



PETRODICE ACADEMY

Head office: Hyderabad branch

Topic: General Aptitude

Time Allowed: 45 Min

Maximum Marks:25

Read the following instructions carefully.

01. (i) Question Numbers 01 to 05 (05 questions) will carry one mark each.

(ii) Question Numbers 06 to 15 (10 questions) will carry two marks each.

02. **Wrong answers carry 33% negative marks. In Q. 01 to Q.05, 1/3 mark will be deducted for each wrong answer and in Q. 06 to Q.15, 2/3 mark will be deducted for each wrong answer. However, there is no negative marking for numerical answer Type questions.**

GROUP – I

Each question carries ONE mark

$$5 \times 1 = 5$$

1. Spot the error if any in the following sentence

I have been waiting for you from a long time

- a) I have been
- b) Waiting for You
- c) From a long time
- d) No error

2. Choose the Synonym For the following word

EXTRAVAGANT

- a) Lavish b) Spurious
- c) Unique d) Wonderful

3. Choose the Antonym For the following word

VERACITY

a) Difference

b) Falsehood

c) Diversity

d) Hostility

4. Find a substitute for the following sentence

A person of strict discipline

- a) Martinet
- b) Milliner
- c) Masochist
- d) Mentor

5. Find the meaning of the underlined idiom

I just paid him a left-handed compliment

- a) a flattering
- b) an insincere
- c) an honest
- d) a well deserved

GROUP – II

Each question carries ONE mark

10x2=20

1. Choose the correct analogy for the following pair

NARCISSISM : LOVE ::

- a) hostility : criticism
- b) empathy : pity
- c) meditation : thought
- d) guilt : blame

2. Complete the following sentence

Unfortunately, excessive care in choosing ones words often results in a loss of .

- a) Precision
- b) atmosphere
- c) selectively
- d) spontaneity

3. Many believe that gold and platinum are the most valuable commodities. To the true entrepreneur, however, gold and platinum are less valuable than opportunities that can enable him to further enrich himself. Therefore, in the world of high finance, information is the most valuable commodity

The author of the passage above makes which of the following assumptions?

- a) Gold and platinum are not the

b) Entrepreneurs are not like most people

c) The value of information is incalculably high.

d) Information about business opportunities is accurate and will lead to increased wealth.

4. In the question below the sentences have been given in Active/Passive voice. From the given alternatives, choose the one which best expresses the given sentence in Passive/Active voice.

I remember my sister taking me to the museum.

- a) I remember I was taken to the museum by my sister.
- b) I remember being taken to the museum by my sister.
- c) I remember myself being taken to the museum by my sister.
- d) I remember taken to the museum by my sister.

5. In the question below the sentences have been given in Direct/Indirect speech. From the given alternatives, choose the one which best expresses the given sentence in Indirect/Direct speech.

I told him that he was not working hard.

- a) I said to him, "You are not working hard."
- b) I told to him, "You are not working hard."
- c) I said, "You are not working hard."
- d) I said to him, "He is not working hard."

6. In question below a sentence broken into five or six parts. Join these parts to make a meaningful sentence. The correct order of parts is the answer.

1. left 2. the 3. house 4. he 5. Suddenly

a) 12435

b) 21354

c) 45123

d) 52341

7. Find the correctly spelt word

a) Ommineous

b) Omineous

c) Ominous

d) Omenous

8. Pick out the most effective word(s) from the given words to fill in the blank to make the sentence meaningfully complete.

I saw a of cows in the field.

a) group

b) herd

c) swarm

d) lock

9. In questions given below, a part of the sentence is underlined. Below are given alternatives to the underlined part which may improve the sentence. Choose the correct alternative.

When it was feared that the serfs might go too far and gain their freedom from

go too far and gain their freedom from serfdom, the protestant leaders joined the princes at crushing them.

a) into crushing

b) in crushing

c) without crushing

d) No improvement

10. In question below, an incomplete statement (Stem) followed by fillers is given. Pick out the best one which can complete incomplete stem correctly and meaningfully.

Even if it rains I shall come means.....

a) If I come it will not rain

b) If it rains I shall not come

c) I will certainly come whether it rains or not

d) Whenever there is rain I shall come