

SSC CGL T-I Similar Paper (Held on 25 Sep 2025 S3) - English

Q1. Which mathematical signs should come in place of A and B to make the equation correct?

$$18 A 6 B 3 = 36$$

- (a) + and $\times$
- (b) $\times$ and -
- (c) - and $\times$
- (d) + and -

Ans.(a)

Q2. In the word "EDUCATION", if we assign even numbers to vowels (2, 4, 6, 8, ...), what is the sum of all vowel values?

- (a) 20
- (b) 24
- (c) 30
- (d) 28

Ans.(c)

Q3. An amount of ₹9,600 is invested at a simple interest rate of 12% per annum. What will be the total amount received after 3 years?

- (a) ₹9,600
- (b) ₹9,680
- (c) ₹9,720
- (d) ₹10,000

Ans.(b)

Q4. Pointing to a photograph, Neha said, "This is the daughter of my mother's only son." How is the person related to Neha?

- (a) Sister
- (b) Daughter
- (c) Niece
- (d) Neha herself

Ans.(c)

Q5. What comes next in the sequence AB, FG, KL, PO, ...?

- (a) UV
- (b) VW
- (c) UW
- (d) VT

Ans.(a)

Q6. Identify the odd one out.

- (a) Chennai
- (b) Hyderabad
- (c) Kanpur
- (d) Singapore

Ans.(d)



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Q7. P is the son of Q. Q is the sister of R. How is P related to R?

- (a) Aunt
- (b) Uncle
- (c) Nephew
- (d) Sister

Ans.(c)

Q8. Statement:

1. All teachers are educated.
2. No uneducated person is respected.

Conclusions:

- I. All teachers
- II. No educate

- (a) Only I follow
- (b) Only II follow
- (c) Both I and II follow
- (d) Neither I nor II follow

Ans.(b)

Q9. Complete

2, 5, 11, 23, ?

- (a) 45
- (b) 46
- (c) 47
- (d) 48

Ans.(c)

Q10. If "CHAIR" is coded as 3-18-9-8-3-18, how will "RICHA" be coded?

- (a) 18-9-3-8-18-3
- (b) 9-18-8-3-18-9
- (c) 18-9-8-3-18-9
- (d) 1-3-8-9-18-9

Ans.(a)

Q11. If GARDE

- (a) ICTFGP
- (b) ICTFGO
- (c) ICTFHP
- (d) ICTEGP

Ans.(a)

Q12. If PLANE is coded as QMBOF, how is TRAIN coded?

- (a) USBJO
- (b) USBKP
- (c) UTAJO
- (d) USBJN

Ans.(a)

Q13. Choose the address that is the same as the one given below.

Flat No. 202, Green Heights, Andheri East, Mumbai, Maharashtra - 400069

(a) Flat No. 202, Green Heights, Andheri East, Mumbai, Maharashtra - 400068

(b) Flat No. 202, Green Heights, Andheri East, Mumbai, Maharashtra - 400069

(c) Flat No. 220, Green Heights, Andheri East, Mumbai, Maharashtra - 400069

(d) Flat No. 202, Green Heights, Andheri West, Mumbai, Maharashtra - 400069

Ans.(b)

Q14. The population of a town increased by 15% in the first year and 10% in the second year. What is the total percent increase after 2 years?

(a) 25%

(b) 26.5%

(c) 24%

(d) 30%

Ans.(b)

Q15. If $4 @ =$

(a) 6255

(b) 2255

(c) 3125

(d) 5125

Ans.(c)

Q16. Which p

C3, E5, G7, I9,

(a) C3

(b) E5

(c) I9

(d) K14

Ans.(d)

Q17. Find the

Nile, Thames,

(a) Nile

(b) Thames

(c) Amazon

(d) Sahara

Ans.(d)

Q18. Statement:

1. All pens are pencils.

2. Some pencils are red.

3. No red is green.

Conclusions:

I. Some pens are not green.

II. All greens are pencils.

(a) Only I follows



- (b) Only II follows
(c) Both I and II follow
(d) Neither I nor II follows

Ans.(d)

Q19. If "DELHI" = "CDKGH", then "MUMBAI" = ?

- (a) LTLAZH
(b) LTLAZI
(c) NTNBJI
(d) KSKZYG

Ans.(a)

Q20. Find the

5, 15, 45, 135,

- (a) 270
(b) 405
(c) 540
(d) 675

Ans.(b)

Q21. What sh

7, 22, 67, ?

- (a) 122
(b) 183
(c) 184
(d) 202

Ans.(d)

Q22. In a series of sports events held in Nagpur from 12 March 2022:

Delhi - 5 March, Lucknow - 6 March, Ranchi - 7 March, Indore - 8 March, Nagpur - 9 March, Surat - 10 March, Delhi - 11 March. If the final match in Nagpur was held on a Friday, what day was the first match in Delhi?

- (a) Saturday
(b) Sunday
(c) Friday
(d) Thursday

Ans.(b)

Q23. If $8 \# 4 = 2$, then $27 \# 9 = ?$

- (a) 3
(b) 6
(c) 9
(d) 18

Ans.(a)

Q24. Complete the series:

3, 6, 18, 72, ?

- (a) 216
(b) 288

(c) 360

(d) 432

Ans.(c)

Q25. A number is divisible by both 4 and 6. Which of the following could it be?

(a) 24

(b) 18

(c) 20

(d) 30

Ans.(a)

Q26. A higher ranking in the World Press Freedom Index indicates:

(a) More government control

(b) Greater journalistic freedom

(c) Increased media ownership

(d) Lower public interest

Ans.(b)

Q27. What does the term 'Jati' refer to in the context of Mughal society?

(a) A warrior class

(b) A class of tax collectors

(c) A group of soldiers

(d) A community

Ans.(c)

Q28. One of the key features of the Bharatiya Sakshatik Suraks (BSS) Bill, 2023 is the introduction of which system?

(a) AI-based threat detection

(b) Drone-based surveillance

(c) Virtual trial system for all offences

(d) e-FIR, e-subpoena and e-warrants

Ans.(d)

Q29. Tana Bhagat was a leader of the

(a) Chhattisgarh movement

(b) Madhya Pradesh movement

(c) Jharkhand movement

(d) West Bengal movement

Ans.(c)

Q30. Which significant political move by Lokpriya Gopinath Bordoloi ensured that Assam remained a part of India in 1946?

(a) Opposing the grouping of Assam with Bengal

(b) Launching the Quit India Movement in Assam

(c) Signing the Assam Accord

(d) Rejecting the Instrument of Accession

Ans.(a)

Q31. Which of the following statements correctly describes modern currency systems?

- (a) Currencies are fully backed by gold
- (b) Currencies are not readily convertible into gold
- (c) Currencies can always be exchanged for barrels of oil
- (d) Currencies are backed by silver

Ans.(b)

Q32. The Green Revolution in India was introduced during which plan?

- (a) Second
- (b) Third
- (c) Fourth
- (d) Fifth

Ans.(b)

Q33. How is the Ashoka Chakra?

- (a) A compilation
- (b) A collection
- (c) A collection
- (d) A religious

Ans.(c)

Q34. The life of Ashoka is described in a famous work of which period?

- (a) Mauryan Period
- (b) Gupta Period
- (c) Kushan Period
- (d) Sunga Period

Ans.(a)

Q35. The Dadasaheb Phalke Award is presented annually to whom?

- (a) The overall best actor
- (b) The best actress
- (c) The team who
- (d) The host of

Ans.(b)

Q36. Which French author was awarded the Nobel Prize in Literature in 2022 for her courage and clinical acuity in uncovering personal memory?

- (a) Annie Ernaux
- (b) Leila Slimani
- (c) Marie Ndiaye
- (d) Delphine de Vigan

Ans.(a)

Q37. Which Indian city is known for its abundance of buildings featuring French colonial architecture?

- (a) Goa
- (b) Puducherry
- (c) Hyderabad

(d) Kolkata

Ans.(b)

Q38. Which sector suffered due to reduction in fertilizer subsidies post-1991?

- (a) Industrial
- (b) Banking
- (c) Agriculture
- (d) Service

Ans.(c)

Q39. A person needs spectacles with a power of -2.5 D. This indicates that the person is suffering from:

- (a) Hypermetropia and needs a converging lens
- (b) Myopia and needs a diverging lens
- (c) Presbyopia and needs a converging lens
- (d) Astigmatism and needs a cylindrical lens

Ans.(b)

Q40. Under which plan was the Panchayati Raj system introduced?

- (a) First Plan
- (b) Second Plan
- (c) Third Plan
- (d) Fourth Plan

Ans.(c)

Q41. Which of the following is/are correct about Kho-Kho rules is/are correct?

- 1. Pole height should be 1.5 m and diameter should be 1.5 cm.
 - 2. Total match time should be 40 minutes.
 - 3. Sub-junior and junior categories should play 15 minutes.
- (a) Only 1 is correct
 - (b) Only 2 is correct
 - (c) Only 3 is correct
 - (d) 1, 2 and 3 are correct

Ans.(b)

Q42. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Athletes must undergo sample collection procedures.
 - 2. Athletes are allowed to delegate the sample collection process to a team official if they have a valid reason.
- (a) Only 1 is correct
 - (b) Only 2 is correct
 - (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct
 - (d) Neither 1 nor 2 are correct

Ans.(a)

Q43. Consider the following statements about Khelo India Winter Games 2024:

- 1. Indian Army topped the medal tally with 10 golds.
 - 2. Jammu & Kashmir finished second in 2024 with nine gold medals.
- (a) Only 1 is correct
 - (b) Only 2 is correct

- (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct
(d) Neither 1 nor 2 are correct

Ans.(a)

Q44. 'Why Nations Fail' is co-authored by Daron Acemoglu and _____.

- (a) Fareed Zakaria
(b) Abhijit Banerjee
(c) James Robinson
(d) Raghuram Rajan

Ans.(c)

Q45. Wangala Festival is associated with which of the following tribe of India?

- (a) Garo tribe
(b) Bhotia tribe
(c) Balti tribes
(d) Nyishi tribe

Ans.(a)

Q46. Which two dance forms are associated with Odisha?

- (a) Tandava and Odissi
(b) Chowk and Odissi
(c) Chakkar and Odissi
(d) Natya and Odissi

Ans.(b)

Q47. The introduction of the Permanent Settlement in Bengal by Lord Cornwallis led to:

- (a) Ensure the revenue of the state
(b) Create a class of zamindars who were responsible for the revenue
(c) Promote the cultivation of crops like indigo and cotton
(d) Abolish the zamindari system

Ans.(b)

Q48. Which of the following statements is correct?

- Statement 1: The use of concrete blocks in construction is a modern technique.
Statement 2: The use of concrete blocks in construction is a traditional technique.

- (a) Both statements are true, and Statement 2 is the correct explanation of Statement 1
(b) Both statements are correct, but Statement 2 is not the correct explanation of Statement 1
(c) Statement 1 is correct, Statement 2 is false
(d) Neither 1 nor 2

Ans.(a)

Q49. Which Constitutional Amendment made it mandatory for States to establish Panchayati Raj Institutions as units of local self-governance?

- (a) 42nd Amendment
(b) 74th Amendment
(c) 73rd Amendment
(d) 44th Amendment

Ans.(c)

Q50. The practice in the Parliament where the demands for grants are put to a vote after the passage of the time limit for discussion is called _____.

- (a) Guillotine
- (b) Cut motions
- (c) Motions
- (d) Point of order

Ans.(a)

Q51. A's salary is 40% more than B's. If B's salary increases by 20% and A's increases by x%, then A's new salary becomes 25% more than B's new salary. What is the value of x?

- (a) 2.5%
- (b) 7.14%
- (c) 10.63%
- (d) 15.6%

Ans.(b)

Q52. An L-shaped region is shown in the figure. The length of the inner side is 6 m and the area of the region is 100 m². What is the total cost of the region if the cost of 1 m² is Rs. 300?

- (a) 29,400
- (b) 30,800
- (c) 32,200
- (d) 34,600

Ans.(a)

Q53. A regular hexagon is inscribed in a circle. The ratio of the area of the hexagon to the area of the circle is

- (a) $1:\sqrt{3}$
- (b) $1:\sqrt{2}$
- (c) $\sqrt{6}:1$
- (d) $1:\sqrt{1.5}$

Ans.(c)

Q54. An angle is such that its supplement is 100% more than its complement. The angle is

- (a) 25%
- (b) 50%
- (c) 75%
- (d) 100%

Ans.(a)

Q55. If $\tan A + \sec A = 5$, then what is the value of $\tan A$?

- (a) $5/2$
- (b) $12/5$
- (c) $3/4$
- (d) $4/5$

Ans.(b)



Q56. A prism has a base perimeter of 30 cm and height 7 cm. If its total surface area is 282 cm^2 what is the area of both bases combined?

- (a) 42 cm^2
- (b) 36 cm^2
- (c) 66 cm^2
- (d) 72 cm^2

Ans.(d)

Q57. If the selling price of an article is 90% of its marked price and the cost price is 80% of the marked price, what is the profit percentage?

- (a) 10%
- (b) 12.5%
- (c) 15%
- (d) 20.5%

Ans.(b)

Q58. If the average of four numbers is 55 and the average of the last three numbers is 62.5, what is the first number?

- (a) 55
- (b) 62.5
- (c) 60
- (d) 57.5

Ans.(d)

Q59. A rectangular lawn is 10 m long and 6 m wide. A 2 m wide path is laid around the lawn. What percentage of the lawn area is covered by the path?

- (a) 32%
- (b) 23%
- (c) 22%
- (d) 33%

Ans.(c)

Q60. Three friends A, B and C have some money. A has Rs. 1,00,000. B has 15% more than A and C is entitled to an amount equal to the sum of A and B. How much more money does C need to reach Rs. 4,00,000?

- (a) Rs. 1,02,000
- (b) Rs. 1,12,000
- (c) Rs. 1,13,000
- (d) Rs. 1,04,000

Ans.(a)

Q61. A shopkeeper sells two shirts at Rs. 500 each. On one, he gains 25%, and on the other, he loses 25%. What is his net gain or loss?

- (a) Rs. 31.25 loss
- (b) Rs. 31.25 gain
- (c) Rs. 66.67 gain
- (d) Rs. 66.67 loss

Ans.(d)

Q62. A line is tangent to a circle at point A. If a chord AB has a length of 8 cm and makes an angle of 30° with the tangent, what is the radius of the circle?

- (a) 4 cm
- (b) 8 cm
- (c) $4\sqrt{3}$ cm
- (d) $8\sqrt{3}$ cm

Ans.(b)

Q63. If two circles of radius 6 cm and 2 cm have their centers 10 cm apart, what is the length of the direct common tangent?

- (a) 6 cm
- (b) 8 cm
- (c) $2\sqrt{21}$ cm
- (d) $\sqrt{37}$ cm

Ans.(c)

Q64. The volume of a sphere of radius r is doubled, if the radius is doubled,

- (a) $1152\pi cm^3$
- (b) $2304\pi cm^3$
- (c) $1440\pi cm^3$
- (d) $2880\pi cm^3$

Ans.(b)

Q65. A bookseller purchases 4 books and get the 5th at 40% discount. If the marked price of each book is Rs. 480 and all books are sold at the same price, what is the effective percentage discount the bookseller gets on the total purchase?

- (a) 5%
- (b) 10%
- (c) 15%
- (d) 20%

Ans.(b)

Q66. An investor tracks 5 stocks. Four of them have an average return of 8%. If the overall average return is 9%, what was the return on the fifth stock?

- (a) 14%
- (b) 13%
- (c) 12%
- (d) 11%

Ans.(b)



Q67. If $\sin A + \cos A = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ find $\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A + 2\sin A \cos A$

- (a) 1
- (b) $\sqrt{3}$
- (c) $\frac{3}{4}$
- (d) $\frac{1}{2}$

Ans.(c)

Q68. If $\tan x = \cot (3x - 30^\circ)$, find x.

- (a) 20°
- (b) 25°
- (c) 30°
- (d) 35°

Ans.(c)

Q69. A rectangular floor is covered by square tiles of side 40 cm. If 10% extra tiles are required for the border, find the area of the floor.

- (a) 300
- (b) 315
- (c) 330
- (d) 345

Ans.(c)

Q70. Which set of numbers is closed under addition?

- (a) Natural Numbers
- (b) Integers
- (c) Irrational Numbers
- (d) Whole Numbers

Ans.(b)

Q71. A car travels at a speed of 50 km/hour in complete a journey of 100 km. How long will it take to travel the same distance at a speed of 100 km/hour?

- (a) 15 h
- (b) 9 h
- (c) 10 h
- (d) 12 h

Ans.(c)

Q72. Calculate the compound interest on Rs. 5000 for 2 years at 20% per annum when compounded half yearly.

- (a) 2,120.50
- (b) 2,520.50
- (c) 2,322.50
- (d) 2,320.50

Ans.(d)

Q73. In a circle, the chords AB and CD are equal. The angle subtended by AB at the circumference is 65° . What is the angle subtended by CD at the circumference?

- (a) 32.5°

- (b) 65°
(c) 130°
(d) 145°

Ans.(b)

Q74. A chord AB is drawn in a circle with center O. The tangent at A and the tangent at B meet at a point P. If $\angle APB = 40^\circ$, measure the angle subtended by the chord AB at the circumference of the circle?

- (a) 40°
(b) 50°
(c) 70°
(d) 140°

Ans.(c)

Q75. A chord AB is drawn in a circle with center O. The tangent at A and the tangent at B meet at a point P. If $\angle APB = 60^\circ$, what is the angle formed by the tangents at A and B?

- (a) 60°
(b) 120°
(c) 240°
(d) 180°

Ans.(a)

Q76. Rearrange the following sentences to form a coherent paragraph.
1. This allows the robot to move from one floor to another, from factory floors to surgical rooms.
2. Robotics is a combination of engineering and computer science.
3. The core of robotics is the ability to process information.
4. These machines are designed to assist humans by automating tasks that are repetitive, hazardous, or require a level of accuracy and dexterity that is beyond human capability.

- (a) 2, 4, 3, 1
(b) 4, 3, 1, 2
(c) 3, 1, 2, 4
(d) 1, 2, 3, 4

Ans.(a)

Q77. According to the passage, what is the main paradox of financial inclusion in rural India?

Read the following passage and answer the questions based on the passage:

While financial inclusion is often praised as a driver of equitable growth, its implementation in rural India presents a paradox. On paper, schemes such as the Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana (PMJDY), Aadhaar-enabled payment systems, and mobile banking have revolutionized access. Yet, in practice, access does not necessarily translate into utility. A significant number of rural account holders remain dormant users, often constrained by digital illiteracy, infrastructural limitations, and deeply entrenched socio-cultural barriers. In numerous villages, banking correspondents (BCs)—the foot soldiers of India's rural financial architecture—are overburdened, undertrained, and often unsupported by robust technological infrastructure. The notion that a biometric fingerprint or a one-time password could substitute for financial literacy is naïve at best. Many beneficiaries, especially women, face systemic exclusion, not just due to lack of documentation, but because patriarchal norms often discourage or control women's interactions with banking services. Moreover, while financial inclusion aims to integrate the rural poor into the formal economy, the informal

credit system continues to flourish. This coexistence is not accidental but symptomatic of a trust deficit and functional inefficiencies within formal institutions. Local moneylenders, albeit exploitative, offer immediacy and familiarity, elements often absent in bureaucratic banking processes. The digital push, accelerated post-2016 demonetization and COVID-19, has undoubtedly expanded the ecosystem. However, digital penetration without digital comprehension can widen the exclusion gap. Without focused digital education, grievance redressal mechanisms, and gender-sensitive outreach, financial inclusion may remain more rhetorical than real. In essence, true inclusion cannot be measured merely by the number of accounts opened but must reflect active participation, trust, and accessibility across gender, literacy, and regional lines. Until then, the dream of a financially empowered rural India will remain aspirational.

- (a) Lack of infrastructure
- (b) Overreliance on technology
- (c) Access without actual usage
- (d) Excess of digital banking

Ans.(c)

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Ans.(b)

Q79. Which factor does NOT contribute to dormant rural bank accounts, as per the passage?

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- (a) Patriarchal norms
- (b) Digital illiteracy
- (c) Mobile network coverage
- (d) Lack of financial literacy

Ans.(c)

Q80. What is implied about women's financial inclusion in rural India? Read the following passage and answer the questions based on the passage: While financial inclusion is often praised as a driver of equitable growth, its implementation in rural India presents a paradox. On paper, schemes such as the Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana (PMJDY), Aadhaar-enabled payment systems, and mobile banking initiatives aim to bring financial services to the doorstep of the rural poor. Yet, in practice, a significant number of women remain dormant users, often citing lack of documentation, lack of digital literacy, and patriarchal norms as barriers. In numerous instances, these women are not just hindered by infrastructural limitations, but also by social constraints. Local moneylenders, often the foot soldiers of the informal credit system, offer a familiar face and immediate access to credit, albeit at a higher interest rate. This coexistence of formal and informal systems is not accidental but symptomatic of a trust deficit and functional inefficiencies within formal institutions. Local moneylenders, albeit exploitative, offer immediacy and familiarity, elements often absent in bureaucratic banking processes. The digital push, accelerated post-2016 demonetization and COVID-19, has undoubtedly expanded the ecosystem. However, digital penetration without digital comprehension can widen the exclusion gap. Without focused digital education, grievance redressal mechanisms, and gender-sensitive outreach, financial inclusion may remain more rhetorical than real. In essence, true inclusion cannot be measured merely by the number of accounts opened but must reflect active participation, trust, and accessibility across gender, literacy, and regional lines. Until then, the dream of a financially empowered rural India will remain aspirational.

- (a) Mobile payments are fast
- (b) Biometrics ensure security
- (c) OTPs can replace financial education
- (d) Rural people distrust technology

Ans.(c)

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- (a) They benefit from digital literacy
- (b) Lack of Awareness
- (c) Cultural factors
- (d) They lead to financial inclusion

Ans.(c)

Q82. Rearrange the following sentences to form a coherent paragraph.

1. The most prominent feature of the new process, where a group of experts in the same field.
 2. The integrity of the process is maintained by a system of rigorous peer review.
 3. The goal of the process is to ensure that only high-quality research is disseminated to the public.
 4. This external review process helps to ensure that only high-quality, credible research is disseminated to the scientific community.
- (a) 2, 1, 3, 4
 - (b) 1, 2, 3, 4
 - (c) 3, 4, 1, 2
 - (d) 4, 3, 2, 1

Ans.(a)

Q83. Spot the correct spelling of a lab toxicity assay term.

- (a) Cytotoxisity
- (b) Cytotoxicity
- (c) Cytotoxicety
- (d) Cytotoxcity

Ans.(b)

Q84. Choose the most suitable option to replace the highlighted part of the sentence:

She is senior than me in college.

- (a) is more senior than
- (b) is senior from
- (c) is elder than

(d) is senior to

Ans.(d)

Q85. Choose the correct one-word substitute for: 'One who pretends to have knowledge or skills'.

- (a) Savante
- (b) Charlatan
- (c) Virtuoso
- (d) Connoisseur

Ans.(b)

Q86. Select the correct option:

In light of recent discoveries, the theory has been subject to rigorous ____ and reinterpretation.

- (a) scrutiny
- (b) sanction
- (c) insinuation
- (d) subversion

Ans.(a)

Q87. Select the

The ancient so

- (a) The thief s

- (b) The studen

- (c) The bronze

- (d) The hallwa

Ans.(b)

Q88. Find the

Much efforts

compromising

- (a) (1)

- (b) (2)

- (c) (3)

- (d) (4)

Ans.(a)

Q89. Convert

The documents had been submitted by the assistant before the deadline.

- (a) The assistant submits the documents before the deadline.
- (b) The assistant had submitted the documents before the deadline.
- (c) The assistant was submitting the documents before the deadline.
- (d) The assistant is submitting the documents before the deadline.

Ans.(b)

Q90. Choose the most suitable option to replace the highlighted part of the sentence:

He did not know where was the book kept.

- (a) where the book was kept
- (b) where was the book
- (c) where did the book kept

(d) where the book has kept

Ans.(a)

Q91. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word: HAPHAZARD

- (a) Organized
- (b) Intentional
- (c) Random
- (d) Planned

Ans.(c)

Q92. Change the following from active to passive:

The professor could have been explaining differential topology for hours.

- (a) Differential
- (b) Differential
- (c) Differential
- (d) Differential

Ans.(c)

Q93. Select the correct version of the sentence.

The composer had composed an octave higher than he intended, and he had composed it prematurely.

- (a) The composer had composed an octave higher than he intended, and he had composed it prematurely.
- (b) The composer had composed an octave higher than he intended, and he had composed it prematurely.
- (c) The composer had composed an octave higher than he intended, and he had composed it prematurely.
- (d) The composer had composed an octave higher than he intended, and he had composed it prematurely.

Ans.(b)

Q94. Select the correct version of the sentence.

- (a) Respect
- (b) Devotion
- (c) Contempt
- (d) Worship

Ans.(c)

Q95. Select the correct version of the sentence.

We need to _____

- (a) clean out
- (b) clear off
- (c) wipe over
- (d) go over

Ans.(a)

Q96. Find the part of the sentence that contains an error:

Rarely if ever have there been a time (1)/ when dissent was met (2)/ with such institutional disregard (3)/ as in the present administration. (4)

- (a) (1)
- (b) (2)
- (c) (3)

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(d) (4)

Ans.(a)

Q97. Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word. Incandescent

- (a) Dusky
- (b) Resplendent
- (c) Glistening
- (d) Fulgent

Ans.(a)

Q98. A sentence is provided in direct speech. From the four given options, choose the one that most accurately conveys the sentence in its corresponding indirect speech.

He said, "I have a lot of work to do."

- (a) He said that he had a lot of work to do.
- (b) He said that he has a lot of work to do.
- (c) He said that he will have a lot of work to do.
- (d) He said that he would have a lot of work to do.

Ans.(b)

Q99. Choose the word that is most opposite in meaning to the word given below.

Not fit to hold office

- (a) Excellent in office
- (b) Similar in office
- (c) Greatly inferior in office
- (d) Superior to office

Ans.(c)

Q100. Choose the word that is most opposite in meaning to the word given below.

- (a) Apathetic
- (b) Stoic
- (c) Ascetic
- (d) Hedonist

Ans.(b)

