

```
::jseblod::10003::/jseblod::  
::company::123::/company::  
::day::6::/day::  
::month::Jan::/month::  
::year::2007::/year::  
::placement_paper_type::Other::/placement_paper_type::  
::placement_paper_hidden:: ::/placement_paper_hidden::  
::test_location::Not Specified::/test_location::  
::attachment_x::  
::/attachment_x::  
::other:: ::/other::  
::isratingchanged::0::/isratingchanged::  
::mod_comment:: ::/mod_comment::  
::old_rating::2::/old_rating::  
::moderation_status::2::/moderation_status::  
::photo_x::25::/photo_x::  
  
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::  
::article_basic_layout|0|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|0|photo_x::  
::article_text|0|photo_x::
```

STATE BANK OF INDIA PAPER ON seventh JANUARY 2007

Reasoning

Directions (1-5): In the ques. provided below, certain symbols are used with the subsequent meaning:

- A @ B means A is greater than B.
- A * B means A is either greater than or equal to B.
- A # B means A is equal to B
- A \$ B means A is either smaller than or equal to B
- A + B means A is smaller than B

Now in every of the subsequent ques. assuming the provided statements to be true, obtain which of the 2 conclusions I and II provided beneath them is/are definitely True?

- Give ans (a) if only conclusion I is actual.
- Give ans (b) if only conclusion II is actual.
- Give ans (c) if either conclusion I and II are actual.
- Give ans (d) if neither conclusion I nor II is actual.

Give ans (e) if both conclusions I and II are actual.

1. Statements:

$D + T ; E \$ V ; F * T ; E @ D$

Conclusions:

I. $D \$ V$ II. $D + F$

Ans: (b)

2. Statements:

$B + D ; E \$ T ; T * P ; P @ B$

Conclusions:

I. $P \$ D$ II. $P @ D$

Ans: (c)

3. Statements:

$T * U ; U \$ W ; V @ L ; W + V$

Conclusions:

I. $V @ T$ II. $L \# W$

Ans: (d)

4. Statements:

$P \$ Q ; N \# M ; M @ R ; R * P$

Conclusions:

I. $P + N$ II. $Q \$ M$

Ans: (a)

5. Statements:

$E * F ; G \$ H ; H \# E ; G @ K$

Conclusions:

I. $H @ K$ II. $H * F$

Ans: (e)

Directions(6-11): Study the subsequent letter-number-symbol sequence carefully and ans the ques. provided below:

3 D five F E three eight \$ M two one K * P T @ U nine A seven one £ H J four Q 6

6. What should come in place of the ques. mark (?) in the subsequent Sequence?

5ES, MIP, ?, 1HQ

- (a) TUA (b) TU7 (c) @ 91 (d) T91 (e) None of these

Ans: (b)

7. which of the subsequent is exactly in the midway ranging from the 11th from the left end and the seventh from the right end?

- (a) P (b) @ (c) T (d) U (e) None of these

Ans: (b)

8. Which of the subsequent is the 6th to the right of the twentieth from the right end?

- (a) 5 (b) F (c) P (d) K (e) None of these

Ans: (c)

::/article_text|0|photo_x::
::photo|0|photo_x:::/photo|0|photo_x::
::photo_size|0|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|0|photo_x::
::ad_unit|0|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|0|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|1|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|1|photo_x::
::article_text|1|photo_x::

9. How many such digits are there in the above sequence which are immediately preceded as well as followed by digits ?

- (a) None (b) One (c) Two (d) Three (e) more than three

Ans: (a)

10. If the 1st fifteen elements are written in the reverse order then which of the subsequent will be 8th to the left of the thirteenth element from right end ?

- (a) M (b) 8 (c) \$ (d) * (e) None of these.

Ans: (a)

11.If all the consonants Starting from B are provided sequentially the value of even numbers such as B=2, C=4 and so on and all the vowels are provided the value of five each, then what will be the value of the letters of the word CUSTOM ?

- (a) 92 (b) 86 (c) 82 (d) 96 (e) None of these

Ans: (d)

12. How many such 5s are there in the subsequent sequence that the sum of the 2 immediately subsequent digits is greater than the sum of the 2 immediately preceding digits ?

3 seven six five eight three two four five 5 four eight seven nine one five three four eight seven five nine eight seven six 4

- (a) One (b) 2 (c) Three (d) Four (e) None of these

Ans: (c)

13. If $A + B$ means 'A is the sister of B', $A \times B$ means 'A is the spouse of B', $A \div B$ means 'A is the dad of B' and $A - B$ means 'A is the brother of B', then which of the subsequent expresses the relationship that 't is the daughter of p'?

- (a) $P \times Q \div R + S - T$ (b) $P \times Q \div R - T + S$ (c) $P \times Q \div R + T - S$ (d) $P \times Q \div R + S + T$ (e) None of these

Ans: (b)

::/article_text|1|photo_x::

::photo|1|photo_x:::/photo|1|photo_x::

::photo_size|1|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|1|photo_x::

::ad_unit|1|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|1|photo_x::

::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::

::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::

::article_basic_layout|2|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|2|photo_x::

::article_text|2|photo_x::

14.If the position of the 1st letter of English alphabet is interchanged with the position of the fourteenth letter, 2nd letter with the fifteenth letter in such a way that M is interchanged with Z, then which of the subsequent letters will be ninth to the right of 17th letter from the right?

- (a) F (b) E
(c) R (d) T
(e) None of these

Ans: (a)

Directions(15-18) : learn the subsequent info and ans the questions provided below:-

(i) 7 friends P, Q, R, S, T, U and W have gathered at the Mumbai airport. 5 of them are scheduled to go to 5 various places-Delhi, Chennai, Lucknow, Bangalore and Calcutta.

(ii) 5 of them are executives, every specialising in viz.Administration (admn.), Human Resource Management (HRM), Marketing ,Systems and Finance.

(iii) T, an executive is going to Chennai and is neither from finance nor Marketing.

(iv) W is a system specialist and is leaving for Delhi. U is an executive but is not going to 1 of the 5 places.

(v) Q is an executive from HRM but has come at the airport to see his friends.

(vi) P is an executive but not from Marketing and is flying to 1 of the destinations but not to Bangalore or Calcutta.

15. Who is going to fly to Bangalore?

(a) Data inadequate (b) R (c) S (d) P (e) None of these

Ans: (a)

16. Who among the subsequent specialises in Marketing?

(a) S (b) P (c) U (d) Data inadequate (e) None of these

Ans: (c)

17. R has specialisation in which of the subsequent fields?

(a) Finance (b) Marketing (c) Either Marketing or Finance (d) None
(e) All of these

Ans: (d)

18.The 1 who is going to fly to Chennai is

(a) Not an executive (b) From administration (c) S (d) From
Finace (e) None of these

Ans:(b)

::/article_text|2|photo_x::

::photo|2|photo_x:::/photo|2|photo_x::

22. Sanjay visited the museum in the 4th batch and was issued a pass-code 'to fast rush avoid not do very run'. What would have been the pass-code for him had he visited the museum in the 2nd batch?

- (a) rush do not avoid to run very fast
- (b) rush not do avoid to run very fast
- (c) avoid rush not do to run very fast
- (d) Data inadequate
- (e) None of these

Ans: (a)

23. Subodh went to visit the museum in the 2nd batch. He was issued a pass-code 'length the day equal of and night are'. However, he could not visit the museum in the 2nd batch as he was little late. He then preferred to visit in the 5th batch. What will be the new pass -code issued to him?

- (a) and of are night the length equal day
- (b) and are of night the length equal day
- (c) and of are night the equal
- (d) and of are the night length day equal
- (e) None of these

Ans: (a)

::/article_text|3|photo_x::
::photo|3|photo_x:::/photo|3|photo_x::
::photo_size|3|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|3|photo_x::
::ad_unit|3|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|3|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|4|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|4|photo_x::
::article_text|4|photo_x::

24. If pass-code for the 2nd batch is 'to confidence hard you leads work and success', what will be the pass -code for the 4th batch?

- (a) leads success to you hard confidence and work
- (b) leads success you to hard confidence and work
- (c) leads success to you hard confidence work and
- (d) leads to success you hard confidence and work
- (e) None of these

Ans: (a)

25. If the pass-code issued for the last (sixth) batch is 'and pencil by all boys used are pen'. What will be the pass-code for the 1st batch?

- (a) pencil and pen are used by all boys
- (b) pen and pencil used are by all boys
- (c) pen and pencil are used by all boys
- (d) pencil and pen are used all by boys

(e) None of these

Ans: (c)

26. If the pass-code for the 6th batch is 'not go the way to of out do'. What will be the pass-code for the 3rd batch?

(a) of do to out go not way the

(b) of to do out not go way the

(c) of to go out do not way the

(d) Data inadequate

(e) None of these

Ans: (e)

Directions(27-32): in every ques. beneath are provided 3 statements followed by 4 conclusions-I, II, III and IV. You have to take the provided statements to be actual even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts. learn the all conclusions and then decide which of the provided conclusions logically follow (s) from the provided statements disregarding commonly known facts.

27.Statements

Some books are pens

All pens are chairs.

Some chairs are Tables.

Conclusions

I. a few books are chairs.

II . a few chairs are books.

III. All tables are chairs.

IV. a few tables are chairs.

(a) All follow

(b) Only I, II, III follow

(c) Only I, II, IV follow

(d) Only II, III and IV follow

(e) none of these

Ans:(c)

28. Statements

All cars are jeeps.

All jeeps are buses.

All buses are trucks.

Conclusions

I. All trucks are buses.

II. All buses are jeeps.

III. All jeeps are cars.

IV. All cars are trucks.

- (a). None follows (b) All follow
(c) Only III and IV follow (d) Only IV follows
(e) None of these

Ans:(d)

29.Statements

Some trees are flowers.

Some flowers are pencils.

Some pencils are tables.

Conclusions

I. a few tables are flowers.

II. a few pencils are trees.

III. a few tables are trees.

IV. a few trees are pencils.

- (a) All follow (b) None follows
(c) Only I and III follow (d) Only II and IV follow
(e) None of these

Ans: (b)

::/article_text|4|photo_x::

::photo|4|photo_x:::/photo|4|photo_x::

::photo_size|4|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|4|photo_x::

::ad_unit|4|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|4|photo_x::

::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::

::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::

::article_basic_layout|5|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|5|photo_x::

::article_text|5|photo_x::

30.Statements

All rods are bricks.

Some bricks are ropes.

All ropes are doors.

Conclusions

I. a few rods are doors.

II. a few doors are bricks.

III. a few rods are not doors.

IV. All doors are ropes.

- (a) Only I and II follow
(b) Only I, II and III follow
(c) Only Only either I or III and II follow
(d) Only either I or III and IV follow.

(e) None of these

Ans.(c)

31. Statements

Some books are pens.

Some pens are watches.

Some watches are books .

Some books are watches.

Conclusions

I. a few radios are watches.

II. a few radios are pens.

III. a few watches are books

IV. a few books are watches.

(a) All follow (b) Only I and III follow

(c) Only II and IV follow (d) Only I and IV follow

(e) None of these

Ans:(e)

32. Statements

All towns are villages

No village is forest

Some forests are rivers.

Conclusions

I. a few forests are villages.

II. a few forests are not villages.

III. Some rivers are not villages.

IV. All villages are towns.

(a) All follow

(b) Only either I or II follows

(c) Only either I or II and III follow

(d) None of these

(e) None of these

Ans: (e)

33. In a row of boys facing north, Sudhanshu is 12th from his left. When shifted to his right by 4 places, he becomes eighteenth from the right end of the row?

(a) 32 (b) 33

(c) 34 (d) Data inadequate

(e) None of these

Ans: (b)

34. In a certain code language issue is written as MPERLOB. How will NUMBERS be Written in that code?

- (a) SNUREMB (b) SNRUBME
(c) SNRUEMB (d) SNRUMEB
(e) None of these

Ans:(c)

Directions(35-40): In every ques. beneath is provided a statement followed by 2 assumptions numbered I and II. An assumption is something supposed or taken for granted. You have to consider the statement and the subsequent assumptions and decide which of the assumptions is implicit in the statement.

Give ans (a) if only assumption I is implicit.

Give ans (b) if only assumption II, is implicit.

Give ans (c) if either I or II is implicit.

Give ans (d) if neither I nor II is implicit.

Give ans (e) if both I and II are implicit.

35. Statement: The Government has recently hiked the prices of diesel and petrol to decrease the oil pool deficit.

Assumptions:

- I. The amount earned by this increase may be substantial enough to decrease the deficit.
II. There may be wide spread protests against the price hike.

Ans:(e)

36. Statement: The X passenger car manufacturing company announced a sharp reduction in the prices of their luxury cars.

Assumptions:

- I. There may be an increase in the sale of their luxury cars.
II. The other, such car manufacturers may also decrease their prices.

Ans:(e)

::/article_text|5|photo_x::

::photo|5|photo_x:::/photo|5|photo_x::

::photo_size|5|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|5|photo_x::

::ad_unit|5|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|5|photo_x::

::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::

::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::

::article_basic_layout|6|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|6|photo_x::

::article_text|6|photo_x::

37. Statement : A foreign film producer rendered his apology before Indian society for misinterpreting a part of Indian epic.

Assumptions :

- I. Indians are very sensitive to the misinterpretation of their epic.
- II. It is possible to derive wrong meaning from the epic.

Ans:(d)

38.Statement : Aswin's mother instructed him to return home by train if it rains heavily.

Assumptions

- I. Aswin may not be to decide himself if it rains heavily.
- II. The trains may ply even if it rains heavily.

Ans:(b)

39. Statements : The Government of India decided to begin a track II dialogue with its neighbour to decrease tension in the area.

Assumption:

- I. The neighbouring country may agree to participate in the track II dialogue.
- II. The people involved in track II dialogue may be able to persuade their respective Governments.

Ans:(e)

40. Statements :The host in 1 of the popular T.V programmes announced that the channel will contact the viewers ranging from 9.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m on weekdays and the lucky ones will be provided fabulous prizes.

Assumptions:

- I. The people may remain indoors to receive the phone call.
- II. More people may begin watching the programme.

Ans:(e)

Directions(41-45): In making decisions about important questions, it is desirable to be able to distinguish ranging from 'Strong' arguments and 'Weak' arguments are those which are both important and directly related to the ques.. 'Weak' arguments are those which are of minor importance and also may not be directly related to the ques. or may be related to a trivial aspect of the ques..

Instructions: every ques. beneath is followed by a statement and 2 arguments numbered I & II. You have to decide which of the argument is a "Strong" argument and which is a "Weak" argument.

Give ans (a) if only argument I is strong.

Give ans (b) if only argument II is strong.

Give ans (c) if their I or II is strong.

Give ans (d) if neither I nor II is strong.

Give ans (e) if both I and II are strong.

41.Statement: should the habit of late coming in educational institutions be checked?

Arguments:

I. No. Until it affects the work.

II. Yes. Discipline must be maintained.

Ans:(b)

42.Statement: Should seniority be the only criterion for the promotion?

Arguments:

I. No. All the senior employees are not interested in promotion.

II. Yes. Otherwise senior employees do feel humiliated.

Ans:(d)

43. Statement: Should children be prevented completely from watching television?

Arguments:

I. No. We get vital info regarding education through television.

II. Yes. It hampers the study of children.

Ans:(e)

44. Statement: Should trade unions be banned completely?

Arguments:

I. No. This is the only way through which employees can put their demands before management.

II. Yes. Employees get their illegal demands fulfilled through these unions.

Ans:(a)

45. Statement: should women be provided equal opportunity in matter of employment in every field?

Argument:

I. Yes. They are equally capable.

II. They have to shoulder household responsibilities too.

Ans:(a)

::/article_text|6|photo_x::

::photo|6|photo_x:::/photo|6|photo_x::

::photo_size|6|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|6|photo_x::

::ad_unit|6|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|6|photo_x::

::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::

::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::

::article_basic_layout|7|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|7|photo_x::

::article_text|7|photo_x::

Directions(46-50): In every ques. beneath is provided a statement followed by 2 conclusions numbered I and II. You have to presume every thing in the statement to be true, then consider the 2 conclusions together and decide which of them logically follows beyond a reasonable doubt from the info provided in the statement.

Give ans (a) if only conclusion I follows.

Give ans (b) if only conclusion II follows.

Give ans (c) if either I or II follows.

Give ans (d) if neither I nor II follows, and

Give ans (e) if both I and II follow.

46. Statement: The cabinet of State 'X' took certain steps to tackle the milk glut in the state as the cooperatives and Government dairies failed to use the available milk-A news report

Conclusion:

I. The milk production of State 'X' is more than its need.

II. The Government and co-operative dairies in State 'X' are not equipped in terms of resources and technology to handle such excess milk.

Ans:(e)

47. Statement: It has been decided or the Government to withdraw 33% of the subsidy on cooking gas from the beginning of next month-A spokesman of the Government.

Conclusions:

I. People now no more desire of need such subsidy from Government as they can afford increased price of the cooking gas.

II. The price of the cooking gas will increase at lowest by 33% from the next month.

Ans:(d)

48. Statement: "The Government will review the current policy of the diesel price in view of further spurt in the international oil prices"-A spokesman of the Government.

Conclusions:

I. The Government will increase the price of the diesel after the imminent spurt in the international oil [prices].

II. The Government will not increase the price of the diesel even after the imminent spurt in the international oil prices.

Ans:(c)

49.Statement: My 1st and foremost task is to beautify this city-if city 'X' and Y can do it- why can't we do it-statement of Municipal Commissioner of City 'Z' after taking over charge.

Conclusions:

I. The people of city 'Z' are not aware about the current state of their city.

II. The current commissioner has worked in city 'X' and Y and has good experience of beautifying cities.

Ans:(d)

50.Statement: Women's Organisations in India have welcomed the amendment of the Industrial Employment Rules 1946 to curb sexual harassment at the work place.

Conclusions:

I. Sexual harassment of women at work place is more prevalent in India as compared to other developed countries.

II. Many organisations in India will stop recruiting women to avoid such issues.

Ans:(d)

Directions (51-55): every of the ques. beneath consists of a ques. and 2 statements numbered I and II provided beneath it. You have to decide whether the data given in the statements numbered I and II provided beneath it. You have to decide whether the data given in the statements are

sufficient to ans the ques.. learn both the statements and -

Give ans (a) if the data in statement I alone are sufficient to ans the question, while the data in statement II alone are not sufficient to ans the ques..

Give ans (b) if the data in statement II alone are sufficient to ans the question, while, the data in statement I alone are not sufficient to ans the ques..

Give ans (c) if the data either in the statement I alone or in statement II alone are sufficient to ans the ques..

Give ans (d) if the data even in both statement I and II together are not sufficient to ans the ques..

Give ans (e) if the data in both statements I and II together are necessary to ans the ques..

::/article_text|7|photo_x::
::photo|7|photo_x:::/photo|7|photo_x::
::photo_size|7|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|7|photo_x::
::ad_unit|7|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|7|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|8|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|8|photo_x::
::article_text|8|photo_x::

51. In which direction is Ravi facing?

I. Asok is to the right of Ravi

II. Samir is sitting opposite of Asok facing north.

Ans:(d)

52. How M is related to

I. The sister of K is the mother of N who is daughter of M .

II. P is the sister of M.

Ans: (e)

53. Is D brother of T?

I. T is the sister of M and K.

II. K is the brother of D.

Ans: (d)

54. How many sons does P have?

I. S and T are brothers of M.

II. The mother of T is P who has Only 1 daughter.

Ans: (e)

55. Who is the tallest among P, Q, R, S and T?

I. R is taller than Q and T.

II. T is taller than S and P and S is taller than Q and R.

Ans: (b)

Directions (56-60) : beneath is provided a passage followed by several possible inferences which can be drawn from the fact said in the passage. You have to examine every inference separately in the situation of the passage and decide up on its degree of truth or falsity.

Mark ans (a) if the inference is "definitely true" i.e., it properly follows from the statement of facts provided.

Mark ans (b) if the inference is "probably true" though not "definitely true" in the light of the facts provided.

Mark ans (c) if the data are inadequate i.e, from the facts provided you cannot say whether the inference is likely to be actual or false.

Mark ans (d) if the inference is "probably false" in the light of the facts provided.

Mark ans (e) if the inference is "definitely false" i.e, it cannot possibly be drawn from the facts provided or it contradicts the provided facts.

With the purpose of upliftment of Gonda district in Uttar Pradesh, a new formula way evolved for practical success in several fields, such as, irrigation, animal husbandry, dairy farming, moral uplift and creation of financial resources. Small farms were clustered for irrigation by 1 diesel pump which could irrigate about 20 acres of land. Youth were prompted to take loans from the banks for purchase of engine pumps to be supplied to the farmers on rent. This formula worked so well that the villages in Gonda district were saturated with irrigation facilities. Cattle rearing was linked with multiple cropping .

Most of the targets fixed for various areas were achieved, which was an unusual phenomenon. This could be possible only because of right motivation, participation and initiative of the people. Imagination and creativity combined together helped in finding out workable solutions to the issues of the community.

56. There was no issue and complaint of people residing in entire Gonda district, before the beginning of the project.

Ans: (e)

57. Purchasing of engine pumps by individual farmers may be beyond their affordable limits.

Ans: (a)

58. Earlier farming was not basically 1 of the professions of people in Gonda district.

Ans: (e)

59. By using the identical formula upliftment of any other district is possible.

Ans: (a)

60. There are very few people who can motivate others in the right direction.

Ans: (c)

::/article_text|8|photo_x::

::photo|8|photo_x:::/photo|8|photo_x::

::photo_size|8|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|8|photo_x::

::ad_unit|8|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|8|photo_x::

::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::

::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::

::article_basic_layout|9|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|9|photo_x::

::article_text|9|photo_x::

Quantitative Aptitude

61. The difference ranging from a 2 digit number and the number found by interchanging the positions of its digits is 36. What is the difference ranging from the 2 digits of that number?

- (a) 4 (b) 9
 - (c) 3 (d) Cannot be determined
 - (e) None of these
- Ans: (a)

62. By how much is two-fifth of 200 greater than three-fifth of 125?

- (a) 15 (b) 3
 - (c) 5 (d) 30
 - (e) None of these
- Ans: (c)

63. The area of a rectangular field is 460 square metres. If the length is 15 percent more than the breadth, what is breadth of the rectangular field?

- (a) 15 metres (b) 26 metres
 - (c) 34.5 metres (d) Cannot be determined
 - (e) None of these
- Ans: (e)

64. Deepa brought a calculator with 30% discount on the listed price. Had she not got the discount, she would have paid Rs.82.50 extra. At what price did she buy the calculator?

- (a) Rs. 192.50 (b) Rs. 275
(c) Rs. 117.85 (d) Cannot be determined.
(e) None of these.

Ans: (a)

65. How many various ways can the letters of the word SOFTWARE be organized in such a way that the vowels always come together?

- (a) 13440 (b) 1440
(c) 360 (d) 120
(e) None of these

Ans: (e)

66. A motor begins with the speed of 70 kmph with its speed increase in every 2 hours by 10 kmph. In how many hours will it cover 345 Kms?

- (a) two $\frac{1}{4}$ Hours (b) four $\frac{1}{2}$ Hours
(c) four Hours five Minutes (d) Cannot be determined
(e) None of these.

Ans: (b)

67. What will be the cost of gardening one metre broad boundary around a rectangular plot having perimeter of 340 metres at the rate of Rs. 10 per Square Metre?

- (a) Rs. 3,400 (b) Rs. 1,700
(c) Rs. 3,440 (d) Cannot be determined
(e) None of these.

Ans: (c)

68. In how many various ways a group of four men and four women be formed out of seven men and eight women?

- (a) 2450 (b) 105
(c) 1170 (d) Cannot be determined
(e) None of these.

Ans: (a)

69. A certain amount earns simple interest of Rs. 1,750/- after seven years. Had the interest been 2% more, how much more interest would it have earned?

- (a) Rs. 35 (b) Rs. 350

- (c) Rs. 245 (d) Cannot be determined
(e) None of these.

Ans: (d)

::/article_text|9|photo_x::
::photo|9|photo_x:::/photo|9|photo_x::
::photo_size|9|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|9|photo_x::
::ad_unit|9|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|9|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|10|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|10|photo_x::
::article_text|10|photo_x::

70. Seats for Maths, Physics and Biology are in the ratio of 5:7:8 respectively. There is a proposal to increase these seats by 40%, 50% and 75% respectively. What will be the respective ratio of increased seats?

- (a) 2:3:4 (b) 6:7:8
(c) 6:8:9 (d) Cannot be determined
(e) None of these.

Ans: (a)

Directions (71-75): In every of these ques. a number series is provided . Only 1 number is wrong in every series. You have to obtain out the wrong number.

71. 10 15 24 35 54 75 100

- (a) 35 (b) 75
(c) 24 (d) 15
(e) 54

Ans: (a)

72. 1 3 4 7 11 18 27 47

- (a) 4 (b) 11
(c) 18 (d) 7
(e) 27

Ans: (e)

73. 3 2 3 six 12 37.5 115.5

(a) 37.5 (b) 3

(c) 6 (d) 2

(e) 12

Ans: (e)

74. 2 8 32 148 765 4626 32431

(a) 765 (b) 148

(c) 8 (d) 32

(e) 4626

Ans: (d)

75. 2 3 11 38 102 229 443

(a) 11 (b) 229

(c) 102 (d) 38

(e) 3

Ans: (b)

Directions(76-80): every of the ques. beneath consists of a ques. and 2 statements numbered I and II provided beneath it. You have to decide whether the data given in the statements are sufficient to ans the ques.. learn both he statements and-

Give ans (a) if the data in statement I alone are sufficient to ans the questions, while the data in statement II alone are not sufficient to ans the ques..

Give ans (b) if the data in statement II alone are sufficient to ans the question, while the data in statement I alone are not sufficient to ans the ques..

Give ans (c) if the data either in statement I alone or in statement II alone are sufficient to ans the ques..

Give ans (d) if the data even in both the statement I and II together are not sufficient to ans the ques..

Give ans (e) If the data in both the statements I and II together are necessary to ans the ques..

::/article_text|10|photo_x::

::photo|10|photo_x:::/photo|10|photo_x::

::photo_size|10|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|10|photo_x::

::ad_unit|10|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|10|photo_x::

::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::

::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::

::article_basic_layout|11|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|11|photo_x::
 ::article_text|11|photo_x::

76. By selling a product for Rs.100/- how much profit was earned ?

- (I) 20% profit would have been earned if it had been sold for Rs.90/-
 (II) The profit was one-third of the purchase price.

Ans: (c)

77. A train crosses a different train running in the opposite direction in x seconds. What is the speed of the train?

- (I). Both the trains are running at the identical speed .
 (II) The 1st train is y cm long.

Ans: (d)

78. The difference ranging from the 2 digits of a number is 6. What is the number ?

- (I). The digit at the unit place is bigger than the other digits .
 (II). The sum of the 2 digits is 12.

Ans: (e)

79. X, Y and Z are integers. Is X an odd number?

- (I). An odd number is found when X is divided by 5.
 (II) (X + Y) is an odd number.

Ans: (a)

80. What is the capacity of a cylindrical tank?

- (I) Radius of the base is half of its height which is 28 metres.
 (II) Area of the base is 616 sq. metres and its height is 28 metres.

Ans: (c)

Directions (81-85): Study the subsequent table to ans the provided ques..

Percentage of Marks found by 7 Students in 6 Subjects

	English		History		Computers		Maths		Sciences	
	Student		(60)		(40)		(130)		(150)	
Economics (80)	Meera	100	80		50	90	90		60	
Subodh	80	70	80	100	80	40			Kunal	90

70	60	90	70	70	Soni	60	60	65	
80	80	80	Richu	50	90	62	80	85	95
	Irene	40	60	64	70	65	85	Vijay	
80	80	35	65	50	75				

81. elaborate the total marks found by meera in all the subjects?

- (a) 448 (b) 580 (c) 470 (d) 74.67 (e) None of these

Ans: (a)

82. elaborate the avg. marks found by these 7 students in History ? (rounded off to 2 digits)

- (a) 72.86 (b) 27.32 (c) 24.86 (d) 29.14 (e) None of these

Ans: (d)

83. How many students have got 60% or more marks in all the subjects?

- (a) One (b) Two (c) Three (d) None (e) None of these

Ans: (b)

::/article_text|11|photo_x::

::photo|11|photo_x:::/photo|11|photo_x::

::photo_size|11|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|11|photo_x::

::ad_unit|11|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|11|photo_x::

::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::

::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::

::article_basic_layout|12|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|12|photo_x::

::article_text|12|photo_x::

84. What is the overall percentage of Kunal?

- (a) 64 (b) 65 (c) 75 (d) 64.24 (e) None of these

Ans: (c)

85. In which subject is the overall percentage the best?

- (a) Maths (b) Economics (c) History (d) Science (e) None of these.

Ans: (a)

Directions (86-90): obtain out the approximate value which should change the ques. mark (?) in the subsequent questions, (You are not expected to obtain out the exact value)

86. $95 \times 3.7 \div 95 \times 0.9989 = ?$

- (a) 1.9 (b) three (c) 2.99 (d) 3.6 (e) 2.7

Ans: (e)

87. $\sqrt[4]{1000} + 3.001$ of $1891.992 = ?$

- (a) 2500 (b) 1230 (c) 1640 (d) 1525 (e) 2130

Ans: (b)

88. $0.0004 \div 0.0001 \times 36.000009 = ?$

- (a) 0.10 (b) 1.45 (c) 145 (d) 14.5 (e) 1450

Ans: (e)

89. 137% of 12345 = ?

- (a) 17000 (b) 15000 (c) 1500 (d) 14300 (e) 900

Ans: (a)

90. $3739 + 164 \times 27 = ?$

- a) 105400 (b) 4000 (c) 8200 (d) 690 (e) 6300

Ans: (c)

English Language

Directions(91- 100) learn the subsequent passage to ans the provided ques.. a few words have been printed in bold to help you to locate them while answering a few of the ques..

we tend to be harsh on our bureaucracy, but nowhere do citizens enjoy dealing with their government. They do it because they have to. But that doesn't mean that the experience has to be dismal. Now there is a new wind blowing through government departments around the world, which could take a few of this pain away. In the next 5 years it may well transform not only the way public services are delivered but also the fundamental relationship ranging from government and citizens. Not surprisingly, it is the Internet that is behind it. After e-commerce and e-business, the next revolution may be e-governance.

examination plesa bound. The municipality of phoenix, Arizona, allows its citizens to renew their car registrations, pay traffic fines, change lost identity cards etc. Online without having to stand in endless queues in a grubby municipal office. The municipality is happy because it saves \$5 a transaction-it costs only \$1.60 to process an online transaction versus \$6.60 to do it across the counter. In chile, people routinely submit their income tax returns over the Internet, which has increased transparency, drastically decreased the time taken and the number of errors and litigation with the tax department. Both tax payers and the revenue department are happier.

The furthest ahead, not surprisingly, is the small, rich and entrepreneurial civil service of Singapore, which allows citizens to do more functions online than any other. As in many private companies, the purchasing and buying of Singapore's government departments is now on the web, and cost benefits come through more competitive bidding, easy access to global suppliers and time saved by online processing of orders. They can post their catalogues on their site, bid or contracts submit in voices and check their payment status over the Net.

The most useful idea for Indian municipalities is Gov works a private sector-run site that collects local taxes, fines, and utility bills for 3,600 municipalities across the United States. It is a citizen's site, which also provides info on Government jobs, tenders, etc. The most ambitious is the British Government, which has targeted to convert 100 percent of its transactions with its citizens to the internet by 2005.

Cynics in India will say, 'Oh, e-government will never work in India. We are so poor and we don't have computers.' But they are wrong! There are many experiments afoot in India as well. Citizens in Andhra Pradesh can download government forms and submit applications on the Net without having to bribe clerks. In many districts, land records are online and this has created transparency. Similarly, in Dhar district to Madhya Pradesh, villagers have begun to file applications for land transferes and follow their progress on the Net. In seventy village in the Kolhapur and Sangli district in Maharashtra, internet booths have come up where farmers can daily check the market and rates of agricultural commodities in Marathi, along with data on agricultural schemes, info on crop technology, when to spray and plant their crops and bus and railway time tables. They also obtain vocational guidance in jobs, application for ration cards, kerosene/ gas burners and a land record extracts with details of land ownership.

Sam Pitroda's World Tel, Reliance Industries and the Tamil Nadu Government are jointly laying 3000km of optic fibre cables to create a Tamil network which will offer ration cards, school College and hospital admission forms, land records, and pension records. If successful, World Tel will expand the network to Gujarat, Karnataka and West Bengal. In Kerala, all the villages are getting linked online to the district headquarters, allowing citizens to compare the development priorities of their village with other villagers in the state.

Many are still skeptical of the real impact because so few Indians have computers. The ans lies in interactive cables. TV and in Internet kiosks. Although India has only 5 million computers and thirty-eight million telephones, it has thirty-four million homes with cable TV and these are growing 8 percent a year. By 2005 most cable homes will have access to the interenel from many of the 700000 local STD/PCO Booths. Internet usage may be low today, but it is bound to grow rapidly in the future, and e-governance in India may not be a dream.

::photo|12|photo_x:::/photo|12|photo_x::
::photo_size|12|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|12|photo_x::
::ad_unit|12|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|12|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|13|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|13|photo_x::
::article_text|13|photo_x::

91. According to the passage, which country has the most ambitious plan for e-governance ?

- (a) USA (b) Chile
- (c) Singapore (c) India
- (e) UK

Ans: (c)

92. Gov Works in which of the subsequent countries ?

- (a) India (b) UK
- (c) Chile (d) Singapore
- (e) None of these

Ans: (e)

93. select the word that is opposite in meaning of the word "dismal" as used in the passage.

- (a) grim (b) approve
- (c) pleasing (d) better
- (e) enrich

Ans: (c)

94. How can India overcome low penetration of computers for e-governance ?

- (a) By manufacturing more computers
- (b) Through cable TV and Internet Kioshs
- (c) By opening more STD/ PCO booths
- (d) By making the Internet free
- (e) By putting more services on internet

Ans: (e)

95. Which of the subsequent has not been 1 of the effects of submitting income tax return over internet in chile ?

- (a) Reduction of legal cases

- (b) Reduction in errors
- (c) Increase in transparency
- (d) Increase in no. of returns
- (e) Reduction in time taken

Ans: (d)

96. select the word that is identical in meaning as the word "abound" as used in the passage.

- (a) around
- (b) proliferate
- (c) flourish
- (d) plentiful
- (e) few

Ans: (d)

97. Choose the word that is identical in the meaning as the word "post" as used in the passage

- (a) deliver
- (b) send
- (c) put up
- (d) drop out
- (e) later

Ans: (b)

98. According to the passage which country is at current the most advanced in e-governance ?

- (a) Singapore
- (b) Chile
- (c) India
- (d) USA
- (e) UK

Ans: (a)

99. In which direction is the new wind blowing ?

- (a) More and more interaction of citizens with government government through internet
- (d) Outsourcing the work of infrastructure creation for internet
- (c) Increasing the penetration of computers in rural areas
- (d) Integrating e-commerce, e- business and e-governance
- (e) Introducing e-governance programmes in schools and collages.

Ans: (a)

100. According to the passage, what is the annual growth rate of computer in India ?

Written by Web

Saturday, 27 January 2007 21:36 - Last Updated Saturday, 27 January 2007 21:36

- (a) 8% (b) 5%
(c) 0.5% (d) Not mentioned
(e) None of these

Ans: (d)

::/article_text|13|photo_x::
::photo|13|photo_x:::/photo|13|photo_x::
::photo_size|13|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|13|photo_x::
::ad_unit|13|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|13|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|14|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|14|photo_x::
::article_text|14|photo_x::

Directions (101-110): In every of the subsequent ques. 4 words are provided of which 2 words are most nearly the identical or opposite in meaning. obtain the 2 words which are most nearly the identical or opposite in meaning and indicate the number of the accurate letter combination.

101. (A) Proximate (B) Elevated (C) Nimble (D) Agile
(a) A-B (b) B-C (c) A-C (d) B-D (e) C-D

Ans: (e)

102. (A) Notion (B) Symbol (C) Concept (D) Message
(a) A-B (b) B-C (c) A-C (d) C-D (e) B-D

Ans: (e)

103. (A) Limpid (B) Luscious (C) Acrid (D) Benign
(a) A-B (b) B-C (c) C-D (d) B-D (e) A-C

Ans: (b)

104. (A) Asinine (B) Furious (C) Fortunate (D) Ridiculous
(a) A-D (b) A-B (c) A-C (d) B-C (e) B-D

Ans: (a)

105.(A) Companion (B) Amateur (C) Adept (D) Adherent
(a) B-C (b) B-D (c) C-D (d) A-B (e) A-D
Ans: (e)

106. (A) Squander (B) Disunite (C) Flicker (D) Preserve
(a) A-C (b) B-C (c) A-D (d) C-B (e) B-D
Ans: (c)

107.(A) Mitigate (B) Acquiesce (C) Relinquish (D) Duplicate
(a) A-C (b) B-D (c) A-B (d) C-D (e) B-C
Ans: (e)

::/article_text|14|photo_x::
::photo|14|photo_x:::/photo|14|photo_x::
::photo_size|14|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|14|photo_x::
::ad_unit|14|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|14|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|15|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|15|photo_x::
::article_text|15|photo_x::

108.(A) Fable (B) Legend (C) Portrayal (D) Contract
(a) A-C (b) B-C (c) B-D (d) A-B (e) C-D
Ans: (d)

109.(A) Occurrence (B) Pretence (C) Profusion (D) Extravagance
(a) B-D (b) C-D (c) B-C (d) A-C (e) A-B
Ans: (b)

110.(A) Excellent (B) Passionate (C) Apathetic (D) Discrepant
(a) A-B (b) A-C (c) A-D (d) B-C (e) C-D
Ans: (d)

Directions(111-115): Rearrange the subsequent 8 phrases (A), (B), (C), (D), (E), (F), (G) and

(H) in the proper sequence to form a worthwhile paragraph; then ans the ques. provided beneath them.

- (A) But I always felt somewhere in my mind that I loved acting
(B) He never wanted me to be an actor, as he didn't look upon theatre or acting as respectable vocation
(C) Firstly there was no tradition of theatre in my family
(D) I am talking specifically of facting, not theatre in general.
(E) My parents were old-fashioned
(F) I will ans all your queries a little elaborately
(G) Let alone theatre, arts in general had no place of respect in my family
(H) My dad was a government servant

111. Which of the subsequent will be the LAST sentence?

- (a) G (b) C (c) H (d) D (e) E

Ans. (d)

112. Which of the subsequent will be the 1st sentence?

- (a) A (b) B (c) D (d) C (e) F

Ans. (e)

113. Which of the subsequent will be the 6th sentence?

- (a) B (b) C (c) D (d) D (e) E

Ans. (a)

::/article_text|15|photo_x::
::photo|15|photo_x:::/photo|15|photo_x::
::photo_size|15|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|15|photo_x::
::ad_unit|15|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|15|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|16|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|16|photo_x::
::article_text|16|photo_x::

114. Which of the subsequent will be the 4th sentence?

- (a) D (b) E (c) A (d) B (e) G

Ans. (b)

115. Which of the subsequent will be the 3rd sentence?

(a) H (b) E (c) G (d) B (e) A

Ans. (c)

Directions (116-120) : learn every phrases to obtain out whether there is any fault in it. The error, if any, will be in 1 part of the sentence. The number of the part is the ans. If there is no error, the ans is 'e'. (Ignore errors of punctuation, if any)

116. Many animals and plants live in water (a)/ but not in the identical type of water (b)/ because not all water is the identical. (c)/ Sea water, for instance, contains a lot of salt, fresh water contains very little. (d)/ No fault (e)

Ans. (a)

117. A sparrow has made a nest in Kesho's house (a)/ and had laid eggs. Both Kesho and his sister Shyama (b)/ watched the nest for hours every day. (c)/ Even meal times were forgotten. (d)/ No fault (e)

Ans. (b)

118. A skillful advertiser may be able to create (a)/ practically a monopoly for himself. (b)/ not because his product is superior to (c)/ but because he has succeeded in inducing people to believe that it is (d)/ No fault (e)

Ans. (b)

119. Whatever may be the origin of speech, (a)/ we can be certain that man did not began (b)/ to feel the need to speak (c)/ until he began to live in communities. (d)/ No fault (e)

Ans. (b)

120. every animal of the identical species (a)/ looks for the identical sort of food. (b)/ Also, there may be other animals of various species (c)/ competing with the identical food. (d)/ No fault (e)

Ans. (e)

Directions (121-125) : Pick out the most effective pair of words from the provided pair of words to make the sentence/s meaningfully complete.

121. Of all the issues that havehuman beings since the beginning of recorded history, perhaps the most significant has been the of their own nature
(a) encountered.....importance (b) perplexed.....value
(c) questioned..... scope (d) confronted.....riddle (e) directed.....issue

Ans. (d)

122. Self-concept and self-esteem are crucial to personal and professional effectiveness because if they are not fullyI may act in mystifying and sometimes.....ways
(a) positive.....destructive (b) developed.....proactive
(c) nurtured.....reactive (d) nourished.....listless (e) devised.....vulnerable

Ans. (c)

::/article_text|16|photo_x::
::photo|16|photo_x:::/photo|16|photo_x::
::photo_size|16|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|16|photo_x::
::ad_unit|16|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|16|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|17|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|17|photo_x::
::article_text|17|photo_x::

123. A key factor in.....an effective and fulfilling life in our complex society is the ability to.....control over our actions.

(a) achieving.....exert (b) obtaining.....energize (c) projecting.....restrain
(d) providing.....admonish (e) expressing.....withhold

Ans. (a)

124. A theory is.....evaluated to the degree that its concepts.....to themselves

a verification by independent investigators

- (a) critically.....pertain (b) positively.....lend (c)
obviously.....yield

- (d) alarmingly.....introduce (e) delightfully.....submit

Ans. (a)

125. It is often thethat everyone agrees about objectives; the disagreement.....about exactly how they are to be achieved

- (a) view.....follows (b) situation.....talks (c)
matter.....projects

- (d) happening.....matters (e) case.....arises

Ans. (e)

Directions (126-130) : Which of the phrases (a), (b), (c) and (d) provided beneath should change the phrase provided in bold in the subsequent sentence grammatically accurate.. If the sentence is accurate as it is & no correction is required, mark (e) as the ans.

126. He went to the blast site to save his colleague who was stranding there

- (a) had been stranded (b) had to strand (c) was being stranding (d) was been stranding (e)
No correction needed

Ans. (a)

127. When I receive the letter, the date for the interview was already over

- (a) I received the letter (b) the letter I had received (c) I had to receive letter (d) I was
receiving

- (e) No Correction needed

Ans. (a)

128. Everyone is requested to attend the dinner party hosted by the president

- (a) is requesting to (b) is requested to (c) will request to (d) is to requested to (e) No
correction needed

Ans. (e)

129. The chairman approved the recommendations to the committee with partial changes

(a) by the committee for (b) of the committee with (c) to the committee (d) at the committee in

(e) No correction needed

Ans. (b)

130. Had the opportunity been provided to him he will have proved successful

(a) will have to prove (b) will be proving (c) would have proved (d) would have proven
(e) No correction needed

Ans. (c)

(Directions 131-140) : In the subsequent passage there are blanks every of which has been numbered. These numbers are printed beneath the passage and against every 5 words are suggested, 1 of which fits the blank appropriately. obtain out, the improper word in every case.

::/article_text|17|photo_x::

::photo|17|photo_x:::/photo|17|photo_x::

::photo_size|17|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|17|photo_x::

::ad_unit|17|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|17|photo_x::

::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::

::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::

::article_basic_layout|18|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|18|photo_x::

::article_text|18|photo_x::

In an upper class drawing room in Murrnbai, a dozen or so (131) the city's intelligentsia is (132) on the dregs of what was a live-wire party an hour ago. Poets, editors, writers, filmmakers, all card-carrying members of the rich and powerful, not at this late hour, on their 9th drink, are (133) in what Indians are best known to do: Media-bashing, armchair criticism and name-calling.

Inevitably the talk turns to Tehelka, and its managing director and editor-in-chief, Tarun Tejpal, and the party quickly degenerates into an orgy of guilt and shame and that peculiar habit of the Indian intelligentsia : passing the buck, with every 1 current attacking his neighbour for not supporting Tejpal more. It is a trait Tejpal is (134) with and has been telling me about in the weeks preceding this interview.

"Often at parties when someone (135) me 'great job, carry on what you are doing', and showers with me staggering praise, staggering love, staggering (136) just smile and let it pass

as i don't want to score a brownie point and say, 'and what about your boss, what will you do?'"

This lightly-tossed sentence with the slightest hint of a dark chuckie is the only time I have been Tejpal allow for bitterness, though I have been (137) him for weeks for sings of it. Because for a man who has been the victim of the most (138) government witch-hunts in latest years, Tejpal is atonishingly devoid of (139) . You expect him to rage, to spew fire, to heap scorn and anger at his enemies, and instead, what you encounter, is a man in whose eyes you see only compassion and a weary understanding of the nature of the beast.

The abiding irony in all this is that unlike his armchair supporters in the middle class, who rave and rant on his behalf, but do nothing else, Tejpal displays forbearance. " The fact that I am essentially a literary animal and that my entire sensibility has been shaped by literature has helped. I'm not a black-and-white person. I'm a (140) who understand the greys", he says to me at a coffee shop, over tea.

131. (a) of (b) in (c) into (d) off (e) from

132. (a) feed (b) feeds (c) fed (d) feeding (e) feeded

133. (a) mixing (b) lending (c) scaring (d) indulging (e) pushing

134. (a) ordinary (b) familiar (c) strange (d) free (e) routine

135. (a) bold (b) said (c) ask (d) say (e) tells

136. (a) delight (b) contempt (c) worship (d) affection (e) admiration

137. (a) lure (b) teasing (c) baiting (d) harassing (e) matching

::/article_text|18|photo_x::
::photo|18|photo_x:::/photo|18|photo_x::
::photo_size|18|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|18|photo_x::
::ad_unit|18|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|18|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|19|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|19|photo_x::
::article_text|19|photo_x::

138. (a) gentle (b) good (c) various (d) vicious (e) wicked

139. (a) forbearance (b) anger (c) wrath (d) forgiveness (e) gale

140. (a) boy (b) guy (c) youth (d) humanbeing (e) follow

General Awareness

141. On which of the subsequent dates was the National Centre for Promotion of Employment for Disabled People-Shell Helen Keller Awards-2007 presented?

(a) December 1, 2007 (b) December 2, 2007 (c) December 3, 2007 (d) December 4, 2007
(e) None of these

Ans. (b)

142. The nuclear power plant of 220 MW which was recommissioned on December 2, 2007, after 'en-ass coolant channel replacement (EMCCR)' is _____

(a) Kalpakam (b) Kota (c) Narora (d) Rawatbhatta (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

143. The former South African cricketer who, on December 4, 2007 signed two-year contract

with Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) coach the Indian cricket team is

(a) Boeta Dippenar (b) Jack Russel (c) Allan Donald (d) Gary Kirsten (e) None of these

Ans. (d)

144. Which of the subsequent Indian cities hosted the East Asia Gender Equality Ministerial Meeting, in December 2007, attended by ministerial level representatives from several countries and different United Nations agencies?

(a) New Delhi (b) Chennai (c) Kolkata (d) Mumbai (e) None of these

Ans. (a)

145. South Africa's former Deputy President who, on December 19, 2007 defeated Thabo Mbeki, to become the new President on African National Congress, at a party conference the northern town of Polokwane is

(a) Susan Booyen (b) Nelson Zulahe (c) Jacob Zuma (d) Momir Williams Junior (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

146. Which of the subsequent countries, for the 1st time, attended a summit the 6 Arab countries belonging the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) in Doha, Qatar, in December 2007?

(a) Egypt (b) Syria (c) Iran (d) Iraq (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

::/article_text|19|photo_x::
::photo|19|photo_x:::/photo|19|photo_x::
::photo_size|19|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|19|photo_x::
::ad_unit|19|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|19|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|20|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|20|photo_x::
::article_text|20|photo_x::

147. United Russia which won the Russian Parliamentary elections in December 2007, captured _____ seats the 450-seat Duma, the Lower House of Russia's Parliament.

(a) 290 (b) 315 (c) 367 (d) 410 (e) None of these

Ans. (b)

148. The 4300-year-old Chinese oil capital of China's oldest Liangzhu Culture, which was dug up by archaeologists in December 2007 is located in eastern China's _____ province

- (a) Fujian (b) Zhejiang (c) Anhui (d) Jiangsu (e) None of these

Ans. (b)

149. With which of the subsequent companies did Reliance Industries, on December 4, 2007 sign a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for joint-co-operation in Petrochemicals?

- (a) Oil India Ltd (b) Indian Oil Corporation (c) GAIL (India) Ltd (d) Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd

- (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

150. The Central Government, in December 2007, allowed _____ based Dolce & Gabbana and India's realty firm DLF to set up a joint venture in single brand retailing of lifestyle products

- (a) Italy (b) France (c) Britain (d) USA (e) None of these

Ans. (a)

151. Which of the subsequent companies, on December 4, 2007 signed a 'large Account Reseller Agreement' with Microsoft Corporation India to give integrated technology solution to Indian enterprises?

- (a) Dell (b) Lenovo (c) Compaq (d) Toshiba (e) None of these

Ans. (a)

152. Which of the subsequent Indian Companies, in December 2007, opened 160 stores to its specialty beauty, health and wellness retail business subsidiary, H & B Stores, under the new brandname "new-u"?

- (a) Reliance (b) Dabur (c) Unilever (d) Subhiksha (e) None of these

Ans. (b)

153. Whom did Neha Aggarwal of Delhi beat in the finals to win the youth girls' crown in the national youth and junior table tennis championship in indore on December 21, 2007?

- (a) Madhurika Patkar (b) Ashelsha Bodas (c) Priti Mokashi (d) Pooja Sahasrabudhe (e) None of these

Ans. (d)

154. The tennis player from Andhra Pradesh who, on December 22, 2007, beat Divji Sharan of Delhi, to win the men's singles title in the 2007 National grasscourt championship in Kolkata is :

- (a) J. Vishnu Vardhan (b) Vinod Sridhar (c) V. M. Ranjeeth (d) N. Sriram Balaji (e) None of these

Ans. (a)

::/article_text|20|photo_x::
::photo|20|photo_x:::/photo|20|photo_x::
::photo_size|20|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|20|photo_x::
::ad_unit|20|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|20|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|21|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|21|photo_x::
::article_text|21|photo_x::

155. The 30-year-old Armyman from Maharashtra who, on December 23, 2007 won the men's event in the Mawana Sugars Indian Open Marathon in New Delhi is _____

- (a) Angad Kumar (b) Rashpal Singh (c) Satya Prakesh (d) Birender Singh Chahar
(e) None of these

Ans. (c)

156. Which of the subsequent countries in December 2007, won the Davis Cup (tennis) in Portland (U. S.) after a long gap of twelve years?

- (a) Russia (b) United States of America (c) Sweden (d) Germany (e) None of these

Ans. (b)

157. Miss Angola who came 1st runner-up in the Miss World 2007 pageant held in Sanya, China, in December 2007 is

- (a) Moran Gordillo (b) Micaela Reis (c) Sandy Dudette (d) Adyshe Barbara (e) None of these

Ans. (b)

158. Which of the subsequent South American Countries on December 1, 2007 threatened to halt the OPEC nation's oil sales to the United States is

- (a) Venezuela (b) Peru (c) Chile (d) Brazil (e) None of these

Ans. (a)

159. The renowned sitar maestro of Dharwad, contemporary of the legendry Hindustani vocalist the late Ustad Abdul Kareem Khan Saheb, who passed away in Belgaum on December 2, 2007 is _____

- (a) Maznoo Mia (b) Allah Rakha Khan (c) Bale Khan (d) Aftab Rasool (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

160. Who was elected President of the Ramakrishna Math and Mission at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Match and the governing body of Mission in Kolkata on December 3, 2007?

- (a) Atmasthananda (b) Ramananda (c) Parmananda (d) Vijnananada (e) None of these

Ans. (a)

161. The Executive Director of the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria, who on December 20, 2007 renewed its grant to India, worth more than \$ 100 million for the next 3 years till 2010 is _____

- (a) Michael Kazatchleine (b) Francois Dippennar (c) Alex Mulromy (d) Deniel Mozart (e) None of these

Ans. (a)

162. "Hand-in-Hand 2007" the first-ever joint Sino-Indian anti-terrorism training exercise was held at the Kuming Military academy in China in December 2007. Kuming is the capital of south-western _____ province

- (a) Hunan (b) Yunnan (c) Shandong (d) Zheziang (e) None of these

Ans. (b)

::/article_text|21|photo_x::

::photo|21|photo_x:::/photo|21|photo_x::

::photo_size|21|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|21|photo_x::

::ad_unit|21|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|21|photo_x::

::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::
::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::
::article_basic_layout|22|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|22|photo_x::
::article_text|22|photo_x::

163. The ten-year old Indian boy who, in December 2007, emerged as the youngest champion in the history of 'Junior Mastermind; a BBC Quiz show is _____

- (a) Swapnil Shankar (b) Madhav Prasoon (c) David Varghese (d) Krishna Routrey
(e) None of these

Ans. (c)

164. Bharatiya Janata Party came back to power for the consecutive _____ time in Gujarat on December 23, 2007 the day when the outcome of the Assembly elections were declared?

- (a) second (b) third (c) fourth (d) fifth (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

165. Whom did Nick Clegg change to become the new leader of Great Britain's Liberal Democratic Party in London on December 18, 2007?

- (a) Richard Keen (b) Marshall Daniel (c) Menzies Champbell (d) Alistaire Harrod (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

166. Right-wing South Korean businessman who, on December 19, 2007 defeated left-of-centre Chung Dong-young to become the new President of South Korea is

- (a) Kim Yoon-Ok (b) Lee Myung-bak (c) Ahn Sang-sao (d) Mile Jen-foo (e) None of these

Ans. (b)

167. An earthquake of 6.8 manitude on the Richter scale struck New Zealand's North Island on December 20, 2007 causing massive damage in the city of _____

- (a) Auckland (b) Hamilton (c) Napier (d) Gisborne (e) None of these

Ans. (d)

168. The passport-for Schengen Area of Europe saw its biggest-ever enlargement on December 21, 2007 when _____ new European Union (E. U.) members began to

implement the Schengen Agreement

- (a) five (b) seven (c) nine (d) eleven (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

169. GE Energy, on December 21, 2007 bagged its largest order for supply of Jenbacher gas engines to support a major rural electrification initiative in

- (a) Kenya (b) Bangladesh (c) Somalia (d) Ecuador (e) None of these

Ans. (b)

170. In December 2007, Nasdaq opened an office in the Asian capital-city of _____ aimed at stepping up efforts at attracting more firms to list on the exchange and forging deeper ties with bourses and regulators

- (a) Seoul (b) Tokyo (c) Beijing (d) Manila (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

171. In which of the subsequent capital cities, of Gulf Cooperation Council countries, did Union Bank of India open its representative office in December 2007?

- (a) Riyadh (b) Doha (c) Kuwait City (d) Abu Dhabi (e) None of these

Ans. (d)

::/article_text|22|photo_x::

::photo|22|photo_x:::/photo|22|photo_x::

::photo_size|22|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|22|photo_x::

::ad_unit|22|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|22|photo_x::

::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::

::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::

::article_basic_layout|23|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|23|photo_x::

::article_text|23|photo_x::

172. The _____ based Prudential Finance (INC (PFI), on December 4, 2007 announced an asset management joint venture with real estate giant DLF with which it already has a life insurance partnership

- (a) Canada (b) U. S. A. (c) South Africa (d) Singapore (e) None of these

Ans. (b)

173. Which of the subsequent teams was defeated by Chennai Superstars to win the ICL

(Indian Cricket League) Twenty-20 final in Panchkula on December 16, 2007?

- (a) Chandigarh Lions (b) Kolkata Tigers (c) Hyderabad Heroes (d) Delhi Jets
(e) None of these

Ans. (a)

174. Who, among the subsequent golfers, won the Target World Challenge Cup in Thousand Oaks on December 16, 2007?

- (a) Zach Johnson (b) Lee Westwood (c) Tiger Woods (d) Henrik Stenson (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

175. The American cyclist, stripped of his 2006 Tour de France title for doping, who was banned from all competitions in France by the country's anti-doping agency AFLD, on December 19, 2007 is _____

- (a) Fabio Lefebore (b) John Carragher (c) Desmond Capello (d) Floyd Landis
(e) None of these

Ans. (d)

176. Whom did Zubin Kumar beat in the finals to win the youth boys' crown in the National youth and junior table tennis championship in Indore on December 21, 2007?

- (a) Devesh Karia (b) G. Sathiyam (c) Raj Mondal (d) Satyajit Prasanna (e) None of these

Ans. (a)

177. The French Minister for Foreign and European Affairs who visited India in December 2007 to prepare the ground for French President Nicolas Sarkozy's visit in January 2008 is

- (a) Bernard Kouchner (b) Andrei Strahler (c) William Tarbuck (d) Philip Randell
(e) None of these

Ans. (a)

178. Hollywood star in box-office hits like 'Monster-in-Law', fitness guru and activist who turned seventy years old on December 21, 2007 is _____

- (a) Olivia Silverstone (b) Lisa Marigold (c) Jane Fonda (d) Elizabeth Turner (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

179. Which of the subsequent countries on December 23, 2007 conclude the annual central rural work conference with a pledge to improve rural infrastructure, promote stable development of agriculture and facilitate a sustained income growth for farmers in the year 2008?

- (a) Brazil (b) China (c) Canada (d) Argentina (e) None of these

Ans. (b)

::/article_text|23|photo_x::

::photo|23|photo_x:::/photo|23|photo_x::

::photo_size|23|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|23|photo_x::

::ad_unit|23|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|23|photo_x::

::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::

::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::

::article_basic_layout|24|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|24|photo_x::

::article_text|24|photo_x::

180. The former British Prime Minister who, in December 2007, was welcomed into Britain's Catholic community after his/ her conversion to the the Catholic Church is_____

- (a) John Major (b) Margaret Thatcher (c) Rowan Williams (d) Tony Blair (e)

None of these

Ans. (d)

181. After 16 months of marathon hearing the inquiry into the 1985 Kanishka bombing ended in Toronto on December 13, 2007. The bombing of the Air India flight killed _____ people

- (a) 117 (b) 233 (c) 329 (d) 409 (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

182. Which of the subsequent countries, on December 17, 2007, expressed its interest in investments by Indian corporates for construction and promotion of budget hotels in the island nation?

- (a) Sri Lanka (b) Mauritius (c) Maldives (d) Tuvalu (e) None of these

Ans. (a)

183. The former managing editor of SAGE India and longtime Doordarshan news learner who died in Landour (above Mussorie) on December 16, 2007 is

- (a) Pakaj Singh (b) Rajesh Sharma (c) Mohanlal Chaturvedi (d) Tajeshwar

Singh (e) None of these

Ans. (d)

184. The editor of Jaipur-based monthly journal, "Sharad Krishi" who was on December 18, 2007 presented the prestigious Atmaram Prize for developing scientific and tech. literature in Hindi is

- (a) Mahendra Madhup (b) Anupam Shrivastava (c) Dhirendra Singh Parmar (d) Gaurav Bainsala (e) None of these

Ans. (a)

185. The Supreme Court of _____ sentenced the former President, Alberto . K. Fujimori, on December 11, 2007 sentenced the former President K. Fujimori to 6 years in prison for ordering an illegal search as his government was collapsing in 2000

- (a) Chile (b) Peru (c) Colombia (d) Mexico (e) None of these

Ans. (b)

186. The United States and China, in December 2007, held the Sino-U. S. Strategic Economic Dialogue (SED) in

- (a) Beijing (b) New York (c) Oslo (d) Seattle (e) None of these

Ans. (a)

187. Thousands of workers in which of the subsequent countries, on December 15, 2007 march through the national capital to protest against the pressures on life and fuel and food prices due to the failure of the political leaders to form a government after the June 2007 general elections?

- (a) Slovakia (b) Czech Republic (c) Romania (d) Belgium (e) None of these

Ans. (d)

::/article_text|24|photo_x::

::photo|24|photo_x:::/photo|24|photo_x::

::photo_size|24|photo_x::Full::/photo_size|24|photo_x::

::ad_unit|24|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|24|photo_x::

::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::

::jseblod_photo_x::photo_x::/jseblod_photo_x::

::article_basic_layout|25|photo_x::Left::/article_basic_layout|25|photo_x::

::article_text|25|photo_x::

Written by Web

Saturday, 27 January 2007 21:36 - Last Updated Saturday, 27 January 2007 21:36

188. The well-known British born science fiction author and writer of the book "2001 : A Space Odyssey" who was honoured by the Sri Lankan government, on December 16, 2007 for his contribution to the world of space exploration is_____

- (a) Daniel Bald (b) Arthur Clarke (c) Anthony Cordesman (d) Boris Schlesinger
(e) None of these

Ans. (b)

189. Which of the subsequent car companies in India announced a special savings scheme_____ 'Happy Customer Offer' - in December 2007?

- (a) Maruti Suzuki (b) Tata (c) Ford (d) Hyundai (e) None of these

Ans. (a)

190. The 11th Plan Document approved by the National Development Council (NDC) on December 19, 2007 envisages a growth of _____ percent during 2001-12 the terminal year of plan period.

- (a) Eight (b) Nine (c) Ten (d) Eleven (e) None of these

Ans. (c)

::/article_text|24|photo_x::
::photo|24|photo_x:::/photo|24|photo_x::
::photo_size|24|photo_x::Half::/photo_size|24|photo_x::
::ad_unit|24|photo_x::Large_Rectangle_All_336x280::/ad_unit|24|photo_x::
::jseblodend_photo_x:::/jseblodend_photo_x::

::attachment:::/attachment::

::jseblodend:::/jseblodend::