

> **ANSWER KEY**

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|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 1. (c) | 2. (d) | 3. (a) | 4. (b) | 5. (b) | 6. (b) | 7. (a) | 8. (a) | 9. (a) | 10. (c) |
| 11. (d) | 12. (d) | 13. (d) | 14. (a) | 15. (c) | 16. (b) | 17. (a) | 18. (b) | 19. (c) | 20. (c) |
| 21. (b) | 22. (c) | 23. (d) | 24. (d) | 25. (c) | 26. (a) | 27. (b) | 28. (d) | 29. (c) | 30. (d) |
| 31. (b) | 32. (d) | 33. (b) | 34. (c) | 35. (c) | 36. (b) | 37. (d) | 38. (a) | 39. (a) | 40. (a) |
| 41. (d) | 42. (b) | 43. (c) | 44. (a) | 45. (b) | 46. (d) | 47. (d) | 48. (b) | 49. (d) | 50. (b) |
| 51. (a) | 52. (d) | 53. (c) | 54. (b) | 55. (b) | 56. (b) | 57. (d) | 58. (a) | 59. (b) | 60. (b) |
| 61. (c) | 62. (d) | 63. (c) | 64. (a) | 65. (d) | 66. (b) | 67. (a) | 68. (d) | 69. (a) | 70. (b) |
| 71. (a) | 72. (a) | 73. (d) | 74. (d) | 75. (b) | 76. (a) | 77. (a) | 78. (b) | 79. (d) | 80. (b) |
| 81. (c) | 82. (d) | 83. (a) | 84. (c) | 85. (b) | 86. (d) | 87. (b) | 88. (c) | 89. (a) | 90. (d) |
| 91. (a) | 92. (d) | 93. (c) | 94. (a) | 95. (d) | 96. (d) | 97. (a) | 98. (a) | 99. (c) | 100. (b) |

Hint & Solutions

1. (C) 225, 256, **121**, 289, 324
 15^2 16^2 11^2 17^2 18^2
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2. (D) **31-2-1970**, The second month of a year is February, which has 28 days in a normal year and 29 days in a leap year.

Hence, the given date is False.

3. (A) 3 6 5 4 1 9
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9 2 8 1 4 3

4. (B) The word **STENT** can't be formed by using the letters of the 'SHIPMENT', because there is only one 'T' present in 'SHIPMENT'.

5. (B) 3 ② ⑨ → GOD IS LOVE
 ⑨ ② 7 → LOVE IS BEAUTIFUL

6. (B) $4 \times 36 = 144 (12^2)$ $13 \times 13 = 169 (13^2)$
 ↙ ↘
 12 13

 $8 \times 32 = 256 (16^2)$
 ↙ ↘
 16

7. (A) Solving from the choices:
 (A) Inserting the operators (\times , \div , $-$, $=$)
 We get,

$5 \times 3 + 3 - 5 = 0$ [Use 'BODMAS' rule]
 $5 - 5 = 0 \Rightarrow 0 = 0$

(B) Inserting the operators ($+$, $-$, \div , $=$)
 We get,

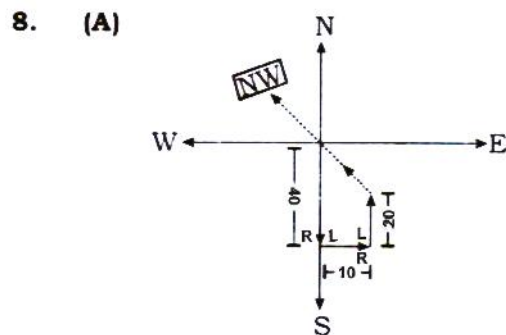
$5 - 3 - 3 \div 5 = 0$ [Use 'BODMAS' rule]
 $5 + 3 - .6 = 0 \Rightarrow 8 - .6 = 0 \Rightarrow 7.4 \neq 0$

(C) Inserting the operators (\div , $-$, $+$, $=$)
 We get,

$5 - 3 - 3 + 5 = 0$ [Use 'BODMAS' rule]
 $2 + 2 = 0 \Rightarrow 4 \neq 0$

(D) Inserting the operators ($-$, \times , \div , $=$)
 We get,

$5 - 3 \times 3 \div 5 = 0$ [Use 'BODMAS' rule]
 $5 - 3 \times 0.6 = 0 \Rightarrow 5 - 1.8 = 0 \Rightarrow 3.2 \neq 0$



9. (A) A line in an appointment letter is "the performance of an individual generally is not known at the time of appointment".

Hence, **only assumption I is implicit**

10. (C) Cataract disease related to eye. Similarly, Pneumonia disease related to **lungs**.

11. (D) **T T T : 7 7 7 :: R R R : 9 9 9**
 Reverse Position of the English Alphabet Reverse Position of the English Alphabet

12. (D) $6 : 34 :: 9 : \boxed{79}$
 $\begin{array}{c} \downarrow \quad \uparrow \\ 6^2-2 \end{array}$ $\begin{array}{c} \downarrow \quad \uparrow \\ 9^2-2 \end{array}$

13. (D) Jostle, Nudge and Push are synonyms and all are related to push, but **Trash** is related to junk.

14. (A) 27, 64 and 8 are the perfect cubes of 3, 4 and 2 respectively, but **9** is perfect square of 3.

15. (C) (A) $\begin{array}{ccc} 15 & 8 & 1 \\ O & H & A \end{array}$ (B) $\begin{array}{ccc} 16 & 9 & 2 \\ P & I & B \end{array}$
 $\begin{array}{c} \downarrow \quad \uparrow \quad \downarrow \quad \uparrow \\ -7 \quad -7 \end{array}$ $\begin{array}{c} \downarrow \quad \uparrow \quad \downarrow \quad \uparrow \\ -7 \quad -7 \end{array}$

(C) $\begin{array}{ccc} 10 & 17 & 3 \\ J & Q & C \end{array}$ (D) $\begin{array}{ccc} 12 & 11 & 4 \\ R & K & D \end{array}$
 $\begin{array}{c} \downarrow \quad \uparrow \quad \downarrow \quad \uparrow \\ +7 \quad -14 \end{array}$ $\begin{array}{c} \downarrow \quad \uparrow \quad \downarrow \quad \uparrow \\ -7 \quad -7 \end{array}$

16. (B)

| | | |
|------------|-------|--------|
| Foundation | Floor | Window |
| 2 | 3 | 1 |

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| Ventilator | Roof |
| 4 | 5 |

Hence, the meaningful order is **2, 3, 1, 4, 5**.

17. (A)

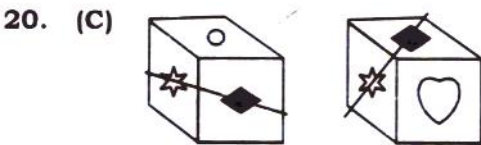
| | | |
|--------|------|------|
| LEADEN | LEAF | LEAK |
| 5 | 1 | 4 |

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| LEARNED | LEAVED |
| 2 | 3 |

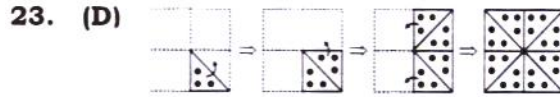
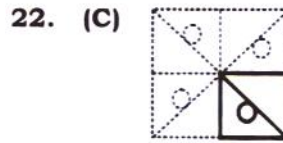
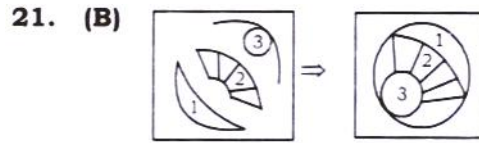
Hence, as per the English dictionary, the correct order is **5, 1, 4, 2, 3**.

18. (B) $\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 4 & 7 \\ A & D & G \end{array}$, $\begin{array}{ccc} 7 & 10 & 13 \\ G & J & M \end{array}$, $\begin{array}{ccc} 13 & 16 & 19 \\ M & P & S \end{array}$
 $\begin{array}{c} \downarrow \quad \uparrow \quad \downarrow \quad \uparrow \quad \downarrow \quad \uparrow \\ +6 \quad +6 \quad +6 \end{array}$

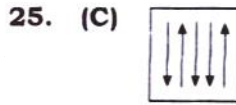
19. (C) 25, 35, 55, **85**, 125
 $\begin{array}{c} \downarrow \quad \uparrow \quad \downarrow \quad \uparrow \\ -10 \quad -20 \quad -30 \quad -40 \\ \downarrow \quad \uparrow \quad \downarrow \quad \uparrow \\ -10 \quad -10 \quad -10 \end{array}$



When two symbols/numbers are common in two faces of one dice. Then the third symbol/number are opposite to each other. Thus, opposite is .



24. (D) Solving from the options.
 (A) 11, 66, 57, 20, 76
 (B) 20, 76, 12, 57, 66
 (C) 66, 12, 20, 11, 57
 (D) **11, 66, 12, 20, 56**



51. $x = \frac{4ab}{a+b} = \frac{2a \times 2b}{a+b}$

$\frac{x}{2a} = \frac{2b}{a+b}$ and
 $\frac{x}{2b} = \frac{2a}{a+b}$

Applying componendo and Dividendo rule
 $\frac{x+2a}{x-2a} + \frac{x+2b}{x-2b} = \frac{3b+a}{b-a} + \frac{3a+b}{a-b}$
 $= \frac{3b+a}{b-a} - \frac{3a+b}{b-a}$
 $= \frac{2b-2a}{b-a} = 2$

52. $a+b+c = 4$... (i)
 $ab+bc+ca = -2$... (ii)

Squaring equation (i)
 $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2(ab+bc+ca) = 16$
 $\therefore a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2 \times (-2) = 16$
 $\therefore a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 16 + 4 = 20$... (iii)
 $\therefore (a+b)^2 + (b+c)^2 + (c+a)^2$
 $= a^2 + b^2 + 2ab + b^2 + c^2 + 2bc + c^2 + a^2 + 2ac$
 $= 2(a^2 + b^2 + c^2) + 2(ab+bc+ac)$
 $= 2 \times 20 + 2 \times (-2) = 40 - 4 = 36$

53. $\operatorname{cosec}\theta + \frac{1}{\tan\theta} = 5$
 $\operatorname{cosec}\theta + \cot\theta = 5$... (i)

$\left(\because \frac{1}{\tan\theta} = \cot\theta \right)$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta - \cot^2 \theta &= 1 \\ \therefore (\operatorname{cosec} \theta + \cot \theta)(\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta) &= 1 \\ \therefore \operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta &= \frac{1}{5} \quad \dots \text{(iii)} \end{aligned}$$

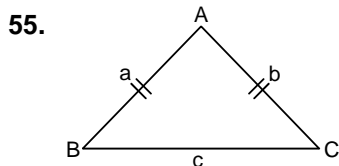
Solving equation (i) and (ii)

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta &= 5 \\ -\operatorname{cosec} \theta + \cot \theta &= \frac{1}{5} \\ \frac{-\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta}{2 \cot \theta} &= \frac{\frac{1}{5} - 5}{5 - \frac{1}{5}} = \frac{25 - 1}{5} = \frac{24}{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \cot \theta &= \frac{24}{5 \times 2} = \frac{12}{5} \\ \therefore \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} &= \tan \theta = \frac{5}{12} \end{aligned}$$

54. $\frac{1}{\sin 10^\circ} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\cos 10^\circ}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\cos 10^\circ - \sqrt{3} \sin 10^\circ}{\sin 10^\circ \cos 10^\circ} \\ &= 2 \left[\frac{\frac{1}{2} \cos 10^\circ - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sin 10^\circ}{\sin 10^\circ \cos 10^\circ} \right] \\ &= 2 \left[\frac{\sin 30^\circ \cdot \cos 10^\circ - \cos 30^\circ \sin 10^\circ}{\sin 10^\circ \cdot \cos 10^\circ} \right] \\ &= \frac{2 \sin(30^\circ - 10^\circ)}{\sin 10^\circ \cdot \cos 10^\circ} = \frac{2 \cdot 2 \sin 20^\circ}{2 \sin 10^\circ \cos 10^\circ} \\ &= \frac{4 \sin 20^\circ}{\sin 20^\circ} = 4 \end{aligned}$$



Given $AB = AC$
 $\angle B = \angle C$ (Angle of equal sides)

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \angle A &= 2\angle B \\ \therefore \angle A + \angle B + \angle C &= 180^\circ \\ 2\angle B + \angle B + \angle B &= 180^\circ \\ 4\angle B &= 180^\circ \\ \angle B &= 45^\circ \\ 2\angle B &= \angle A \\ \angle A &= 90^\circ \end{aligned}$$

So, ΔABC is a right angled triangle
 In ΔABC

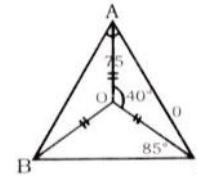
$$\begin{aligned} AB^2 + AC^2 &= BC^2 \\ 2AC^2 &= BC^2 \\ BC &= AC\sqrt{2} \\ BC &= 4\sqrt{2} \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

\therefore Circumradius $(R) = \frac{BC}{2} = 2\sqrt{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Incircle radius (r)} &= \frac{a + b - c}{2} \\ &= \frac{8 - 4\sqrt{2}}{2} = 4 - 2\sqrt{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore r : R = (4 - 2\sqrt{2}) : 2\sqrt{2} = 2 - \sqrt{2} : \sqrt{2} = (\sqrt{2} - 1) : 1$$

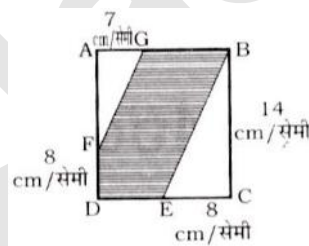
56. In ΔABC



$$\begin{aligned} \angle A + \angle B + \angle C &= 180^\circ \\ \angle B &= 180^\circ - 75^\circ - 85^\circ \\ &= 180^\circ - 160^\circ = 20^\circ \\ \angle AOC &= 40^\circ \end{aligned}$$

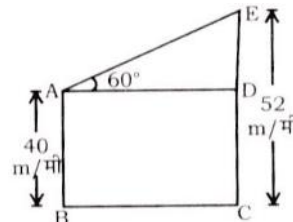
Then In ΔOAC
 $\angle AOC + \angle OCA + \angle OAC = 180^\circ$ [$\because OC = OA$]
 $40^\circ + 2\angle OAC = 180^\circ$
 $2\angle OAC = 140^\circ \Rightarrow \angle OAC = 70^\circ$

57.



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of } \Delta ABCD / \Delta ABCD &= AB \times BC = 15 \times 14 = 210 \text{ cm}^2 \\ \text{Area of } \Delta ABG / \Delta BGE &= \frac{1}{2} \times BC \times EC \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 14 \times 8 = 56 \text{ cm}^2 \\ \text{Area of } \Delta AFG / \Delta AFG &= \frac{1}{2} \times AF \times AG = \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 7 \\ &= 21 \text{ cm}^2 \\ \text{Area of shaded portion} &= \text{Area of shaded } \Delta ABCD / \Delta ABCD \\ &= 210 - 56 - 21 \\ &= 133 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

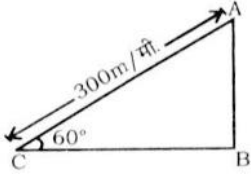
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Let AB and CE are two poles of height 40 m and 5 m respectively.
 AE is the length of wire which is connected with two poles

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{In } \triangle EAD / \triangle EAD \\ \sin 60^\circ &= \frac{ED}{AE} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \therefore \frac{12}{AE} &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \therefore AE &= 8\sqrt{3} \text{ meters} \\ \therefore \text{Length of the wire} &= 8\sqrt{3} \text{ meters} \end{aligned}$$

59.



Let AC is 300 meter long thread and AB is height of kite from ground

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{In } \triangle ABC / \triangle ABC \\ \sin 60^\circ &= \frac{AB}{AC} \\ \therefore \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} &= \frac{AB}{300} \\ \therefore AB &= 150\sqrt{3} \\ \therefore \text{height of the kite from ground} &= 150\sqrt{3} \text{ meter} \end{aligned}$$

60. Let the certain distance is x km

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Time taken by first man} &= \frac{x}{8} \\ \therefore \frac{x}{6} - \frac{x}{8} &= \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{4x - 3x}{24} &= \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{x}{24} &= \frac{1}{2}, x = 12 \text{ km} \\ \therefore \text{Certain distance} &= 12 \text{ km} \end{aligned}$$

61. Let the radius of the cylinder

$$\begin{aligned} &= r \\ \text{After 20\% increasing} &= r \times \frac{120}{100} = 1.2r \\ \text{Height} &= h \\ \text{Volume} &= \pi \times 1.2r \times 1.2r \times h \\ &= 1.44\pi r^2 h \end{aligned}$$

Volume remains unchanged, So decrement in height

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{44\pi r^2 h}{1.44\pi r^2 h} \times 100 = \frac{44}{1.44} \times 100 \\ &= \frac{11}{36} \times 100 = \frac{11 \times 25}{9} = \frac{275}{9} = 30\frac{5}{9}\% \end{aligned}$$

62. Perimeter of base of cone = $2\pi r$

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times r &= 12 \\ \therefore r &= \frac{21}{11} \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{Volume of cones} &= \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times \frac{21}{11} \times \frac{21}{11} \times 42 \\ &= 160.36 \text{ cm}^3 \end{aligned}$$

63. Let the cost price and selling price are $12x$ and $15x$ respectively

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{Profit} &= SP \\ &= 15x - 12x = 3x \\ \therefore \text{Profit} &= \frac{3x \times 100}{12x} = 25\% \end{aligned}$$

64. Let the principal = x

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total amount} &= 2x \\ \text{Rate} &= 14\frac{2}{7}\% = \frac{100}{7}\% \\ \therefore SI &= 2x - x = x \\ \therefore SI &= \frac{P \times R \times T}{100} \\ \therefore x &= \frac{100 \times SI}{P \times R} \\ &= \frac{100 \times x}{x \times \frac{100}{7}} \\ &= 7 \text{ years} \end{aligned}$$

65. Quantity of milk in the 1st mixture

$$= \frac{4}{9}$$

Quantity of milk in the 2nd mixture

$$= \frac{2}{9}$$

Quantity of milk in new mixture

$$= \frac{1}{3}$$

By using allegation rule

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \frac{4}{9} & & \frac{2}{9} \\ & \backslash & / \\ & \frac{1}{3} & \\ & / & \backslash \\ \frac{4}{9} - \frac{4}{9} = \frac{1}{9} & & \frac{4}{9} - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{9} \end{array}$$

Required ratio = 1:1

66. $A:B = 5:3, B:C = 6:11$

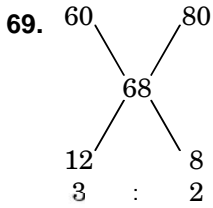
$$\therefore A:B:C = 10:6:11$$

67. One day work of A and B

$$\begin{aligned} \text{B's one day work} &= \frac{1}{15} \\ \therefore \text{A's one day work} &= \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{15} = \frac{3-1}{15} = \frac{2}{15} \\ &= 7\frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$68. 999\frac{1}{7} + 999\frac{2}{7} + 999\frac{3}{7} + 999\frac{4}{7} + 999\frac{5}{7} + 999\frac{6}{7}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \left(999 + \frac{1}{7}\right) + \left(999 + \frac{2}{7}\right) + \dots + \left(999 + \frac{6}{7}\right) \\
 &= 999 \times 6 + \left(\frac{1}{7} + \frac{2}{7} + \frac{3}{7} + \frac{4}{7} + \frac{5}{7} + \frac{6}{7}\right) \\
 &= 5994 + \frac{21}{7} = 5997
 \end{aligned}$$



\therefore Ratio of girls and boys = 2:3

70. Let the number of boys and girls be $4x$ and $5x$ respectively

The number of boys who do not get scholarship

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 4x \times (100 - 25)\% \\
 &= 4x \times \frac{75}{100} = 3x
 \end{aligned}$$

The number of girls who do not get scholarship

$$= 5x \times (100 - 40)\% = 5x \times 60\% = 3x$$

\therefore Total students who do not get scholarship

$$= 3x + 3x = 6x$$

$$\therefore \text{Required percentage} = \frac{6x + 100}{9x} = 66\frac{2}{3}\%$$

71. Difference between target set and the actual production for the year 2000-01

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 17000000 - 130000000 \\
 &= 40,00000
 \end{aligned}$$

72. Let the actual production of cricket balls in 2001-02 was x times of the target production

$$\therefore 430000000 \times x = 490000000$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{490000000}{430000000} = 1.14$$

73. Number of years in which actual production was above to the target production of the cricekt balls

$$= 2$$

74. Actual production of cricket balls in years 2001-01

Target production of cricket balls in 1999-00

$$= 320,000000$$

\therefore Required percent

$$= \frac{120,00000 \times 100}{320,00000} = 40.6\%$$

75. Let the each edge of a cube is x meter

\therefore Surface are = $6x^2$

New side = $x + x$

$$50\% = \frac{3x}{2}$$

\therefore New surface are

$$= 6 \times \left(\frac{3x}{2}\right)^2$$

$$= 6 \times \frac{9x^2}{4} = \frac{27x^2}{2}$$

Increase in surface are = $\frac{27x^2}{2} - \frac{6x^2}{1} = \frac{27x^2 - 12x^2}{2} = \frac{15x^2}{2}$

Percentage increase = $\frac{\frac{15x^2}{2} \times 100}{6x^2} = 125\%$