



PART – A

1. Find the odd one out from the following :
A) sitting B) standing C) observing D) eating
2. Choose which of the conclusion/s logically follow/s from both the premises.
A. Some cushions are soft.
B. All pillows are soft.
Conclusion I: Some pillows are cushions.
Conclusion II : Some pillows are not cushions.
Conclusion III: No cushion is a pillow.
Conclusion IV: Some cushions may be pillows.
A) I and II B) I and III C) Only IV D) Only III

3. Read the short passages and answer the question that follow.

No one would confuse a glass of apple juice with Pinot Noir, a wine, but apple growers want you to believe they share one property to reduce the risk of heart disease. A study suggests that a quarter litre of apple juice works just as well as wine to reduce the risk of heart disease.

Which of the following would strengthen the argument ?

- A) The saying “An apple a day keeps the doctor away” must have some truth in it.
 - B) Apple juice is packed with powerful anti-oxidants known as flavonoids.
 - C) Apple juice like wine helps delay the formation of artery clogging plaque.
 - D) Wines made out of apples are packed with blood thinning agents.
4. Arrange the phrases to form a meaningful sentence.
A. they could not release their contents
B. tests on herbal supplements
C. or were so badly made that
D. half did not contain their listed ingredients
E. taken to reduce cholesterol confirmed that
A) DCBEA B) BEDCA C) ADECB D) BEACD

5. The passage is written by
A) an architect B) a historian C) a journalist D) a priest
6. For the word below, a contextual usage is provided. Pick the word from the alternatives given that is most APPROPRIATE in the given context.
Ignominy: Only after committing the crime was he aware of the ignominy and shame that it would bring to his family.
A) tranquillity B) satisfaction
C) embarrassment D) displeasure



7. Four statements with blanks are given followed by four words. Choose the word that fits the set of statements the maximum number of times.
- 1] Haggling always went against his _____
 - 2] We must all share the _____ for this deplorable situation.
 - 3] The prisoner proved his _____
 - 4] There is not a _____ of truth in this rumour.
- A) blame B) innocence C) wrong D) grain
8. In the below sentence, part/parts of the sentence is/are left blank. Choose the word for each blank that best fits the meaning of the sentence as a whole.
- Consumption of _____ food and _____ physical activities among the general public was contributing significantly to a greater incidence of heart disease among the populace.
- A) nutritious, strenuous B) unhygienic, desirable
C) junk, fewer D) delicious, restricted
9. Choose the grammatically correct and concise statement.
- A) It is appalling the fact that so many children have to suffer at the hands of adults.
 - B) It is appalling that so many children have to suffer in the hands of adults.
 - C) It is appalling that so many children have to suffer at the hands of adults.
 - D) It is appealing that so many children have to suffer under the hands of adults.
10. Three out of four words below are related to each other in some way and hence form a group. Find the odd one out.
- A) Pineapple B) Guava C) Grapes D) Papaya
11. How many players are there on each side in the game of Basketball ?
- A) 4 B) 5 C) 6 D) 7
12. Professor Amartya Sen is famous in which of the fields ?
- A) Biochemistry B) Electronics C) Economics D) Geology
13. Shankaracharya, the founder of the Bhakti movement belonged to
- A) Maharashtra B) Assam C) Bengal D) South India
14. Whose signature appears on ten-rupee currency note ?
- A) Minister of Finance B) Governor, RBI
C) Secretary, Ministry of Finance D) Prime Minister
15. India's longest road tunnel is located in the state of
- A) Arunachal Pradesh B) Sikkim
C) Meghalaya D) Jammu and Kashmir
16. If $2p + 3q = 18$ and $2p - q = 2$, then $2p + q = ?$
- A) 6 B) 7 C) 8 D) 10



17. In an examination, 35% of total students failed in Hindi, 45% failed in English and 20% in both. Find the percentage of those who passed in both the subjects.
A) 35% B) 40% C) 45% D) 50%
18. How long will it take a sum of money invested at 5% p.a. simple interest to increase its value by 40% ?
A) 5 years B) 6 years C) 7 years D) 8 years
19. A person has to pay 20% tax on first Rs. 4,500 earned, for amount earned between Rs. 4,500 and Rs. 7,500 the tax is 25% and for the amount earned more than Rs. 7,500, the tax is 30%. If he paid 23.33% of his income as tax, then what is his income?
A) Rs. 9,000 B) Rs. 8,500 C) Rs. 10,000 D) Rs. 10,500
20. A and B can do a piece of work in 45 days and 40 days respectively. They began to do the work together but A leaves after some days and then B completed the remaining work in 23 days. The number of days after which A left the work was
A) 6 B) 8 C) 9 D) 12
21. $5358 \times 51 = ?$
A) 273258 B) 273268 C) 273348 D) 273358
22. In a certain language, 36492 is written as SMILE and 058 is written as RUN. How are the 90089 coded in that language ?
A) NLLRN B) LRLNN C) LLRRN D) LRRNL
23. Pointing to an old man Kamal said. "His son is my son's uncle." How is the old man related to Kamal ?
A) Brother B) Uncle C) Father D) Grandfather
24. Statements :
1. The State Government has announced special tax package for the new industries to be set-up in the State.
 2. Last year the State Government had hiked the taxes for all industrial activities in the State.
- A) Statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect.
B) Statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect.
C) Both the statements I and II are independent causes.
D) Both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes.
25. Constitution is to Amendment as Book is to?
A) Errata B) Contents C) Preface D) Acknowledgement



PART – B

26. Author of Sangeet Parijat is
A) Bharat
B) Matang
C) Ahobal
D) Narad
27. Which musician is known by the symbolic name “Ramrang” ?
A) Pt. Onkar Nath Thakur
B) Pt. Ramashrey Jha
C) Pt. V.D. Paluskar
D) Pt. V. N. Bhatkhande
28. Shehnai belongs to which category of instruments ?
A) Ghana
B) Tata
C) Vitata
D) Sushir
29. Pt. Jasraj belongs to which Gharana ?
A) Mewati
B) Kirana
C) Agra
D) Banaras
30. Which of the following Raga is sung during morningtime ?
A) Yaman
B) Bihag
C) Bhupali
D) Bhairav
31. Which of the following is not the name of a Shruti ?
A) Kalawati
B) Dayavati
C) Manda
D) Tivra
32. Which of the following is a Audav-Audav Jati raga ?
A) Bageshri
B) Bhupali
C) Basant
D) Bhairavi
33. Raga Ramkali belongs to which Thaata ?
A) Bhairavi
B) Kafi
C) Bhairav
D) Todi



34. Which of the following is not a 14 matras (beats) tala ?
A) Dhamar
B) Dipchandi
C) Dadra
D) Jhumra
35. Which Tala is played with Dhrupad singing style ?
A) Rupak
B) Jhaptala
C) Teentala
D) Sultala
36. Which of the following is an Achala-swara ?
A) Ga
B) Ma
C) Pa
D) Dha
37. Which of the following is not a Carnatic Tala ?
A) Dhruv
B) Roopak
C) Ek
D) Tivra
38. Vidushi Kishori Amonkar belongs to which Gharana ?
A) Agra
B) Jaipur
C) Delhi
D) Mewati
39. Which of the following is not a Seasonal Raga ?
A) Miyakitodi
B) Basant
C) Bahar
D) Miyamalhar
40. Which of the following raga belongs to Kafi Thaata ?
A) Bageshri
B) Deshkar
C) Malkauns
D) Poorvi
41. Pancham is situated on which shruti of Madhyam Gram ?
A) 15
B) 16
C) 17
D) 18
42. 4-3-2-4-4-3-2, this shruti-swara arrangement belongs to which Gram ?
A) Madhyam
B) Gandhar
C) Shadaj
D) None



43. In which city, Ganga Mahotsava is organised every year ?
A) Haridwar
B) Allahabad
C) Varanasi
D) Kolkata
44. Which pair of Ragas are not Samprakritik or similar ?
A) Malkauns-Chandrakauns
B) Poorvi-Marwa
C) Marwa-Sohini
D) Bhupali-Deshkar
45. Which of the following is not a Gharana of Khyaal ?
A) Betia
B) Kirana
C) Mewati
D) Bhendibazar
46. Choose the odd one out.
A) Dadra
B) Dhamar
C) Dhrupad
D) Dipchandi
47. Name the writer of Sangeet Makarand.
A) Narad
B) Bharat
C) Matang
D) Srikanth
48. Pt. Bhimsen Joshi received Bharat Ratna in
A) 2008
B) 2009
C) 2010
D) 2000
49. Choose the correct pair.
A) Sarod – Pt. Shiv Kumar Sharma
B) Sitar – Pt. Niladri Kumar
C) Shehnai – Pt. Ravishankar
D) Flute – Bismillah Khan
50. Which of the following is not a bani of Dhrupad ?
A) Gauhar
B) Khandar
C) Dagur
D) Betia



51. Pt. Kishan Maharaj is associated with
- A) Sitar
B) Pakhawaj
C) Tabla
D) Dhrupad
52. Which of the following is not a kind of Varna ?
- A) Aarohi
B) Sthayi
C) Abhogi
D) Sanchari
53. Ga Dha Ni (all komal) and rest shuddhaswara is the characteristic of which that ?
- A) Bhairavi
B) Asawari
C) Kafi
D) Todi
54. Who gave the concept of 72 Mela ?
- A) Srinivas
B) Purandardas
C) Vyankatmukhi
D) Tyagaraja
55. Name the book written by Jaidev.
- A) Geetanjali
B) Geetgovind
C) Sangitanjali
D) Raskaumudi
56. Choose the incorrect Thaat-Raga pair.
- A) Kalyan – Bhupali
B) Kafi – Bhimpalasi
C) Khamaj – Desh
D) Asawari – Malkauns
57. Vadi – Samvadi of Raga Yaman
- A) Ga-Ni
B) Pa-Sa
C) Re-Dha
D) Sa-Pa



58. Which of the following is a Vikritswara as stated by Bharat ?
A) Komal Ga
B) Tivra Ma
C) Antar Ga
D) Prati Ma
59. Instruments are not classified under which of the following categories ?
A) Kutap
B) Sushir
C) Ghana
D) Tata
60. Which of the following tala has Khaali on first matra ?
A) Rupak
B) Jhap
C) Tivra
D) Jhumra
61. Which of the following singing style contains only meaningless syllables ?
A) Khayal
B) Tarana
C) Tappa
D) Trivat
62. Which tala contains tirkitol four times in its theka ?
A) Jhumra
B) Tilwada
C) Ektala
D) Rupak
63. "Pranavrang" – this symbolic name is associated with
A) Pt. V. N. Bhatkhande
B) Pt. Ramashrey Jha
C) Pt. V.D. Paluskar
D) Pt. Onkar Nath Thakur
64. The distance of Pa from Sa in Shadaj Gram is
A) 9 Shruti
B) 12 Shruti
C) 13 Shruti
D) 15 Shruti
65. Who has given the concept of "chatuhsarana" ?
A) Bharat
B) Narad
C) Nanyadev
D) Matang
66. Which of the following is a type of gamak ?
A) Taan
B) Aahat
C) Andolit
D) Manda



67. According to Bharat, how many Moorchhana are associated with Shadaj Gram ?
A) 7
B) 14
C) 21
D) 12
68. Which of the following is not a Raga Jati ?
A) Audav
B) Saptak
C) Shadav
D) Sampurna
69. Name the author of Raga Tarangini.
A) Somnath
B) Lochan
C) Ahobal
D) Ramamatya
70. Name the Guru of Tansen.
A) Haridas
B) Kalidas
C) Akbar
D) Surdas
71. Pt. Shivkumar Sharma is associated with
A) Sarod
B) Santoor
C) Sarangi
D) Shehnai
72. Which of the following is an example of Ghana Vadya ?
A) Sarangi
B) Rabab
C) Shehnai
D) Jhanjh
73. Which of the following Tala – Matra Pair is incorrect ?
A) Dadra – 8
B) Teentala – 16
C) Jhaptala – 10
D) Ektala – 12
74. Sa Re Ga Pa Ni Sa (Taar), this aaroh belongs to which raga ?
A) Bhupali
B) Hansadhwani
C) Durga
D) Shankara
75. Which of the following tala is not played with Dhrupad singing style ?
A) Sultala
B) Chartala
C) Tivratala
D) Adachartala



76. Raga Puriyadhanashri belongs to which Thaata ?
- A) Poorvi
B) Marwa
C) Kalyan
D) Bilawal
77. According to Bhatkhande notation system “x” symbol is used for denoting
- A) Sama
B) Komalswara
C) Khaali
D) Tivraswara
78. Name the book written by Matang.
- A) Sangeet Raj
B) Sangeet Parijat
C) Brihaddeshi
D) Raskaumudi
79. Which of the following is not an Ashrey Raga ?
- A) Yaman
B) Kafi
C) Marwa
D) Jaunpuri
80. Hindustani Ragas are classified under how many thaats ?
- A) 10
B) 32
C) 36
D) 72
81. How many talas are used in Carnatic music ?
- A) 25
B) 30
C) 35
D) 40
82. If frequency of Sa is 240 then frequency of Pa will be
- A) 300
B) 360
C) 420
D) 480
83. Pt. Onkar Nath Thakur was the disciple of
- A) Pt. V. D. Paluskar
B) Sawai Gandharva
C) Pt. V. N. Bhatkhande
D) Pt. Ramashrey Jha



84. Indira Kala Sangit Vishva Vidyalaya (IKSVV) is situated at
A) New Delhi
B) Lucknow
C) Khairagarh
D) Mumbai
85. Jati of Raga Tilang is
A) Audav-Audav
B) Shadav-Shadav
C) Audav-Shadav
D) Sampurna
86. In which of the following Ragas, both forms of Madhyam are used ?
A) Yaman
B) Bihag
C) Tilang
D) Bilawal
87. Ka Dhi Ta Dhi Ta . . . bol are associated with which tala ?
A) Chartala
B) Dadra
C) Dhamar
D) Sultala
88. The word “Dhaivat” is used for
A) Shruti
B) Naad
C) Swara
D) Gamak
89. Which of the following is not a 16 matratala ?
A) Teentala
B) Tilwada
C) Addhatala
D) Adachartala
90. Which one of the following is a drone instrument ?
A) Flute
B) Harmonium
C) Tanpura
D) Tabla
91. Mandra, Madhya and Taar are an example of
A) Swara
B) Saptak
C) Naad
D) Tala
92. How many swaras are considered as Vikrit in Hindustani Music ?
A) 4
B) 1
C) 5
D) 7



93. A raga having all komalswaras is
A) Bhairav
B) Bhairavi
C) Asawari
D) Sohini
94. Universal History of Music is written by
A) S.M. Tagore
B) R. N. Tagore
C) V.D. Paluskar
D) Alain Daneilon
95. “Gurudev” Rabindranath Tagore received Nobel prize in
A) 1911
B) 1912
C) 1913
D) 1914
96. Which of the following is an example of tatavadya ?
A) Manjeera
B) Pakhawaj
C) Sitar
D) Harmonium
97. Who is not amongst the Trinity of Carnatic Music ?
A) Purandardas
B) Tyagaraja
C) Shyama Shastri
D) Muthuswamy Dikshitar
98. Raja Man Singh Tomar is associated with
A) Khyaal
B) Dhrupad
C) Tappa
D) Thumri
99. According to Paluskar Notation System, “+” symbol is used for denoting
A) Taali
B) Khaali
C) Sama
D) Komalswara
100. Which Musician is also known by the name of “Chaturpandit” ?
A) Pt. V. N. Bhatkhande
B) Kumar Gandharva
C) Pt. V. D. Paluskar
D) Pt. Vinayak Rao Patwardhan
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