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IBPS PO SPECIAL PHASE -I MOCK TEST - 267 (SOLUTION)

REASONING

1. (4) Given statements:

$$H \ge W < M$$
 ...(i)

$$N = P > H$$
 ...(ii)

$$K \le L < N$$
 ...(iii)

Combining all these statements, we get

$$K \le L < N = P > H \ge W < M$$

Thus, N > W is true

 $M \ge N$ is not true.

K = H is not true.

Again, L < P or P > L is true.

Hence only I and IV are true.

2. (2) Given statements:

$$G = C \ge P = T$$
 ...(i)

$$U \leq N = J < G$$
 ...(ii)

Combining both statements, we get

$$U \le N = J \le G = C \ge P = T$$

Thus, $U \le P$ is not true.

Again, N < G or G > N is true.

 $G \ge T$ is true.

U < G is true.

Hence only II, III and IV are true.

3. (2) Given statements:

$$R < S < Q = P$$

$$T = U > E \ge P$$

Combining both statements, we get

$$R \le S < Q = P \le E < U = T$$

Thus, S > T is not true.

E < Q is not true.

S < U is true.

R < T or T > R is true.

Hence, only III and IV are true

4. (5) Given statements:

$$C \ge D = E < G$$

$$L \ge T > N = G$$

Combining both statements, we get

$$C > D = E < G = N < T < L$$

Thus. D < T or T > D is true.

E < L or L > E true.

 $C \ge T$ is not true.

D < E is not true.

Hence, only I and II are true

5. (4) Given statements:

$$W < V = Q < R$$

$$P > S = T > W$$

Combining both statements, we get

$$P > S = T \ge W \le V = Q < R$$

Thus, $P \leq Q$ is not true.

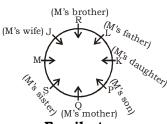
 $S \leq V$ is not true.

 $R \leq T$ is not true.

P > V is not true.

Hence, none is true.

(6-10):



Family tree

$$\begin{array}{c} L(+) \Leftrightarrow Q(-) \\ | \\ R(+) \longrightarrow S(-) \longrightarrow M(+) \Leftrightarrow J(-) \\ K(-) & P(+) \end{array}$$

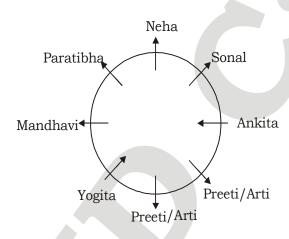
6. (2) 9. (3) 7. (3) 10. (5) 8. (5)

(11-12):

11. (4)

12. (3)

Solution (13 – 17):



- 13. (2)
- 14. (2)
- 15. (1)

- 16. (5)
- 17. (2)
- 18. (1) P' lives on the Top floor of building.
- 19. (1) 'Q' lives on the Second floor.
- 20. (2) 'RSP' do not follow any symmetry of arrangement.
- 21. (5) None as no one lives below's. S is on first floor.
- 22. (3) Four floors are between 'T' & 'Q'.

(23-27):



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| Student | College | Subject |
|---------|---------|------------|
| P(+) | В | MBA |
| Q(-) | A | BCA |
| R(-) | В | Medicine |
| S(+) | A | Journalism |
| T(+) | A | BCA |
| W(+) | С | Aviation |
| Z(-) | С | Medicine |

23. (5) RZ

24. (1)

25. (1)

26. (4)

27. (2)

(28-32):

The machine rearranges one word and one number in each step. As for word, the words are arranged in alphabetical order while for numbers, perfect square and non-perfect square come in each alternate step in ascending order.

Input: ink 17 silent 100 burn 15 49 June 25 queen 64 3 firefox 20 time

Step I: burn 25 ink 17 silent 100.15 49 June queen 64 3 firefox 20 time

Step II: burn 25 firefox 3 ink 17 silent 100 15 49 June queen 64 20 time

Step III: burn 25 firefox 3 ink 49 17 silent 100 15 June queen 64 20 time

Step IV: burn 25 firefox 3 ink 49 June 15 17 silent 100 queen 64 20 time

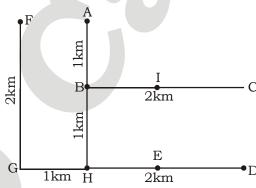
Step V: burn 25 firefox 3 ink 49 June 15 queen 64 17 silent 100 20 time

Step VI: burn 25 firefox 3 ink 49 June 15 queen 64 silent 17 100 20 time **Step VII:** burn 25 firefox 3 ink 49 June 15 queen 64 silent 17 time 100 20

28. (2) 29. (2) 30. (2)

31. (1) 32. (2)

(33-35):



33. (3) Required distance = GH + HE = 1 + 1

MATHS

36. (4) ?
$$\approx 1548 + 3065 \times \frac{1}{15}$$

= 1548 + 204.33 = 1752.33 ≈ 1750

37. (5)
$$\approx 250 \times \frac{32}{5} \approx 2400 \times ?$$

$$\Rightarrow ? \approx \frac{1600}{2400} = \frac{2}{3}$$



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38. (1)
$$? = \frac{695 \times 39 \times 10}{100} = 2710.5 \approx 2800$$

39. (3)
$$6 \times 1.414 + 14.275 = 196.35 \times ?$$

 $\Rightarrow 22.759 = 196.35 \times ?$

$$\Rightarrow ? = \frac{22.759}{196.35} \approx \frac{1}{8}$$

40. (3) ?
$$\approx 1525 \times 20 + 495$$

= 30500 + 495 = 30995 ≈ 31000

(41-50):

41. (2) Required ratio =
$$200 \times \frac{120}{100} : 320$$

43. (5) Required average =
$$\frac{240 + 210 + 140 + 230}{4}$$

$$= \frac{820}{4} = 210$$

44. (2) Required % =
$$\left(\frac{350 - 210}{350} \times 100\right)$$
%

$$= \left(\frac{140}{350} \times 100\right)\%$$

45. (2) Required % =
$$\left(\frac{580 - 280}{260} \times 100\right)$$
%

$$3 + 7^2 = 3 + 49 = 52$$

$$52 + 6^2 = 52 + 36 = 88$$

$$88 + 5^2 = 88 + 25 = 113$$

$$113 + 4^2 = 113 + 16 = 129$$

$$129 + 3^2 = 129 + 9 = 138$$

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

$$2 \times 1 + 1 = 52$$

$$3 \times 2 + 2 = 8$$

$$8 \times 3 + 3 = 27$$

$$27 \times 4 + 4 = 112$$

$$112 \times 5 + 5 = 565$$

$$6 \times 0.5 + 1 = 4$$

$$4 \times 1.5 + 2 = 8$$

$$8 \times 2.5 + 3 = 23$$

$$23 \times 35 + 4 = 845$$



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

$$2^3 = 8;$$

$$4^3 = 64$$

$$6^3 = 216$$
;

$$8^3 = 512$$

$$10^3 = 1000$$
; **12³ = 1728**

50.

$$5 \times 1 + 1 \times 6 = 11$$

$$11 \times 2 + 2 \times 5 = 32$$

$$32 \times 3 + 3 \times 4 = 108$$

$$108 \times 4 + 4 \times 3 = 444$$

$$444 \times 5 + 5 \times 2 = 2230$$

51. (3) Suppose a container contains x units of liquid from which y units are taken out and replaced by water. After *n* operations, the quantity of pure liquid

$$= x \left(1 - \frac{y}{x}\right)^n$$
 units

Remaining water

$$=30\left(1-\frac{3}{30}\right)^{2}$$

$$=\frac{30\times9\times9}{100}$$
 = 24.3 litres

(3) Let there were x students, then contribution of one student = $\frac{500}{100}$

Contribution of each students where 5 of them have left = $\frac{500}{(x-5)}$

Given,
$$\frac{500}{(x-5)} - \frac{500}{x} = 5$$

using options, we find x = 25 satisfies the equation. Therefore, number of students who attended the picnic

$$=(25-5)=20.$$

53. (3) Tricky approach

Let the number be 13x and 13y where x and y are prime to each other.

$$\therefore 13x \times 13y = 2028$$

$$\Rightarrow xy = \frac{2028}{13 \times 13} = 12 = 3 \times 4$$

- : Numbers = $13 \times 3 = 39$ and $13 \times 4 = 52$
- : Sum of numbers = 39 + 52 = 91
- 54. (3) Let the length, breadth and height of the cuboid be a, b and c cm respectively.

$$2 (ab + bc + ca) = 22$$

and,
$$4(a + b + c) = 24$$

$$\Rightarrow a + b + c = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $(a + b + c)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2ac + 2bc$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 36 = $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 22$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 14$$



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$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2} = \sqrt{14}$$

- = Diagonal of cuboid
- 55. (1) Let the number be (765x + 42).

When this numbe is divided by 17, then quotient will be (45x + 2) and remainder will be 8.

56. (1) Required average

$$=\ \frac{3297+2523+2860+2660+2770+2665+2899}{7}$$

$$=\frac{19674}{7}$$

= \$ 2810.57 million

 \approx \$ 2811 million

57. (2) Required average value

$$=\frac{3034+3210+3106+3200+2984}{5}$$

$$=\frac{15534}{5}$$

= \$ 3106.8 million

58. (5) Required % =
$$\frac{(2860 - 2523)}{2523} \times 100\%$$

$$= \frac{337}{2523} \times 100\%$$

59. (5) Required change in trade gap

$$=\frac{(2770-2665)}{2770}\times100\%$$

60. (1) Required difference

$$= (3464+3034+3210) - (3106+3200+2984)$$

61. (1) Let their initial investments be Rs. x, Rs. 3x and Rs. 5x respectively.

Then, A:B:C

$$= (x \times 4 + 2x \times 8) : (3x \times 4 + \frac{3x}{2} \times 8)$$

:
$$(5x \times 4 + \frac{5x}{2} \times 8)$$

$$= (4x + 16x) : (12x + 12x) : (20x + 20x)$$

$$= 20x : 24x : 40x = 5 : 6 : 10$$

62. (4) Water Pulp

Fresh grapes 4x x

Dry grapes y = 9y

Pulp in dry grapes =
$$\frac{250 \times 90}{100}$$
 = 225 kg.

$$\therefore x = 9y = 225 \text{ kg}.$$

 \therefore Weight of fresh grapes = 5x



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63. (2) According to question,

$$(2M + 7C)$$
's 1 day work = $\frac{1}{4}$

It means that 1 work will be finished by (8M + 28C)

Again,
$$(4M + 4C)$$
's 1 day's work = $\frac{1}{3}$

or 1 work will be completed by 12M + 12C

$$\therefore 8M + 28C = 12M + 12C$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 M = 4C

$$\therefore$$
 4M + 4C = 5M

Since, 5 M complete a work in 3 days. Then, 1 M will complete it in 15 days.

64. (1) Sum lent at 6% rate of interest = ₹ x

$$S.I. = 19000 - 16800$$

$$\therefore \frac{x \times 6 \times 2}{100} + \frac{(16800 - x) \times 8 \times 2}{100} = \text{ } 2200$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 12x + 16800 × 16 - 16x = 220000

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 268800 - 220000$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 4x = 48800

65. (5) Let the original cost price be ₹ 100.

Required percentage

$$= \left(\frac{295}{420} \times 100\right)\% = 70.23\%$$

66. (1) I.
$$x^2 + 5x + 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2x + 3x + 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x+2) + 3(x+2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $(x + 3) (x + 2) = 0$

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

II.
$$y^2 + 7y + 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 + 4y + 3y + 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y(y+4)+3(y+4)=0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y+3)(y+4)=0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 y = -3 or -4

Clearly
$$x \ge y$$

67. (4) I.
$$x^2 - 9x + 20 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 5x - 4x + 20 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x-5)-4(x-5)=0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $(x-4)(x-5)=0$

$$\Rightarrow x = 4 \text{ or } 5$$

II.
$$y^2 - 13y + 42 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 7y - 6y + 42 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y(y-7)-6(y-7)=0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $(y-6)(y-7)=0$

$$\Rightarrow y = 6 \text{ or } 7$$

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Clearly x < y

68. (4)
$$2x + 3y = 14$$
I
 $4x + 2y = 16$ II
By equation (I) $\times 2$ – equation

By equation (I) × 2 – equation II, 4x + 6y - 4x - 2y = 28 - 16

$$\Rightarrow 4y = 12 \Rightarrow y = 3$$
From equation I,
$$2x + 3 \times 3 = 14$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 14 - 9 = 5 \Rightarrow x = \frac{5}{2}$$

Clearly x < y

69. (5) I.
$$x = \sqrt{625} = 25$$

II.
$$y^2 = 676$$

$$\therefore y = \pm 26$$

70. (4) I.
$$x^2 + 4x + 4 = 0$$

$$(x + 2)^2 = 0 \implies x = -2$$

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

$$\Rightarrow (y-4)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 4$$

Clearly x < y



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VOCABULARIES

| Words | Meaning in English | Meaning in Hindi |
|--------------------|---|---|
| Stature | a person's natural height. | ऊँचाई |
| Plunged | jump or dive quickly and energetically. | गोता लगाना, डूबना |
| Optimistic | hopeful and confident about the future. | आशावादी |
| Buoyant Briskly | able or apt to stay afloat or rise to the top of a liquid or gas. quickly | प्रसन्नचित्त तीव्रता से, जल्दी-जल्दी |
| Sceptics | a person inclined to question or doubt all accepted opinions. | संदेहवादी |
| Spurred | urge (a horse) forward by digging one's spurs into its sides. | उकसाना, उत्तेजित करना |
| Boosted | help or encourage (something) to increase or improve. | बढ़ावा |
| Vigorously | in a way that involves physical strength, effort, or energy; strenuously. | उत्साह सहित |
| Deflated | let air or gas out of (a tire, balloon, or similar object). | खंडन करना |
| Haphazard | lacking any obvious principle of organization. | बेतरबीत |
| discarded | get rid of (someone or something) as no longer useful or desirable. | दुकराना, नामंजूर करना |
| Peanuts | the oval seed of a South American plant, widely roasted and salted and eaten as a snack | मूंगफली |



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