NATIONAL TALENT SEARCH EXAMINATION (FIRST LEVEL) 2019

410 – A

MENTAL ABILITY TEST (For Students of Class X)

Date : 04/11/2018 Time : 120 Minutes

Max. Marks : 100

(For Blind Candidates Time : 2 Hours 30 Minutes)

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Read the following instructions carefully before you open question booklet.

- 1. Answers are to be given on a separate answer sheet (OMR sheet.)
- 2. Please write your **Roll Number** as allotted to you in the admission card very clearly on **the test-booklet** and darken the appropriate circles on the **answer sheet** as per instructions given.
- 3. There are 100 questions in this test. All are compulsory.
- 4. Please follow the instructions given on the answer sheet for marking the answers.
- 5. If you do not know the answer to any question, do not waste time on it and pass on to the next one. Time permitting, you can come back to the questions, which you have left in the first instance and attempt them.
- 6. Since the time allotted for this question paper is very limited, you should make the best use of it by not spending too much time on any one question.
- 7. **Rough work** can be done **on the given Blank Pages at the back of the booklet** but not on the answer sheet/loose paper.
- 8. Every correct answer will be awarded one mark. There will be no negative marking.
- 9. Please return the Answer sheet (OMR) only to the invigilator after the test.
- 10. Hindi version of the question paper will be considered as final in case of any dispute arising out of variation in translated version.



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Hence, option (3) is correct.



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Sol.

Hence, option (4) is correct.

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20. Which of the following Venn diagrams correctly represents France, Europe and Canada?



- Ans. (3)
- France is in Europe and Canada is in North America. Sol.
 - So, option (3) is correct.
- Which of the following Venn diagrams correctly represents House, Kitchen and Bathroom ? 21.





- Ans. (3)
- House has Kitchen as well as Bathroom. Sol.
- Which of the following Venn diagrams correctly represents Uttar Pradesh, Agra and Taj Mahal ? 22.



(2)Ans.

- Sol. Agra is in Uttar Pradesh and Taj Mahal is in Agra
- If '<' means '-', '>' means '+', '=' means '×' and '@' means '÷', then what will be the value of 23. 7 = 4 < 8 = 3 > 39 (a) 3? 2

$$(1) 10 (2) 17 (3) 39 (4) 52$$

- Ans. (2)
- 7 = 4 < 8 = 3 > 39 (a) $3 = 7 \times 4 8 \times 3 + 13 = 28 24 + 13 = 17$ Sol. Hence, option (2) is correct.
- In a coded language, 'ACE' is written as '1925 and 'BIG' is written as '48149', then in the same 24. language, 'DOG' will be written as

(1) 41549 (2) 1622549 (3) 162259 (4) 42249 (2)

Ans. S

mo.	(-)	
sol.		A C E = $(1^2 3^2 5^2) = 1925$
		1, 3, 5
		B I G = $(2^2 9^2 7^2) = 48149$
		2, 9, 7
	So,	$D O G = (4^2 15^2 7^2) = 1622549$
		4, 15, 7
	Hence, option (2) is	correct.



Sol. Number of parallelograms = $\left(\frac{3 \times 2}{2}\right) \times \left(\frac{4 \times 3}{2}\right) = 18$

Direction (30 – 33) : Find the correct mirror image of the given figure, when mirror is placed on right side of the figure.

30. **Question Figure :**





Ans. (2)

Direction (38 - 41): In the following Question Nos. 38 to 41, these is a question figure, which is embedded in one of the answer figures. Trace out the correct figure.







Answer – Figures :



(3)

Ans.

43. Which of the answer figures will complete the given matrix figure ?



Ans. (3)

Direction (44 – 47) : A square transparent sheet with a pattern is folded along the dotted line. Which of the following answer figures is formed after folding the transparent sheet ?

(3)

44. **Transparent sheet**



Answer figures



Ans. (1)

45. **Transparent sheet**



Answer figures



46. **Transparent sheet**



Answer figures



Ans. (1)

47.

Direction (48 – 55) : In Question Nos. 48 to 55, there are two sets of figures. One set contains problem figures while the other has answer figures. There is a sequence according to which the problem figures are arranged. You have to select and answer figure which can be added in sequence with the problem figures. Choose the correct answer figure.

Problem figures 48.









- 61. A,B,C and D are playing carrom. C, A and D, B are partners. D is to the right of C. C is facing west. Then, B is facing which direction ?
- (1) North (2) South (3) East (4) West Ans. (1)



62. If 'South-east' is called 'East', 'North-west' is called 'West', 'South-west' is called 'South', then in the same way, 'North' will be called as
(1) East
(2) North-east
(3) North-west
(4) West

(1) Ans. (3)



By the diagram we can say 'North' will be North-west.

63. Which of the following Venn diagrams correctly represents Males, Fathers and doctors ?



Direction (64 - 67) : Answer Question Nos. 64 to 67 based on the diagram given below :



In above figure, triangle shows rural women, rectangle shows unemployed women and circle shows educated women.

64.	Educated, employed	and rural women are re	epresented by			
	(1) D	(2) E	(3) F	(4) G		
Ans.	(4)					
Sol.	By the given diagram	answer will be G, i.e.	(4).			
65.	What does D represent ?					
	(1) Educated rural we	omen	(2) Uneducated, uner	nployed and rural women		
	(3) Educated unemployed women		(4) Educated employed women			
Ans.	(2)	-	.,			
Sol.	'D' Represents unedu	ucated, employed and r	ural women. Hence an	swer is (2).		
66.	Educated, unemploye	ed and rural women are	e represented by			
	(1)A	(2) B	(3) D	(4) E		
Ans.	(4)					
Sol.	'E' represents.					
67.	Educated unemploye	d women are represent	ed by			
	(1) B, C	(2) D, E	(3) E, F	(4) G, E		
Ans.	(3)					
Sol.	'E' & 'F' represents.					
68.	How many numbers	from 1 to 100 are there	which are completely	divisible by 4 and also has 4 as		
	digit ?					
	(1) 7	(2) 10	(3) 20	(4) 25		
Ans.	(1)					
Sol.	7 numbers (4, 24, 40	, 44, 48, 64, 84)				
69.	How many odd numb	pers are there in the seq	uence each of which is	immediately followed by an odd		
	number?					
	51473985726	3 1 5 8 6 3 8 5 2 2 4 6	496			
	(1) 2	(2) 5	(3) 6	(4) 7		
Ans.	(3)					
Sol.	5 1 4 7 3 9 8 5 7	7 2 6 3 1 5 8 6 3 3	8 5 2 2 4 6 4 9 6			
70.	An integer is greater	than 3 but less than 8. A	Also it is greater than 6	but less than 10. This number is		
	equal to					
	(1) 4	(2) 6	(3) 7	(4) 8		
Ans.	(3)					
Sol.	3 < x < 8 i.e. 4, 5, 6,	7				
	6 < x < 10 i.e, 7, 8, 9		7			
	Common number is 7					
	Hence answer is (3).					
71.	A has 18 th rank in a c	lass of 49 students. Wh	at is his rank from the	last ?		
	(1) 18	(2) 19	(3) 31	(4) 32		
Ans.	(4)					
Sol.	A's rank from the last is $(49 - 18 + 1) = 32^{\text{th}}$.					
72.	If it was Saturday on	17 th December, 2002, 1	then what was the day	on 22 nd December, 2004 ?		
	(1) Monday	(2) Sunday	(3) Friday	(4) Tuesday		
Ans.	(2)					
Sol.	17 th December 2002 22 nd December 2004					
	Number of odd days between given dates are 8.					
	8 1					
	$=\frac{1}{7}=1$ odd day					
	22^{nd} December 2004 will be Saturday + 1 = Sunday, hence answer is (2).					

73.	If number of days are	e not consi	dered, which	two months in a	year have same calender ?	
	(1) June, October	(2) April	l, November	(3) April, July	(4) October, December	
Ans.	(3)					
Sol.	By options					
		April I	Aay June	July		
		Ţ	\downarrow \downarrow	Ļ		
	Number of odd days	2	3 2	3		
		2	0 1	0		
	According to number	r of odd da	ays April will	have same calend	lar as July. Hence answer is (3).	
74.	If 25 th August in a year is Thursday, then number of Mondays in that month is					
	(1) 3	(2) 4		(3) 5	(4) 6	
Ans.	(3)					
Sol.	There are 5 mondays	(1, 8, 15,	22, 29).			
75.	If $(+)$ stands for (\times) ,	(–) stand	for (\div) , (\times) st	ands for (-) and (÷) stands for (+), then value of	
	$[26 + 72 - 4 \times 5 \div 2]$	is				
	(1) 108	(2) 465		(3) 471	(4) 488	
Ans.	(2)					
Sol.	$[26 \times 72 \div 4 - 5 + 2]$					
	$[26 \times 18 - 3] = 465$					
76.	If $A + B > C + D$ and	D + A < C	B + C, then			
	(1) $D > B$	(2) $C > 2$	D	(3) A > D	(4) $B > D$	
Ans.	(4)					
Sol.	A + B > C + D(i)				CY	
	B + C > D + A(ii)					
	Add (i) & (ii)					
	A + 2B + C > A + 2E) + C				
	2B > 2D				\checkmark	
	So, answer is $B > D$.					
77.	Arrange the following	g in a mea	ingful sequer	nce :		
, , .	A = Birth B = Death	C = Fune	eral D = Mar	riage E=Educatic	n	
	(1) $AEDBC$	(2) ADE	CB	(3) AEBDC	(4) ADEBC	
Ans	(1)	(2)1121		(5)112220	(1)112220	
78	Arrange the following	σ in a mea	ingful sequer	ice ·		
70.	A = Study B = Servic	c = C = Ex	amination D	= Earning E = R	esult	
	(1) EACDB	(2) ABE	CD	(3) ACEBD	(4) AFCBD	
Ans	(1) LITEDD (3)	(2) 1101		(5) Melbb		
79	A solid cube of white	material	is nainted bla	ck on all its surfa	ce. If it is cut into 125 smaller cubes of	
1).	same size then how r	nany cube	s will have to	vo sides nainted b	lack ?	
-	(1) 32	(2) 36		(3) 42	$(4) \ 40$	
Ang	(1) 52 (2)	(2) 50		(3) 42	(+) +0	
Sol	(2) 12×(n - 2) n = length	ofbigger	cube = 5			
501.	$12 \times (1 - 2) = 100 \text{ mm}$		cubc = 3			
	$12 \times (3 - 2)$ $12 \times 2 - 26$					
80	$12 \times 3 = 30$	n all faces	is out into 27	amall subsciences	anal siza. How many onbes are not	
ðŪ.	A cube painted red on all faces is cut into 2/ small cubes of equal size. How many cubes are not					
	(1) 1	(2)		(2)	$(A) \in$	
٨	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \end{pmatrix} I$	(2) 3		(3) 4	(4) 0	
Ans.	(1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1)	<i>n</i> – 1	4h af 1-:-	uh = 2		
501.	$(n-2)^{3}$	n = leng	in of bigger c	ube = 3		
	$(3-2)^{3}=1$					

81. The four different poisitons of a die are given below. Which number is on the face opposite to 3?



Ans. (2)

(1) 6

- 3 is adjacent 2, 6, 1, 5 (by 1st and 4th die) Sol. so, 3 on the face opposite to 4.
- The four different positions of the die are given below. Which number is on the face opposite to 2? 82.



(3) Ans.

(1) 3

- 2 is adjacent 6, 4, 3, 1 (by 1st and 4th die) Sol. so, 2 on the face opposite to 5.
- How many two-digit numbers can be formed from numbers 2, 5, 6, 8, 7, 1 such that each number has 83. digit 8 always? (3) 11 (4) 12
 - (1) 9 (2) 10
- (3) Ans.
- Numbers are formed 81, 82, 85, 86, 87, 18, 28, 58, 68, 78, 88 so, total 11 numbers are formed. Sol.
- 84. Determine the number of squares in the following figure :



Ans. (3)

 $(36 \times 4) - 8 \times 4$ Sol.

 $\overline{4+8\times2+16\div1}$

after sign changing

$$\frac{(36-4)\div 8-4}{4\times 8-2\times 16+1} = \frac{4-4}{32-32+1} = 0$$

86. In a row of students, A is sixth from the left and B is tenth from the right. If there are 8 students between A and B, then total number of students in the row is -(4) 26

(1) 23(2) 24(3) 25(2)Ans. Left-6 8 students A Sol. 10--Right

so total number of students in the row is 6 + 8 + 10 = 24

Direction (87 – 90) : Answer Question Nos. 87 to 90 based on the diagram given below :

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Circle A represents men having TV, circle B represents men having scooter, circle C represents men having laptop and circle D represents men having car.

(3)7

(4) 5

- Men having scooter, TV, laptop but not car are represented by which number ? 87. (1) 4(3) 11 (2)7(4) 12
- (4) Ans.
- Men having only car (no other iterm) are presented by which number ? 88. (3) 6(1)4(2) 5(4)7
- (1) Ans.
- Men having neither scooter nor car are presented by which number? 89. (1) 13 only (2) 2 only (3) 3 only (4) 2, 13, 3
- Ans. (4)

Men having car and laptop only are represented by which number ? 90. (2) 8

- (1) 9(4) Ans.
- (87 to 90) Sol.



- 87. By observation Answer is 12.
- 88. By observation Answer is 4.
- 89. By observation Answer is 2, 13, 3.
- By observation Answer is 5. 90.
- 91. As 'circle' is related to its 'circumference', in the same way, 'square' is related to which of the following?
 - (1) Volume (2) Area (3) Diagonal (4) Perimeter
- (4) Ans.
- As 'walking' is related to 'runing', in the same way, 'smilling' is related to which of the following? 92. (2) Weeping (3) Laughing (4) Watching (1) Feeling
- (3) Ans.
- As 'college' is related to its 'student' in the same way, 'hospital' is related to which of the following ? 93. (1) Doctor (2) Patient (3) Nurse (4) Treatment
- Ans. (2)
- Direction (94 96) : In Questions Nos. 94 to 96, there are four figures given in each. One of these figures does not correlate with the rest of the figures. Select that odd figure.



- (2)Ans.
- Sum of all three vertices number equal to 8, except option (2). Sol.

95.
$$(1)$$
 (2) (3) (4)

(4)Ans.

Options (1), (2) and (3) are formed by rotating each other, except option (4). Sol.



96.

(3)

Ans. (2)

Options (1), (3) and (4) have equal dark and light area, except option (2). Sol.

Direction (97 - 100): In Questions Nos. 97 to 100, there are alternatives are alike in a certain way but the rest one is different. Select the odd one.

97.	(1) Radish	(2) Carrot	(3) Pea	(4) Turnip			
Ans.	(3)						
Sol.	All are roots except Pea.						
98.	(1) 105	(2) 91	(3) 65	(4) 117			
Ans.	(1)						
Sol.	By option (2), (3) and (4) multiple of 13, except option (1).						
99.	(1) OVO	(2) CUU	(3) TTA	(4) AFA			
Ans.	(3)						
Sol.	Options (1), (2) and (4) have two vowels and one consonant, except option (2).						
100.	(1) Football	(2) Carrom	(3) Hockey	(4) Cricket.			
Ans.	(2)						
Sol.	Options (1) , (3) and (4) have outdoor games, except option (2) .						