

**IBPS PO SPECIAL PHASE - I - 343 (SOLUTION)**

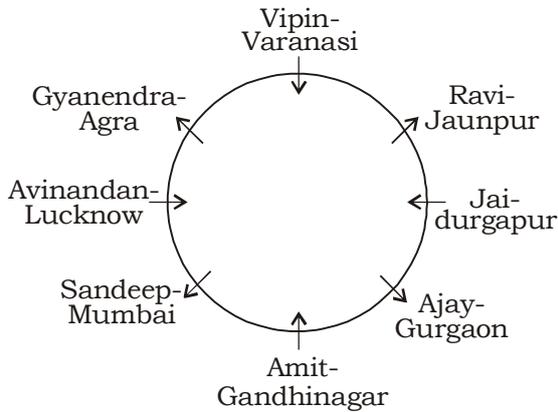
**REASONING**

(1-5) :

| Days      | Shop | No. of Motors |
|-----------|------|---------------|
| Monday    | P    | 6             |
| Tuesday   | Q    | 4             |
| Wednesday | S    | 12            |
| Thursday  | O    | 18            |
| Friday    | R    | 27            |
| Saturday  | N    | 15            |
| Sunday    | M    | 9             |

1. (5)      2. (3)      3. (1)      4. (1)      5. (4)

(6-11) :



6. (3)      7. (3)      8. (3)      9. (2)      10. (5)      11. (3)

(12 - 16) :

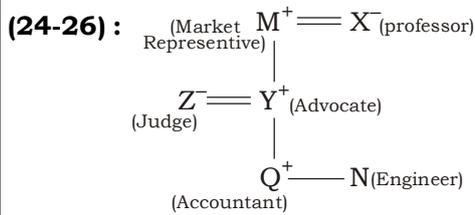
| Class | Student | Gender | Rank |
|-------|---------|--------|------|
| I     | Q       | M      | 1    |
|       | V       | M      | 2    |
|       | S       | F      | 3    |
| II    | X       | F      | 1/3  |
|       | P       | M      | 2    |
|       | U       | F      | 3/1  |
| III   | R       | M      | 1    |
|       | W       | F      | 2    |
|       | T       | M      | 3    |

12. (5)      13. (5)      14. (3)      15. (1)      16. (4)

**(17-21) :**

| Floor No | Person |
|----------|--------|
| 8        | O      |
| 7        | I      |
| 6        | N      |
| 5        | B      |
| 4        | T      |
| 3        | H      |
| 2        | E      |
| 1        | C      |

17. (3)      18. (3)      19. (2)      20. (2)      21. (4)      22. (5)      23. (3)



24. (4)      25. (4)      26. (3)

**(27-31) :**

- \$ → ≤  
 ~ → ≥  
 # → >  
 % → <  
 @ → =

27. (2)  $B > A \geq N \leq K < L > O \geq T > U = S$   
 I.  $B \geq O \rightarrow$  false  
 II.  $L > S \rightarrow$  True  
 III.  $N < L \rightarrow$  True  
 Only II and III are true
28. (5) I.  $U < O \rightarrow$  True  
 II.  $U = O \rightarrow$  False  
 III.  $L > S \rightarrow$  True
29. (1)  $A > C \geq F > E < B$   
 $C \geq B$   
 I.  $A > F \rightarrow$  True  
 II.  $B > C \rightarrow$  doubt  
 Only I is true
30. (1)  $J > Q > U < R \leq T > C$   
 I.  $T > U \rightarrow$  True  
 II.  $J > C \rightarrow$  False
31. (4)  $N > O \geq M > P$   
 $Q > D$   
 I.  $N \geq D \rightarrow$  False  
 II.  $N > P \rightarrow$  True  
 Only II is true.

32. (1) From I -  $\begin{array}{ccccccc} & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \\ & | & | & | & | & | & \\ A & C & B & E & D & & \end{array}$

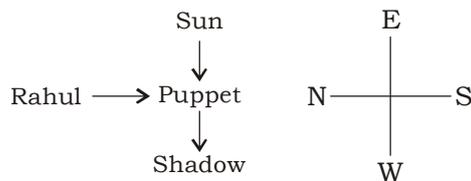
33. (1) From I -  
distance b/w A and B in house =  $(4 \times 6) \times 3$  km = 30 km  
From II -

We conclude that if A's speed is  $x$  km/hr, then B's speed =  $\left(\frac{3}{2}x\right)$  km/hr. But the actual speed of of time of them can not be ascertained.

34. (5)

35. (3) Early morning sun rises in the east and shadow of an object/person at this time fall exactly behind it.

from I, Romesh and puppet are facing each other. The shadow of puppet falls to the right of Romesh and hence to the left of the puppet. thus sun is to the right of puppet. But the sun is in the east so puppet is facing north and thus Romesh is facing south.



From II, Turn left the shadow falls behind Romesh. This mean Romesh faces the sun (i.e east) on turning left. Thus Rahul facing south.

### MATHS

36. (3)  $? \approx 8800 \div 340 \times \sqrt{49}$   
 $= 25.9 \times 7 = 181.3 \approx 180$

37. (2)  $?^2 = \sqrt[3]{54821} \times (303 \div 8)$

$$?^2 = \sqrt[3]{54872} \times 38$$

$$?^2 = 38 \times 38$$

$$\therefore ? = 38$$

38. (3)  $? = \frac{4011.33 \times 5}{8} + \frac{3411.22 \times 7}{10}$

$$\approx \frac{4000 \times 5}{8} + \frac{3400 \times 7}{10}$$

$$= 2500 + 2380 = 4880 \approx 4890$$

39. (5)  $? = \frac{6783 \times 23}{100} + \frac{8431 \times 57}{100}$

$$\approx \frac{6800 \times 23}{100} + \frac{8400 \times 57}{100}$$

$$= 1564 + 4788 = 6352 \approx 6360$$

40. (1)  $? \approx 335 \times 245 \div 55 = 1492.27 \approx 1490$

**(41-45):**

41. (4) The total number of tourists in

**Varanasi** = 1500 + 2500 + 3500 + 1000 + 1500 + 2500 = 12500

**Gaya** = 3000 + 2500 + 500 + 1500 + 3000 + 5000 = 15500

**Agra** = 2500 + 3500 + 1000 + 4500 + 4000 + 1500 = 17000

**Jaipur** = 2000 + 4000 + 4500 + 5000 + 3500 + 4000 = 23000

Required answer is Jaipur.

42. (2) The number of tourists who came more than once in the year

**2007** =  $1500 \times \frac{25}{100} + 3000 \times \frac{20}{100} + 2500 \times \frac{10}{100} + 2000 \times \frac{15}{100} = 375 + 600 + 250 + 300 = 1525$

**2008** =  $2500 \times \frac{30}{100} + 2500 \times \frac{15}{100} + 3500 \times \frac{20}{100} + 4000 \times \frac{35}{100} = 750 + 375 + 700 + 1400 = 3225$

**2009** =  $3500 \times \frac{20}{100} + 500 \times \frac{25}{100} + 1000 \times \frac{30}{100} + 4500 \times \frac{35}{100} = 700 + 125 + 300 + 1575 = 2700$

**2010** =  $1000 \times \frac{10}{100} + 1500 \times \frac{25}{100} + 4500 \times \frac{40}{100} + 5000 \times \frac{15}{100} = 100 + 375 + 1800 + 750 = 3025$

Required answer is 2008.

43. (5) Total no. of tourists who came in Varanasi more than once =  $1500 \times \frac{25}{100} + 2500 \times \frac{30}{100} +$

$3500 \times \frac{20}{100} + 1000 \times \frac{10}{100} + 1500 \times \frac{5}{100} + 2500 \times \frac{15}{100}$

= 375 + 750 + 700 + 100 + 750 + 375 = 3050

Total no. of tourists who came in Agra more than once

=  $2500 \times \frac{10}{100} + 3500 \times \frac{20}{100} + 1000 \times \frac{30}{100} + 4500 \times \frac{40}{100} + 4000 \times \frac{20}{100} + 1500 \times \frac{30}{100}$

= 250 + 700 + 300 + 1800 + 800 + 450 = 4300

∴ Required difference = 4300 - 3050 = 1250

44. (2) No. of tourists who came in Gaya more than once in the year 2011 =  $3000 \times \frac{10}{100} = 300$

No. of tourists who came in Jaipur more than one in the 2012 =  $4000 \times \frac{35}{100} = 1400$

∴ Required ratio = 300 : 1400 = 3 : 14

45. (1) Total no. of tourists came in the year 2009 = 4500 + 3500 + 1000 + 500 = 9500

Total no. of tourists came in year 2012 = 5000 + 4000 + 2500 + 1500 = 13000

∴ Required % =  $\left[ \frac{(13000 - 9500)}{9500} \times 100 \right] \% = \left( \frac{3500}{9500} \times 100 \right) \% = 36.84\% \approx 37\%$

**(46-50):**

46. (2) The pattern of the number series is :

$9 \times 2 - 3 = 18 - 3 = 15$

$15 \times 2 - 3 = 30 - 3 = 27$

$27 \times 2 - 3 = 54 - 3 = 51$

$51 \times 2 - 3 = 102 - 3 = 99$

$99 \times 2 - 3 = 198 - 3 = \mathbf{195}$

47. (4) The pattern of the number series is :

$$13 + 8 = 21$$

$$21 + 8 + 7 = 21 + 15 = 36$$

$$36 + 15 + 7 = 36 + 22 = 58$$

$$58 + 22 + 7 = 58 + 29 = 87$$

$$87 + 29 + 7 = 87 + 36 = \mathbf{123}$$

48. (4) The pattern of the number series is :

$$7 + (2 + 0) = 9$$

$$9 + (2 + 8) = 19$$

$$19 + (10 + 16) = 45$$

$$45 + (26 + 24) = 95$$

$$95 + (50 + 32) = \mathbf{177}$$

49. (1) The pattern of the number series is :

$$14 + 1^2 = 15$$

$$15 + 2^3 = 23$$

$$23 + 3^2 = 32$$

$$32 + 4^3 = 96$$

$$96 + 5^2 = 96 + 25 = \mathbf{121}$$

50. (3) The pattern of the number series is :

$$20 + 1 \times 4 = 20 + 4 = 24$$

$$24 + 3 \times 4 = 24 + 12 = 36$$

$$36 + 5 \times 4 = 36 + 20 = 56$$

$$56 + 7 \times 4 = 56 + 28 = 84$$

$$84 + 9 \times 4 = 84 + 36 = \mathbf{120}$$

51. (3) Total water filled in 1 hour

$$= 42 + 56 - 48 = 50 \text{ litres}$$

$$\text{Water filled in 16 hours} = 16 \times 50 = 800 \text{ litres}$$

Hence the capacity of tank = 800 litres.

52. (4)           With stop       :       Without stop

Speed           40       :       50

Time            50       :       40

So, train takes 1 hours extra in every 5 hrs.

So, stop 12 minutes in each hour.

53. (1) Probability of getting sum is four.

$$\text{Favourable events} = (1, 3) (3, 1) (2, 2)$$

$$\text{Required probability} = \frac{\text{Favourable events}}{\text{Total events}} = \frac{3}{36} = \frac{1}{12}$$

54. (5)   Type A       Type A  
          614        695

$$\frac{767 \times 100}{118} = 650$$

          45           36

∴ Ratio of A : B = 5 : 4

So, type B sugar will be  $(7 \times 4) = 28 \text{ kg}$

55. (3) Let the total sum be ₹  $x$ .

$$\text{Then, } \frac{2}{3}x \times \frac{12 \times 6}{100} + \frac{1}{3}x \left(1 + \frac{10}{100}\right)^2 - \frac{x}{3} = ₹1650$$

$$\frac{48x}{100} + \frac{21x}{300} = 1650$$

$$\frac{144x + 21x}{300} = 1650$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{1650 \times 300}{165} = ₹ 3000$$

**(56 – 60):**

56. (1) Required no. of unsold Speakers in the year 2016 =  $480 \times \frac{35}{100} = 168$

57. (3) Number of computer manufactured in the year 2017 =  $190 \times \frac{110}{100} = 209$

$$\text{Percentage of computer sold in 2017} = 90 \times \frac{80}{100} = 72\%$$

$$\therefore \text{No. of unsold computer in 2017} = 209 \times \frac{28}{100} = 58.52 \approx 59$$

58. (4) Required average =  $\frac{980 \times \frac{68}{100} + 1280 \times \frac{22}{100} + 880 \times \frac{54}{100} + 440 \times \frac{18}{100}}{4}$   
 $= \frac{666.40 + 281.60 + 475.20 + 79.20}{4} = \frac{1502.40}{4} = 375.60 \approx 376$

59. (1) Total no. of unsold Speakers in 2015 and sold Laptops in the year 2014

$$= 520 \times \frac{25}{100} + 300 \times \frac{45}{100} = 130 + 135 = 265$$

$$\text{No. of unsold Mobiles in the year 2013} = 980 \times \frac{68}{100} = 666.40$$

$$\therefore \text{Required \%} = \left( \frac{265}{666.40} \times 100 \right) \% = 39.76\% \approx 40\%$$

60. (5) Total no. of sold products in the year 2013 =  $200 \times \frac{70}{100} + 240 \times \frac{75}{100} + 780 \times \frac{96}{100} + 980 \times \frac{32}{100}$   
 $= 140 + 180 + 748.80 + 313.60 = 1382.40$

$$\text{Total no. of unsold products in the year 2015} = 170 \times \frac{35}{100} + 340 \times \frac{42}{100} + 520 \times \frac{25}{100} + 880 \times \frac{54}{100}$$

$$= 59.50 + 142.80 + 130 + 475.20 = 807.50$$

$$\therefore \text{Required difference} = 1382.40 - 807.50 = 574.90 \approx 575$$

**(61-65):**

61. (2) **From statement P,**

$$x - y = 0.$$

**From statement Q,**

$$x + y = 18$$

It is possible only when  $x = y = 9$ .

62. (4) Data are inadequate.

63. (5) **From both statements,**

$$\text{Speed of boat in still water} = \frac{1}{2}(4 + 6) = 5 \text{ kmph}$$

64. (1) **From statement P**

$$\text{Priti's marks in Chemistry} = 2 \times 42 = 84$$

65. (3) **From statement P,**

$$\text{Rate} = \frac{\text{S.I} \times 100}{\text{Time} \times \text{Principal}} = \frac{1736 \times 100}{6200 \times 2} = 14\% \text{ Per annum}$$

$$\text{By using C.I.} = P \left[ \left( 1 + \frac{R}{100} \right)^T - 1 \right]$$

We get the required rate of interest.

**(66-70):**

66. (5) I.  $x^2 + 14x - 1887 = 0$

$$x^2 + 51x - 37x - 1887 = 0$$

$$x(x + 51) - 37(x + 51) = 0$$

$$(x - 37)(x + 51) = 0$$

$$x = 37, -51$$

$$\text{II. } y^2 - 49y + 444 = 0$$

$$y^2 - 37y - 12y + 444 = 0$$

$$y(y - 37) - 12(y - 37) = 0$$

$$(y - 12)(y - 37) = 0$$

$$y = 12, 37$$

67. (5) I.  $2x^4 - 36x^2 + 162 = 0$

$$x^4 - 18x^2 + 81 = 0$$

$$x^4 - 9x^2 - 9x^2 + 81 = 0$$

$$x^2(x^2 - 9) - 9(x^2 - 9) = 0$$

$$(x^2 - 9)(x^2 - 9) = 0$$

$$x = +3, -3$$

$$\text{II. } 3y^4 - 75y^2 + 432 = 0$$

$$y^4 - 25y^2 + 144 = 0$$

$$y^4 - 16y^2 - 9y^2 + 144 = 0$$

$$y^2(y^2 - 16) - 9(y^2 - 16) = 0$$

$$(y^2 - 9)(y^2 - 16) = 0$$

$$y = +3, -3, +4, -4$$

68. (4) I.  $x^2 - 19x + 84 = 0$

$$x^2 - 12x - 7x + 84 = 0$$

$$x(x - 12) - 7(x - 12) = 0$$

$$(x - 7)(x - 12) = 0$$

$$x = 7, 12$$

$$\text{II. } y^2 - 25y + 156 = 0$$

$$y^2 - 13y - 12y + 156 = 0$$

$$y(y - 13) - 12(y - 13) = 0$$

$$(y - 12)(y - 13) = 0$$

$$y = 12, 13$$

Clearly,  $x \leq y$

69. (2) I.  $72 - 30x = -2x^2$   
 $2x^2 - 30x + 72 = 0$   
 $x^2 - 15x + 36 = 0$   
 $x^2 - 12x - 3x + 36 = 0$   
 $x(x - 12) - 3(x - 12) = 0$   
 $(x - 3)(x - 12) = 0$   
 $x = 3, 12$

II.  $y^2 - \frac{40}{6} = \frac{7}{3}$

$y^2 - \frac{20}{3} = \frac{7}{3}$

$y^2 = \frac{7}{3} + \frac{20}{3}$

$y^2 = \frac{27}{3} = 9$

$y = +3, -3$

Clearly,  $x \geq y$

70. (3) I.  $10x^2 + 42x + 44 = 0$   
 $5x^2 + 21x + 22 = 0$   
 $5x^2 + 10x + 11x + 22 = 0$   
 $5x(x + 2) + 11(x + 2) = 0$   
 $(5x + 11)(x + 2) = 0$

$x = -\frac{11}{5}, -2$

II.  $6y^2 - 16y + 8 = 0$

$3y^2 - 8y + 4 = 0$

$3y^2 - 6y - 2y + 4 = 0$

$3y(y - 2) - 2(y - 2) = 0$

$(3y - 2)(y - 2) = 0$

$y = \frac{2}{3}, 2$

Clearly,  $x < y$

**ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

91. (2) 'were' Replace with 'was'.  
 92. (3) 'were' Replace with 'are'.  
 93. (1) 'Put on' Replace with 'put up'.  
 94. (1) 'falling in' Replace with 'fall in'.  
 95. (2) 'Licenses for' Replace with 'Licenses to'.  
 96. (5) No error.  
 97. (2) 'in' Replace with 'to'.  
 98. (2) 'Persist' Replace with 'Persisted'.  
 99. (1) 'Not only' come after 'the judge'.  
 100. (3) 'in' Replace with 'of'.

**VOCABULARIES**

| <b>Words</b>   | <b>Meaning in English</b>                            | <b>Meaning in Hindi</b>    |
|----------------|--|----------------------------|
| Depressing     | make fell utterly dejected                           | निराशाजनक/उदास             |
| Variegated     | especially as irregular patches                      | विभिन्न/विविधतापूर्ण       |
| Inroads        | a hostile attack                                     | अक्रमण/दखलंदाजी            |
| Solely         | Without any others being involved                    | अकेले                      |
| Proliferate    | increase rapidly in number                           | संख्या में बढ़ना           |
| Beverage       | a drink, especially one other than water             | पेय पदार्थ/मादक पेय        |
| Authenticity   | the quality of being real                            | वास्तविकता/सत्यता          |
| Outpace        | Surpass in speed                                     | से तेजी से बढ़ना/आगे बढ़ना |
| Squeezed       | firmly press (something soft)                        | निचोड़ा हुआ                |
| 'A handful of' | a quantity that fills the hand                       | मुट्ठी भर                  |
| falsify        | prove to be false                                    | गलत साबित करना             |
| Immolates      | kill or offer as a sacrifice (especially by burning) | बलिदान देना                |
| Revealing      | make known to others                                 | खुलासा करना                |
| Countermand    | cancel officialy                                     | रद्द करना                  |
| Obstruction    | the action of interrupt                              | रूकावट/बाधा                |
| Acquitted      | declared not guilty                                  | विमुक्त/अपराधमुक्त         |

**IBPS PO SPECIAL PHASE - I - 343 (ANSWER KEY)**

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