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SSC MAINS MOCK TEST - 85 (ANSWER KEY)

1. (C)	26. (A)	51. (D)	76. (A)	101. (C)	126. (D)	151. (A)	176. (B)
2. (C)	27. (A)	52. (C)	77. (C)	102. (C)	127. (D)	152. (C)	177. (A)
3. (A)	28. (A)	53. (D)	78. (D)	103. (A)	128. (C)	153. (C)	178. (A)
4. (B)	29. (A)	54. (C)	79. (D)	104. (B)	129. (B)	154. (B)	179. (B)
5. (A)	30. (B)	55. (A)	80. (B)	105. (B)	130. (D)	155. (A)	180. (C)
6. (B)	31. (C)	56. (C)	81. (B)	106. (B)	131. (D)	156. (B)	181. (C)
7. (B)	32. (C)	57. (B)	82. (C)	107. (A)	132. (C)	157. (A)	182. (D)
8. (C)	33. (B)	58. (C)	83. (A)	108. (C)	133. (C)	158. (C)	183. (C)
9. (B)	34. (C)	59. (B)	84. (D)	109. (D)	134. (B)	159. (C)	184. (C)
10. (C)	35. (A)	60. (C)	85. (A)	110. (A)	135. (C)	160. (D)	185. (C)
11. (D)	36. (A)	61. (B)	86. (B)	111. (C)	136. (C)	161. (D)	186. (D)
12. (C)	37. (B)	62. (A)	87. (B)	112. (B)	137. (D)	162. (D)	187. (A)
13. (B)	38. (A)	63. (C)	88. (D)	113. (C)	138. (B)	163. (C)	188. (B)
14. (B)	39. (B)	64. (C)	89. (A)	114. (A)	139. (B)	164. (D)	189. (A)
15. (A)	40. (B)	65. (D)	90. (D)	115. (A)	140. (A)	165. (D)	190. (D)
16. (B)	41. (A)	66. (C)	91. (A)	116. (C)	141. (B)	166. (C)	191. (D)
17. (B)	42. (C)	67. (D)	92. (B)	117. (A)	142. (C)	167. (D)	192. (B)
18. (C)	43. (C)	68. (C)	93. (D)	118. (D)	143. (D)	168. (A)	193. (C)
19. (A)	44. (D)	69. (C)	94. (B)	119. (B)	144. (B)	169. (A)	194. (D)
20. (A)	45. (B)	70. (C)	95. (C)	120. (D)	145. (B)	170. (B)	195. (D)
21. (B)	46. (C)	71. (D)	96. (A)	121. (B)	146. (D)	171. (D)	196. (A)
22. (B)	47. (A)	72. (A)	97. (D)	122. (C)	147. (B)	172. (A)	197. (B)
23. (C)	48. (C)	73. (B)	98. (A)	123. (D)	148. (C)	173. (B)	198. (C)
24. (C)	49. (D)	74. (B)	99. (B)	124. (D)	149. (B)	174. (D)	199. (C)
25. (B)	50. (B)	75. (C)	100. (D)	125. (B)	150. (A)	175. (A)	200. (C)

EXPLANATION

3. (A) If a sentence starts with 'It' followed by any form of 'be', the pronoun that follows 'be' must be in nominative case, and the verb that comes after shall follow it.
4. (B) V3 of 'slay' is 'slain'. 'slay' means 'to kill'.
5. (A) 'Describe' doesn't take any preposition.
6. (B) Comparative degree of 'strong' is 'stronger'.
7. (B) 'Avail' takes a reflexive pronoun.
8. (C) When there is comparison between two things, we should use comparative degree.
9. (B) Here 'rise' a singular subject will take singular verb 'has'.
10. (C) The sentence has started with past verb 'were' and hence will proceed in past.
12. (C) Reason same as 10.
13. (B) 'Debar' takes 'from' and 'V + ing' after it.
14. (B) Change 'Play' into 'Playing'.
15. (A) Change 'is' into 'has been'. The tense of the sentence must be perfect continuous as 'since + time' is given in the sentence.
16. (B) Add 'other' after 'all the'. If 'one' is compared with 'other of the same group', we need to use word 'other' to exclude the 'one' that belongs to the same group.
17. (B) Change 'are' into 'is'. 'The only good thing' which is a singular subject. Hence will take singular verb.
18. (C) Change 'left' into 'leaves'. The sentence is of future conditional.
19. (A) Change 'were' into 'was'. Collective noun takes singular verb if it is unanimous.

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| <p>20. (A) Change 'was she' into 'she was' as the sentence is affirmative. 21. (B) Change 'will' into 'would' as reporting verb is in past. Hence, the reported speech shall be in Past tense too.</p> <p>21. (B) Here 'would be moving' be used, as in indirect speech 'would' is used in place of 'will'.</p> <p>22. (B) Replace 'in' by 'into', as it shows movement.</p> <p>23. (C) Change 'have' into 'has' as the subject (i.e. each of the student) is singular.</p> <p>24. (C) Change 'centuries' into 'century'.</p> <p>25. (B) Change 'to go' into 'going' as we need a subject after possessive adjective 'her'.</p> <p>26. (A) The sentence is in past tense, change 'saves' into 'saved'.</p> <p>27. (A) Change 'advised' into 'advised'. 'Advice' is a noun, whereas 'advise' is a verb.</p> <p>28. (A) Change 'canon' into 'cannons' which refers to old type of large heavy guns carried on wheels.</p> <p>29. (A) Same as Q. NO. (21).</p> | <p>30. (B) Change 'shed' into 'shedding'. 'shed tears' means 'to cry'.</p> <p>31. (C) Change 'were' into 'was', as it shall follow. The subject 'the group', which is singular.</p> <p>32. (C) Change 'were' into 'was', as it should agree with the nearest subject.</p> <p>33. (B) Change 'has' into 'had' as the sentence is in past tense.</p> <p>34. (C) Change 'to dance' into 'dance or dancing'. Two things being compared should be in same form.</p> <p>35. (A) Remove 'are'.</p> <p>37. (B) 'Neither of + plural Nouns' is singular and hence followed by singular verb. Change 'are' into 'is'.</p> <p>38. (A) Change 'thinking' into 'having thought', as 'think' doesn't take continuous form usually.</p> <p>39. (B) Change 'follow' into 'follows', as it should follow the subject (i.e. man) which is singular.</p> <p>40. (B) In case of comparison, comparative degree is used. Change 'worst' into 'worse'.</p> |
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MEANINGS IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER

Word	Meaning in English	Meaning in Hindi
Accompaniment	a musical part that supports or partners a solo instrument, voice, or group	संगत
Agility	ability to move quickly and easily	चपलता
Alleviate	make (suffering, deficiency, or a problem) less severe	कम
Amused	finding something funny or entertaining	खुश
Ancillary	providing necessary support to the primary activities or operation of an organization, institution, industry, or system	अधीनस्थ
Anecdotal	(of an account) not necessarily true or reliable, because based on personal accounts rather than facts or research	वास्तविक
Appreciation	recognition and enjoyment of the good qualities of someone or something	सराहना
Apprehend	arrest (someone) for a crime	पकड़ना
Assemilation	the process of taking in and fully understanding information or ideas	मिलाना
Conquerors	a person who conquers a place or people	विजेताओं

Cryptozoology	the search for and study of animals whose existence or survival is disputed or unsubstantiated, such as the Loch Ness monster and the yeti	क्रिप्टोजूलॉजी
Decomposing	(of organic matter) in the process of decaying	सड़ना
Devastating	highly destructive or damaging	भयानक
Disgusted	feeling or expressing revulsion or strong disapproval	निराश
Efficiently	in a way that achieves maximum productivity with minimum wasted effort or expense	कुशलता
Elated	ecstatically happy	उत्तेजित
Encephalitis	inflammation of the brain, caused by infection or an allergic reaction	मस्तिष्क की सूजन
Exasperat	intensely irritated and frustrated	हतास
Exhilarating	making one feel very happy, animated, or elated; thrilling	प्राणपोषक
Fascination	the power to fascinate someone; the quality of being fascinating	सम्मोहन
Hemorrhage	an escape of blood from a ruptured blood vessel, especially when profuse	नकसीर
Herculean	requiring great strength or effort	अत्यंत कठिन
Immemorial	originating in the distant past; very old	पुरातन
Inadequate	lacking the quality or quantity required; insufficient for a purpose	अपर्याप्त
Inoculation	the action of inoculating or of being inoculated; vaccination	टीका, टीकाकरण
Instead	as an alternative or substitute	बजाय
Interestingly	in a way that arouses curiosity or interest	दिलचस्पी से, रुचि से
Irrelevant	not connected with or relevant to something	अप्रासंगिक
Making	one feel very happy, animated, or elated; thrilling	प्राणपोषक
Mythology	a collection of myths, especially one belonging to a particular religious or cultural tradition	पौराणिक कथा
Parachutes	a cloth canopy which fills with air and allows a person or heavy object attached to it to descend slowly when dropped from an aircraft, or which is released from the rear of an aircraft on landing to act as a brake	पैराशूट
Perplexed	completely baffled; very puzzled	विकल
Perseverance	persistence in doing something despite difficulty or delay in achieving success	दृढ़ता
Persisted	continue firmly or obstinately in an opinion of action in spite of difficulty, opposition, or failure.	मौजूदा
Rapidly	very quickly; at a great rate	तेजी से

Regeneration	the action or process of regenerating or being regenerated, in particular the formation of new animal or plant tissue	पुनर्जनन
Renounced	formally declare one's abandonment of (a claim, right, or possession)	त्याग
Renown	the condition of being known or talked about by many people; fame	यश
REPRESSSION	the action of subduing someone or something by force	दमन
Reputation	the beliefs or opinions that are generally held about someone or something	प्रतिष्ठा
Sanction	a threatened penalty for disobeying a law or rule	प्रतिबंध
Scrupulously	in a very careful and thorough way	राजनीति
Sharply	with a sharp or steeply tapering edge or point	तेजी से
Slewed	turn or slide violently or uncontrollably in a particular direction	घूमना
Sophisticated	having, revealing, or proceeding from a great deal of worldly experience and knowledge of fashion and culture	जटिल
Stimulates	raise levels of physiological or nervous activity in (the body or any biological system)	उत्तेजित करना
Strenuous	requiring or using great exertion	जोरदार
Subordinate	lower in rank or position	अधीनस्थ
Unpleasantly		नाखुशगवार
Verbatim	in exactly the same words as were used originally	प्रतिशब्द
Volcanic	relating to or produced by a volcano or volcanoes	ज्वालामुखी
Yawning	(of an opening or space) very large and wide	अंगड़ाई लेना