LIC AAO Prelims

100 Questions

Que. 1   **Directions:** Read the following comprehension carefully and answer the questions given below.

    Eight people A, B, C, D, E, F, G and H are sitting in a linear row. Some of them are facing North and some of them are facing South. Number of people left to the D is one less than people sitting to the right of F. Number of people sitting between A and H is two more than the number of people sitting to the left of C. B is sitting at the end and A is second to the left of B. E is sitting second to the right of G and both of them are facing the same directions. H is facing North and is opposite to E. Only two people are sitting between F and B. D is an immediate neighbor of F. A is sitting immediately to the right of C. More than two people are sitting between F and E. A is facing the opposite direction to G.

Who is sitting fourth to the right of H?

1. F
2. A
3. B
4. G
5. E

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 2   How many people are facing south?

1. Three
2. Two
3. Four
4. None
5. One

Correct Option **- 3**

Que. 3   Who is sitting immediately left of G?

1. F
2. D
3. E
4. A
5. G

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 4   How many people are sitting to the right of D?

1. Three
2. Two
3. One
4. Four
5. Six

Correct Option **- 4**

Que. 5   The number of people who are sitting to the right of A are same as the number of people are sitting between F and __?

1. E

2. A
3. C
4. H
5. G

Correct Option **- 4**

Que. 6 | **Direction:** Read the following information carefully and answer the questions that follow:

There are ten persons namely A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I and J attending the meeting on either 7th or 28th of January, February, March, April and May.

Only two persons attend the meeting before E. Three persons attend the meeting between B and H. F attends the meeting in March. B attends the meeting on the 28th of the month which has the least number of days. A and D attend on odd dates. D attends on the month which has 30 days. Two persons attend the meeting between J and D. J attends the meeting immediately after I. Two persons attend the meeting between G and I.

Who attends the meeting on 28th January?

1. J
2. C
3. B
4. G
5. H

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 7 | How many persons attend the meeting between B and I?

1. Two
2. Five
3. Six
4. One
5. Four

Correct Option **- 5**

Que. 8 | Who attends the meeting immediately after F?

1. B
2. G
3. E
4. H
5. I

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 9 | In which month does J attend the meeting?

1. February
2. March
3. January
4. May
5. April

Correct Option **- 4**

| **Que. 10** | Who attends the meeting immediately before C? |

1. B
2. E
3. A
4. G
5. H

Correct Option **- 3**

| **Que. 11** | How many such pairs of letters are there in the word 'TECHNIQUE' which has as many letters between them as in the English alphabetical order (both forward and backward)? |

1. None
2. One
3. Two
4. Three
5. More than three

Correct Option **- 2**

| **Que. 12** | **Direction:** In the question below, there are three statements followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows them from the given statements disregarding commonly known facts. |

Statements:

Only a few paint is colour.

Some code is colour.

No code is print.

Conclusions:

I. All paint can be colour.

II. Some colour is print.

1. Only I follow
2. Neither I nor II follow
3. Only II follow
4. Either I or II follow
5. Both follow

Correct Option **- 2**

| **Que. 13** | **Direction:** In the question below, there are three statements followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows them from the given statements disregarding commonly known facts. |

Statements:

All questions are fake.

Only a few fake is life.

No gift is life.

Conclusions:

I. Some question can be gift.

II. No life is question.

1. Only II follow
2. Only I follow
3. Both follow
4. None follow
5. Either I or II follow

Correct Option - **2**

Que. 14 **Direction:** In the question below, there are three statements followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows them from the given statements disregarding commonly known facts.

Statements:

Some mouse is cat.

Only a few cat is dog.

All rat is dog.

Conclusions:

I. All cat can be dog.

II. No mouse is dog.

1. Neither I nor II follow
2. Either I or II follow
3. both follow
4. Only I follow
5. Only II follow

Correct Option - **1**

Que. 15 **Direction:** In the question below, there are two statements followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows them from the given statements disregarding commonly known facts.

Statements:

Some pen is pencil.

Some pencil is not paper.

Conclusions:

I. Some pen is paper.

II. All paper can be pencil.

1. Only II follow
2. Only I follow
3. Both follow
4. Either I or II follow
5. None follow

Correct Option - **1**

Que. 16 Select the letter-cluster that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.

RAB, TDG, VGL, ? ,ZMV

1. XJQ
2. YLR

3. XKQ

4. YKR

5. None

Correct Option **- 1**

Que. 17 | **Directions:** Read the following information carefully and answer the given questions:

There are eight persons: E, F, G, H, I, J, K, and L in a bank at different designations: MD, GM, AGM, DGM, Manager, AM, PO, and Clerk from higher to lower positions. Only four persons are junior to H who is senior to K. Three designations are there between I and K. As many persons are senior to I as junior to J. F is three posts senior to L who is junior to J. G is senior to E who is not the GM in the bank.

Who is the GM in the bank?

1. G

2. E

3. H

4. I

5. F

Correct Option **- 4**

Que. 18 | Who is the Manager in the bank?

1. K

2. F

3. E

4. J

5. L

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 19 | What is the designation of E in the bank?

1. DGM

2. Manager

3. AM

4. AGM

5. MD

Correct Option **- 4**

Que. 20 | What is the designation of J in the bank?

1. Clerk

2. Manager

3. AM

4. PO

5. Cannot be determined

Correct Option **- 4**

Que. 21 | How many designations are there between H and G?

1. Two

2. Three

3. None

4. Four

5. One

Correct Option **- 1**

Que. 22   **Direction:** In the following question assuming the given statement to be true, find which of the conclusion among the given conclusions is/are definitely true and then give your answers accordingly.

Statements: A > C < D < B, D > E < F

Conclusions:

I. A > E

II. E < B

1. Only I follow

2. Only II follow

3. Both follows

4. Neither I nor II follow

5. Either I or II follow

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 23   **Direction:** In the following question assuming the given statement to be true, find which of the conclusion among given conclusions is/are definitely true and then give your answers accordingly.

Statements: P ≥ M > V ≤ U, T ≤ U > L

Conclusions:

I. L < M

II. V ≤ T

1. Both follow

2. Only I follow

3. Only II follow

4. Either I or II follow

5. Neither I nor II follow

Correct Option **- 5**

Que. 24   **Direction:** In the following question assuming the given statement to be true, find which of the conclusion among given conclusions is/are definitely true and then give your answers accordingly.

Statements: M > N = O < P ≤ Q, R > S ≤ Q

Conclusions:

I. N ≤ S

II. O < S

1. Only I follow

2. Only II folllow

3. Both follows

4. None follow

5. Either I or II follow

Correct Option **- 5**

Que. 25   **Direction:** In the following question assuming the given statement to be true, find which of the conclusion among given conclusions is/are definitely true and then give your answers accordingly.

Statements: C ≤ D < E ≥ F < G, D > O ≥ K

Conclusions:

I. D > K

II. E > K

1. Only II follow
2. Only I follow
3. Either I or II follow
4. None follow
5. Both I and II follows

Correct Option **- 5**

Que. 26 How many meaningful four-letter English words can be formed from the fourth, fifth, seventh and eighth letters from the left end of the word 'CHEMISTRY'?

1. None
2. One
3. Two
4. Three
5. More than three

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 27 **Directions:** Read the following information carefully and answer the questions given below.

Eight boxes – A to H – are placed one above the other not necessarily in the same order. At least two and at most four boxes are placed above box D. Three boxes are placed between boxes D and F. Number of boxes placed above box F is same as the number of boxes placed below box H. Only two boxes are placed between boxes H and A. Box A is placed three boxes away from box C. Box E is not placed at the top but above box B.

If all the boxes are arranged in alphabetical order from bottom to top, then how many boxes remain in the same position?

1. One
2. None
3. Two
4. Three
5. Four

Correct Option **- 1**

Que. 28 Which box is placed at the top?

1. D
2. G
3. E
4. C
5. B

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 29 How many boxes are placed between boxes H and C?

1. One
2. None
3. Three
4. Four

5. Five

Correct Option **- 5**

Que. 30 What is the position of box E from top?

1. First
2. Second
3. Third
4. Fourth
5. Fifth

Correct Option **- 4**

Que. 31 In a certain way box C is related to box G, the same way as box D is related to box B. Following the same which box is related to box A?

1. E
2. H
3. F
4. C
5. G

Correct Option **- 1**

Que. 32 **Directions:** Find the odd letters from the given responses.

1. ZVRN
2. UQMJ
3. SOKG
4. TPLH
5. AWSO

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 33 **Direction:** Read the instruction carefully and answer the question given below.

A person starts from point L and goes 5 km towards the east to reach point M and then takes a left turn and travels 2 km to reach point N. Upon reaching point N he turns right and goes 3 km to reach point O and then turns right again and goes 6 km to reach point P. From point P he takes a left turn and goes 3 km to reach point Q and then again turns left and goes 4 km to reach point R. After reaching point R, he finally takes a left turn and goes 3 km to reach point S which is his destination.

What is the direction of point N with respect to point Q?

1. South-East
2. North-West
3. North-East
4. West
5. South-West

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 34 What is the shortest distance between the starting and the finishing point?

1. 10 km
2. 12 km

3. 6 km

4. 5 km

5. 8 km

Correct Option - **5**

Que. 35 What is the position of point S with respect to the position of point O?

1. 3 km South

2. 5 km North-East

3. 2 Km South

4. 4 km North

5. 10 km North-East

Correct Option - **3**

Que. 36 Shivani and Payal entered into a partnership and invested money in the ratio of 7 : 9. What is the value of Shivani's share in profit if the ratio of the time period of their investments is 3 : 4 and the profit is Rs 39,140.

1. Rs 14,420

2. Rs 15,000

3. Rs 21,420

4. Rs 16,000

5. None of these

Correct Option - **1**

Que. 37 After selling a saree for Rs. 3360 a shopkeeper suffers a loss of 16%. If he wants to earn 15% profit after giving the discount of 8%, what will be the marked price of the saree?

1. Rs. 4800

2. Rs. 5000

3. Rs. 5500

4. Rs. 4000

5. Rs. 4600

Correct Option - **2**

Que. 38 Akash is twice efficient as Bikram and Chetan take twice as much time as Bikram takes. Bikram completes the work in 8 days. Find the number of days taken by Akash and Chetan together to complete the work.

1. 16 days

2. (16/5) days

3. (16/3) days

4. (16/7) days

5. (15/6) days

Correct Option - **2**

Que. 39 A man took a loan from a bank at the rate of 12% per annum at simple interest. After 3 years he had to pay Rs. 5,400 as interest only for the period. The principal amount borrowed by him was

1. Rs. 2,000

2. Rs. 10,000

3. Rs. 20,000

4. Rs. 15,000

5. Rs. 5,000

Correct Option - 4

Que. 40 Rs. 5046 is divided into 2 parts. First part is invested for 3 years at the and second part is invested for 5 years. Rate of compound interest is 5% in both the investment. If amount received after 3 years and 5 years is equal. Find the amount invested for 3 years?

1. 2646
2. 2466
3. 2644
4. 3000
5. None of these

Correct Option - 1

Que. 41 Two trains A and B take 30 seconds and 45 seconds respectively to cross a pole. Train A is travelling at the speed of 120 km/h. If train A takes equal time to cross a 800 m platform as train B takes to cross a 280 m platform, find the speed of train B.

1. 110 km/h
2. 118 km/h
3. 112 km/h
4. 111 km/h
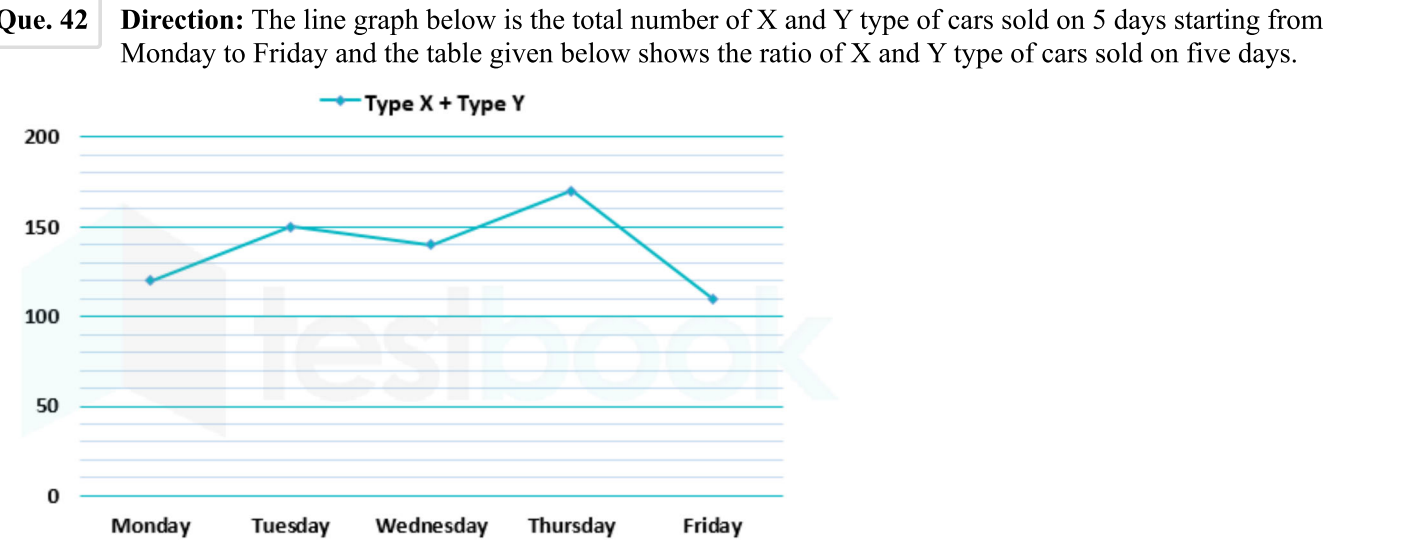5. 116 km/h

Correct Option - 3

Que. 42 **Direction:** The line graph below is the total number of X and Y type of cars sold on 5 days starting from Monday to Friday and the table given below shows the ratio of X and Y type of cars sold on five days.

Table:

Days	X: Y
Monday	5:7
Tuesday	7:8
Wednesday	5:9
Thursday	9:8
Friday	5:6

Find the percentage by which the total number type X cars sold on Tuesday and Wednesday together is more than the total number of type Y cars sold on Wednesday and Friday together?

1. 30%
2. 25%
3. 22.25%
4. 22.5%
5. 20%

Correct Option - **5**

Que. 43 On Monday, if the total percentage of sedan cars of type X and type Y is 30% and 40%, find the difference between the total number of hatchback cars of both types on that day?

Assume there are only two varieties of cars.

1. 6
2. 8
3. 5
4. 7
5. 10

Correct Option - **4**

Que. 44 Find the ratio of the total number of type X and type Y cars on Monday and Wednesday taken together?

1. 4:3
2. 5:8
3. 3:4
4. 5:7
5. 5:9

Correct Option - **2**

Que. 45 On Thursday, if all the X type of cars are bought by females and 30% of the Y type cars are bought by females, find the total number of cars that are bought by females?

1. 110
2. 112
3. 114
4. 116
5. 120

Correct Option - **3**

Que. 46 If the weight of type X car is 1000 kg and the weight of type Y car is 1200 kg, find the total weight of both the types of car on Friday?

1. 122000 kg
2. 112000 kg
3. 102000 kg
4. 132000 kg
5. 92000 kg

Correct Option - **1**

Que. 47 What approximate will come in the place of the question mark '?' in the following question?

5.78% of 799.94 + ?% of 9.67 = 10.94 × 2.99 + √100 × 2.98

1. 600
2. 150
3. 580
4. 610
5. None of these.

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 48   What approximate value will come in the place of the question mark '?' in the following question?

9.99% of 29.906 + 299.84% of 54.908 – 49.86% of 149.59 = ?

1. 98
2. 68
3. 58
4. 88
5. 93

Correct Option **- 5**

Que. 49   What approximate value should come in place of the question mark (?) in the following question?

$63.92 \div \sqrt{(255.89)} \times \{24.91\% \text{ of } (2.99)^3\} = (?)^3$

1. 9
2. 3
3. 6
4. 4
5. 7

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 50   What approximate value should come in the place of the question mark '?' in the following question?

$728.82^{1/3} + \sqrt{1155.98} + 6.14^2 \div 2.99^2 + 1.970 = \sqrt{?}$

1. 7
2. 49
3. 343
4. 2401
5. 98

Correct Option **- 4**

Que. 51   What approximate value should come in the place of the question mark '?' in the following question?

11.11% of 99.17 + 22.22% of 98.87 - 9.89% of 100.12 = ?

1. 24
2. 22
3. 23
4. 33
5. 20

Correct Option **- 3**

Que. 52   **Direction:** The table given below provides the data of four shops A to D which sell laptops and mobile phones. The average of the total number of laptops and mobile phones and their difference is provided in two columns.

It is also given that the total number of mobile phones is greater than the number of laptops in all four shops.

Shops	Average of laptops and Mobile phones	Difference between laptops and mobile phones
A	55	20
B	55	10
C	80	40
D	70	30

Analyze the data and answer the following questions:

If the ratio of the Lenovo and Samsung mobile phones in shop C is 9:11 and the ratio of Lenovo and Samsung laptops in shop C is 11:4, find the difference between the total number of Samsung laptops and Lenovo mobile phones.

Assume there are only two brands of Laptops and Mobile phones in the shop.

1. 3
2. 5
3. 7
4. 9
5. 11

Correct Option - **5**

Que. 53 The total number of laptops in shop D is what percent of the total number of laptops and mobile phones considered together in shop C?

1. 28.375%
2. 30.125%
3. 32.5%
4. 34.375%
5. 35%

Correct Option - **4**

Que. 54 If the total number of mobile phones in shop E is 20% more than the total number of mobile phones in shop D and the total number of laptops in shop E is 10% less than the total number of laptops in shop C, find the difference between the total number of laptops and mobile phones sold in shop E?

1. 45
2. 48
3. 50
4. 52
5. None of the above

Correct Option - **2**

Que. 55 Find the number by which the total number of mobile phones in all shops is greater than the total number of laptops in all the shops?

1. 83
2. 85
3. 100
4. 110
5. 115

Correct Option - **3**

Que. 56 Find the percentage by which the total number of mobile phones in shop B is more/less than the total number of laptops in shop A?

1. 20%
2. 25%
3. 33.33%
4. 32.5%
5. None of the above

Correct Option - **3**

Que. 57 The age of both my sons (in years) is a prime number. My elder son is 6 years elder to my younger son. The sum of their ages is less than 50 years but more than 30 years. What is my age now if my age will be sum of their ages after 6 years?

1. 38 years
2. 46 years
3. 52 years
4. 44 years
5. Cannot be determined

Correct Option - **5**

Que. 58 Ratio of difference between the ages of father and son and sum of ages of father and son is 3 : 10. If the difference of the age of father and son is 24 years, then find the age of Father.

1. 52 years
2. 28 years
3. 104 years
4. 80 years
5. None of the above

Correct Option - **1**

Que. 59 If the sum of the two dimensions of a rectangular field is 34 cm and the area of the field is 280 sq.cm, then what is the length of the longer side?

1. 25 cm
2. 35 cm
3. 20 cm
4. 30 cm
5. 40 cm

Correct Option - **3**

Que. 60 A right circular cylinder of height 7 m and volume 7128 cu.m is to be made of a copper sheet. Find the area of the sheet required.

1. 702 m^2
2. 792 m^2
3. 772 m^2
4. 752 m^2
5. 782 m^2

Correct Option - **2**

Que. 61 A man can row 9 km/h in still water from point A. When the river is running at 3 km/h, it takes him 1 hour to row to a point B from point A and back. Find the distance of point A and point B.

1. 3 km
2. 5 km
3. 4 km
4. 1 km
5. 7 km

Correct Option **- 3**

Que. 62 In a river, the ratio of the speed of stream and speed of the boat in still water is 4 : 7. Again, the ratio of the speed of the stream and speed of another boat in still water is 2 : 5. What is the ratio of the speed of the first boat to the second boat in still water?

1. 13 : 8
2. 7 : 10
3. 14 : 5
4. 7 : 5
5. 3 : 2

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 63 There are 14 people in a family and the average age of the people is 50. A newborn joins the family. After 4 years what will be the average age of all the people in the family?

1. 50.6
2. 53
3. 60.5
4. 55
5. 55.5

Correct Option **- 1**

Que. 64 The maximum marks in each subject is 100. If Ravi obtains a total of 435 marks in 5 subjects, how many marks should he get in the sixth subject so that his average becomes 85 marks?

1. 75
2. 80
3. 85
4. 70
5. 90

Correct Option **- 1**

Que. 65 In the given questions, two equations numbered I and II are given. You have to solve both the equations and mark the appropriate answer.

I. $x^2 - 19x + 90 = 0$

II. $y^2 - 5y + 6 = 0$

1. x > y
2. x < y
3. x ≥ y
4. x ≤ y

5.   No relation in x and y or x = y

Correct Option **- 1**

Que. 66   In the given questions, two equations numbered I and II are given. You have to solve both the equations and mark the appropriate answer.

I. $x^2 - 16x + 63 = 0$

II. $y^2 + 5y - 84 = 0$

1.   x > y
2.   x < y
3.   x ≥ y
4.   x ≤ y
5.   No relation in x and y or x = y

Correct Option **- 3**

Que. 67   In the given question, two equations numbered l and II are given. Solve both the equations and mark the appropriate answer.

I. $x^2 - 11x + 24 = 0$

II. $y^2 - 13y + 40 = 0$

1.   x > y
2.   x < y
3.   x ≥ y
4.   x ≤ y
5.   x = y or relation between x and y can not be established.

Correct Option **- 5**

Que. 68   In the given question, two equations numbered l and II are given. Solve both the equations and mark the appropriate answer.

I. $2x^2 + 15x + 7 = 0$

II. $y^2 + 17y + 72 = 0$

1.   x < y
2.   x > y
3.   x ≤ y
4.   x ≥ y
5.   x = y or the relation between x or y can't be established.

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 69   In the given question, two equations numbered l and II are given. Solve both the equations and mark the appropriate answer.

I. $x^2 + 7x + 6 = 0$

II. $y^2 - 6y + 8 = 0$

1.   x < y
2.   x > y
3.   x ≤ y
4.   x ≥ y
5.   x = y or the relation between x and y can't be established.

Correct Option **- 1**

Que. 70 Two equations I and II are given below in question. You have to solve these equations and give the answer.

I. $4x^2 - 10x + 4 = 0$

II. $y^2 + 24y + 95 = 0$

1. $x < y$
2. $x > y$
3. $x \le y$
4. $x \ge y$
5. $x = y$ or the relation between x or y can't be established.

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 71 **The question below contains five scattered segments of a sentence. Indicate the sequence which correctly assembles the segments and completes the sentence.**

A. the ICC Twenty20 World Cup's shift from India

B. recurrent waves of COVID-19 infections

C. event featuring multiple squads

D. and the logistical difficulties of hosting an

E. to the United Arab Emirates (UAE) was inevitable following

1. EADBC
2. AEBDC
3. ABDCE
4. BDCEA
5. AEBCD

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 72 **The question below contains five scattered segments of a sentence. Indicate the sequence which correctly assembles the segments and completes the sentence.**

A. the Supreme Court has prodded

B. who lost their kin to the COVID-19 pandemic

C. the Union government to perform its statutory

D. It is a matter of relief and satisfaction that

E. duty of fixing a compensation for the families of those

1. DABCE
2. DEABC
3. EADBC
4. ABDCE
5. DACEB

Correct Option **- 5**

Que. 73 **The question below contains five scattered segments of a sentence. Indicate the sequence which correctly assembles the segments and completes the sentence.**

A. 16.8% in May 2021, with six sectors reporting

B. from May 2020 when the country was

C. in the middle of a national lockdown

D. positive growth due to the base effects

E. output from India's eight core industries grew

1. EDCAB
2. ECBAD
3. EADBC
4. EADCB
5. DBACE

Correct Option - **3**

Que. 74 **The question below contains five scattered segments of a sentence. Indicate the sequence which correctly assembles the segments and completes the sentence.**

A. to keep millions of Americans young and old from getting much-needed

B. mental health disorder that can affect anyone at any age

C. mental health stigmas, antiquated beliefs that psychotherapies are hokum

D. help with depression, a common and increasingly pervasive

E. and social and financial barriers to treatment combine

1. CEADB
2. CEABD
3. CDBEA
4. ABDCE
5. DCEAB

Correct Option - **1**

Que. 75 **The question below contains five scattered segments of a sentence. Indicate the sequence which correctly assembles the segments and completes the sentence.**

A. for their unhealthy choices

B. while most of us would never think

C. it comes to pointing out healthy ones

D. people can be oddly critical when

E. of saying something to someone

1. BEACD
2. BDCEA
3. BEADC
4. ABDEC
5. BDCAE

Correct Option - **3**

Que. 76 **Read the passage carefully to answer the given questions. Each question will have five alternatives as its answer, choose the correct option as your answer.**

Financial Independence, Retire Early (FIRE) is a movement of people devoted to a program of extreme savings and investment that aims to allow them to retire far earlier than traditional budgets and retirement plans would permit.
The 1992 best-selling book Your Money or Your Life by Vicki Robin and Joe Dominguez popularized many of the concepts used by people who are part of this movement. The origins of the term and acronym FIRE are unknown, but the term came to embody a core premise of the book: People should evaluate every expense in terms of the number of working hours it took to pay for it.
The FIRE movement takes direct aim at the conventional retirement age of 65, and the industry that has grown up to encourage people to plan for it. By dedicating a majority of their income to savings, followers of the FIRE movement

hope to be able to quit their jobs and live solely off small withdrawals from their _____ decades before they reach age 65.

In recent years, many people—millennials in particular—have embraced pursuing a FIRE retirement. Proponents of the extreme-saving lifestyle remain in the workforce for several years, saving up to 70% of their yearly income. When their savings reach approximately 30 times their yearly expenses, or roughly $1 million, they may quit their day jobs or retire from work altogether.

Several FIRE retirement variations that dictate the lifestyle that the FIRE movement's devotees are willing and able to maintain have evolved within it.

Type 1 Fat FIRE—This is for the individual with a traditional lifestyle who aims to save substantially more than the average worker but doesn't want to reduce their current standard of living. It generally takes a high salary and aggressive savings and investment strategies for it to work. Type 2 Lean FIRE—This requires **stringent** adherence to minimalist living and extreme savings, necessitating a far more restricted lifestyle. Many Lean FIRE adherents live on $25,000 or less per year. Type 3 Barista FIRE—This is for people who want to exist between the two choices above. They quit their traditional 9-to-5 jobs but use a combination of part-time work and savings to live a less-than-minimalist lifestyle. The former lets them obtain health coverage, while the latter prevents them from dipping into their retirement funds.

Followers of FIRE plan to retire much earlier than the traditional retirement age of 65 by dedicating up to 70% of their income to savings while still in the full-time workforce. When their savings reach approximately 30 times their yearly expenses, or roughly $1 million, they may quit their day jobs or completely retire from any form of employment.

It is difficult to achieve a secure retirement without investing in a retirement savings plan. FIRE adherents invest larger portions of their income than the average person will want to. But the principle of setting aside a set percentage of your income every month for investment—and starting to do that as early as possible—will allow you to grow your retirement savings to a **point** where they can assure you financial stability in your later years.

Choose the **synonym** of the word '**Point**'.

1. gesture
2. peak
3. Instant
4. manoeuvre
5. whole

Correct Option - **3**

Que. 77 | Choose the **antonym** of the word '**Stringent**'.

1. rigorous
2. severe
3. competent
4. cynical
5. lenient

Correct Option - **5**

Que. 78 | Which of the following is/are **correct** according to the passage?

A. In recent years, many people—elderly people in particular—have embraced pursuing a FIRE retirement.
B. Type 1 i.e. Lean FIRE is for the individual with a traditional lifestyle who aims to save substantially more than the average worker but doesn't want to reduce their current standard of living.
C. The FIRE movement allows people devoted to a program of extreme savings and investment to retire early.

1. Only C
2. Both A & B
3. Both B & C
4. Only B
5. All are correct

Correct Option - **1**

Que. 79 Which of the following is/are **incorrect** according to the passage?

A. FIRE adherents invest smaller portions of their income than the average person will want to.
B. The book Your Money or Your Life by Vicki Robin and Joe Dominguez popularized many of the concepts used by people who are part of this movement.
C. People who follow FIRE plan to retire much earlier than the traditional retirement age of 65 by spending up to 70% of their income on traveling while still in the full-time workforce.

1. Only C
2. Both A & B
3. Both B & C
4. Both A & C
5. All are correct

Correct Option **- 4**

Que. 80 Which of the following is/are **correct** according to the passage?

A. The core premise of the book Your Money or Your Life by Vicki Robin and Joe Dominguez is that people should evaluate every expense in terms of the number of working hours it took to pay for it.
B. When the savings of people pursuing a FIRE retirement reach approximately 30 times their yearly expenses, or roughly $1 billion, they may quit their day jobs or retire from work altogether.
C. Type 3 FIRE i.e. Barista FIRE generally takes a high salary and aggressive savings and investment strategies for it to work.

1. Only C
2. Both A & B
3. All A, B & C
4. Only B
5. Only A

Correct Option **- 5**

Que. 81 What will come in the blank taken from the passage?

By dedicating a majority of their income to savings, followers of the FIRE movement hope to be able to quit their jobs and live solely off small withdrawals from their _____ decades before they reach age 65.

1. briefcase
2. portfolios
3. insurances
4. mortgages
5. debts

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 82 According to the passage, what is the difference between the adherents of Fat FIRE and Lean FIRE when it comes to their standards of living?

1. Adherents of Fat FIRE have a minimalist lifestyle and they do extreme savings, necessitating a far more restricted lifestyle while adherents of LEAN FIRE have a traditional lifestyle and don't want to reduce their current standard of living.

2. Adherents of Fat FIRE are people who quit their traditional 9-to-5 jobs but use a combination of part-time work and savings to live a less-than-minimalist lifestyle while adherents of LEAN FIRE have a traditional lifestyle and don't want to reduce their current standard of living.

3. Adherents of Lean FIRE have a minimalist lifestyle and they do extreme savings, necessitating a far more restricted lifestyle while adherents of Fat FIRE have a traditional lifestyle and don't want to reduce their current standard of living.

4. There is no difference between the adherents of both the Fat and Lean FIRE plans when it comes to their standards of living.

5. None of these

Correct Option **- 3**

Que. 83 | According to the passage, when can the followers of the FIRE plan quit their day jobs or completely retire from any form of employment?

1. when their savings reach approximately 35 times their yearly expenses, or roughly $1 million.
2. when their savings reach approximately 30 times their yearly expenses, or roughly $2 million.
3. when their savings reach approximately 30 times their yearly expenses, or roughly $10 million.
4. when their savings reach approximately 30 times their yearly expenses, or roughly $1 million.
5. when their savings reach approximately 30 times their yearly expenses, or roughly $1 billion.

Correct Option **- 4**

Que. 84 | **In the given sentence a word has been emboldened. Select the best alternative for the bold word from the given options. If none follows select option 5 as your answer.**

Neil was not very **amused by** the prank pulled by his son because his car ended up getting damaged.

1. Frustrated on
2. Motivated by
3. Delighted by
4. Depressed after
5. No Correction required.

Correct Option **- 3**

Que. 85 | **In the given sentence a word has been emboldened. Select the best alternative for the bold word from the given options. If none follows select option 5 as your answer.**

The man had the audacity **to abandon** the cute, little puppy by the side of the road.

1. to forbid
2. to leave
3. to claim
4. to render
5. No correction required

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 86 | **In the given sentence a word has been emboldened. Select the best alternative for the bold word from the given options. If none follows select option 5 as your answer.**

The girls were **permitted to** camp in the forest overnight but only if they were very responsible.

1. Suffocated to
2. Pacified to
3. Allowed to
4. Forbidden to
5. No correction required

Correct Option **- 3**

Que. 87 | **In the given sentence a word has been emboldened. Select the best alternative for the bold word from the given options. If none follows, select option 5 as your answer.**

The pastor was **gracious enough** to give the desperate couple shelter on that rainy night.

1. Insolent enough
2. Courteous enough
3. Arrogant enough
4. Disrespectful enough
5. No correction required

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 88	**Directions: Given below is a word, followed by three sentences that consist of the word. Identify the sentence(s) that express(es) the meaning of the word.**

TREAT

A. Every human being deserves to be treated with respect and dignity.
B. My brother won his first football match of the season so he is taking us out for pizza as a treat.
C. He was very injured after the accident but the doctors treated him well and nursed him back to health in two weeks.

1. Only A
2. Both A & C
3. Only B & C
4. Only C
5. All are correct

Correct Option **- 5**

Que. 89	**Directions: Given below is a word, followed by three sentences that consist of the word. Identify the sentence(s) that express(es) the meaning of the word.**

CARRIER

A. Female Anopheles mosquitoes are the carriers of malaria in humans.
B. She is working hard every day because she is very serious about her carrier.
C. This airline is one of our country's largest carriers.

1. Only A
2. Both A & C
3. Only B
4. Only C
5. All are correct

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 90	**Directions: In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank.**

Can urban growth and expansion of green cover take place at the same time? Can new roads be laid in old neighbourhoods ____(A)____uprooting avenue trees and roadside gardens?
Plenty of examples can be cited from the country to argue that this is improbable. However, the Telangana government claims it is not. ____(B)____the past two years, Hyderabad, which has emerged as a powerhouse of infrastructure growth in Telangana, has won multiple awards for being a green city with an improving forest cover. Speaking on the floor of the Assembly last Monday ____(C)____presenting the annual Budget, Finance Minister T. Harish Rao listed these awards and achievements.
The State government has provided impressive numbers of tree plantations to show the state of the forest. An afforestation programme called Telangana Ku Haritha Hāram (the green garland of Telangana) is the key green initiative of the Telangana government. With a funding of ₹10,417 crore over nine years, the programme has covered a vast area of land with trees and plants. This year, 13 lakh acres of forest have been "rejuvenated" with a funding of ₹1,500 crore, he said.
____(D)____, environmental advocates are puzzled by the numbers. They say they have seen the steady loss of tree cover. ____(E)____, reports regularly cite instances of fully grown trees being cut down for construction. Citizens are

campaigning to save nearly 900 banyan trees that are about 100 years old each, on the road to Chevella on the outskirts of Hyderabad. ____(F)____, while the green initiatives have gained recognition, the State faces the challenge of encroachments into forest lands by the indigenous people.

It is clear that the Telangana government, with its initiatives, has its eyes set on becoming a 'green State'. While the counting of trees planted in a park may not be a barometer of change, it is a step in the right direction. It creates awareness about the environment, which was sorely missing until a few years ago.

Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank **(A).**

1. By
2. With
3. Behind
4. Without
5. Beside

Correct Option **- 4**

| **Que. 91** | Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank **(B).** |

1. Since
2. From
3. Over
4. By
5. Before

Correct Option **- 3**

| **Que. 92** | Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank **(C).** |

1. Beside
2. With
3. From
4. While
5. By

Correct Option **- 4**

| **Que. 93** | Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank **(D).** |

1. Nevertheless
2. While
3. Against
4. However
5. About

Correct Option **- 4**

| **Que. 94** | Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank **(E).** |

1. Among
2. Contrary
3. Further
4. Athwart
5. Beside

Correct Option **- 3**

Que. 95 | Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank **(F).**

1. Nevertheless
2. In addition to
3. With
4. Above
5. Beside

Correct Option **- 1**

Que. 96 | **Read the following sentence and determine whether there is an error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. If the sentence is error-free, then select 'No Error' as your answer.**

The hawkers have been carrying **(A)**/ out their business on the main **(B)**/ pavement since three years **(C)**/ but no one has ever objected. **(D)**

1. A
2. B
3. C
4. D
5. No error

Correct Option **- 3**

Que. 97 | **Read the following sentence and determine whether there is an error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. If the sentence is error-free, then select 'No Error' as your answer.**

Experts opine that **(A)**/people have access to a great **(B)**/ volume of information now **(C)**/than at any other time in human history. **(D)**

1. A
2. B
3. C
4. D
5. No error

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 98 | **Read the following sentence and determine whether there is an error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. If the sentence is error-free, then select 'No Error' as your answer.**

One can see the ice breaking **(A)**/ because, after years convention taboos **(B)**/ and inhibitions are being shed **(C)**/ to keep up with the changing times. **(D)**

1. A
2. B
3. C
4. D
5. No error

Correct Option **- 2**

Que. 99 | **Read the following sentence and determine whether there is any error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. If the sentence is error-free, then select 'No Error' as your answer.**

The teacher said that**(A)**/ every girl in the class**(B)**/ must bring their own costume**(C)**/ to participate in the dance competition. **(D)**

1. A

2. B

3. C

4. D

5. No Error

Correct Option **- 3**

Que. 100 | **Read the following sentence and determine whether there is any error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. If the sentence is error-free, then select 'No Error' as your answer.**

I blinked back my tears**(A)**/ while he smacked his lips**(B)**/ together and raised his eyebrows**(C)**/ on the sight of my face. **(D)**

1. A

2. B

3. C

4. D

5. No Error

Correct Option **- 4**