



Sample Paper – I QA

1. The sum of three numbers is 170. If the ratio of first to second number is 3 : 4 and that of second to third is 7 : 9, then the second number is?

- a) 68
- b) 48
- c) 76
- d) 56

Answer option (d)

Let the number be A,B,C and D

$$A : B = 3 : 4$$

$$B : C = 7 : 9$$

$$A : B : C = 21x : 28x : 36x$$

$$A+B+C \rightarrow 85x = 170$$

$$\text{So } x = 2$$

$$\text{Second number is } 28x \rightarrow 28 \times 2 = 56$$

2. A person's salary has increased from Rs 7200 to Rs 8100. What is the percentage increase in the person's salary?

- a) 25%
- b) 16%
- c) $12\frac{1}{2}\%$
- d) 40%

Answer option(c)

$$\text{Percentage increase/ decrease} = \frac{\text{increase in the quantity}}{\text{original quantity}} \times 100$$

$$\text{Percentage increase in the salary} = \frac{900}{7200} \times 100 = \frac{100}{8} = 12\frac{1}{2}\%$$

3. Raman gets 3 marks for each correct sum and loses 2 marks for each wrong sum. He attempts 30 sums and obtains 40 marks. The number of sums solved correctly ?

- a) 15
- b) 20
- c) 25
- d) 10

Answer option(b)

Let the number of correct sum be 'K'.



Now according to the question,
 $K \times 3 - (30-K) \times 2 = 40$
 $3K - 60 + 2K = 40$
 $K = 20$

4. The average mark obtained by a class of 80 students is 82 . The average marks of half of the students are found to be 125 . The average marks of the remaining students is ?
- a)39
 - b)52
 - c)79
 - d)42

Answer option (a)

$$82 = \frac{125 + X}{2}$$

$$X = 39$$

5. Three years ago, the average age of Ramesh's family having 5 members was 17 years. Ramesh becomes father but the average age of his family is same today. What is the present age of baby?
- a)1 year
 - b)2 years
 - c)3 years
 - d)4 years

Answer option(b)

Three years ago total age of family having 5 members = $5 \times 17 = 85$ years
At present there are 6 members in the family but average is same. Therefore

$$\frac{85 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + \text{baby}}{6} = 17$$

So baby age will be = $102 - 100 = 2$ years

6. Sunita appeared for a test consisting of 260 questions and answered 40% of the first 130 questions correctly. What percentage of the rest 130 questions must she answer correctly so as to score 60% in the entire test?
- a) 84%
 - b) 75%
 - c) 70%
 - d) 80%



Answer option (d)

Total number of questions = 260
Correct, 40 % of first 130 questions = 52
60% of total questions = 60% of 260 = 156
Total number of questions that is to be correct out of last 130 questions = 156-52
=104

Required percentage= $104/130 \times 100\% = 80\%$

Hence, option D is the correct answer.

7. Ram is 5 times the present age of his son. If after 5 years his age would be 4 times of his son's age. Find what times of Ram's age to his son before 12 years?

- a) 3 times
- b) 6 times
- c) 12 times
- d) 21 times

Answer option (d)

Let the present age of ram $5x$ and the present age of his son x
Now, according to question,
 $5X + 5 = 4 (X + 5)$
 $x = 15$ years
So, age of ram before 12 years = $5x - 12$
Age of ram's son before 12 years = $x - 12$
= $5x - 12 = 63$ years
= $15 - 12 = 3$ years
Ratio of ram's age and his son's age = $63 : 3 = 21 : 1$
Therefore, ram is 21 times of his son's age.

8. The population of a town is 10000. Of these, 55% are males. 30% of the males are illiterate. In total, 52% population is literate. What percentage of females, out of total number of females are illiterate?

- A. 40% B. 50% C. 60% D. 70%

Answer option (d)

Population of the town = 10000
No. of males = $10000 \times 55\% = 5500$
No. of females = $10000 - 5500 = 4500$
No. of illiterate males = $5500 \times 30\% = 1650$
No. of persons illiterate in total population = $10000 \times 48\% = 4800$
No. of illiterate females = $4800 - 1650 = 3150$



$$\text{Required percentage} = 3150/4500 \times 100 = 70\%$$

9. if A's salary is 66.66% more than B's salary then B's salary is how much percent less than A's salary?

- a) 65
- b) 45
- c) 40
- d) 75

Answer option (c)

Rationale-

Lets B's salary be 90

A's salary = 166.66% of 90 = 150

$$\text{Required percentage} = \frac{(150-90)}{150} \times 100$$

$$= 40\%$$

10. What is difference between $\frac{3}{5}$ of 200 and $\frac{1}{2}$ of 300

- a) 100
- b) 200
- c) 60
- d) 30

Answer option (d)

$$\text{Required difference} = \frac{1}{2} \times 300 - \frac{3}{5} \times 200$$

$$= 150 - 120$$

$$= 30$$

11. Mohan's age 10 years ago was thrice the age of his son Sohn. Ten years hence, Mohan's age will be twice that of Sohan. The ratio of their present ages is:

- a) 9 : 2
- b) 7 : 3
- c) 13 : 4
- d) 5 : 2

Answer option (d)

Rationale:

Let the Present age of Mohan and Sohan are M and S respectively

10 year ago their ages are $\rightarrow M-10 = 3 \times (S-10)$Eq 1

10 year hence their ages will be $\rightarrow M+10 = 2 (S+10)$...Eq 2

After solving equation 1 and 2

$$M = 70$$

$$S = 30$$

Ratio will be $M : S = 7 : 3$



12. In a village, 15% of the population are females and there are 272 males. Find the total population of that village.

- a) 400
- b) 420
- c) 380
- d) 320

Answer option (d)

Rationale:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total population of the village} &= \frac{272}{85} \times 100 \\ &= 320 \end{aligned}$$

13. Saanvi got RS 50. from her father and bought a toffee for Rs 15. Her mother gave her Rs 30, but her brother took 42 from her. How much money was left with her?

- a) 20 rs
- b) 25 rs
- c) 23 rs
- d) 24 rs

Answer option (c)

Rationale:

$$\text{Money left with her} = 50 - 15 + 30 - 42 = 23 \text{ Rs}$$

14. Rahul has Rs. 340 in the denominations of Rs. 2 notes, Rs. 5 notes and Rs. 10 notes. The number of

notes of each denomination is equal. What is the total number of notes that Rahul has?

- a) 40
- b) 60
- c) 20
- d) 80

Answer option (b)

Rationale:

Let the total number of notes be $3x$ (as he has equal denomination of notes)

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$$2x + 5x + 10x = 340$$

$$17x = 340$$

$$x = 20$$

So, the total number of notes = 3×20

Hence, option B is the correct answer.

$$= 60.$$

15. The ratio of the incomes of A and B is 2 : 3 and that of their expenditure is 1 : 2. If 90% of B's expenditure is equal to the income of A, then what is the ratio of the savings of A and B?



- a) 8:7
- b) 1:1
- c) 7:9
- d) 2:3

Answer option (a)

$$\rightarrow \frac{A's\ Income}{B's\ Income} = \frac{2x-1}{3x-2} = \frac{A's\ Saving}{B's\ Saving}$$

$$\rightarrow 90\% \text{ of } 2 = 2x$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{90}{100} \times 2 = 2X$$

$$\rightarrow X = \frac{9}{10}$$

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$$\rightarrow \frac{18}{10} - 1 : \frac{27}{10} - 2 = A's\ Saving : B's\ Saving$$

$$\rightarrow 8 : 7 = A's\ Saving : B's\ Saving$$