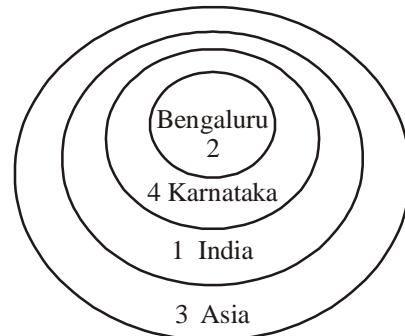


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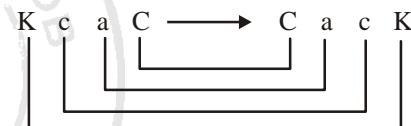
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3	(4)	28	(2)	53	(2)	78	(2)
4	(1)	29	(2)	54	(1)	79	(2)
5	(1)	30	(1)	55	(1)	80	(3)
6	(2)	31	(2)	56	(1)	81	(3)
7	(2)	32	(3)	57	(1)	82	(2)
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19	(1)	44	(3)	69	(1)	94	(3)
20	(4)	45	(3)	70	(4)	95	(2)
21	(2)	46	(4)	71	(1)	96	(2)
22	(3)	47	(3)	72	(3)	97	(2)
23	(1)	48	(2)	73	(4)	98	(2)
24	(3)	49	(1)	74	(3)	99	(4)
25	(4)	50	(2)	75	(2)	100	(4)

1. (3) The meaningful order of the given words are given below.

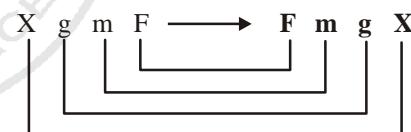


\Rightarrow Asia \rightarrow India \rightarrow Karnataka \rightarrow Bengaluru $\Rightarrow 3, 1, 4, 2$

2. (3) As,



Similarly,

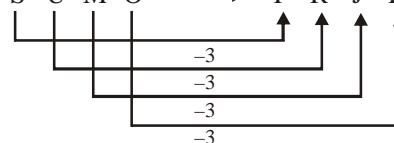


3. (4) As, feminine is the gender of female. Similarly, masculine is the gender of male.

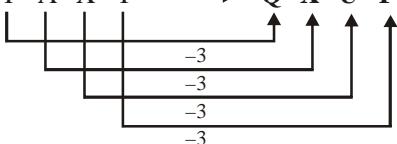
4. (1) As, $\frac{42}{2} - 1 = 21 - 1 = 20$

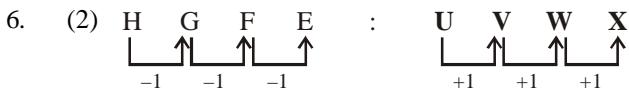
Similarly, $\frac{64}{2} - 1 = 32 - 1 = \boxed{31}$

5. (1) As, S U M O \longrightarrow P R J L



Similarly, T A X I \longrightarrow Q X U F





It is clear that all are different, except 'UVWX'.

7. (2) Except 36, there is no perfect square of any number.

8. (1) $(82, 29) \Rightarrow 8+2 \neq 2+9 \Rightarrow 10 \neq 11$

$(45, 18) \Rightarrow 4+5 = 1+8 = 9 = 9$

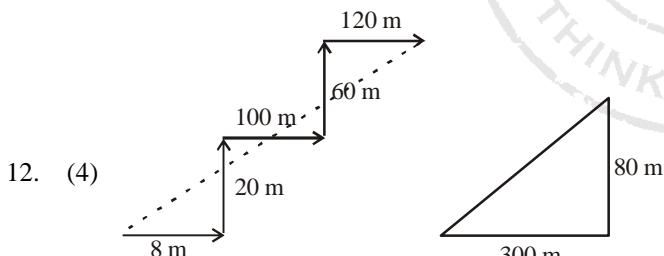
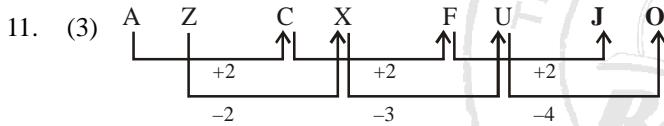
$(36, 27) \Rightarrow 3+6 = 2+7 = 9 = 9$

$(23, 14) \Rightarrow 2+3 = 1+4 = 5 = 5$

Clearly $(82, 29)$ is different from another.

9. (2) Except 'Fast' all words have silent letters.

10. (2) $6 + \sqrt{216} = 6 + 6 = 12$
 $7 + \sqrt{343} = 7 + 7 = 14$
 $8 + \sqrt{512} = 8 + 8 = 16$
 $9 + \sqrt{729} = 9 + 9 = 18$
 $\boxed{10 + \sqrt{1000}} = 10 + 10 = 20$



$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{(300)^2 + (80)^2} = 310.48$$

13. (4) As, $F \rightarrow 21 \Rightarrow 2+1=3$

$A \rightarrow 26 \Rightarrow 2+6=8$

$D \rightarrow 23 \Rightarrow 2+3=5$

$E \rightarrow 22 \Rightarrow 2+2=4$

$\Rightarrow 3854$

Similarly,

$G \rightarrow 20 \Rightarrow 2+0=2$

$A \rightarrow 26 \Rightarrow 2+6=8$

$G \rightarrow 20 \Rightarrow 2+0=2$

$E \rightarrow 22 \Rightarrow 2+2=4$

$\Rightarrow 2824$

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14. (2) From the given series,

$a = 9$ and $d = 5 - 9 = -4$

Then, 20th number of the series.

$$\Rightarrow 9 + (20 - 1) \times (-4) = 9 - 76 = -67$$

15. (4) $16 Q 12 P 6 R 5 S 4 = ?$

$? = 16 \times 12 \div 6 + 5 - 4$

$= 16 \times 2 + 5 - 4 = 32 + 1 = 33$

16. (4) As, in $(72, 66, 96)$, each number is divisible by 11.

17. (3) According to the dictionary, the order of the words is

3. Nautical

4. Naval

2. Navigate

1. Necessary

$$\Rightarrow 3, 4, 2, 1$$

18. (1) According to the dictionary, the order of the words is
2. Rain

1. Range

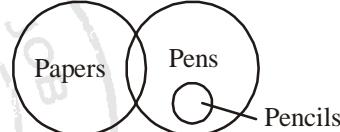
4. Ranger

3. Rein

$$\Rightarrow 2, 1, 4, 3$$

19. (1) $46 - 22 = 24$

20. (4) According to the statements,



Conclusions: I. (✓) II. (✓)

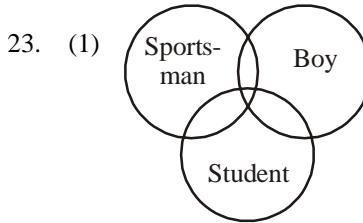
It is clear that, both conclusion I and II follow.

- From the option (2),

Putting, $? = 4$

$$135 + 246 + 319 + 174 = 874$$

22. (3) Answer figure (3) will complete the pattern in the question figure.



It is clear that figure (1) will best represent the 'relationship'.

24. (3)

25. (4)

51. (1) Given that, $\frac{a}{b} + \frac{b}{a} = 2$

$$a^2 + b^2 = 2ab, a^2 + b^2 - 2ab = 0$$

$$(a-b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab, a - b = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 - 2ab}$$

$$a - b = \sqrt{0}, a - b = 0$$

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52. (3) Equivalent to a single discount of successive discount

$$= \left(A + B - \frac{A \times B}{100} \right) = \left(20 + 10 - \frac{20 \times 10}{100} \right) = (30 - 2) = 28\%$$

53. (2) Average expenses of first 5 months = Rs. 1200

Average expenses of next 7 months = Rs. 1300

Saving of twelve months = Rs. 2900

So, the total expenses of first 5 months = Rs. 6000

and total expenses of next 7 months = Rs. 9100

Sum of twelve months = Rs. 15100

Saving of twelve months = Rs. 2900

Therefore, the total income of twelve months

$$= 15100 + 2900 = \text{Rs. } 18000$$

Hence, the monthly income of a man

$$= \frac{18000}{12} = \text{Rs. } 1500$$

54. (1) Each interior angle of regular polygon

$$= \left(\frac{n-2}{n} \right) \times 180 = \left(\frac{6-2}{6} \right) \times 180 = \frac{4}{6} \times 180 = 120^\circ$$

55. (1) Let $0.\overline{3939} = \frac{p}{q} = \frac{3939 - 39}{9900} = \frac{3900}{9900} = \frac{39}{99} = \frac{13}{33}$

56. (1) Let $CP = C$ and the quantity of sugar on profit on 8% = x kg

According to the question,

108% of $x \times C + 118\% \text{ of } (1000 - x) \times C = 114\% \text{ of } 1000 \times C$

$$\Rightarrow 108 \times C + 118000C - 118 \times C = 114000C$$

$$\Rightarrow 118000C - 1000 \times 114C = 118 \times C - 108 \times C$$

$$\Rightarrow 4000C = 10 \times C \Rightarrow x = \frac{4000}{10} = 400$$

Hence, required quantity = 400 kg

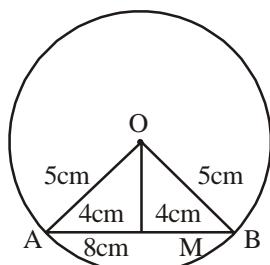
57. (1) LCM of 8, 12, 16 = 48

Hence, the required number

$= 48 \times n + 3$, divisible by 7

$= 48 \times 3 + 3 = 147$, divisible by 7 [Let $n = 3$]

58. (3)



$$AB = 8 \text{ cm}, AM = \frac{8}{2} = 4 \text{ cm}$$

In right triangle OMA,

$$(OM)^2 = (OA)^2 - (AM)^2 = (5)^2 - (4)^2 = 25 - 16 = 9$$

$$OM = 3 \text{ cm}$$

59. (2) Selling price of watch = Rs. 720

Loss = 25%

Let the cost price of watch = Rs. x

$$(100 - 25)\% \text{ of } x = 720$$

$$125\% \text{ of } x = \frac{125 \times 720}{75} = \text{Rs. } 1200$$

60. (2) Ratio of efficiency of A and B = 3 : 1

Ratio of time of A and B = 1 : 3

$$\text{Work done by A and B in one day} = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{3x} = \frac{4}{3x} \text{ part}$$

$$\text{Work done by A and B in 9 days} = \frac{9 \times 4}{3x} = \frac{12}{x} \text{ part}$$

$$\text{As per condition, } \frac{2}{5} = \frac{12}{x} \Rightarrow x = 30$$

Hence, B will do that work in $30 \times 3 = 90$ days.

Every real number is rational and irrational number.

62. (3) $\sqrt{y} = 4x$

$$(\sqrt{y})^2 = (4x)^2 \quad (\text{squaring both sides})$$

$$y = 16x^2, \frac{x^2}{y} = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$63. (4) \frac{9}{\csc^2 \theta} + 4 \cos^2 \theta + \frac{5}{1 + \tan^2 \theta}$$

$$= \frac{9 \sin^2 \theta}{1} + 4 \cos^2 \theta + \frac{5}{1 + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta}}$$

$$= 9 \sin^2 \theta + 4 \cos^2 \theta + \frac{5 \cos^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta}$$

$$= 9 \sin^2 \theta + 4 \cos^2 \theta + 5 \cos^2 \theta = 9 \sin^2 \theta + 9 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$= 9(\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta) = 9(1) = 9$$

64. (3) Let the principle amount be $10x$ and interest = $3x$

$$\text{Simple interest} = \frac{PTR}{100} \Rightarrow 3x = \frac{100x \times 5 \times R}{100}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{300}{50} = R$$

65. (4) $\frac{x}{y} = \frac{a+2}{a-2}, \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} = ?$

$$\text{Let } \frac{x}{y} = \frac{a+2}{a-2} = k$$

$$\therefore x = (a+2)k \text{ and } y = (a-2)k$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} \\ &= \frac{k^2 \left[(a+2)^2 - (a-2)^2 \right]}{k^2 \left[(a+2)^2 + (a-2)^2 \right]} = \frac{a^2 + 4 + 4a - a^2 + 4a - 4}{a^2 + 4 + 4a + a^2 + 4 - 4a} \\ &= \frac{8a}{2a^2 + 8} = \frac{2 \times 4a}{2(a^2 + 4)} = \frac{4a}{a^2 + 4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, the required answer} = \frac{4a}{a^2 + 4}$$

66. (1) $\tan \theta + \sec \theta = 3 \Rightarrow \sec \theta + \tan \theta = 3$

$$\frac{1}{\cos \theta} + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = 3 \Rightarrow \frac{1 + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = 3$$

$$1 + \sin \theta = 3 \cos \theta, (1 + \sin \theta)^2 = (3 \cos \theta)^2$$

$$1 + \sin^2 \theta + 2 \sin \theta = 9 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$1 + \sin^2 \theta + 2 \sin \theta = 9(1 - \sin^2 \theta)$$

$$\sin^2 \theta + 9 \sin^2 \theta + 2 \sin \theta = 9 - 1,$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 \sin^2 \theta + 2 \sin \theta = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 \sin^2 \theta + 2 \sin \theta - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 \sin^2 \theta + 10 \sin \theta - 8 \sin \theta - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 \sin \theta (\sin \theta + 1) - 8(\sin \theta + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\sin \theta + 1)(10 \sin \theta - 8) \Rightarrow 10 \sin \theta = 8, \sin \theta = \frac{8}{10}$$

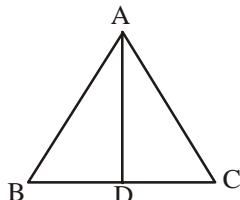
$$\therefore 5 \sin \theta = \frac{5 \times 8}{10} = 4$$

67. (1) $\frac{(10)^{100}}{(5)^{75}} = \frac{(2 \times 5)^{100}}{5^{75}} = \frac{2^{100} \times 5^{100}}{5^{75}}$

$$= 2^{100} \times 5^{100-75} = 2^{100} \times 5^{25}$$

$$= 2^{75} \times 2^{25} \times 5^{25} = 2^{75} \times (10)^{25}$$

68. (4)



We know that, if $AD \perp BC$, then

$$AD^2 = BD \times DC, \angle A = 90^\circ$$

69. (1) $x = a(b-c), y = b(c-a), z = c(a-b)$

$$\frac{x}{a} = b-c; \frac{y}{b} = c-a; \frac{z}{c} = a-b$$

$$\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = b-c+c-a+a-b; \frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 0$$

$$\therefore \left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^3 + \left(\frac{y}{b}\right)^3 + \left(\frac{z}{c}\right)^3 = 3 \times \frac{x}{a} \times \frac{y}{b} \times \frac{z}{c} = \frac{3xyz}{abc}$$

70. (4) If $x = y = z$, then $\frac{x+y+z}{x^2+y^2+z^2} = \frac{(3x)^2}{3x^2} = \frac{9x^2}{3x^2} = 3$

71. (1) Production of Company D = 2700
Production of Company A = 1500
So, the required value = $1500 \times h = 2700$

$$\therefore h = \frac{2700}{1500} = 1.8 \text{ times}$$

72. (3) Production of Company A = 1500
Demand of Company A = 3000

$$\text{Surplus production} = 3000 - 1500 = 1500$$

In this case the most suitable company is D because its difference of production and demand = 1500

$$\text{The required ratio} = 3 : 2$$

73. (4) The average demand of all companies

$$= \frac{3000 + 600 + 2500 + 1200 + 3300}{5} = \frac{10600}{5} = 2120$$

The average demand of all companies

$$= \frac{1500 + 1800 + 1000 + 2700 + 2000}{5} = \frac{9200}{5} = 1840$$

So, the required difference = $2120 - 1840 = 280$

75. (2) $x\% \text{ of C's demand} = \text{Demand of B}$

$$2500 \times \frac{x}{100} = 600 \Rightarrow x = \frac{600 \times 100}{2500} = 24$$

Hence, $x = 24$