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SSC MAINS MOCK TEST - 86 (ANSWER KEY)

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

EXPLANATION

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| 1. (A) The is no subject after 'while' so to have an appropriate sense of the sentence. Start with 'the man' which is the subject of the 1st part of the sentence too. | 12. (B) Since the sentence is interrogative, helping verb should come before subject and 'not' after it. |
| 2. (C) Change 'will' into 'would' as the sentence is in the past tense. | 13. (B) Sentence starting with 'if' shall be simple present tense. |
| 3. (D) 'Predicament' means 'a difficult and unpleasant situation'. This word is the most appropriate for the given situation. | 14. (C) Sentence starting with 'No sooner' takes inverted form, i.e., 'Had + Sub + V3'. |
| 7. (A) Past time (yesterday) indicates that the sentence should be in Simple Past Tense. | 15. (A) 'Since times immemorial' is a phrase. |
| 8. (B) 'One' will take pronoun 'one'. | 17. (B) An action (being the secretary) started in the past and still going on comes under Present Perfect Continuous Tense. |
| 9. (C) Question tag and the sentence must be in the same tense. Simple Past Tense takes 'did' in question tags. | 18. (C) The sentence is in indirect speech and hence affirmative helping verb should come after subject. |
| 10. (B) The subject of the sentence (i.e, the technician) is singular. | 19. (A) 'inquire of' means 'to ask'. |
| | 21. (C) Change 'out' into 'our'. |

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| <p>22. (B) Replace 'is' by 'are', as 'former' comes for 'Macbeth and Julius Caesar', hence plural.</p> <p>23. (B) Replace 'less' by 'fewer', as 'few' comes for countable nouns such as 'mistake' and less comes for uncountable nouns.</p> <p>24. (B) Add 'a' before 'laptop' as it is a singular countable noun.</p> <p>25. (A) Replace 'usually' after 'seen'. 'Adverb of frequency' comes after auxiliary verb.</p> <p>26. (C) Replace 'angrily' after 'shouted', as it qualifies the verb 'shout'. Change 'over' into 'on'.</p> <p>27. (A) Add 'also' after 'but' 'Not only but also' is correlative.</p> <p>28. (B) Change 'is' into 'am'.</p> <p>29. (A) Change 'have' into 'has', as 'half of the time' is singular hence will take singular verb.</p> <p>30. (A) As the sentence is in Present Tense, change 'knew' into 'knows'. Change 'never to die' into 'he would never die'.</p> | <p>31. (A) Hens are countable. Replace 'is' by 'are'.</p> <p>32. (B) Replace 'to suggest' by 'in suggesting'. It takes following form : persist + in + v + ing + obj.</p> <p>33. (C) Change 'saw' into 'had seen'. If two action take place in the past, one after the other, the 1st action will be in past perfect tense and the 2nd action will be in simple past tense.</p> <p>34. (C) 'To lot of trouble' must be replaced by 'into a lot of trouble'.</p> <p>35. (C) Replace 'upon' by 'to'.</p> <p>36. (C) Remove 'on'.</p> <p>37. (C) Add 'of' after 'boasts'.</p> <p>38. (C) Replace 'Unless' by 'if'.</p> <p>39. (B) Replace 'repent' by 'repents', as it follows the subject 'the boy'.</p> <p>40. (B) 'None' is singular in nature. Hence takes singular verb. Change 'are' into 'is'.</p> |
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MEANINGS IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER

Word	Meaning in English	Meaning in Hindi
Aberration	a departure from what is normal, usual, or expected, typically one that is unwelcome	विपथन
Abridged	(of a piece of writing) having been shortened	संक्षिप्त
Abundantly	in large quantities; plentifully	बहुतायत से
Accumulate	gather together or acquire an increasing number	संचय करें
Alienate	cause (someone) to feel isolated or estranged	विमुख
Amnesia	a partial or total loss of memory	स्मृतिलोप
Assumption	a thing that is accepted as true or as certain to happen, without proof	कल्पना
Banished	send (someone) away from a country or place as an official punishment	निर्वासित
Centurion	the commander of a century in the ancient Roman army	सूबेदार
Courageous	not deterred by danger or pain; brave	साहसिक
Denominational	relating to or according to the principles of a particular religious denomination	जाति
Deterrence	the action of discouraging an action or event through instilling doubt or fear of the consequences	निवारण

Dilemma	a situation in which a difficult choice has to be made between two or more alternatives, especially equally undesirable ones	दुविधा
Dissemination	the action or fact of spreading something, especially information, widely	प्रसार
Drowsy	sleepy and lethargic; half asleep	सुस्त
Enormously	to a very great degree or extent; considerably	अत्यंत
Entrusted	assign the responsibility for doing something to (someone)	सौंपा
Eradicate	destroy completely; put an end to	उन्मूलन करना
Extravagant	lacking restraint in spending money or using resources	फिजूलखर्ची
Generalisation	a general statement or concept obtained by inference from specific cases	सामान्यकरण
Hesitate	pause before saying or doing something, especially through uncertainty	हिचकिचाना
Imaginary	existing only in the imagination	काल्पनिक
Inadmissible	(especially of evidence in court) not accepted as valid	अस्वीकार्य
Inappropriate	not suitable or proper in the circumstances	अनुपयुक्त
Indispensable	absolutely necessary	अपरिहार्य
Indolent	wanting to avoid activity or exertion; lazy	अकर्मण्य
Inquisitive	curious or inquiring	जिज्ञासु
Inscriptions	words inscribed, as on a monument or in a book	शिलालेख
Integrate	(of an institution, body, etc.) desegregated, especially racially	एकीकृत
Interpretation	the action of explaining the meaning of something	व्याख्या
Interrupt	stop the continuous progress of (an activity or process)	बाधा डालना
Lethargy	a lack of energy and enthusiasm	सुस्ती
Mercilessly	in a way that shows no mercy	निर्दयता
Migrating	(of an animal, typically a bird or fish) move from one region or habitat to another according to the seasons	पलायन
Monotonous	dull, tedious, and repetitious; lacking in variety and interest	नीरस
Morbid	characterized by or appealing to an abnormal and unhealthy interest in disturbing and unpleasant subjects, especially death and disease	रोगी
Mysterious	difficult or impossible to understand, explain, or identify	रहस्यमय
Obscure	not discovered or known about; uncertain	अस्पष्ट
Paranoid	of, characterized by, or suffering from the mental condition of paranoia	पैरानॉयड
Patriarch	the male head of a family or tribe	कुलपति

Phenomenon	a fact or situation that is observed to exist or happen, especially one whose cause or explanation is in question	घटना
Predicament	a difficult, unpleasant, or embarrassing situation	स्थिति
Privilege	a special right, advantage, or immunity granted or available only to a particular person or group	विशेषाधिकार
Propaganda	information, especially of a biased or misleading nature, used to promote or publicize a particular political cause or point of view	प्रचार करना
Propagate	breed specimens of (a plant or animal) by natural processes from the parent stock	प्रचार, पालना, फैलाना
Remonstrate	make a forcefully reproachful protest	विरोध करना
Repression	the action of subduing someone or something by force	दमन
Scullery	a small kitchen or room at the back of a house used for washing dishes and other dirty household work	बावरची की मददगार
Secularism	the principle of separation of the state from religious institutions	धर्मनिरपेक्षता
Segregate	set apart from the rest or from each other; isolate or divide	अलग
Septuagenarian	a person who is from 70 to 79 years old	सत्तर वर्ष की अवस्था का मनुष्य
Sexagenarian	a person who is from 60 to 69 years old	साठ वर्ष का
Sluggish	slow-moving or inactive	सुस्त
Soporific	tending to induce drowsiness or sleep	निंदासा, निद्राजनक
Subjugation	the action of bringing someone or something under domination or control	दमन
Superannuation	regular payment made into a fund by an employee toward a future pension	पेंशन
Superstition	excessively credulous belief in and reverence for supernatural beings	अंधविश्वास
Treasure	a quantity of precious metals, gems, or other valuable objects	खजाना
Uninterrupted	without a break in continuity	निरंतर
Vendetta	a blood feud in which the family of a murdered person seeks vengeance on the murderer or the murderer's family	प्रतिरोध
Virtuous	having or showing high moral standards	धार्मिक
Widespread	found or distributed over a large area or number of people	बड़े पैमाने पर प्रचारित