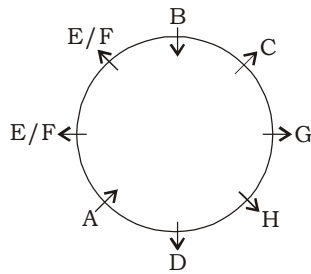


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**REASONING**

(1-5)



1. (2) 2. (4) 3. (1) 4. (5) 5. (3)  
6. (2) A's father is the nephew of D.  
7. (4) Except it others are secondary colours or composite colours.

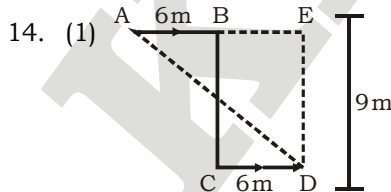
Note that red, green and blue are the primary colours. The colours obtained by mixing primary colours are called secondary or composite colours, i.e

- (i) Red + Blue = Magenta
- (ii) Blue + Green = Cyan
- (iii) Red + Green = Yellow
- (iv) Red + Green + Blue = White

(8-12) :

| Participant | Country   | Dance Style |
|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| Hari        | Bulgaria  | Bush        |
| Arjun       | Belize    | Horo        |
| Nilesh      | Brazil    | Chhau       |
| Gaurav      | Aleria    | Rumba       |
| Pawan       | Cuba      | Brakedown   |
| Amit        | Fiji      | Samba       |
| Deepak      | Australia | Govatte     |

8. (4) 9. (3) 10. (3) 11. (2) 12. (4)  
13. (4)



Let Shyam start from A and travel to D, via B and C. We have to find out the distance AD which is equal to

$$\sqrt{(12)^2 + (9)^2} = 15 \text{ m}$$

15. (2)

(16-19) :

16. (3) **Step II** : 18 task bear cold dish 81 63 31  
**Step III** : 18 task 31 bear cold dish 81 63  
**Step IV** : 18 task 31 dish bear cold 81 63  
**Step V** : 18 task 31 dish 63 bear cold 81  
**Step VI** : 18 task 31 dish 63 cold bear 81  
**Step VII** : 18 task 31 dish 63 cold 81 bear  
Five more steps will be required to complete the rearrangement.

17. (4) **Input** : 72 59 37 go for picnic 24 journey  
**Step I** : 24 72 59 37 go for picnic journey  
**Step II** : 24 picnic 72 59 37 go for journey  
**Step III** : 24 picnic 37 72 59 go for journey  
**Step IV** : 24 picnic 37 journey 72 59 go for  
**Step V** : 24 picnic 37 journey 59 72 go for  
**Step VI** : 24 picnic 37 journey 59 for 72 go

18. (1) **Input** : nice flower 34 12 castly height 41 56

**Step I** : 12 nice flower 34 costly height 41 56

**Step II** : 12 nice 34 flower costly height 41 56

**Step III** : 12 nice 34 height flower costly 41 56

19. (4) **Step II** : 16 Victory 19 36 53 store lake town

**Step III** : 16 victory 19 town 36 53 store lake

**Step IV** : 16 victory 19 town 36 store 53 lake

There will be no such step.

(20-22) :

school is far from hens ® to ga di ba ni  
hens is the school bus ® ru to ni di zi  
come from school ® ga ni mo  
is the bus late ® ru zi fa to  
school ® ni bus ® ru  
from ® ga the ® zi  
come ® mo late ® fa  
is ® to here ® di  
far ® ba

20. (5) 21. (2) 22. (1)

23. (4) S > V > Q > R; T > R

It's not clear whether S types faster or T.

24. (4)



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48. (1) The given number series is based on the following pattern :  
 $121 + 23 \times 1 = 144$   
 $144 + 23 \times 2 = 190$   
 $190 + 23 \times 3 = 259$   
 $\therefore ? = 259 + 23 \times 4$   
 $= 259 + 92 = 351$   
Hence, 351 will replace the question mark.
49. (5) The given number series is based on the following pattern :  
 $14 \times 3 + 1.5 = 43.5$   
 $43.5 \times 6 + 1.5 \times 2 = 264$   
 $264 \times 12 + 1.5 \times 4 = 3174$   
 $3174 \times 24 + 1.5 \times 8 = 76188$   
Hence, 3174 will replace the question mark.
50. (3) The given number series is based on the following pattern :  
 $41 \times 2^2 = 164$   
 $164 \times 4^2 = 2624$   
 $2624 \times 6^2 = 94464$   
 $94464 \times 8^2 = 6045696$   
Hence, 94464 will replace the question mark.
51. (1) Amount of iron in 1 kg mixture  
 $= 20\% \text{ of } 1000 \text{ gms} = \frac{20 \times 1000}{100} \text{ gms}$   
 $= 200 \text{ gms}$   
 $\therefore$  Amount of sand in mixture  
 $= (1000 - 200) \text{ gms} = 800 \text{ gms}$   
Now, let the total mixture is  $x$  kg in which iron is 20%  
 $\therefore$  According to the question,  
 $5\% \text{ of } x = 200 \text{ gm}$   
 $\Rightarrow 5\% \text{ of } x = 200 \Rightarrow \frac{5 \times x}{100} = 200$   
 $\Rightarrow x = \frac{200 \times 100}{5} \text{ gms} \Rightarrow x = \frac{20000}{5}$   
 $= 4000 \text{ gms}$   
 $\therefore$  Required answer =  $4000 \text{ gms} - 1000 \text{ gms} = 3000 \text{ gms} = 3 \text{ kg}$ .
52. (2) S.I. =  $\frac{\text{Principal} \times \text{Time} \times \text{Rate}}{100}$   
 $\therefore$  Difference =  $\frac{4500 \times 2 \times 12}{100} - \frac{5600 \times 2 \times 9}{100}$   
 $= 1080 - 1008 = ₹ 72$
53. (4) Let the labelled price of each sari be ₹  $x$ .  
According to the question, 90% of  $x$   
 $= \frac{120 \times 450}{100} \Rightarrow \frac{90 \times x}{100} = \frac{120 \times 450}{100}$   
 $\Rightarrow x = \frac{120 \times 450}{90} = \text{Rs. } 600$
54. (5) Let the third number be 100.  
 $\therefore$  First number = 50 and  
Second number =  $100 - 54 = 46$   
Decrease =  $50 - 46 = 4$   
 $\therefore$  Required percentage =  $\frac{4}{50} \times 100\%$   
 $= 8\%$
55. (2) Let Nishu's son's present age =  $x$  years  
 $\therefore$  Nishu's present age =  $4x$  years  
 $\therefore$  Nishu's husband's present age  
 $= 4x \times \frac{7}{4} = 7x$  years  
 $\therefore x + 4x + 7x = 32 \times 3$   
 $\Rightarrow 12x = 96 \Rightarrow x = \frac{96}{12} = 8$   
 $\therefore$  Required difference =  $7x - x = 6x$   
 $= 6 \times 8 = 48$  years
56. (1) Total No. of soldiers joining BSF in 2004, 2005 and 2006 =  $(4.6 + 4.1 + 4.7) \times 1000 = 13400$   
Total No. of soldiers joining in Navy =  $(0.6 + 0.9 + 1.2 + 1.8 + 2.9 + 3.5) \times 1000 = 10900$   
 $\therefore$  Required % =  $\frac{13400}{10900} \times 100\%$   
 $= 122.93\% \approx 123\%$
57. (5) Required ratio =  $6.5 : 7.7 = 65 : 77$
58. (2) Required difference  
 $= [(2.4 + 1.7 + 4.3) - 6.5] \times 1000$   
 $= (8.4 - 6.5) \times 1000 = 1.9 \times 1000 = 1900$
59. (4) From table, Navy is in increasing order.
60. (5) Required average  
 $= \frac{3.4 + 5.6 + 1.8 + 4.7 + 5.2}{5} \times 1000$   
 $= \frac{20.7}{5} \times 1000 = 4140$
61. (2) Total cost of the TV set  
 $= ₹ (11250 + 150 + 800) = ₹ 12200$   
 $\therefore$  Required SP =  $₹ \left( 12200 \times \frac{115}{100} \right) = ₹ 14030$
62. (1) LCM of 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 = 60  
 $\therefore$  Number =  $60k + 1$   
It is exactly divisible by 7.  
For  $k = 5$ ,  $60k + 1$  is exactly divisible by 7  
 $\therefore$  Number = 301  
 $\therefore$  Required sum =  $3 + 0 + 1 = 4$

63. (2) Side of the square =  $\sqrt{\text{Area}}$   
 $= \sqrt{407044} = 638 \text{ cm}$   
 $\therefore$  Circumference of the circle = 638 cm  
 $\Rightarrow 2\pi r = 638 \Rightarrow 2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times r = 638$   
 $\Rightarrow r = \frac{638 \times 7}{2 \times 22} = \frac{29 \times 7}{2} \text{ cm}$   
 $\therefore$  Area of the circle =  $\frac{22}{7} \times \frac{29 \times 7 \times 29 \times 7}{2 \times 2}$   
 $= 32378.5 \text{ sq. cm.}$
64. (1)  $\therefore$  12 men can complete the work in 36 days.  
 $\therefore$  12  $\times$  36 men can complete the work in 1 day.  
 Again,  
 $\therefore$  18 women can complete the work in 60 days.  
 $\therefore$  18  $\times$  60 women can complete the work in 1 day.  
 $12 \times 36 \text{ men} = 18 \times 60 \text{ women}$   
 $\Rightarrow 2 \text{ men} = 5 \text{ women}$   
 Now, 8 men + 20 women  
 $= (4 \times 5 + 20) \text{ women} = 40 \text{ women}$   
 $\therefore$  18 women complete the work in 60 days.  
 $\therefore$  40 womens' 20 days' work  
 $= \frac{40 \times 20}{18 \times 60} = \frac{20}{27}$   
 $\therefore$  Remaining work =  $1 - \frac{20}{27} = \frac{7}{27}$   
 $\therefore$  18  $\times$  60 women do 1 work in 1 day.  
 $\therefore$  1 woman does =  $\frac{1}{80 \times 60}$  Work in 1 day  
 $\therefore$  1 woman does in 4 days  
 $= \frac{4}{180 \times 60} = \frac{1}{18 \times 15}$  Work  
 $\therefore$   $\frac{1}{18 \times 15}$  work is done in 4 days by 1 woman  
 $\therefore$   $\frac{7}{27}$  work is done in 4 days by  
 $= \frac{18 \times 15 \times 7}{27} = 70 \text{ days}$
65. (2) Initial speed of motor = 70 kmph.  
 Distance covered in first 2 hours  
 $= 2 \times 70 = 140 \text{ kms.}$   
 For next two hours speed of motor  
 $= 80 \text{ kmph.}$   
 Distance covered in next 2 hours  
 $= 2 \times 80 = 160 \text{ kms.}$   
 Distance covered in first 4 hours  
 $= 140 + 160 = 300$  Remaining distance  
 $= 345 - 300 = 45 \text{ km}$   
 This distance will be covered at the speed of 90 kmph.  
 $\therefore$  Time taken =  $\frac{45}{90} = \frac{1}{2}$  hour  
 $\therefore$  Total time =  $4 + \frac{1}{2} = 4 \frac{1}{2}$  hours
66. (1) I.  $4x + 2y = 51$   
 II.  $13x + 15y = 221$   
 Multiplying equation I by 15 and II by 2 and by I - II,  
 $60x + 30y - 26x - 30y = 765 - 442$   
 $34x = 323$   
 $x = \frac{323}{34} = 9.5$   
 From equation I,  
 $4 \times 9.5 + 2y = 51$   
 $\Rightarrow 38 + 2y = 51$   
 $\Rightarrow 2y = 51 - 38$   
 $\Rightarrow y = \frac{13}{2} = 6.5$   
 Clearly,  $x > y$
67. (2) I.  $8x^2 + 3x - 38 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 8x^2 + 19x - 16x - 38 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x(8x + 19) - 2(8x + 19) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (8x + 19)(x - 2) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 2 \text{ or } -\frac{19}{8}$   
 II.  $6y^2 - 29y + 34 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 6y^2 - 17y - 12y + 34 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow y(6y - 17) - 2(6y - 17) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (y - 2)(6y - 17) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow y = 2 \text{ or } \frac{17}{6}$   
 Clearly,  $x \leq y$ .
68. (1) I.  $x^2 - 20x + 91 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 - 13x - 7x + 91 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x(x - 13) - 7(x - 13) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (x - 7)(x - 13) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 7 \text{ or } 13$

II.  $10y^2 - 29y + 21 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 10y^2 - 15y - 14y + 21 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 5y(2y - 3) - 7(2y - 3) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (2y - 3)(5y - 7) = 0 \Rightarrow y = \frac{3}{2} \text{ or } \frac{7}{5}$

Clearly,  $x > y$ .

69. (5) I.  $6x^2 + 13x + 5 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 6x^2 + 10x + 3x + 5 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 2x(3x + 5) + 1(3x + 5) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (3x + 5)(2x + 1) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{-5}{3} \text{ or } -\frac{1}{2}$$

II.  $9y^2 + 22y + 8 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 9y^2 + 18y + 4y + 8 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 9y(y + 2) + 4(y + 2) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (y + 2)(9y + 4) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow y = -2 \text{ or } \frac{-4}{9}$$

Relationship can't be established.

70. (3) I.  $y = 92567 - 92551 = 16$

II.  $(x + y)^2 = 784$

$$\Rightarrow x + y = 28$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 28 - 16 = 12$$

Clearly,  $x < y$

**English Language**

79. (B) Replace 'had found' with 'found'. To denote an incident in the past, past indefinite is used.
80. (B) Replace 'his' with 'one's'. When 'one' is the subject only forms of 'one' (one, one's) should be used.
82. (D) Replace 'man' with 'men', (one of the greatest men).

**VOCABULARIES**

| <b>Words</b> | <b>Meaning in English</b>   | <b>Meaning in Hindi</b> |
|--------------|---|-------------------------|
| Replicate    | respond   | उत्तर देना              |
| Spurred      | a thing that prompts or encourages someone                        | प्रेरणा देना            |
| Lament       | a passionate expression of grief or sorrow                        | शोक प्रकट करना          |
| Wane         | a gradual decline   | कम होना                 |
| Vanishing    | disappear suddenly and completely                                 | गायब होना               |
| dazzled      | brightness that confuses someone's vision temporarily             | चकित होना               |
| perturbed    | anxious or unsettled; upset                                       | व्याकुल                 |
| connotations | an idea or feeling that a word invokes in addition to its literal | अर्थ                    |
| Peculiar     | strange or odd  | अजीब, अनोखा             |
| regulate     | control or maintain to something                                  | नियंत्रण करना           |
| Demarcated   | set the boundaries or limits of                                   | सीमांकन करना            |

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|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 1. (2)  | 26. (3) | 51. (1) | 76. (4)  |
| 2. (4)  | 27. (5) | 52. (2) | 77. (3)  |
| 3. (1)  | 28. (3) | 53. (4) | 78. (2)  |
| 4. (5)  | 29. (5) | 54. (5) | 79. (2)  |
| 5. (3)  | 30. (3) | 55. (2) | 80. (2)  |
| 6. (2)  | 31. (4) | 56. (1) | 81. (5)  |
| 7. (4)  | 32. (4) | 57. (5) | 82. (4)  |
| 8. (4)  | 33. (4) | 58. (2) | 83. (3)  |
| 9. (3)  | 34. (5) | 59. (4) | 84. (1)  |
| 10. (3) | 35. (4) | 60. (5) | 85. (2)  |
| 11. (2) | 36. (3) | 61. (2) | 86. (2)  |
| 12. (4) | 37. (4) | 62. (1) | 87. (3)  |
| 13. (4) | 38. (5) | 63. (2) | 88. (4)  |
| 14. (1) | 39. (2) | 64. (1) | 89. (4)  |
| 15. (2) | 40. (2) | 65. (2) | 90. (3)  |
| 16. (3) | 41. (2) | 66. (1) | 91. (3)  |
| 17. (4) | 42. (4) | 67. (2) | 92. (5)  |
| 18. (1) | 43. (4) | 68. (1) | 93. (1)  |
| 19. (4) | 44. (1) | 69. (5) | 94. (2)  |
| 20. (5) | 45. (5) | 70. (3) | 95. (4)  |
| 21. (2) | 46. (2) | 71. (1) | 96. (4)  |
| 22. (1) | 47. (4) | 72. (4) | 97. (2)  |
| 23. (4) | 48. (1) | 73. (5) | 98. (5)  |
| 24. (4) | 49. (5) | 74. (3) | 99. (1)  |
| 25. (2) | 50. (3) | 75. (2) | 100. (3) |

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