav?		
1)1	2) 49	3) 25	4) 35		
12. Three boys have	e marbles in the ratio	19:5:3. If the bovs w	with the least number have 9		
marbles, how many marbles does the boy with the greatest number have?					
1) 27	2) 33	3) 57	4)81		
13 If a light flashes	every 6 seconds how	many times will it fly	ash in 3/4 of an hour?		
1) 225	2) 250	3) 360	4) 450		
14 24-carat gold is	nure gold 18-carat c	old is 3/4 gold 20-ca	rat gold is 5/8 gold		
The ratio of nur	o gold in 18-carat gold	d to nuro gold in $20-ca$	erat gold is		
1) 5·8	2) Q. 10	1000000000000000000000000000000000000	$A > 8 \cdot 5$		
1) 3.0 15 (40 paras = 1 gas	$\frac{2}{9.10}$	3) 13.24	4) 8 . 5		
13.040 acres = 1 sq	2 square verde	e – 4040 square yarus			
1 square mile =	square yarus	2) 2 007 (00	4) 200 760		
1) 10/121 16 D-: 4 D :	2) 121/10	5) 5,09/,000	4) 509,/00		
10. Point P is on line	e segment AB. Which	of the following is all	ways true?		
I) $AP = PB$	2) AP > PB	3) PB > AP	4) $AB > AP$		

17. If $x < y$ and $a = b$	o, then					
1) $x + a = y + b$	2) $x + a < y + b$	3) $x + a > y + b$	4) $x + a = y$			
18. If $a > b > 1$, then which of the following is true?						
1) b + a > 2a	2) $a^2 < ab$	3) $a - b < 0$	4) $a^2 > b^2$			
19. In a triangle KLM the measure of angle M > the measure of angle L. Which of the						
following is true:	?					
1) KM > KL	2) KL > KM	3) KL < KM	4) $KM + LM < KL$			
20. If r is the radius of the circle and x its circumference, then area of the circle is						
1) $x^2/4\pi^2$	2) $x^2/4\pi$	3) $x^{2}/4$	4) πx^2			
21. To represent a fa	amily budget on a circ	cle graph, how many	degrees of the circle should			
be used to repres	sent an item that is 20	% of the total budget	2?			
1) 20	2) 36	3) 60	4) 72			
22. What is the dista	nce from point A (3, 4	4) to point B (-3,-4)?				
1) 0	2) 5	3) 10	4) 13			
23. Line joining poir	nt (-4,0) with point (0,	5) with point (4, 0) w	'ill form			
1) a circle	2) a right triangle	3) a rectangle	4) an isosceles triangle			
24. Point P (4, 2) is the midpoint of line OPC, where O is at origin (0, 0). The coordinates of						
C are						
1) (2, 1)	2) (4, 8)	3) (8, 2)	4) (8, 4)			
25. Angles a, b and c are in ratio 1:3:2. How many degrees are there in angle b?						
1) 30	2) 50	3) 60	4) 90			

26. Those who oppose the new water project claim to have the best interests of this community at heart. Yet they are the same people who, only three years ago, opposed the building of the new state highway, which now provides half a million commuters with fast, easy motoring every day. What could be a better argument in favour of the water project? Which of the following statements is most like the argument above?

- 1) Those who oppose nuclear power are unable or simply unwilling to recognize the fact that the nuclear energy industry has a safety record unparalleled by that of any other industry
- 2) The new gun control law is a misguided and dangerous proposal, which has been denounced by every sportsman club and gun-owners association in the state
- 3) We must fight the proposed antipornography statue, for its principal sponsors have voted against every major piece of women's rights legislation introduced in the last twenty years
- 4) The polls show that over 60% of the concerned parents in the state favour the school bond issue; cast your vote with the concerned majority on Election Day

Ouestions 27 - 30:

For a motorist there are three ways of going from city A to city C. By way of a bridge the distance is 20 miles and the toll is 75 Rupees. A tunnel between the two cities is a distance of 10 miles and the toll is 100 Rupees for the vehicle and driver plus 10 Rupees for each passenger. A two-lane highway without tolls goes east for 30 miles to city B and then 20 miles in a northwest direction to city C.

27. Which of the following is the shortest route from city B to city C?

- 1) Directly on the toll-free highway to city 2) The bridge 3) The tunnel
 - 4) The tunnel or the Bridge
- 28. The most economical way of going from city A to city B in terms of tolls and distance, is to use the
 - 1) Tunnel 2) Bridge 3) Bridge or tunnel 4) Toll-free highway

29. Martin usually drives alone from city C to city A every working day. His firm

deducts a percentage of employee pay for lateness. Which factor would most probably influence his choice of the bridge or the tunnel? 1) Whether his wife goes with him 2) Scenic interest of each route 3) Traffic conditions on the road, bridge and the tunnel 4) Saving of 25 Rupees in tolls 30. In choosing between the use of the bridge and the tunnel, the chief factors would be I. traffic and road conditions II. number of passengers in the car III. location of one's home In the center or outskirts of one of the cities IV. Desire to save 25 Rupees 1) I only 2) II only 3) II and III only 4) I and II only **Questions 31 -36**: The letters A, B, C, D, E, F and G, not necessarily in that order, stand for seven consecutive integers from 1 to 10. D is 3 less than A B is the middle term F is as much less than B as C is greater than D G is greater than F 31. The fifth integer is 1) A 2) C 3) D 4) E 32. A is as much greater than F as which integer is less than G 1) A 2) B 3) C 4) D 33. If A = 7, the sum of E and G is 2) 10 3) 12 4) 14 1)8 34. A - F = ? 1)13) 3 2) 2 4)4. 35. An integer T is as much greater than C as C is greater than E. T can be written as A + E. What is D? 1) 2 2) 3 3) 4 4) 5 36. The greatest possible value of C is how much greater than the smallest possible value of D? 1) 2 4) 5 2) 3 3) 4 **Questions 37 - 40**: 1) A causes B or C, but not both 2) F occurs only if B occurs 3) D occurs if B or C occurs 4) E occurs only if C occurs 5) J occurs only if E or F occurs 6) D causes G or H or both 7) H occurs if E occurs 8) G occurs if F occurs 37. If A occurs, which may occur? I. F and G II. E and H III. D 1) I only 2) II only 4) I and III or II and III, but not both 3) III only

38. If B occurs, whi	ch must occur?					
1) F and G	2) D and G	3) D	4) G and H			
39. If J occurs, whi	ch must have occurre	d?				
1) E	2) Both E and F	3) Either B or C	4) G			
40. Which may occu	40. Which may occur as a result of a cause not mentioned?					
I. D	II. A	III. F				
1) I only	2) II only	3) I and II only	4) II and III only			
Questions 41 – 44:	, -	· •	· ·			
Eight varsity baseba	ll players (G, H, J, K, J	L, M, N, O) are to be h	onoured at a special ceremony.			
Three of these playe	rs (H, M and O) are als	so varsity football play	ers. Two of them (K and N) are			
also basketball players on the varsity team. In arranging the seats it was decided that no athlete in						
two sports should be	seated next to another	two-sport athlete.				
41. Which of the fol	llowing combination i	s possible in order to	have the arrangement			
of seat assignme	ent as planned?	-	C .			
1) H G K J	2) H K J L	3) J K M N	4) J L H K			
42. Which of the fol	llowing cannot sit nex	t to M?	<i>`</i>			
1) G	2) J	3) G and J	4) K			
43. Before all athle	tes are seated there a	re two vacant seats on	either side of N. Which two			
athletes may occupy these seats?						
1) G and K	2) G and L	3) J and H	4) L and O			
44. To have the pro	oper seating arrangen	nent, K should sit bety	ween			
1) G and H	2) J and M	3) L and N	4) J and L			
Questions 45 - 50:	,	,	,			
The organizer of Lo	ocal 58 of the hospital	l workers is forming a	a five-person team to leaflet a			
nearby hospital. The	team must contain two	o persons to distribute	leaflets, one speaker to address			
the workers who sto	p and a two-person def	fence squad. A, B and	C are possible leaf letters; C, D			
and E are possible s	speakers; F, G and H a	are possible members	of the defence guard. A and C			
prefers to work with	each other on the same	e team. E prefers to wo	rk only if F works.			
45. Which is a pos	sible team if all prefer	rence are respected?	2			
1) A,B,C,D,F	2) A,C,D,E,F	(3) A, B, C, F,	G 4) A, C, E, G, H			
46. If A is chosen a	as a member of the tea	am and all preference	s are respected, which must			
be true?		•	•			
1) B must be a l	leafletter	2) C must be a ieafle	etter			
3) F must go		4) Any of the three d	efence personnel may go			
47. Which choice of	of personnel is possibl	le if all preferences ar	e respected?			
1) A and B as le	afletters, C as speaker	2) B and C a	s leafletter			
3) A and C as le	afletter, F and H on det	fence 4) G and H o	n defence			
48. If A and B are	leafletters and all pre	eferences are respected	d. which is true?			
I. C is the s	neaker	II. F is on defence				
III. Either F	or G is on defence					
1) I only	2) II only	3) III only	4) I and III only			
49. How many diff	ferent possible teams	can the organizer asso	emble, if all preferences are			
respected?	F					
1)5	2)8	3) 9	4) 13			
50. Which person of	can be part of the sma	llest number of differ	ent possible teams, if			
evervone's pref	erences are respected	?	•••• Possie ••••••••, ••			
1) A	2) B	3) C	4) E			
51. One byte is ear	uivalent to	- , -	,			
1) 16 bits	2) 4 bits	3) 8 bits	4) 32 bits			
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52. Which gate is a single Integrated circ	uit?				
1) Gate 2) Mother Boa	rd 3) Chip	4) CPU			
53. Compilers and Interpreters are them	selves				
1) High level language 2) Codes	3) Programs	4) Mnemonics			
54. Conversion of an octal number 125 ₈ to its decimal number is					
1) 90_{10} 2) 85_{10}	3) 87 ₁₀	4) 99 ₁₀			
55. The binary number 100110010 is equ	al tohexadecin	nal numbers			
1) 22 2) 37	3) 41	4) 132			
56. A computer system having 64K mem	ory will have Its last ad	dress as			
1) 65536 2) 64000	3) 65535	4) 65530			
57. The logical bitwise operator is					
1) bitwise AND2) bitwise XO	R 3) bitwise OR	4) all of the above			
58. A variable that holds the memory ad	dress of another object	is called an			
1) integer 2) pointer	3) constant	4) memory variable			
59. A subscript of an array can be	-				
1) any +ve or -ve value 2) a -ve intege	er 3) +ve value	4) a zero			
60. A union consists of a number of elem	ents that				
1) occupy the same space in memory	2) must be struc	tures			
3) are grouped next to each other in memory 4) all of the above					
61. When a computer is first turned on o	r restarted, a special ty	pe of absolute loader,			
called ais executed					
1) loader 2) linker	3) bootstrap load	ler 4) none of the above			
62. In an absolute loading scheme, which	loader function is accol	mplished by assembler			
1) Reallocation 2) Allocation	3) Linking	4) Loading			
65. The action of parsing the source prog	(ram into the proper sy	ntnetic classes is known as			
1) syntax analysis 2) intermetation analysis	2) lexical analys	2) Textical analysis (1) general syntax analysis			
5) interpretation analysis 64 An algorithm is best described as	4) general synta	x analysis			
1) A computer language	2) A stap by stap $proposed$	dura for solving a problem			
 A branch of mathematics 	4) All of the above	A step by step procedure for solving a problem			
5) A branch of maintenatics 65 Which of the following might be used	4) All of the above	nguago Instructions into			
machine language?	to convert nightever h	inguage misti uctions into			
1) System software	2) Application software				
3) An operating environment	4) An interpreter	,			
66 A system program that sets up an executable program in main memory ready for					
execution is?	executable program in	main memory ready for			
1) Assembler 2) Linker	3) Loader	4) Compiler			
67. A compiler is	-)	.)F			
1) A program that places programs into n		a .			
2) A program that automate the translation of assembly language into machine language					
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70. Operating system 1) Links a program with the subroutines it references 2) Provides a layered, user friendly interface 3) Enables the programmer to draw a flow chart 4) All of the above 71. Which of the following is a serious problem of file management systems? 1) Difficult to update 2) Lack of data independence 3) Data redundancy and program dependency 4) All of the above 72. A data dictionary does not provide information about 1) Where data is located 2) the size of the disk storage device 3) Who owns or is responsible for the data 4) How the data is used 73. The number of layers in TCP/IP model and OSI reference model is 1) 4.7 2) 5,7 3) 5, 6 4) 6, 7 74. Which of the following file transfer protocols use TCP and establishes two virtual circuits between the local and remote server? 1) FTP 2) TFTP 3) TELNET 4) NFS 75.....is need to build dynamic web documents 2) CGI 3) Java 4) All of the above 1) HTML 76. A device that converts digital signals to analog signals is? 3) Both (1) and (2) 1) A packet 2) A modem 4) A block 77. Which of the following is an advantage to using fibre optics data transmission? 1) Resistance to data theft 2) Fast data transmission rate 3) Low noise level 4) Few transmission errors 78. A Protocol is a set of rules governing a time sequence of events that must take place? 1) Between peers 2) Between modems 3) Between an interface 4) Across an interface 79. A network which is used for sharing data, software and hardware among several users owning microcomputers is called 1) WAN 2) MAN 3) LAN 4) VAN 80. Web pages are written using 1) HTTP 2) FTP 3) URL 4) HTML 81. Ten minutes after a plane leaves the airport, it is reported that the plane is 40 miles away. What is the average speed of the plane, in miles per hour? 1) 66 2) 240 3) 400 4) 600 82. An automobile passes city X at 9.55 A.M. and city Y at 10.15 A.M. city x is 30 miles from city Y, what is the average rate of the automobiles in miles per hour? 1) 10 2) 30 3) 90 4) 120 83. Two cars start towards each other from points 400 miles apart. One car travels of 40 miles an hour and the other travels at 35 miles an hour. How far apart, in miles, will the two cars be after 4 hours of continuous travelling? 1)20 2)40 3)75 4)10084. How long would a car travelling at 30 miles per hour take to cover a distance of 44 feet? (1 mile = 5280 feet)2) 2.64 second 3) 1 minute 1) 1 second 4) 7.7 minutes 85. What is the maximum number of glass tumblers each with a circumference of 4π inches, can be placed rectangularly on a table 48"x 32"? 4) 96 1) 36 2) 48 3) 92

86. The numerator and denominator of a fraction are in the ratio 2:3. If 6 is subtracted from the numerator the result will be a fraction that has a value 2/3 of the original fraction. The numerator of the original fraction is? 1) 4 2) 6 3)9 4) 1887. A train covers the distance between two cities in h hours arriving 2 hours late. What rate would permit the train to arrive on schedule? 2) d/h - 21) h-2 3) d/(h-2)4) dh-2 88. A box is made in the form of a cube. If a second cubical box has inside dimensions three times those of the first box, how many times as much does the second box contain? 1)272) 3 3) 6 4) 9 89. Nancy would like to complete all her homework before 10 P.M. in order to watch an important television program. She has 40 - minute assignments in each of the five prepared subjects. What is the latest time at which she can start and still complete her homework in time for the program? 1) 6.30 RM. 2) 6.40 PM. 3) 7.10 RM. 4) 7.20 RM. 90. A rectangle L inches long and w inches wide is made 3 inches longer. The area is increased by 1) 3w 2) 31 3) 3wl 4) 3 (1 + w)91. City x is 200 miles east of city y and city z is 150 miles directly north of city y. What is the shortest distance between x and z? 3) 200 1) 507 2) 175 4) 250 92. When 6 gallons of gasoline are put into a car the indicator goes from 1/4 to 5/8. The total capacity of the gasoline tank (in gallons is)? 2) 14 1) 123) 30 4)16 93. One half of the student body at school study French and one third of others study Tamil. The remaining 300 do not study Tamil or French. How many students are there in this school? 1) 360 2) 550 3) 900 4) 1350 94. A sports jacket marked \$48 Is offered at a discount of 25% during storewide sale. At this reduced price the dealer makes a profit of 20% of the cost. The cost to the dealer is 1) \$29 2) \$30 3) \$32 4) \$40 95. A man covers d miles In hours. At that rate how long (in hours) will it take him to cover m miles? 4) dt/m 1) dmt 2) md/t 3)mt/d96. Mr. John can mow his lawn in x hours. After 2 hours it begins to rain. What part of the lawn is left un mowed? 1) (x-2)/x2) (2-x)/x3) x/24) (x - 2)/297. Which of the following has the greatest value? 2) $0.3^{0.5}$ 1) 0.3 3) 2/5 4) 1/3 98. One wheel rotates once every 7 minutes, and another rotates once every 5 minutes. How often will both begin to rotate at the same time? 1) Every 6 min. 2) Every 12 min. 3) Every 17.5 min. 4) Every 35 min. 99. If 9x - 3y = 12 and 3x - 5y = 7, then 6x - 2y equals? 2) 8 3) 4 1) -5 4) 7 100. R and Tare points on straight line PQ on which PR = RT = TQ. What percent of PT is **PO**? 1) $1\frac{1}{2}\%$ 2) 50% 3) 66 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 4) 150%