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# TEST BOOKLET GENERAL STUDIES PAPER – I

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Time Allowed - 3 hours (Three hours)

Maximum Marks - 150

#### INSTRUCTIONS

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- 3. (a) This Test Booklet is divided into three sections, i.e., Section-I, Section-II and Section-Ill.
  - (b) Section-I (MCQ pattern) contains 100 items (questions). Each question, carrying one (1) mark only, has four responses (answers). You will select the response which you want to mark on the OMR Sheet. In case you feel that there is more than one correct response, mark the response which you consider the most appropriate. In any case, choose ONLY ONE response for each item.
  - (c) Questions under Section-III and Section-III (both are Conventional Methods) contain 25 marks each is to be answered in separate Answer Books. 2 (two) Answer Books will be supplied to each candidate for writing answers of Section-II and Section-III. Answers to Section-II and Section-III must be written either in English or in Bengali. It must not be answered partly in English and partly in Bengali. This instruction should be followed scrupulously.
- 4. You have to mark all your responses of Section-I by Black Ball Point Pen only on the separate Answer Sheet provided. See directions in the Answer Sheet.
- 5. Before you proceed to answer the responses to various items in the Test Booklet, you have to fill in some particulars both in the OMR Answer sheet for Section-I and in the Answer Book for Section-II and Section-III.
- 6. On completion of the Examination, you should handover the OMR Answer Sheet for Section-I and Answer Books for Section-II and Section-III to the inivigilator only. You are permitted to take the Test Booklet with you.
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  - (b) If a candidate gives more than one answer, it will be treated as a Wrong Answer even if one of the given answers happens to be correct and there will be same penalty as above to that question.
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Four options are given against each of the following questions. Select the best/correct option from among the four options and encode in the answer sheet by using Black Ball Point only as per example given below:

Example: The wheel in our National Flag has

(A) 20 spokes

(B) 24 spokes

(C) 30 spokes

(D) 25 spokes

**Answer**: (A) (C) (D)



SECTION - I

- 1. Choose one word out of the given alternatives, which can not be formed from the letters of the word 'INTERNATIONAL'.
  - (A) LATTER

(B) TERMINAL

(C) ORIENTAL

- (D) RATIONALE
- 2. Select the combination of numbers, so that letters arranged accordingly will form a meaningful word

H L R A O C S
1 2 3 4 5 6 7

- (A) 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7
- (B) 7, 6, 5, 1, 4, 2, 3
- (C) 7, 6, 1, 5, 2, 4, 3
- (D) 7, 6, 5, 1, 2, 4, 3
- 3. Which letter will be in the middle between 6th letter from the left and 13th letter from the right in the English alphabet sequence?
  - (A) K

(B) L

(C) J

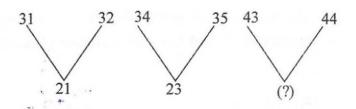
(D) O

4.	In a certain code, 15 how 23549 is written			ΓZAL a	nd 2346 is written as NPSU. The
	(A) NPTUL		(B)	PNTSI	
	(C) NBTSL		(D)	NPTSI	
5.	The missing number	in the sequence	ce		
	2, 3, 5, 7, (?), 13,	17, is:			
	(A) 8		(B)	9	19/30 40
	(C) 11		(D)	12	1 3 S 12 S
6.	If $E = 5$ , $PEN = 35$	5, then PAGER	is e	qual to	8,00
	(A) 47		(B)	39	No.
	(C) 58		(D)	67	So. Wy. Sale.
7.	In the following iden	ntify the correc	tly re	lated w	ord in '?' position.
	Cattle : Herd :: Shee	ep : ?			
	(A) Flock		(B)	Swarm	
	(C) Shoal		(D)	Mob	
8.	15 hours will be equ	ial to			
	(A) 50,000 seconds		(B)		seconds
	(C) 54,000 seconds		(D)	60,000	seconds
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- 9. Which of the following represent the same relationship as 'OFTEN' has with 'FOTNE'?
  - (A) HEART: TRAHE
- (B) OPENS: SNEOP

(C) RISKY: IRSYK

- (D) FIRST: IFRST
- 10. Find the missing number in the following figure in '?' position:



(A) 27

(B) 29

(C) 28

(D) 30



11. Find the missing term in the series

YEB, WFD, UHG, SKI, ?

(A) QOL

(B) QGL

(C) TOL

- (D) QNL
- 12. If 'a' and 'b' are two non-zero numbers such that a b = b a then
  - (A) a = -b

(B) a = 2b

(C) b = 2a

- (D) a = b
- 13. Arrange the given words in a meaningful sequence and then choose the most appropriate sequence from the options
  - (1) Colonel
- (2) Major
- (3) Lieutenant General

- (4) Captain
- (5) Lieutenant
- (A) (5), (4), (2), (1), (3)
- (B) (3), (4), (5), (2), (1)
- (C) (1), (2), (5), (3), (4)
- (D) (5), (4), (2), (3), (1)

14.		nting to a man in a photograph, a van's father-in-law". How is the		says "He is the father of my only daughter- related to the woman?
	(A)	Father	(B)	Brother
	(C)	Husband	(D)	Father-in-law
15.	of N	•		ing around dinning table. K is the mother her of K and L is the husband of K. Then
	(A)	Sister	(B)	Mother
	(C)	Mother-in-law	(D)	Brother-in-law
16.	If x	$z^{2} + y^{2} + z^{2} = 0$ with x, y, z as re	al nu	mbers, then
	(A)	Two numbers are negative and	one	is positive
	(B)	Two numbers are positive and	one i	s negative
	(C)	All the three numbers are positi	tive	LANDON STON
	(D)	x = y = z = 0		5,40/8
17.	Tota	l number of days in the year 2	024 1	will be
	(A)	365 days	(B)	366 days
	(C)	367 days	(D)	364 days

18. A 'light year' is the measurement of

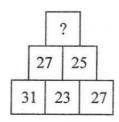
(A) Time

(B) Distance

(C) Temperature

(D) Intensity of light

19. Insert the missing value in '?' position in the figure



(A) 26

(B) 25

(C) 27

(D) 24



- 20. If a bucket contains apples, oranges and bananas in the ratio 3:5:7 and the total number of these three fruits is 45, then the total number of oranges is
  - (A) 30

(B) 25

(C) 15

- (D) 20
- 21. If a clock strikes once at 1 O'clock, twice of 2 O'clock etc., How many times will it strike in 24 hours?
  - (A) 300.

(B) 156

(C) 78

- (D) 136
- 22. If p, q, r, s and t are positive numbers and it is given that

$$p+q=r+s$$
,  $q+s=2t$ 

$$s+t>p+q$$
 and  $r+s>p+t$ 

then which of the following statement is true?

(A) s>p>q>t>r

(B) s>q>t>p>r

(C) p>q>r>s>t

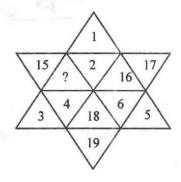
(D) p>s>q>t>r

- 23. If X is to the south of Y and Z is to the East of Y, in what direction is X with respect to Z?
  - (A) North-East

(B) North-West

(C) South - East

- (D) South-West
- 24. Insert the missing number in '?' mark in the given figure



(A) 13

(B) 14

(C) 20

- (D) 21
- 25. How many different letters are there in the word "MATHEMATICS"?
  - (A) 7

(B) 8

(C) 9

- (D) 10
- 26. The name 'Sea of Tranquality' is given to
  - (A) Atlantic Ocean
  - (B) An area in Mars
  - (C) A water less area on Moon's surface
  - (D) Pacific Ocean

Fill in the blanks with options	given below:	
Currently, has the largest of oil.	reserves of oil, while	is the largest producer
(A) Saudi Arabia, Venezuela	(B) Venezuela, S	audi Arabia
(C) Nigeria, Russia	(D) Russia, Nige	ria
Which of the following statement	nts regarding the Nobe	el Peace Prize are correct?
		ed Cross (ICRC) is the only
(ii) Jean Henry Dunant and Frede	ric Passy is joint recipie	ent of first Nobel Peace Prize.
		rights activist received Nobel
(A) (i), (ii) and (iii) only	(B) (i), (ii) and (i	v) only
(C) (ii) (iii) and (iv) only	(D) (i), (ii), (iii)	and (iv) all are correct
Which of the following country do	es not hold veto power	in the UN Security Council?
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(C) Germany	(D) Russia	0.000
		y, 2020. How many members
(A) 25	(B) 26 : T	F'SCT
(C) 27	(D) 28 13 OLI S NO	T FOR SALE S
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	Currently, has the largest of oil.  (A) Saudi Arabia, Venezuela  (C) Nigeria, Russia  Which of the following statement (i) Switzerland-based Internation 3-time recipient of the Nobel (ii) Jean Henry Dunant and Frede (iii) Nadia Murad Basee Taha is a Peace Prize in the year 201-(iv) Nobel Peace Prize 2019 was Chemical Weapons. Select the (A) (i), (ii) and (iii) only (C) (ii) (iii) and (iv) only  Which of the following country do (A) China  (C) Germany  United Kingdom left the European are there in the European Union (A) 25	(A) Saudi Arabia, Venezuela (B) Venezuela, S (C) Nigeria, Russia (D) Russia, Niger Which of the following statements regarding the Nober (i) Switzerland-based International Committee of the R 3-time recipient of the Nobel Prize. (ii) Jean Henry Dunant and Frederic Passy is joint recipied (iii) Nadia Murad Basee Taha is an Iraqi Yazidi human r Peace Prize in the year 2014. (iv) Nobel Peace Prize 2019 was awarded to the Organic Chemical Weapons. Select the correct answer from (A) (i), (ii) and (iii) only (B) (i), (ii) and (ii) (C) (ii) (iii) and (iv) only (D) (i), (ii), (iii) and Which of the following country does not hold veto power (A) China (B) France (C) Germany (D) Russia  United Kingdom left the European Union on 31st January are there in the European Union currently? (A) 25 (B) 26 (C) 27 (D) 28

31.	work in the field of literatu			nised for exceptional
	(A) Shri Tanga Darlong			
	(B) Shri Benichandra Jamat	ia	*	60
	(C) Sri Somdev Kishore De	evVarman	18	The riele
	(D) Dr. Rathindra Dutta		176	10/03
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	(A) Bill Gates	(B)	Larry Page	
	(C) Elon Musk	(D)	Jeff Bezos	
33.	Saudi Arabia opened borders	for trading	with which of the follo	wing countries after
	long hiatus of 3 decades?			
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	(A) Iraq	(B)	Jordan	
	(C) Yeman	(D)	Oman	
34.	In our world, currently there	e are about	people.	
	(A) 6.8 billion	(B)	7.8 billion	
	(C) 8.8 billion	(D)	9.8 billion	
35.	Atma Nirbhar Bharat Abhiya which is equivalent to how		-	Rs. 20 lakh crores
	(A) 5%	(B)	10%	
	(C) 7%	(D)	9%	
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36.	of			15th, 2020 released a commemorative coin anniversary of the Food and Agriculture
	(A)	Rs. 50	(B)	Rs. 75
	(C)	Rs. 100	(D)	Rs. 200
367	'Da	<ul><li>*.</li><li>kPay' app is a digital paymen</li></ul>	t app l	aunched by
1	(A)	Information and Broadcast M	linistry	FFSCT
	(B)	National Payment Corporation	of In	dia TOLL WUS PAPER F
	(C)	India Post		SHOT FOR SALES
	(D)	State Bank of India		
38.		ch of the following commerciarch, 2018-2020)?	l banks	topped EASE 2.0 Banking Reforms Index
	(A)	Bank of Baroda	(B)	Punjab National Bank
	(C)	State Bank of India	(D)	Canara Bank
39.		which of the following States, mandia?	ıximum	Coast Guard Stations have been established
	(A)	Maharashtra	(B)	Tamilnadu
	(C)	Gujarat	(D)	Andhra Pradesh
		ch State's assembly passed a arry, 2020?	resolut	ion to abolish the Legislative Council in
	(A)	Telangana	(B)	West Bengal
	(C)	Andhra Pradesh	(D)	Maharashtra
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41.	The	Raja Ampat Coral Reef is loca	ated	in which country?
	(A)	India	(B)	Indonesia
	(C)	Maldives	(D)	Sri Lanka
42.	Hov	w many times India wins the "C	Crick	et World Cup Champion" title?
	(A)	One	(B)	Two
	(C)	Three	(D)	Four
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43.	Indi	a aims to achieve the 5 trillion	dolla	ar economy target by
	(A)	2022 A.D.	(B)	2024 A.D.
	(C)	2025 A.D.	(D)	2026 A.D.
44.		an Navy launched 'Operation Var	nilla'	in January 2020, in which of the following
	(A)	Sri Lanka	(B)	Maldives
	(C)	Madagascar	(D)	Oman
45.	Whe	ere is the "Hazur Sahib" Gurudv	vara,	one of the five Takht of Sikhism located?
	(A)	Amritsar	(B)	Patna
	(C)	Nanded	(D)	Bhatinda
46.	Whie	ch company will launch Libra c	rypto	ocurrency in 2021?
	(A)	Instagram	(B)	Google
	(C)	Microsoft	(D)	Facebook

47.	Wh	ich of the following is India's t	first I	Kisan Rail?
	(A)	Devlali-Danapur Kisan Rail		
	(B)	Anantpur-Adarsh Nagar Kisan	Rail	TOLL UUS PAPER F
	(C)	Yashwantpur-Ajmer Kisan Rail		S NOT FOR SALE S
	(D)	Bhatinda-Bhopal Kisan Rail		CFPSC
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,48.	ın y	which region Hemis Gompa is I	ocate	d in India?
	(A)	Sikkim	(B)	Ladakh
	(C)	Gwalior	(D)	Nagpur
49.		ch of the following cities has got Index 2020?	top p	osition among Indian cities in Global Smart
	(A)	New Delhi	(B)	Mumbai
	(C)	Hyderabad	(D)	Bengaluru
50.		ch of the following dances of k 's Kathakali?	Cerala	was called by Jawaharlal Nehru as Poor
	(A)	Chavittunatakom	(B)	Kolkalli
	(C)	Ottamthulial	(D)	Kootiyattam
51.	Out	of the given options, which is	not a	in insert gas?
	(A)	Freon	(B)	Argon
	(C)	Neon	(D)	Xenon

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	(A) Potassium Chloride	(B)	Potassium Carbonate
	(C) Sodium Bicarbonate	(D)	Sodium Chloride
53.	Pasturization of milk is done at		
	(A) 100°F	(B)	71°F
	(C) 110°F	(D)	161°F
54.	1 Nibble is equal to		<u>^</u>
	(A) 8 Kilo Bytes	(B)	8 Bytes
	(C) 4 Bytes	(D)	4 Bits
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55.	What is the pH of human blood?		(01/01/07
	(A) 7	(B)	7.4 66/1
	(C) 0.7	(D)	6.8
56.	What is the device used to measure	e the	diameters of stars?
	(A) Inter-ferometer	(B)	Seismometer
	(C) Odometer	(D)	Pedometer
57.	Who among the following has immentis often termed as 'Father of Fibre		ntribution in fibre-optic communication and cs'?
	(A) Somender Singh Kapany	(B)	Fancois Mitterand
	(C) Charles Chako	(D)	Narinder Singh Kapany
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52. What is the chemical name of backing soda?

(B) Plane mirror (A) Concave mirror (D) Combination of convex and concave mirror (C) Convex mirror 59. Which of the following is part of National Health Mission of India? (A) PMAY (B) PMSMA (C) PMGSY (D) PMUY 60. The instrument "Cryometer" is used to measure (A) Low pressure of objects (B) Low temperature of objects (C) Measuring the pH of tears of eyes (D) Measuring the pH of body sweat 61. The operating system "LINUX" stands for (A) Lovable Intellect Not Using XP (B) Loadable Intellect Not Using XP (C) Learning of UNIX (D) None of the above 62. To combat the problem of fake printing of passports and counterfeiting of currency notes, a security 'Bi-Fluorescent Golden Ink' with dual emissive luminescent pigment (red and green) was recently discovered by (A) CSIR-NCL, Pune (B) CSIR-NPL, New Delhi (C) CSIR-NISTADS, New Delhi (D) CSIR-IICT, Hyderabad

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58. Which of the following mirror is used by a dentist to examine a small cavity?

63.	The	e prefix "Nano" comes from		
	(A)	A French word means billion	(B)	A Spanish word means particle
	(C)	A Latin word means invisible	(D)	A Greek word means dwarf
64.	In 1	the ABO system, blood group 'e	O' is	characterized by the
	(A)	Presence of antigen O		
	(B)	Presence of both antigen A an	d ant	igen B
	(C)	Presence of antigen A and abs	ence	of antigen B
	(D)	Absence of both antigen A and	d anti	gen B
65.	Hig	h protein diet is given to perso	ns su	ffering from
	(A)	Chirrhosis	(B)	Gout Jaundice
	(C)	Tuberculosis	(D)	Jaundice Toll ulb and ship in the ship in
66.	Whi	ich of the following is not a m	icro-n	1C
	(A)	Zinc	(B)	Calcium
	(C)	Boron	(D)	Molyddenum
67.	Nuc	elear energy is obtained by the	chemi	cal process
	(A)	Fusion	(B)	Fission
	(C)	Both of (A) and (B)	(D)	None of them
68.	Mel	ting temperature of DNA is the	temp	perature at which
	(A)	DNA melts completely	(B)	50% of the DNA is denatured
	(C)	80% of the DNA is denatured	(D)	None of these
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69.	9. Which of the following substance predominantly found in urine?			
	(A)	Blood proteins	(B)	Creatinine
	(C)	Red Blood cells	(D)	White Blood cells
70.	The	Sun's mass mainly consists of		Helium S NOT FOR SALE S Silicon
	(A)	Hydrogen	(B)	Helium S NOT FOR SALE S
	(C)	Carbon dioxide	(D)	Silicon C P S C
71.	Whi	ich of the following gas has hi	ghest	contribution in Global Warming?
	(A)	Carbon dioxide	(B)	Chlorofluorocarbon
	(C)	Nitrous oxide	(D)	Methane
72.	The	study of images of deities fall	s with	nin a branch of art history called
	(A)	Pictography	(B)	Lithography
	(C)	Ichthyography	(D)	Iconography
73.		Think Digital' is a digital lipany?	teracy	program of which global technological
	(A)	Google	(B)	Facebook
	(C)	Apple	(D)	Amazon
74.	Aml	bulatory monitoring of ECG is	called	
	(A)	Event Cardiography	(B)	Holter Cardiography
	(C)	Implantable Cardiography	(D)	Real-Time Cardiography
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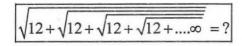
	(A)	Hepatitis B	(B)	Polio	
	(C)	Varicella	(D)	Measles, mumps	and rubella (MMR)
76.	The	sum of the face value and pla	ace va	alue of 7 in 3437	42 is
	(A)	693	(B)	700	10/2 3
	(C)	770	(D)	707	12 3 5 3 S
77.	The	speed of a train is X km/hr.	lts sp	eed in m/sec will	be de la
	(A)	5X/18	(B)	8X/15	1
	(C)	X/18	(D)	X/15	
78.	equa and	n auditorium, seats were arrange al to the number of seats in each the number of seats in each ro- eased by 300. Find the number	ch rov w wa	w. When the numbs reduced by 10, to	per of rows was double the total number of sea
	(A)	600	(B)	900	
	(C)	1200	(D)	1500	
79.	If 1	$a^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + 20^2 = 2870$ , then	1 2 <sup>2</sup> +	$4^2 + 6^2 + \dots + 40^2$	= ?
	(A)	11070	(B)	11480	

75. Which vaccine is given soon after birth of an infant?

(C) 12070

(D) 14035

80. Find the value of



- (A) 3
- (C) 6

- (B) 4
- (D) 12



81. In a row 'A' is in the 11th position from the left and 'B' is in the 10th position from the right. If 'A' and 'B' interchange, then 'A' becomes 18th from the left. How many persons are there in the row other than 'A' and 'B'?

(A) 27

(B) 26

(C) 25

(D) 24

82. Excluding stoppages, the speed of a bus is 54 kmph and including stoppages, it is 45 kmph. For how many minutes does the bus stop per hour?

(A) 9

(B) 10

(C) 12

(D) 20

83. The difference between the interest received from the different banks on Rs. 500 for two years is Rs. 2.50 and the difference between their rates is

(A) 12%

(B) 15%

(C) 25%

(D) 27%

84. Find the number which is not lying between 1/3 and 3/4

(A) 7/16

(B) 13/24

(C) 9/32

(D) 31/48

	(C) 36%	(D) 40%	
86.	The difference between the simple for 3 years at 10% per annum is R	_	
	(A) Rs. 1,500	(B) Rs. 1,600	
	(C) Rs. 1,700	(D) Rs. 1,800	
87.	The least number to be added to	621 × 87627 to becom	ne perfect square is
	(A) 6	(B) 9	
	(C) 11	(D) 13	
88.	Father's age is 4 times of his son's his son's age. Then their current (A) 60, 15	es be	F. C.
	(C) 20, 5	(B) 40, 10 S NO	P S C
89.	The ratio of the areas of a regular is	xagon and a square h	aving the same perimeter
	(A) 2√3:3	(B) √3:2	
	(C) 3√3:2	(D) 3:2	
90.	The ratio of simple interest earned for 6 years and that of 9 years is	by certain amount of	the same rate of interest
	(A) 1:3	(B) 1:4	
	(C) 2:3	(D) None of these	
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85. If the radius of a circle is diminished by 20%, the area is diminished by

(B) 30%

(A) 25%

	(A)	9	(B)	15
	(C)	17	(D)	21
92.				boys and girls who are 85 in number. Each its five mangoes, the number of boys is
	(A)	15	(B)	38
	(C)	40	(D)	45
93.	Whi	ich among the numbers $2\sqrt{31}$ ,	$3\sqrt{5}$ ,	$5\sqrt{29}$ and $4\sqrt{3}$ is least?
	(A)	5√29	(B)	3\square Toll uus PAPER S
	(C)	2√31	(D)	SNOT FOR SALES
94.	Two pipes can fill a tank in 20 minutes and 30 minutes respectively. If both pipes are opened simultaneously, then the tank will be filled in			
	(A)	10 minutes	(B)	12 minutes
	(C)	15 minutes	(D)	25 minutes
		55.5		
95.	95. The area of a square inscribed in a circle of radius 4 cm is			le of radius 4 cm is
	(A)	32 sq.cm	(B)	18 sq.cm
	(C)	25 sq.cm	(D)	64 sq.cm
96.		sides of a triangle are 85 cm area of the triangle is	and 1	54 cm and the perimeter is 324 cm. Then
	(A)	7216 cm <sup>2</sup>	(B)	1350 cm <sup>2</sup>
	(C)	1431 cm <sup>2</sup>	(D)	2772 cm <sup>2</sup>
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91. If the sum of 3 consecutive odd numbers is 51, the least of three is

- 97. The greatest positive integer less than 418 and divisible by 31 is
  - (A) 407

(B) 403

(C) 372

- (D) 341
- 98. The average of 4 numbers is 25 and the average of 3 of these numbers is 30. Then the 4th number is
  - (A) 20

(B) 10

(C) 27

- (D) 22
- 99. If the arithmetic mean and geometric mean of two positive numbers m and n are equal, then
  - (A) m = n

(B) m > n

(C) m = 2n

- (D) m = 4n
- 100. If the 20% of 30% of 40% of a number is 24, then the number is
  - (A) 600

(B) 1000

(C) 500

(D) 250

- 101. Answer any five (5) questions out of the six questions given below. Select the correct answer and write in answer script from the options given below: 1×5=5

  Example: The Independence Day in India is celebrated on

  (a) the 15th August, every year

  (b) the 26th January, every year
  - (d) the 20th August every year

Answer: (a) the 15th August of every year.

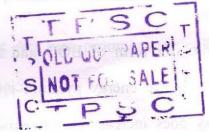
the 14th August every year

- (i) How much amount of sulphur is permissible in Bharat Stage (BS) IV petrol and diesel?
  - (A) 40 ppm

(B) 50 ppm

(C) 45 ppm

- (D) 60 ppm
- (ii) Where the National Coral Reef Research Centre is located?
  - (A) Andaman and Nicobar Islands
  - (B) Kachchh
  - (C) Thoothukudi (Tuticorin)
  - (D) Lakshadweep



- (iii) Out of the following countries which country has the highest population density?
  - (A) Barbados

(B) Malta

(C) Bahrain

- (D) Mauritius
- (iv) Arrange the following gases in descending order of their Global Warming Potential (GWP):
  - (i) Sulfur Hexafluoride
- (ii) Nitrous Oxide

(iii) CFC

- (iv) Methane
- (A) (i), (iii), (ii), (iv)
- (B) (iv), (ii), (iii), (i)
- (C) (i), (ii), (iii), (iv)
- (D) (iv), (iii), (ii), (i)

- (v) Which of the following pairs is correctly matched?
  - (A) Cartagena Protocol Biosafety to the convention on Biological Diversity
  - (B) Ramsar Convention Procedure for certain hazardous chemicals
  - (C) Vienna Convention Wetlands
  - (D) Bonn Convention Protection of ozone layer
- (vi) Aerobic degradation of organic matters by bacteria releases
  - (A) chlorine

- (B) hydrogen
- (C) hydrogen sulphide
- (D) carbon dioxide

# Very short answer type questions:

- 102. Answer any five (5) questions out of six (6) questions (Each question carries 2 marks):  $2 \times 5 = 10$ 
  - (i) Mention the main objective of Montreal Protocol.
  - (ii) What is the full form of SEIAA and SEAC as per Environment (Protection) Rules 1986?
  - (iii) Write full form of BOD and define it.
  - (iv) Why is the energy pyramid always erect?
  - (v) Why does increase in atmospheric CO, concentration causes global warming?
  - (vi) Define 'Biomagnification'.

# Short answer type questions:

- 103. Answer any two (2) questions out of three (3) questions. (Each question carries 5 marks): 5×2=10
  - (i) Write a short note on E-waste management rules enacted in 2016.
  - (ii) What is biogas? How is it produced? What are the barriers to increase the production and use?
  - (iii) Explain with examples the Mitigation and Adaption measures relating to climate change.

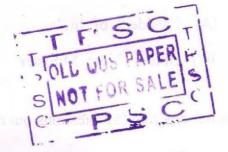
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104. Answer any five (5) questions out of six (6) questions (Each question carries 1 mark) Select the correct answer and write in answer script from the options given below:  $1 \times 5 = 5$ 

**Example**: The Independence Day in India is celebrated on

- the 15th August, every year
- (b) the 26th January, every year
- the 14th August every year
- (d) the 20th August every year

Answer: (a) the 15th August of every year.



- (i) State of Tripura is most vulnerable to

  - (A) Flood (B) Earthquake
  - (C) Cyclone

- (D) Landslide
- (ii) In which year the Disaster Management Act was promulgated in India?
  - (A) 2004

(B) 2005

(C) 2006

- (D) 2007
- (iii) India has a Coast line of

  - (A) 6256 km (B) 6516 km
  - (C) 7516 km

- (D) 7250 km
- (iv) In which year the Bhopal Gas disaster occurred?
  - (A) 1984

(B) 1983

(C) 1985

(D) 1986

(A) >220 km/hr(B) >250 km/hr(C) > 200 km/hr(D) 119-220 km/hr (vi) Who is the Chairperson of NDMA? (B) Prime Minister of India (A) President of India (C) Union Home Minister (D) Union Defence Minister 105. Answer any five (5) questions out of six (6) questions (Each question carries 2 marks):  $2 \times 5 = 10$ (i) Define magnitude and intensity of earthquake disaster. (ii) What are four phases of disaster management cycle? (iii) What is Rainwater Harvesting and Artificial Recharge to Groundwater? Name any two types of Groundwater Recharging structures. (iv) Name any four structural and non-structural measures of Cyclone Risk Mitigation. (v) What is vulnerability, in connection with climate change? (vi) Explain Community Based Disaster Management. 106. Answer any two (2) questions out of three (3) questions (Each question carries 5 marks):  $5 \times 2 = 10$ (i) Name the measures taken/to be taken in India to reduce the impact of Earthquake? What is seismic (Earthquake) retrofitting and how will it be useful? (ii) What is Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) and explain the Institutional Structure of Disaster Management in India. (iii) Discuss the recent development in forecasting, warning and monitoring system during flood in India. TF'SCT FOLL UUS PAPER H SNOT FOR SALES 1/TR/STCSPT/GS-I/TPSC/21/C-140 (26)

(v) What is the wind speed of Super Cyclone as classified by IMD?