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National Talent Search Examination - 2016

State Level Test - 2016

Class – X

MENTAL ABILITY AND SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 200

Instructions for candidates:-

- 1. This exam is in two parts.
- 2. Part-I is related to Mental Ability Test.
- 3. Part-II relates to Scholastic Aptitude Test. It consists 3. ਦੂਜਾ ਭਾਗ ਵਿਸ਼ਿਆਂ ਦੀ ਯੋਗਤਾ ਨਾਲ ਸੰਬੰਧਤ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਵਿੱਚ of nine subjects, details of which are given below:-
 - Physics i)
- Chemistry ii)
- iii) Biology
- Mathematics iv)
- History
- vi) Geography
- vii) Civics
- viii) Economics
- ix) English
- 4. Each question carries one mark. All questions are compulsory.
- 5. You have been provided with a answer sheet (OMR) for this question paper. Darken the correct option of each question in the answer sheet (OMR) with black/blueink.
- 6. Rough work may be done on the blank space
- 7. There is no negative marking in this question paper.
- 8. Do not use white fluid on OMR Answer Sheet.

ਉਮੀਦਵਾਰਾਂ ਲਈ ਹਦਾਇਤਾਂ:

- ਇਹ ਪ੍ਰੀਖਿਆ ਦੋ ਭਾਗਾਂ ਵਿੱਚ ਹੈ।
- ਪਹਿਲਾ ਭਾਗ ਮਾਨਸਿਕ ਯੋਗਤਾ ਨਾਲ ਸੰਬੰਧਤ ਹੈ।
- ਨੌਂ ਵਿਸ਼ੇ ਹਨ, ਜਿਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਦਾ ਵੇਰਵਾ ਹੇਠ ਦਿੱਤਾ ਹੈ-
 - ਭੌਤਿਕ ਵਿਗਿਆਨ ii) ਰਸਾਇਣ ਵਿਗਿਆਨ
 - iii) ਜੀਵ ਵਿਗਿਆਨ
 - iv) ਗਣਿਤ
 - v) ਇਤਿਹਾਸ
- vi) ਭਗੋਲ
- vii) ਨਾਗਰਿਕ ਸ਼ਾਸਤਰ viii) ਅਰਥ ਸ਼ਾਸਤਰ
- ix) ਅੰਗ੍ਰੇਜ਼ੀ
- ਹਰ ਇੱਕ ਪ੍ਰਸ਼ਨ ਦਾ ਇੱਕ ਅੰਗ ਹੈ।ਸਾਰੇ ਪ੍ਰਸ਼ਨ ਜ਼ਰੂਰੀ ਹਨ।
- 5. ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਇਸ ਪ੍ਰਸ਼ਨ ਪੱਤਰ ਲਈ ਉੱਤਰ ਸ਼ੀਟ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ। ਉੱਤਰ ਸ਼ੀਟ (ਓ ਐਮ ਆਰ) ਵਿੱਚ ਪਸ਼ਨ ਦੇ ਸਹੀ ਉੱਤਰ ਨੂੰ ਕਾਲੀ/ਨੀਲੀ ਸਿਆਹੀ ਨਾਲ ਭਰ ਕੇ ਦਰਸਾਓ।
- ਕੱਚਾ ਕੰਮ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਗਈ ਖਾਲੀ ਥਾਂ ਤੇ ਕਰਨਾ ਹੈ।
- 7. ਇਸ ਪ੍ਰਸ਼ਨ ਪੱਤਰ ਵਿੱਖ ਰਿਣਾਤਮਕ (ਨੈਗੇਟਿਵ) ਮਾਰਕਿੰਗ ਨਹੀਂ
- 8. ਉੱਤਰ ਸ਼ੀਟ (ਓ ਐਮ ਆਰ) ਉਪਰ ਵਾਸੀਟ ਫਲਿਉਡ ਦੀ ਵਰਤੋਂ ਨਾ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾਵੇ।

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MENTAL ABILITY

Directions (Q.1-6): There is a number series following a Pattern. One place is left blank. Find the correct answer from the options.

1. 42, 48, 60, 66, 78 ____

(A) 68

(B) 93

(C) 101

(D) 104

2. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{3}{5}, \frac{4}{5\sqrt{5}}, \frac{5}{25}, ?$

(A) $\frac{6}{5\sqrt{5}}$

(B) $\frac{6}{125}$

(C) $\frac{7}{25}$

(D) $\frac{6}{25\sqrt{5}}$

3. 15, 31, 64, 131, <u>?</u>

(A) 266

(B) 256

(C) 192

(D) 524

4. In a certain code language "HEALTH" is written as GSKZDG, then how will "North" be written in that code?

(A) OPSUI

(B) GSQNM

(C) FRPML

(D) IUSPO

5. In a certain code language if 'SIR' is written as 'PSPIPR then 'MAN' can be written as

(A) PMANP

(B) PMPAPN

(C) MANP

(D) MPANP

6. Arrange the following words according to dictionary arrangement

(A) Eagle

(B) Earth

(C) Eager

(D) Early

(E) Each

(1) a, e, b, d, c

(2) b, a, d, c, e

(3) b, c, e, d, a

(4) e, c, a, d, b

Directions (Q.7-8): The letters given below follow a definite pattern. Find out the missing letters to complete the pattern.

7. ba _ cb _ b_ bab _

(A) ca bb

(B) ac bb

(C) bc aa

(D) ba cc

8. ab _ _ baa _ _ ab _

(A) baabb

(B) aabab

(C) aaaaa

(D) aabaa

9. Select the combination of numbers so that the letters arranged accordingly will form a meaningful word

D

F

E

4

R N 5 6

1 2 3 (A) 1, 4, 3, 6, 2, 5

Т

(B) 6, 4, 3, 5, 2, 1

(C) 3, 5, 2, 4, 6, 1

(D) 5, 4, 3, 2, 6, 1

Direction: In the question (Q.10-11): some symbols have been given different meanings Read them Properly and answer the questions with accurate options.

÷ means >

- means =

= means <

 Δ means +

< means ×

> means -

+ means ÷

- 10. (A) $6\Delta 3 < 5 \div 4 < 2\Delta 6$
 - (C) $8+4>5\div 4+2\Delta 6$

(B) $6 < 3\Delta 5 = 4 + 2 < 6$ (D) $6+3>5\div 4+2\Delta 6$

11. (A) 2 < 4 < 5 - 6 + 3 < 2 (B) $2\Delta 4 < 5 \div 6 < 3 < 2$

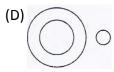
(C) 2 > 4 > 5 = 6 + 2 < 2

- (D) $2 < 4\Delta 5 = 6\Delta 3 > 2$
- 12. Some students are sitting in row. B is sitting on the extreme left of the row, K is sitting between V and R, V is sitting next to M, M is sitting next to B and Q is sitting next to R, who are sitting adjacent to V?
 - (A) Q and K
- (B) R and Q
- (C) M and K
- (D) K and R
- 13. Which figure represents sparrows, Birds and Mice?

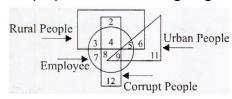








14. Find the urban, corrupt employee in the following diagram:



- (A) 11
- (B)9

(C)7

- (D) 12
- 15. A is taller than B but shorter than C, D is taller than A but shorter than C, E is taller than B but shorter than A. Who is the tallest among them?
 - (A) D

(B) C

(C) B

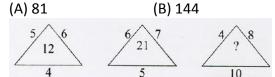
(D) A

Directions (Q: 16-19) What will come in place of question mark (?)

16.

44	64	100
34	49	169
54	81	ý

17.



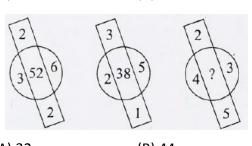
- (B) 22
- (C) 42

(C) 225

(D) 32

(D) 64

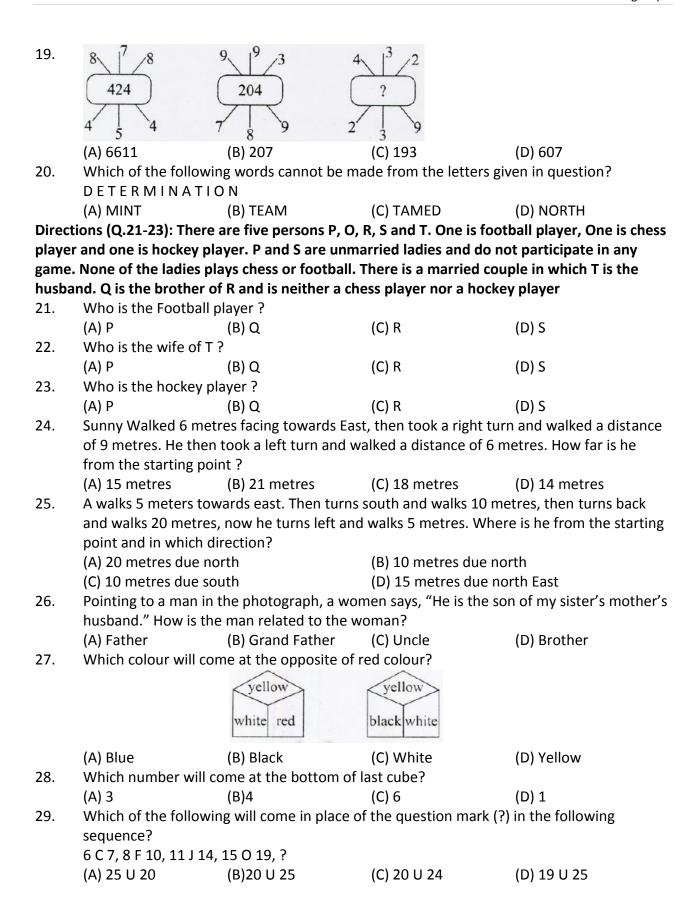
18.



(A) 32

(A) 30

- (B) 44
- (C) 61
- (D) 53



							Рав	g e :
30.	ADG, GJM, MPS, 1	?						
	(A) SVW	(B) SV	Υ			(C) SUW	(D) SWY	
31.	A person is to clin	nb up a tre	e 60 f	feet h	igh,	in every second	l, he climbs 5 feet, but slips	4
	feet, after how m	any second	ds, he	will	oe a	ble to touch the	top of the tree.	
	(A) 60	(B) 59				(C) 58	(D) 56	
Direc	ctions (Q.32-34): que	estions are	base	d on	the	sum of multipli	cation. Solve it and answer	r the
seria	I number for correct	t option.						
			Α	В С	D	E		
					Х	4		
			E	D C	В	A		
32.	Value of A is?							
	(A) 7	(B) 2				(C) 8	(D) 4	
33.	Value of B is?							
	(A) 9	(B) 8				(C) 1	(D) 6	
34.	Value of D is?							
	(A) 3	(B) 4				(C) 5	(D)7	
		=				_	n of a block as shown in figu	ure.
All th	ne visible surfaces of	f the block	exce	pt the	e bo	ttom are painte	ed.	
			4	7				

- 35. How many Cubes have no face painted?
 - (A) 27
- (B) 32
- (C) 36
- (D) 40

- 36. How many cubes have only one face Painted?
 - (A) 9

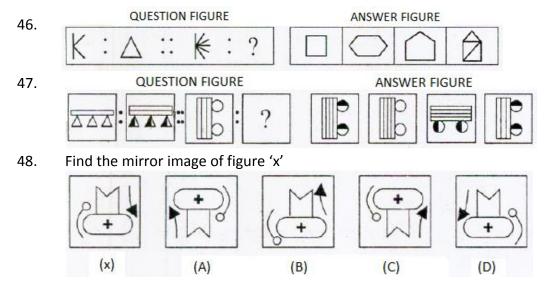
- (B) 45
- (C) 57
- (D) 62

- 37. How many cubes have only two faces Painted?
 - (A) 0

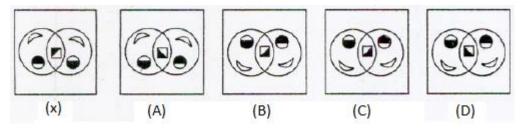
- (B) 16
- (C) 20
- (D) 24
- 38. Ramesh and Santosh are ranked Eighth and Twelfth respectively from the top in a class of 42 students. What will be their respective ranks from the bottom in the class?
 - (A) 34th and 30th
- (B) 31st and 35th
- (C) 36th and 32nd
- (D) 35th and 31st
- 39. How many such 5's are there in the following number sequence each of which is immediately preceded by 3 or 4 but not immediately followed by 8 or 9?
 - $3\,5\,9\,5\,4\,5\,5\,3\,5\,8\,4\,5\,6\,7\,3\,5\,7\,5\,5\,4\,5\,2\,3\,5\,1\,0$
 - (A) Two
- (B) Three
- (C) Four
- (D) Five

40.	Arrange the f	•	erly and cho	ose the pro	per combinati	on of sequence from
	(1) Diwali (5) Holi		dependence	day (3) Ch	ristmas	(4) Republic day
41.	(A) 1, 3, 5, 2,		5, 2, 1, 3 o figure 'x' s			(D) 4, 5, 1, 2, 3 omplete square?
				7		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
	X	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
42.	Figure 'x' is h	dden in which	of the given	four figure	es?	
	X	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
43.		among 1, 2, 3, STI <mark>ON FIGURE</mark>	4 will replac	-	tion mark acco	
	000		?	∆□0 C		
		2 2 T		(A)	(B) (C)	(D)
44.		figures in the f put the entire	_		of Position an	d require inter changing
				C	100 pt 1	0
		(1)	2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
	(A) 2 and 3	, ,	and 4	(C) 1 a		(D) 4 and 5
45.		nong them fulf	-	ne conditio	s followed by f ons as in proble VER FIGURE	our answer figure, only em figure.
		2		0<	100	
	T	>	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)

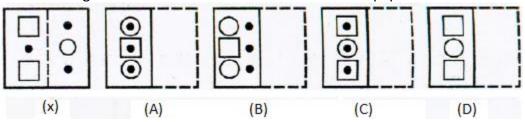
Directions (Q.46-47): In each of the following questions there is a relationship between two figures on the left side of the sign ::, The same relations ship exists between the two, to the right side of sign ::, find the correct alternative.



49. Find the water Image of figure 'x'



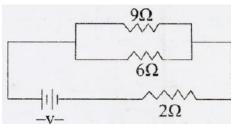
50. A square transparent paper with a pattern is given. Find out from amongst the four alternative figures which would be like the one when the paper is folded at dotted line.



SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE

Physics

- 51. A satellite having circular orbit about the earth has a kinetic energy Ex. What is the minimum amount of energy to be added so that it escapes from the earth.
 - (A) $\frac{Ex}{4}$
- (B) $\frac{Ex}{2}$
- (C) Ex
- (D) 2 Ex
- 52. If power dissipated in the 9Ω resistor in the circuit is 36 watt. The potential difference across the 2Ω resistor is-



- (A) 4 volt
- (B) 8 volt
- (C) 10 volt
- (D) 2 volt
- 53. A ball is released from the top of tower of height h meter. It takes T seconds to reach the ground. What is the position of the ball at T/3 second?
 - (A) $\frac{h}{9}$ m from ground

(B) $\frac{7h}{9}$ m from the ground

(C) $\frac{8h}{9}$ m from ground

- (D) $\frac{17h}{9}$ m from the ground
- 54. A particle undergo uniform circular motion. About which point on the plane of the circle will be angular momentum of the particle remains conserved.
 - (A) Centre of the circle

(B) On the circumstance of circle

(C) Inside the circle

- (D) Outside the circle
- 55. A body has mass 100 kg, what work has to done to increase its velocity from 2m/s to 6m/s.
 - (A) 100 J
- (B) 200 J
- (C) 1600 J
- (D) 600 J
- 56. 1 dioptre is the power of a lens whose focal length is
 - (A) 2 m
- (B) 1 m
- (C) 3 m
- (D) 1.5 m
- 57. The essential difference between AC generator and DC generator is
 - (A) DC generator will generate a higher voltage
 - (B) AC generator will generate a higher voltage
 - (C) AC generator has slip rings while DC generator has a commutator.
 - (D) AC generator has electric magnet where as DC generator has permanent magnet.
- 58. A bullet of mass 60 gm moving with the velocity of 500 m/s is brought to rest in 0.01 sec. Its impulse will be-
 - (A) 40 NS
- (B) -30NS
- (C) -20NS
- (D) + 30NS
- 59. The radioactive decay of Uranium into Thorium is represented by equation.
 - $U \xrightarrow{238} Th+x$ What will be x
 - (A) electron
- (B) proton
- (C) alpha particle
- (D) neutron

60.		1 kg and 2 kg are susp ively. Find the ratio of		pport by threads of length			
	(A) 4	(B) 8	(C) 2	(D) 12			
61.	An electron and prot experiences more fo	-	eld with equal velociti	es. Which one of them			
	(A) electron		(B) proton				
	(C) It cannot be pred		(D) Both experiences				
62.	size of the object (A) At the principal for	ocus of the lens	of convex lens to get a	a real image of the same			
	(B) At twice the focal(C) At infinity	length					
	• •	centre of the lens and	its principal focus				
63.	The value of 45°c ter	nperature in Fahrenhe	eit will be				
	(A) 118°F	(B) 113°F	(C) 120°F	(D) 115°F			
		Chemi	istry				
64.	You are given a solut		•	think cannot displace, Ag			
	from AgNO ₃ solution.						
	(A) Magnesium	(B) Zinc	(C) Gold	(D) Copper			
65.	The atomic number of		C, D are 6, 8, 10, 12 re bond are-				
	(A) A and D	(B) B and C	(C) A and C	(D) B and D			
66.	Out of the following	pair of compounds the	e unsaturated compou	ınds are-			
	(A) C2H6andC4H6	(B) C_2H_{12} and C_5H_{12}	(C) C_4H_6 and C_6H_{12}	(D) C_2H_6 and C_4H_{10}			
67.	Which of following so character-	et of elements is writte	en in order of their inc	reasing metallic			
	(A) Mg,A1,Si	(B) C, O, N	(C) Na, Li, K	(D) Be, Mg, Ca			
68.	Which of the following (A) A colloid is a Hom	=	rect about properties of	of colloids-			
		-	mall to be individually	seen by naked eye.			
	(C) Colloids are big e visible-	nough to scatter a bea	m of light passing thro	ough it & make its path			
	(1) a,b,c are correct		(2) b and c are corre	ct			
	(3) a and b are correct	ct	(4) a and c are corre	ct			
69.	Assertion (A)	iliata CoCO Calotian	*hlflt:				
		·	the colour of solution	s cnanges.			
		is less reactive than irc					
	• •	correct but R is not co					
	• •	correct, R is correct re	ason for A.				
	(C) A is correct and R(D) A is oncorrect and						
	(D) A IS UNCOLLECT AIR	a it is correct.					

70.	(A) N < C < B < Be < Li (C) Li < Be < B < C < N		ling to increasing order of atomic radii. (B) C < Li < N < Be < B (D) B < Be < Li < C < N				
71.	Group 16	ng positions in periodi Group 17	c table-				
		Α					
	B (A) A is a metal	C					
	(B) C is smaller in size (C) Element A gives r	negativity charged ion					
	(1) a, b and c are corr	rect	(2) only b and c are c				
	(3) only b is correct		(4) a and c are correct	t			
72.		ng is having maximum		(D) D			
72	(A) Propanone	(B) Benzene	(C) Propene	(D) Propanol			
73.			now many other carbo	(D) 4			
 (A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 3 74. A solution contains 58.5 gm of common salt in 360 g of protons in solution. 			` '	` '			
	(A) 21x6.023x10 ²³		(B) 22.8x6.023x10 ²³				
	(C) $200x6.023x10^{23}$		(D) 228x6.023x10 ²³				
75.	A solution of calcium		• •	After two to three days of			
	(A) CaO	(B) CaCO ₃	(C) CaSO ₄	(D) $Ca(HCO_3)_2$			
76.	Which mass of O_2 (Or moles of $C\ell_2$.	xygen molecule) will co	ontain the same numb	· -/2			
	(A) 180 gm	(B) 100 gm	(C) 71 gm	(D) 80 gm			
		Biolo	gy				
77.		owing statement is tru					
	(A) In humans there are two pairs of sex chromosome.						
	• •		rom father will be a bo	•			
	• •	•	from father will be a g				
78.	• •		from father will be a g	-			
	(A) Lipase	(B) Amylase	(C) Zymase	(D) Trypsin			
79.		• •	e, salivation and vomit (C) Cerebrum				
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- 80. The correct pathway of blood in circulatory sysyem is-
 - (A) Auricles \rightarrow ventricles \rightarrow Arteries \rightarrow Veins
 - (B) Ventricles \rightarrow Auricles \rightarrow Veins \rightarrow Arteries
 - (C) Ventricles \rightarrow Veins \rightarrow Arteries \rightarrow Auricles
 - (D) Veins \rightarrow Ventricles \rightarrow Arteries \rightarrow Auricles
- 81. Heart muscle cells are-
 - (A) Round, unbranched, uninucleate
 - (B) Non cylinderical, branched and uninucleate
 - (C) Cylindrical, unbranched and multi nucleate
 - (D) Cylindrical, branched and uninucleate
- 82. Which of the following is the correct features of 'Lymph'
 - (A) It is similar to the plasma of blood, colourless and contains less protein.
 - (B) Similar to the WBC of blood, colourless and contain more protein.
 - (C) Similar to the RBC of blood and red in colour.
 - (D) It contains more fat.
- 83. Match the item in coloum-I with those in coloum-II and select the correct choice.

	Column I	Column II		
Α	Food Chain	1	Elephant	
В	Food Web	2	Jackal	
С	Herbivore	3	Series of organism feeding on one another	
D	Carnivore	4	Inter linked food chain	

- (1) A-3 D-2 B-4 C-1 (2) A-2 C-3 B-1 D-4 (3) A-1 B-2 C-3 D-4 (4) A-4 C-2 B-3 D-1
- 84. Which of the following is not a part of the female reproductive system in human beings.
 - (A) Ovary
- (B) Uterus
- (C) Vasdeferens
- (D) Fallopain tube
- 85. _____ smoothens bone surface at points and is also present in the nose, ear, trachea & larynx.
 - (A) Tendons
- (B) Ligament
- (C) Areolar tissues
- (D) Cartilage
- 86. Which of the following plant group bear naked seeds and usually perennial, evergreen and woody are-
 - (A) Pteridophyta
- (B) Gymnosperms
- (C) Bryophyte
- (D) Angiosperms
- 87. The site for complete digestion of carbohydrates, proteins and fats is-
 - (A) Large intestine
- (B) Stomach
- (C) Small Intestine
- (D) Mouth

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88.	(A) Actively dividin(B) Actively dividin(C) Actively dividin	g cells with dense cyt g cells with dense cyt	coplasm, thick cell wa coplasm, thin cell wal olasm, thin cell wall a	ind prominent nuclei.
89.		s of grass is an examp		and no vacinoies
	(A) Homologous or		(B) Analogous o	rgans
	(C) Vestigial organs		(D) Atavism	
90.		wing are sensitive to	•	
	(A) Algae	(B) Lichens	(C) Mosses	(D) Ferns
		Mati	nematics	
91.	If $\frac{37}{13} = 2 + \frac{1}{x + \frac{1}{y + \frac{1}{2}}}$	-, Where x, y, z are in	itegers, then the valu	ue of x + y + z is
	, , , , z	(5) 0	(6) 7	(5) 3
	(A) 6	(B) 8	(C) /	(D) – 2
92.		n the value of Cos^2x		
	(A) 1	(B) 0	` '	(D) – 1
93.				quation whose roots are
	$2\alpha - \frac{1}{\beta}$ and $2\beta - \frac{1}{\alpha}$	is $px^2 + qx + r = 0$ the	en p+q+ris equal to	
	(A) 2b	(B) 6a-8b	` '	(D) 0
94.	If S _n denotes the su	um of first n terms of	an A-P, then the value	ue of
	$\Big[\big(S_{3n} \! - \! S_{3n\!-\!1} \big) \! - \! \big(S_{2n}$	$-S_{2n-1}ig) $ will be		
	(A) $S_{n} - S_{n-1}$	(B) nd	(C) 0	(D) $S_{3n} - S_{n}$
95.		that the product is le		ers appearing on them is
	(A) $\frac{1}{36}$	(B) $\frac{4}{9}$	(C) $\frac{17}{36}$	(D) $\frac{2}{9}$
	30	9	36 _	9
96.				ithmetic mean of numbers
	$ax_1 + b, ax_2 + b, ax_3$	+b,,ax _n +b whe	re a and b are consta –	_
	(A) X	(B) nax+nb	(C) ax	(D) ax + b
97.	-	e of class X in that ex		t of the girls in that class is 73. Itio of number of boys to
	(A) 1:2	(B) 2:1	(C) 2:3	(D) 3 : 2
98.	The altitude of an	equilateral triangle is	pcm. The area of thi	_
	(A) p ² cm ²	(B) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ p ² cm ²	(C) $\frac{p^2}{\sqrt{3}}$ cm ²	(D) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$ p ² cm ²

99.	The sum of all the two	o digital natural numb (B) 700	ers which are divisible (C) 728	by 7 is (D) 735			
100.	The difference between two numbers is 1365. When the larger number is divided by the smaller number, the quotient is 6 and remainder is 15. Find the smaller number						
	(A) 240	(B) 270	(C) 295	(D) 300			
101.			result is number itself				
	(A) 50	(B) 60	(C) 300	(D) 400			
102.	Find the product of $\sqrt[3]{3}$, $\sqrt[4]{3}$, $\sqrt[12]{243}$		_	_			
	(A) $\sqrt{3}$	(B) 3	(C) $\sqrt[12]{3}$ (D) $\sqrt[4]{3}$	3			
103.	The sum of the ages of the age of youngest of		e intervals of 3 years of	each is 50 years. What is			
	• •			(D) 12 years			
104.		g trains is the fastest?					
	• •	• •	(C) 90 km/sec	(D) 100 km/sec			
105.	If $y=5$, then what is t	the value of $10y\sqrt{y^3-y^3}$	y ² ?				
	(A) $50\sqrt{2}$	(B) 100	(C) 200√5	(D) 500			
106.	The mean of $1^2, 2^2, 3^2$	$4^{2},5^{2},6^{2},7^{2}$, is					
	(A) 10	(B) 20	(C) 30	(D) 40			
107.	Simplify	_					
	$3\sqrt{2} + \sqrt[4]{64} + \sqrt[4]{2500} +$. 5√8					
	(A) $11\sqrt{2}$	(B) $11\sqrt[3]{2}$	(C) $\sqrt[3]{2}$ (D) 11	$\sqrt{4}$			
108.		of Δ ABC, which meets		cm, CA = ℓ cm, and AB =			
	=		Vm	$K(m \perp \ell)$			
	(A) $\frac{K\ell}{m+\ell}$	(B) $\frac{K(III + c)}{\ell}$	(C) $\frac{Km}{m+\ell}$	(D) $\frac{R(m+\epsilon)}{m}$			
109.	, and the second	9	· ·	qual to 20π cm ² then its			
100.	radius (in cm) is	more sounded sy an a	i o o i iengan oweni is e	quarto = on one then its			
	(A) 12 cm	(B) 16 cm	(C) 8 cm	(D) 10 cm			
110.			= 5cm,BC = 12cm, then	the area of in circle of			
	this triangle ABC will		(6) 122	(D) 47 ²			
	(A) $4\pi \text{cm}^2$	(B) $2\pi \text{cm}^2$	(C) $13\pi \text{cm}^2$	(D) $17\pi \text{cm}^2$			
		Histo	rv				
111.	Why was the Vietnam (A) Brought home sto	n was called the first te	•				
	(B) Led to increase sa	le of television sets					
	(C) Battle scenes were (D) Televisison was in	e shown on daily news vented.	i				

112.	, , , ,			
	-	ur country is India. Our nationality is Indian."		
	(A) Dada Bhai Naoroji	(B) Surenderanath Banerjee		
	(C) Gopal Krishan Gokhale	(D) Pherozeshah Mehta		
113.	Under which rules the sculpture of four lion	s was built on Sarnath's Pillar?		
	(A) Samudragupta	(B) Ashoka		
	(C) Chandragupta	(D) Harsharvardhana		
114.	Who was the first Viceroy of India?			
	(A) Lord Clive	(B) Warren Hastings		
	(C) Lord William Bentinck	(D) Lord Canning		
115.	To whom, Guru Gobind Singh Ji had written	Zafarnama?		
	(A) Babur	(B) Aurangzeb		
	(C) Humayun	(D) Jahangir		
116.	During India's freedom struggle which one	of the following led to the first 'All India		
	Hartal'?			
	(A) Protest against Jallianwala Bagh Massac	re		
	(B) Protest against Row Latt Act			
	(C) Trial of Mahatm Gandhi			
	(D) Arrival of Simon Commission			
117.	In 1878 the Vernacular Press Act was mode	lled on the		
	(A) French Press Laws	(B) British Press Laws		
	(C) Irish Press Laws	(D) Scottish Press Laws		
118.	Who was the famous Sultan of Lodhi Dynas	ty?		
	(A) Sikander Lodhi	(B) Ibrahim Lodhi		
	(C) Dilawar Khan Lodhi	(D) Daulat Khan Lodhi		
119.	When was Nazi Party founded?			
	(A) 1917	(B) 1918		
	(C) 1920	(D) 1909		
120.	Who had started Masand system?			
	(A) Guru Har Rai Ji	(B) Guru Angad Dev Ji		
	(C) Guru Nanak Dev Ji	(D) Guru Ramdas Ji		
121.	"Who said these words, 'Tremble, therefore	e, tyrants of the world"?		
	(A) Robert Darnton	(B) James Lackington		
	(C) Louise/Sebastien Mercier	(D) Thomas Paine		
100	Geogra			
122.	Which among the following does not belong states?	g to the list of leading sugarcane producing		
	(A) Uttar Pradesh	(B) Andhra Pradesh		
	(C) Madhya Pradesh	(D) Maharashtra		
123.	In which union Territory maximum area is u	nder forest?		
	(A) Dadra and Nagar Haveli	(B) Andaman and Nicobar Islands		
	(C) Delhi	(D) Puducherry		

124.	Which agent causes the formation of V-sha	ped valley?
	(A) Snow	(B) Wind
	(C) Birds and animals	(D) Water
125.	What type of soil is also known as 'Tea soil'.	
	(A) Mountain soil	(B) Marshy soil
	(C) Desert soil	(D) Saline and alkaline soil
126.	Which of the following state has the highes	t density of roads?
	(A) Goa	(B) Jammu and Kashmir
	(C) Kerala	(D) Haryana
127.	What is the extent of 'Tropical Heat Zone'?	
	(A) $23\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ North to $23\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ South	(B) $23\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ North to $66\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ North
	Σ Σ	(D) $66\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ North to $66\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ South
128.	For which of the following industry, 'Dhariw	
	(A) Cotton Textile Industry	(B) Woolen Industry
	(C) jute industry	(D) Silk Industry
129.	Which of the major port of India is located i	
	(A) Kandla	(B) mumbai
	(C) Chennai	(D) Haldia
130.	Which of the following place is influenced by	-
	(A) Amritsar	(B) Chennai
	(C) Mumbai	(D) Shimla
131.	Which of the following states are the major	
	(A) Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh	(B) Odisha and Rajasthan
	(C) Maharashtra and Gujarat	(D) Madhya Pradesh and Gujarat
132.	Hyderabad is the capital of which state?	4-1 - H
	(A) Telangana	(B) Andhra Pradesh
	(C) Karnatka	(D) Tamil Nadu
	Civio	s
133.	Who give the idea to establish the 'Lok Ada	lat'?
	(A) Sh. P.N. Bhagwati	(B) Dr. B.R. Ambedkar
	(C) Sh. Lal bahadur Shastri	(D) Dr. T.N. Sheshan
134.	Which words were included in preamble in 1976 -	of Indian constitution by 42 nd amendment in
	(A) Directive Principles	(B) Democratic and Republic
	(C) We the people of India	(D) Socialist, secular and unity of country
135.	Which fundamental right is considered as the	ne 'Pillar of Democracy'.
	(A) Right to equality	(B) Right to religious freedom
	(C) Right to freedom	(D) Right to constitutional remedies

136. How many members does Punjab send for Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha -(A) Lok Sabha -13 Rajya Sabha – 7 (B) Lok Sabha - 7 Rajya Sabha - 13 (C) Lok Sabha - 117 Rajya Sabha – 245 Rajya Sabha - 12 (D) Lok Sabha - 545 137. Which rights are not given to foreigners? (A) Economic Rights (B) Social Rights (D) Civil Rights (C) Political Rights 138. Who is the chairman of the Rajya Sabha? (A) Speaker (B) Vice-President (C) President (D) Prime-minister 139. Who can transfer a Governor from one state to another? (B) Parliament (A) Prime-minister (C) President (D) Supreme Court Which Indian Leader gave the idea of two nations (partition) before independence? 140. (A) Mahatma Gandhi (B) Jawahar Lal Nehru (C) Liakat Ali (D) Mohd. Ali Jinah 141. How many countries are the member of U.N.O. (United Nations) at present? (A) 193 (B) 150 (C) 51 (D) 182 142. India opposes strongly – (A) United Nations (B) World peace (C) Racialism and Apartheid policy (D) Common Wealth of Nations **Economics** 143. Which equation is true? (A) Real Wages = $\frac{\text{Price Index}}{\text{Money wages}} \times 100$ (B) Real Wages = $\frac{\text{Money wages}}{\text{Price Index}} \times 100$ (C) Real Wages = $\frac{\text{Money wages} \times \text{Price Index}}{\text{Money wages}}$ 100 (D) Real Wages = $\frac{\text{Money wages}}{}$ 144. Economic activities are not related to: -(A) Production, consumption and work of House wife. (B) Production, consumption and exchange. (C) Production, exchange and distribution. (D) Consumption, exchange and distribution. 145. Socialist Economy has features: -(a) Govt. Control (b) Collective ownership (d) Freedom of market forces (c) Competition (e) Social welfare (A) a, b and c (B) a, b and d (C) a, b, and e (D) b, c and d

146.	On the basis of owner	ership types of Econom	ics are: -		
	(A) Developed, mixed	d & capitalistic.	(B) Capitalistic, develo	oped and socialistic	
	(C) Mixed, developed	d and under developed	. (D) Socialistic, capital	istic and mixed.	
147.	In India which one is	not indicator of level of	f economic developme	ent: -	
	(A) Per capita income	9	(B) Expectation of life	!	
	(C) Population		(D) Literacy rate		
148.	How many banks we	re nationalized by Gov	t. of India in 1980?		
	(A) 12	(B) 14	(C) 7	(D) 8	
149.	Which of the following	ng organisations looks	after the credit needs	of Agriculture and Rural	
	Development in India	a?			
	(A) FCI	(B) IDBI	(C) NABARD	(D) ICAR	
150.		ment made in the form	of education, training	g and medical care the	
	population becomes	-	/= 1		
	(A) Working capital		(B) Human capital		
	(C) Fixed capital		(D) Capital growth		

LANGUAGE TEST

English

Q. (151-154) Read the comprehension passage carefully and answer the following questions -

There are over a quarter of a million plant species. Only 600 or so are carnivorous who call, attract and eat bugs. They live in bogs and places where the soil lacks

- 151. Which statement does the author most likely agree with?
 - (A) There are too many species of carnivorous plants.
 - (B) There are a few plant species in the world.
 - (C) Only a small number of plants are carnivorous.
 - (D) A majority of plants are carnivorous.
- 152. Which plants traps bugs in its stem and forces them to walk forward?
 - (A) Corkscrew plants

(B) Sundews

(C) Bladderworts

- (D) Pitcher plants
- 153. Which event happens last when Sundews eats a meal?
 - (A) The Sundews create mucilage.
 - (B) The Sundew's tentacles curl in response to the prey.
 - (C) The bug is attracted to the mucilage.
 - (D) The Sundew releases enzymes.
- 154. Which best defines the word treacherous?
 - (A) Something that provides nutrients.
 - (B) Something that is very bright.
 - (C) Something that tastes delicious.
 - (D) Something that has a hidden danger.

Q. (155-158) Read the comprehension passage carefully and answer the following questions: -

In 1848, gold was found in California. Thousands of people rushed there to get some. Many people liked living there and decided to stay. At that time there was no train line. In 1860 and 1861, the Pony express was the fastest way to get news to and from the West. It could make the trip in just ten days. The Pony Express had 184 stations along the trail. The stations were around ten miles apart. This is about how far a horse could run at a gallop before tiring. The rider would switch to a new horse at each station and before resting the would give his mail pouch to new rider. The mail never stopped moving, even while the horses and riders rested. Each rider had to weigh less than 125 pounds. Speed was the key. Most of the riders were teenage boys who rode at a fast pace for upto 100 miles a day. If there was an emergency one might have to ride 200 miles in a day. In its time running, the Pony Express only lost one mail pouch. The Pony Express played an important role for a time but it did not last.

- 155. Which best explains why Pony riders had to weigh less than 125 pounds?
 - (A) Heavier men were more expensive
 - (B) Horses were scared of heavier men.
 - (C) Heavier men scared customers.
 - (D) Horses could make quicker with lighter men.
- 156. How fast could the Pony Express take a letter from California to Massoorie?

(A) 24 hours

(B) Ten days

(C) Twenty days

- (D) One month
- 157. About how far did Pony Express riders travel on a usual day?

(A) 10 miles

(B) 200 miles

(C) 100 miles

- (D) 2000 miles
- 158. How many pouches did the Pony Express lose?

(A) Never lost a pouch

(B) One

(C) Two

(D) Too many to keep track

Q. (159-162) Read the following passage and answer the questions based on it.

Nehru was a many sided personality. He enjoyed reading and writing books as much as he enjoyed fighting political and social evils or residing tyranny. In him, the scientist and the humanist were held in perfect balance. While he kept looking at special problems from a scientific stand point, he never forgot that we should nourish the total man. As a scientist, he refused to believe in benevolent power interested in men's affairs. But, as a self proclaimed non-believer, he loved affirming his faith in life and the beauty of nature. Children he adored. Unlike Wordsworth, he did not see him trailing clouds of glory from the recent sojourn in heaven. He saw them as a blossoms of promise and renewal, they only hope for mankind.

- 159. Nehru thought that children
 - (A) Were trailing clouds of glory.
 - (B) Held promise flowers to be loved and admired.
 - (C) Were like flowers to be loved and admired.
 - (D) Held no hope for mankind.

- 160. Nehru enjoyed
 - (A) Reading and writing books
 - (B) Fighting political and social evils
 - (C) Resisting tranny
 - (D) Doing all the above and much more
- 161. Which of the statements reflects Nehru's point of view?
 - (A) Humanism is more important than science.
 - (B) Science is supreme and humanism is subordinate to it.
 - (C) Science and Humanism are equally important.
 - (D) There is no ground between science and humanism.
- 162. A many sided personality means
 - (A) A complex personality
 - (B) A secretive person
 - (C) A person having varied interests
 - (D) A capable person

Q. (163-166) Read the comprehension passage carefully and answer the following questions.

Tigers are the largest and most powerful of all the cat species. Despite all of the tiger's strength, the future of the species is uncertain. It is estimated that at the start of the 20th century, there were over 1,00000 tigers living in the wild whose number has dwindled to just over 3,000. Serious threats that tigers face come from Homo-sapiens better known as humans. Tigers are hunted for many reasons like their striped skin, which is worth \$10,000 in the black market. Though the fur would be an incentive for poachers, other parts of tiger can fetch pretty penny. Some people in China and other Asian countries believe that tigers parts have heling properties. Traditional Chinese medicine calls for the use of tiger bones in some prescriptions. Tigers have also been hunted for the sake of thrill in a game. Humans have done considerable damage through the destruction of habitat. Over the past 100 years tigers have lost 93% of their historic range. A major obstacle to preserve tigers is the enormous amount of territory that each tiger requires. There is no way to preserve the wild tiger population without making large sacrifices.

- 163. Which of the following is not a reason in the paragraph explaining why tigers are hunted?
 - (A) Because tiger's skin is worth a lot of money.
 - (B) Because tiger's parts are used as medicine in some cultures.
 - (C) Because some tigers attach local villagers.
 - (D) Because tigers are hunted for enjoyment by some people.
- 164. Which number is closed to the estimation of the wild tiger population in 2003?
 - (A) 3000

(B) 1,00,000

(C) 140

- (D) 30,000
- 165. Which best explains why tigers have lost so much of their habitat according to the text?
 - (A) Because humans are afraid of tigers.
 - (B) Because tiger's skin is very valuable.
 - (C) Because humans have changed the land.
 - (D) Because tigers need so much space to survive.

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- 166. Based on information in the text, which best explains why tigers are poached? (A) Poachers hunt tigers to protect their families from dangerous animals. (B) Poachers hunt tigers for medicine to cure sick family members. (C) Poachers hunt tigers to earn a large amount of money. (D) Poachers hunt tigers because they enjoy killing dangerous animals. Q. (167-168) The following five sentence come from a single paragraph. The first and last sentence are given. Choose the right order in which the sentences (PQR) should appear to complete the paragraph. S1. While talking to a group, one should feel self confident and courageous. 167. S3._____ S4. S5. It is like the ability to play golf. P. It is not as difficult as most men imagine. Q. One should also learn how to think calmly and clearly. R. Nor is it a gift bestowed by providence on only a few. Choose from the options given below: (A) RPQ (B) PQR
- 168. S1. Once king Shantanu met a fisher girl.

(C) QPR

S2. _____

S3. _____

S4. _____

S5. King Shantanu did not agree to the condition.

P. The fisherman agreed to it on one condition that his daughter's son should become the heir to the throne.

(D) QRP

- Q. He fell in love with the girl.
- R. He went to fisherman to ask for her hand.

Choose from the options given below:

(A) RPQ (B) PQR

(C) QPR (D) QRP

Q. (169-170) The following questions have the second sentence missing. Choose the appropriate sentence from the given options to complete it.

169.	I. In order to raise company profit, the emp	•									
	IIIII. However they offer to work over time v	 vithout any compensation									
	(A) They decided to raise the cost of raw m										
	(B) They decided to pay attention on quality										
	(C) They store and black market the manuf										
	(D) They demanded two additional increm										
170.	I. Nothing comes out of nothing.										
170.	II										
		our him without lifting his finger even, is living									
	in a fool's paradise.										
	(A) So, we should work hard.										
	(B) Fate is supreme and everything can be	gained by it.									
	(C) So, we should sit idle and hope for the	-									
	(D) We should not worry at all and pay atte										
		,									
Q. (17	'0-171)										
171.	Fill in the blanks with the most appropriate	· · ·									
	The economic has affected ou	·									
	(A) Touch down										
	(C) Slow down	(D) Crack down									
172.	Now the management graduate can expec										
	(A) Menial	(B) Tedious									
	(C) Boring	(D) Prosperous									
173.	The village was by the earthqual										
	(A) Dazed	(B) Razed									
	(C) Fused	(D) Bemused									
174.	The committee decided to a new n										
	(A) Appoint	(B) Commit									
	(C) Detain	(D) Suggest									
175.	The teacher his students.										
	(A) Survived	(B) Laughed									
	(C) Berated	(D) Shunted									
176.	The gypsies do not live at a part	•									
	(A) Broadly	(B) Willingly									
	(C) Voluntarily	(D) Permanently									
177.	She was remarkably in singing a										
	(A) Conducive	(B) Cooperative									
	(C) Accomplished	(D) Fluctuating									

Q. (186-192) In the following passage, there are some numbered blanks. Fill in the blanks by selecting the most appropriate word from each blank from the given options:

(B) Kept praying

(D) Instigates

Courtesy: NTSE

(D) Waited anxiously

188. (A) Access (B) Digress (C) Regress (D) Supress

185. We kept our fingers crossed till the final results were declared.

(A) Felt scared

(C) Allows

(C) Kept hopeful

Courtesy: NTSE

189.	(A) Lower	(B) Higher
	(C) Regular	(D) Normal
190.	(A) Keypads	(B) Mouse
	(C) Monitor	(B) Modems
191.	(A) Irregular	(B) Advance
	(C) Optional	(D) General
192.	(A) Transferred	(B) Transmission
	(C) Fundamental	(D) Transcendental

Q. (193-198) Choose the correct antonym from the options given below:

193.	Abdicate	
	(A) Join	(B) Search
	(C) Abandon	(D) Advance
194.	Rectify	
	(A) Bear	(B) Correct
	(C) Validate	(D) Destroy
195.	Respite	
	(A) Break	(B) Commencement
	(C) Fatigue	(D) Continuation
196.	Upheaval	
	(A) Harmony	(B) Radical change
	(C) Miracle	(D) Dynamic

197. Change the voice –

He kept us waiting.

- (A) We had kept waiting by him.
- (B) We were kept waiting by him.
- (C) We had been kept waiting by him.
- (D) Were we kept waiting by him.
- 198. Who is laughing at the beggar?
 - (A) By whom are the beggar being laughed at?
 - (B) By whom is the beggar being laughed at?
 - (C) Whom are the beggar being laughed at?
 - (D) By whom were the beggar laughed at?

Q. (199-200)

199. Choose the synonym of the underlined word from the given options.

It is very difficult to $\underline{\text{retain}}$ all that you hear in the class.

(A) Keep (B) Preserve (C) Recall (D) Conserve

200. The story is too fantastic to be <u>credible</u>.

(A) False (B) Readable (C) Believable (D) Praise worth

Answer Key

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MENTAL ABILITY AND SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST

MENTAL ABILITY

1.	В	2.	D	3.	Α	4.	В	5.	В	6.	D	7.	D
8.	D	9.	С	10.	Α	11.	С	12.	С	13.	D	14.	В
15.	В	16.	Α	17.	D	18.	D	19.	С	20.	D	21.	В
22.	С	23.	С	24.	Α	25.	В	26.	D	27.	В	28.	С
29.	В	30.	В	31.	D	32.	В	33.	С	34.	D	35.	Α
36.	С	37.	В	38.	D	39.	D	40.	В	41.	Α	42.	D
43.	В	44.	D	45.	D	46.	В	47.	Α	48.	D	49.	D
50.	С												

SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST

PHYSICS

51.	С	52.	С	53.	С	54.	Α	55.	С	56.	В	57.	С
58.	В	59.	С	60.	С	61.	D	62.	В	63.	В		

CHEMISTRY

64.	С	65.	D	66.	С	67.	D	68.	В	69.	В	
71.	В	72.	В	73.	С	74.	D	75.	В	76.	D	

BIOLOGY

77.	D	78.	D	79.	D	80.	Α	81.	D	82.	Α	83.	Α
84.	С	85.	D	86.	В	87.	С	88.	В	89.	Α	90.	В

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91. 98. 105.	B C D	92. 99. 106.	A C B	93. 100. 107.	C B A	94. 101. 108.	B C A	95. 102. 109.	B B C	96. 103. 110.	D A A	97. 104.	D D
	HISTORY												
111.	С	112.	Α	113.	В	114.	D	115.	В	116.	В	117.	С
118.	Α	119.	В	120.	D	121.	С						
						GEOGR	APHY						
122.	С	123.	В	124.	D	125.	Δ	126.	C	127.	Δ	128.	В
129.		130.	В	131.	A	132.		120.	C	127.	^	120.	Ь
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140.	D	141.	Α	142.	С								
						FCONO	NAICE						
						ECONO	IVIICS						
143.	В	144.	Α	145.	С	146.	D	147.	С	148.	С	149.	С
150.													
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						ENGL	ISH						

151.	С	152.	Α	153.	D	154.	D	155.	D	156.	В	157.	С
158.	В	159.	В	160.	D	161.	С	162.	С	163.	С	164.	Α
165.	D	166.	С	167.	С	168.	D	169.	С	170.	Α	171.	С
172.	D	173.	В	174.	Α	175.	В	176.	D	177.	В	178.	С
179.	Α	180.	В	181.	D	182.	В	183.	В	184.	Α	185.	D
186.	В	187.	С	188.	Α	189.	В	190.	D	191.	В	192.	В
193.	С	194.	В	195.	Α	196.	В	197.	В	198.	В	199.	Α
200.	В												