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- (1.) Registered Newspaper is published in numbers at intervals of not more than:
 - (A.) 365 days
 - (B.) 180 days
 - (C.) 31 days
 - (D.) 30 days
- (2.) According to PO Guide Part-1, which of the following is correct:
 - (A.) Machine franked articles can be posted at not more than two offices specified by SPO in the licence
 - (B.) Impression should be of bright red color, clear and distinct and should not overlap
 - (C.) Franking will be allowed up to any amount
 - (D.) All of the above
- (3.) According to PO Guide Part-1, which of the following is incorrect:
 - (A.) The impressions of frank consists of Value Die and License Die
 - (B.) Machine Franked articles posted in letter boxes shall be treated as unpaid articles
 - (C.) Unregistered articles bearing impressions of the previous date shall be accepted
 - (D.) None of the above
- (4.) The manufacture and use of fictitious postage stamps is an offence punishable under Section 263A of the:
 - (A.) PO Guide Part-1
 - (B.) Indian Post Office Rule, 1933
 - (C.) Indian Penal Code, 1860
 - (D.) Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973
- (5.) A Poste restante article (except VP) is kept in the post office to which it is addressed for a period not exceeding:
 - (A.) One week
 - (B.) One month
 - (C.) One year
 - (D.) Unlimited days
- (6.) A letter should not weigh more than:
 - (A.) 02 kg
 - (B.) 01 kg
 - (C.) 0.5 kg
 - (D.) 05 kg
- (7.) According to PO guide Part-1, which of the following is incorrect:
 - (A.) Articles sent in envelopes which are wholly transparent will be transmitted by post
 - (B.) A letter posted unpaid is charged on delivery with double the postage
 - (C.) The weight of a letter card should not exceed three grams
 - (D.) None of the above
- (8.) According to PO Guide Part-1, which of the following is correct:
 - (A.) No pattern or sample packet may be more than 2 kilograms
 - (B.) No blind literature may weight more than 7 kilograms
 - (C.) The weight of an un-registered parcel should not exceed 4 kilograms
 - (D.) All of the above
- (9.) Any parcel found in a letter box will be treated and charged as:
 - (A.) Unregistered Parcel
 - (B.) Registered Parcel
 - (C.) Insured Parcel
 - (D.) None of the above
- (10.) If the counterfoil of IPO cannot be produced, which of the following must be quoted, otherwise no claim will be entertained.
 - (A.) Serial No. of the Order
 - (B.) Office of issue
 - (C.) Date of Purchase
 - (D.) All of the above
- (11.) The concept in which all the countries in the Universal Postal Union are considered as part of one single postal territory for reciprocal exchange of letter mail articles is called?
 - (A.) Freedom of Transformation
 - (B.) Freedom of transit
 - (C.) Intermediary service
 - (D.) All of the above
- (12.) Which of the following pairs has different meaning in connection with foreign post?
 - (A.) Petits parquets- Blind Literature
 - (B.) Force majeure – Beyond control



- (C.) NE pasnexpeder- Do not redirect (D.) ParAvion - By Air mail
- (13.) The letters A & U in 'APPU' refer to:
(A.) Asia & Union (B.) Asia & Universe
(C.) Asian & Union (D.) Asian & Universe
- (14.) India joined the APPU in:
(A.) 1971 (B.) 1972 (C.) 1973 (D.) 1974
- (15.) In the foreign post the term "Letter Post" applies to which of the following postal articles:
(A.) Letters (B.) Printed Papers
(C.) Aerogramme (D.) All of the above
- (16.) According to PO Guide Part-II, in the event of suspension of service, which of the following may be refunded to the sender:
(A.) Postage charges (B.) Special charges
(C.) Air Surcharges (D.) All of the above
- (17.) According to PO Guide Part-II, which of the following is incorrect?
(A.) Letters should not exceed 1 kg in weight
(B.) A small packet should not exceed 1 Kg in weight
(C.) A packet of literature for the blind should not exceed 7kgs in weight
(D.) None of the above
- (18.) According to Clause 77 of PO guide Part-II, the insurance limit adopted by India is:
(A.) Rs. 5000 (B.) Rs.10, 000 (C.) Rs. 15,000 (D.) Rs.50, 000
- (19.) Foreign parcels posted in branch offices cannot be insured for more than:
(A.) Rs.500 (B.) Rs.600 (C.) Rs. 1000 (D.) Rs.5000
- (20.) With reference to foreign parcels which of the following is incorrect:
(A.) The length should not exceed 1.05 meter
(B.) The sum of the length and the greatest circumference measured in a direction other than the length should not exceed 2 meters
(C.) A parcel should have a surface measuring not less than 90 mm X 140mm
(D.) The general maximum limit of weight is 10Kgs
- (21.) The customs control leading to detention of a postal article, its opening for examination, the imposition of duty or the production of documents by the sender or the addressee, are carried out only in selected places called:
(A.) Foreign Post Offices or NSH (B.) Sub- Foreign Post Offices or NDC
(C.) Foreign Post Offices or Sub- Foreign Post Offices (D.) None of the above
- (22.) The term 'WAN' in it modernization project of Department of Posts refers to:
(A.) Wrong Account Number (B.) Wide Area Network
(C.) Wide Average Network (D.) Wide Area Number
- (23.) The term 'RSI in It modernization project of Department of Posts refers to:
(A.) Rural System Integrator (B.) Reserve System Integrator
(C.) Right System Integrator (D.) Rural Source Integrator
- (24.) The letter 'A' standing second from right in the term "DARPAN" refers to:
(A.) Advancement (B.) A
(C.) Achievement (D.) Annual
- (25.) The letter 'O' in the term 'MNOP' refers to:
(A.) Optimum (B.) Optimized
(C.) Optimization (D.) Observe
- (26.) Full form of 'CEPT':



- (A.) Centre for Excellence in Postal Technology
- (B.) Centre in Excellence of Postal Technology
- (C.) Centre of Excellence for Postal technology
- (D.) Centre for Excellence on Postal Technology
- (27.) The term 'DRC' in IT modernization project of Department of Posts refers to:
 - (A.) Data Recovery Centre
 - (B.) Data Reserve Centre
 - (C.) Disaster Recovery Centre
 - (D.) Digital Reserve Centre
- (28.) The primary Data Centre has been functioning at:
 - (A.) New Delhi
 - (B.) Navi Mumbai
 - (C.) Mysore
 - (D.) Vadodara
- (29.) The IT modernization project was approved by Government of India in
 - (A.) November 2012
 - (B.) November 2011
 - (C.) March 2011
 - (D.) March 2012
- (30.) Which of the following projects prepared all the employees including GDSs to function effectively in IT environment?
 - (A.) CSI
 - (B.) DARPAN
 - (C.) Change Management Stream
 - (D.) Mail Operations Hardware Stream
- (31.) Which of the following stream of IT modernization project computerized SB and PLI operations of Department through one platform?
 - (A.) FSI
 - (B.) CSI
 - (C.) MOH
 - (D.) DCF
- (32.) Compensation for loss of SP article is equal to:
 - (A.) Speed Post charges or Rs.1000 whichever is less
 - (B.) Double the Speed Post charges or Rs.1000 whichever is less
 - (C.) Triple the Speed Post charges
 - (D.) No compensation
- (33.) The money orders that has become void cannot be paid after the expiry of:
 - (A.) 06 months from the date of receipt in India
 - (B.) 05 months from the date of receipt in India
 - (C.) 02 months from the date of receipt in India
 - (D.) 01 month from the date of receipt in India
- (34.) In case SB account balance not raised to Rs.500/ at the end of financial year, how much amount will be deducted as Account Maintenance fee?
 - (A.) Rs.100.00
 - (B.) Rs.50.00
 - (C.) Rs.20.00
 - (D.) Rs.10.00
- (35.) The interest on SSA account shall be calculated for the calendar month on the lowest balance in the account between the close of the:
 - (A.) 10th day and the end of the month
 - (B.) 05th day and the end of the month
 - (C.) 10th day and 15th of the month
 - (D.) 05th day and 15th of the month
- (36.) How many schemes are there in PLI and RPLI?
 - (A.) PLI-05, RPLI-06
 - (B.) PL1-06, RPLI-05
 - (C.) PL1-05, RPLI-05
 - (D.) PLI-06, RPL1-06
- (37.) Loan and surrender facility under Endowment Assurance (Santosh) is available after:
 - (A.) Loan-03 years, Surrender-03 years
 - (B.) Loan-05 years, Surrender-05 years
 - (C.) Loan-03 years, Surrender-05 years
 - (D.) Loan-05 years, Surrender-03 years
- (38.) The stamps used for day to day postal mailing purpose are called:
 - (A.) Definitive Stamps
 - (B.) Commemorative Stamps
 - (C.) My Stamps
 - (D.) None of the above



- (39.) Deen Dayal SPARSH Yojana is a Scholarship scheme to award children in the class category of standard VI to IX. What is the form of 'SPARSH'?
- (A.) Scholarship for Promotion of Aptitude & Research in stamps as a Hobby
(B.) Scholarship for Practice, Aptitude & Research in Stamps as a Hobby
(C.) Scholarship for Private Aptitude & Research in stamps as a Hobby
(D.) Students Promotion of Aptitude & Research in stamps as a Hobby
- (40.) Under which of the following categories of business, Sale of Rakhi Envelopes comes?
- (A.) Direct Post (B.) Media Post
(C.) Business Post (D.) Retail Post
- (41.) The service which provides complete mailing solutions right from mail preparation to mail delivery is known as:
- (A.) Logistic Post (B.) Retail Post
(C.) Business Post (D.) Media Post
- (42.) Suggestion and complaints book is available at:
- (A.) All HO (B.) All SO & BO
(C.) All HO & SO (D.) All Post Offices
- (43.) Memorandum of distribution of work (MS-11) is issued by:
- (A.) Inspector of Posts (B.) Head Postmaster
(C.) Divisional Superintendent (D.) None of the above
- (44.) Who is personally responsible for correctness of so account and cash balance?
- (A.) Postal Assistant (B.) Sub Postmaster
(C.) Head Postmaster (D.) None of the above
- (45.) Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) after implementation of GL integration between CBS and CSI transactions was issued vide SB order No.:
- (A.) 9/2019 (B.) 10/2019
(C.) 11/2019 (D.) None of the above
- (46.) Standard Operating Procedure (SOP), for handling unclaimed accounts/ certificates identified under Senior Citizen Welfare Fund (SCWF) Rules, 2016 was issued vide SB Order No:
- (A.) 7/2019 (B.) 8/2019
(C.) 9/2019 (D.) None of the above
- (47.) The commission payable to SAS Agents on Kisan Vikas Patra (KVP) scheme has been revised from 1% to 0.5% vide SB Order No.:
- (A.) 10/2017 (B.) 11/2017
(C.) 12/2017 (D.) None of the above
- (48.) A metal token of authorized type must be carried by all RMS officials except:
- (A.) Mail Guards (B.) Supervising Officer
(C.) Van Attendants (D.) None of the above
- (49.) The preservation period of work papers of RMS offices and Section is:
- (A.) 06 months (B.) 12 months (C.) 18 months (D.) 24 months
- (50.) Who is responsible for safe custody off insurance seal?
- (A.) Head Sorting Assistant (B.) Mail sorting Assistant
(C.) System Administrator (D.) None of the above
- (51.) Two places in India, Rishikulya and Gahirmatha have become well known for:
- (A.) Uranium Deposits (B.) Captive breeding of Gharial
(C.) Egg-laying by sea turtles (D.) Pre-historic paintings
- (52.) Tropic of Cancer passes through

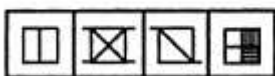
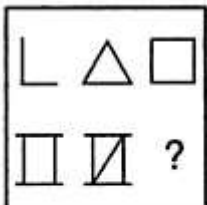


- (A.) Jammu and Kashmir (B.) Himachal Pradesh
(C.) Bihar (D.) Jharkhand
- (53.) English is the official language of which of the following Indian States?
(A.) Nagaland (B.) Tripura (C.) Mizoram (D.) Sikkim
- (54.) Who advises State Government on legal matters?
(A.) Attorney-General (B.) Advocate- General
(C.) Solicitor-General (D.) Chief Justice of High Court
- (55.) Among the following political leaders of South India, who has not acted in any film?
(A.) N.T.Rama Rao (B.) M.G.Ramachandram
(C.) C.N.Annadurai (D.) Jayalalitha
- (56.) International Yoga Day is observed on
(A.) 21 March (B.) 21 May
(C.) 21 June (D.) 21 December
- (57.) Who among the following wrote Sanskrit Grammar?
(A.) Kalidasa (B.) Charaka (C.) Panini (D.) Aryabhata
- (58.) Upanishad are books on:
(A.) Religion (B.) Yoga (C.) Law (D.) Philosophy
- (59.) Some jobs cannot be done alone and some can be done much better and faster if you possess the quality of:
(A.) Responsibility (B.) Respect
(C.) Teamwork (D.) Cooperation
- (60.) Ethical behavior is a matter of:
(A.) Acting on a considered judgment (B.) Juggling standards and business needs
(C.) Obeying the rules (D.) None of these
- (61.) Find the value of

$$1 \div \left[1 + 1 \div \left\{ 1 + 1 \div (1 + 1 \div 2) \right\} \right]$$
 (A.) 1 (B.) 5/8 (C.) 8/5 (D.) 0
- (62.) The value of $[0.9 - \{2.3 - 3.2 - (7.1 - 5.04 - 3.5)\}]$ is
(A.) 0.18 (B.) 1.8 (C.) 0 (D.) 1
- (63.) A number is increased by 20 % and then it is decreased by 10%. The net increase or decrease percent is:
(A.) 10 % increase (B.) 10% decrease
(C.) 8% increase (D.) 8% decrease
- (64.) If A's income is 40 % less than that of B. How much percent B's income is more than that of A?
(A.) 60% (B.) 40% (C.) 33.33% (D.) 66.66%
- (65.) If 8% of X is the same as 4 % of Y, then 20 % of X is the same as:
(A.) 10 % of Y 29 (B.) 16% of Y
(C.) 80% of Y (D.) 50% of Y
- (66.) A man sells a book at a profit of 20%. If he had bought it for 20% less and sold it for Rs.22 less, he would have gained 25%. What is the cost of the book?
(A.) Rs.78 (B.) Rs.90 (C.) Rs.110 (D.) Rs.122
- (67.) A cloth merchant on selling 33m of cloth obtains a profit equal to the selling price of 11m of cloth. The profit per cent is:
(A.) 45% (B.) 40% (C.) 55% (D.) 50%
- (68.) The simple interest on Rs.7300/- from 11 May, 2020 to 11 September 2020 at 5% per annum is:



- (A.) Rs.123 (B.) Rs.103 (C.) Rs.200 (D.) Rs.223
- (69.) How much simple interest will Rs.2000 earn in 18 months at an annual rate of 6%?
- (A.) Rs.120 (B.) Rs.180 (C.) Rs.216 (D.) Rs.1800
- (70.) The average of 9 numbers is 30. The average of first 5 numbers is 25 and that of the last 3 numbers is 35, what is the 6th number?
- (A.) 20 (B.) 30 (C.) 40 (D.) 50
- (71.) The average of runs of a Cricket player of 10 innings was 32. How many runs must be make in the next innings so as to increase his average of runs by 4?
- (A.) 76 (B.) 70 (C.) 50 (D.) 100
- (72.) Of three numbers, the first is twice the second and the second is 3 times the third. If their average is 100, the largest of the three numbers is:
- (A.) 120 (B.) 150 (C.) 180 (D.) 300
- (73.) 10men working 6 hours a day can complete a work in 18 days. How many hours a day must 15men work to complete the same work in 12 days?
- (A.) 6 (B.) 10 (C.) 12 (D.) 15
- (74.) Two pipes A and B can fill a tank in 20 min and 30min respectively. If both pipes are opened together, the time taken to fill the tank is:
- (A.) 50 min (B.) 12 min (C.) 25 min (D.) 15 min
- (75.) A train with a speed of 60 km/h crosses a pole in 30 sec. The length of the train (in meters) is:
- (A.) 1000 (B.) 900 (C.) 750 (D.) 500
- (76.) If a man walks 20 km at 5km/h. he will be late by 40 min. if he walks at 8 km/h, how early from the fixed time will he reach?
- (A.) 15 min (B.) 25 min (C.) 45 min (D.) 50 min
- (77.) Ram walks a certain distance and rides back taking a total time of 37 min. Ram could walk both ways in 55 min. how long would it take Ram to ride both ways?
- (A.) 9.5 min (B.) 19 min (C.) 18 min (D.) 20 min
- (78.) If 16 dozens bananas cost rs.360, then how many bananas can be bought in Rs.60?
- (A.) 16 bananas (B.) 48 bananas (C.) 32 bananas (D.) 50 bananas
- (79.) A tree is 12m tall and casts an 8 m long shadow. At the same time, a flag pole caste a 100 mm long shadow. How long is the flag pole?
- (A.) 150 m (B.) 200 m (C.) 125 m (D.) 115 m
- (80.) 21 goats eat as much as 15 cows. How many goats eat as much as 35 cows?
- (A.) 38 (B.) 49 (C.) 37 (D.) 41
- (81.) Select a Suitable figure from the four alternatives that would complete the figure matrix.



(1) (2) (3) (4)

- (A.) 4 (B.) 3 (C.) 2 (D.) 1
- (82.) Select the most appropriate term for the following set of items



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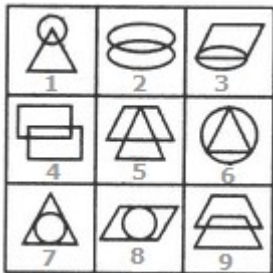
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- (A.) Books (B.) Marriage (C.) Meeting (D.) Celebration

(83.) Group the given figures in to three classes using each figure only once



- (A.) 1,5,9; 2,7,8; 3,4,6 (B.) 2,4,9; 6,7,8; 1,3,5
 (C.) 3,7,8; 4,5,9 ;1,2,6 (D.) 1,5,6; 4,7,8;2,3,9

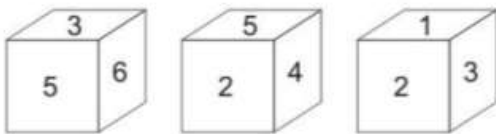
(84.) Choose the figure which is different from the rest



- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5)

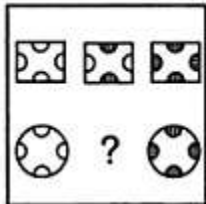
- (A.) b (B.) d (C.) a (D.) c

(85.) Three positions of a cube are shown below, what will come opposite to face containing 5?



- (A.) 4 (B.) 3 (C.) 5 (D.) 1

(86.) Select a figure from the four alternatives that would complete the Figure Matrix



- (1) (2) (3) (4)

- (A.) 4 (B.) 3 (C.) 2 (D.) 1

(87.) Choose the set of figures which follows the given rule

Rule: Closed figures become more and more open and open figures become more and more closed.



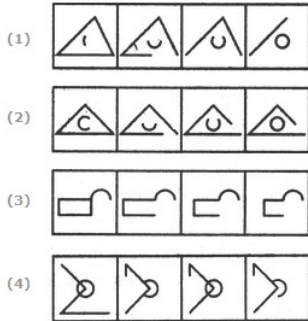
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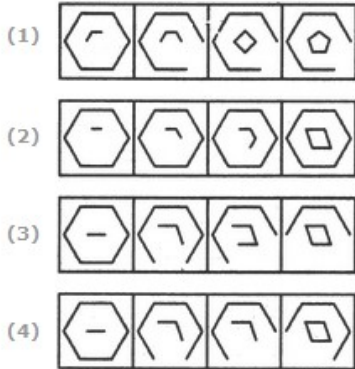
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- (A.) 1 (B.) 4 (C.) 3 (D.) 2

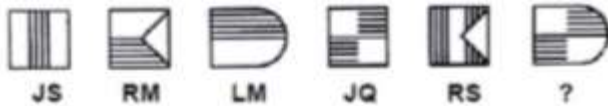
(88.) Choose the set of figures which follows the given rule

Rule: Closed figures losing their sides and open figures gaining their sides



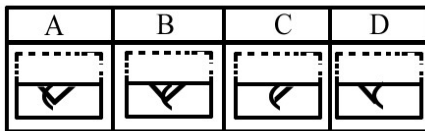
- (A.) 1 (B.) 2 (C.) 3 (D.) 4

(89.) In these tests find which code matches the shape or pattern given at the end of each question.



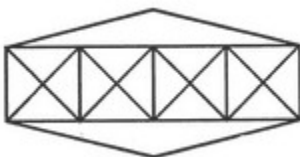
- (A.) LS (B.) RQ (C.) LM (D.) LO

(90.) Which pattern will the given transparent sheet resemble when it is folded at the dotted line?



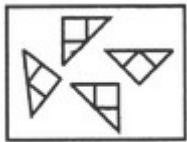
- (A.) B (B.) D (C.) A (D.) C

(91.) Find the minimum number of straight lines in the below figure

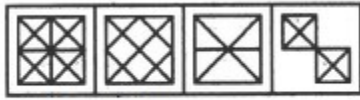


- (A.) 20 (B.) 17 (C.) 19 (D.) 15

(92.) Find out which of the figure (1), (2), (3) and (4) can be formed from the pieces given in figure (X)

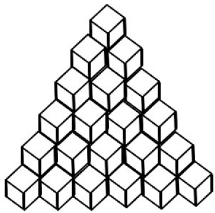


(X)



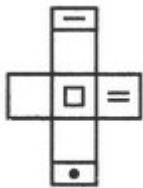
(1) (2) (3) (4)

- (93.) Find the total number of cubes in the given figure
 (A.) 2 (B.) 1 (C.) 4 (D.) 3



- (A.) 72 (B.) 64 (C.) 60 (D.) 56

- (94.) Choose the box that is similar to the box formed from the given sheet of paper (X)



(X)



(1)



(2)



(3)



(4)

- (A.) (1) (B.) (2) (C.) (3) (D.) (4)

- (95.) Choose the alternative which closely resembles the water image of the given combination or/ figure
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- 1) ADVANCE
 2) ADVAVDA
 3) EHVAVDA
 4) NONE

- (A.) 1 (B.) 2 (C.) 3 (D.) None

- (96.) Find the number of triangles in the given figure



- (A.) 21 (B.) 15 (C.) 18 (D.) 20

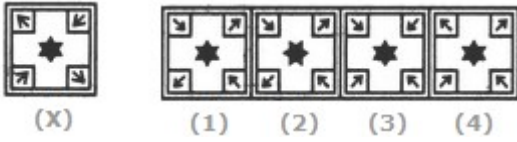
- (97.) What is the minimum number of color pencils required to fill the spaces in the below figure with no two adjacent spaces have the same colour?



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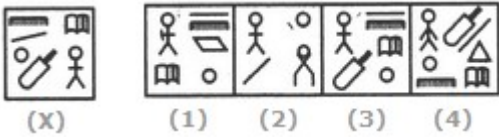
- (A.) 5 (B.) 3 (C.) 2 (D.) 6

(98.) Find out how the key figure (X) look will like after rotation.



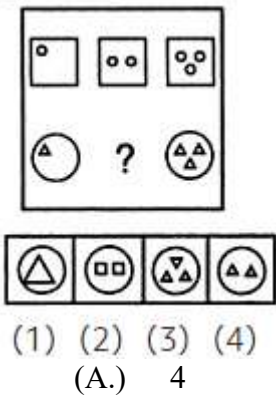
- (A.) 4 (B.) 3 (C.) 1 (D.) 2

(99.) Select the alternative in which the specified components of the key figure (X) are found.

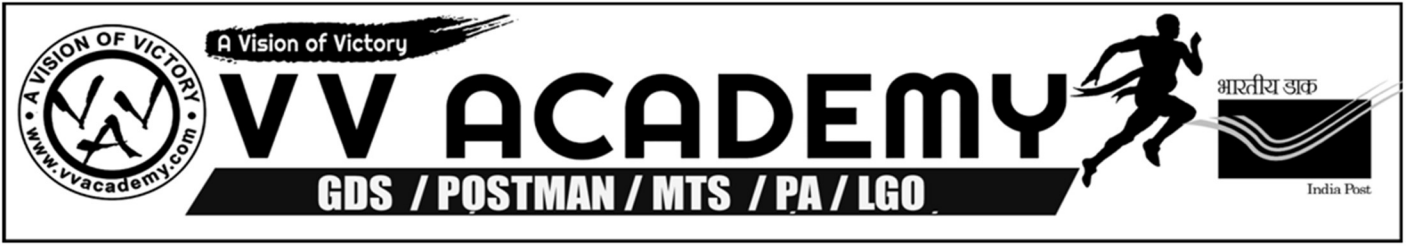


- (A.) 1 (B.) 3 (C.) 4 (D.) 2

(100.) Select a figure from the four alternative that would complete the Figure Matrix.



- (B.) 2 (C.) 3 (D.) 1

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