## SSC CGL GENERAL

 INTELLIGENCE \& REASONING CLASSIFICATION PDF1. Three of the following four words are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the odd word out.
A. Lucknow
B. Punjab
C. Mumbai
D. Patna

Ans. B
Sol.
Punjab is a state and rest are the capital of various Indian states.
Hence, the correct answer is option B.
2. Three of the following four letterclusters are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the odd one out.
A. VXZB
B. BDGJ
C. DFHJ
D. JLNP

Ans. B
Sol.
Here, the pattern is :
$\mathrm{V} \rightarrow(+2) \rightarrow \mathrm{X} \rightarrow(+2) \rightarrow \mathrm{Z} \rightarrow(+2) \rightarrow \mathrm{B}$
$\mathrm{D} \rightarrow(+2) \rightarrow \mathrm{F} \rightarrow(+2) \rightarrow \mathrm{H} \rightarrow(+2) \rightarrow \mathrm{J}$
$\mathrm{J} \rightarrow(+2) \rightarrow \mathrm{L} \rightarrow(+2) \rightarrow \mathrm{N} \rightarrow(+2) \rightarrow \mathrm{P}$
But,
$\mathrm{B} \rightarrow(+2) \rightarrow \mathrm{D} \rightarrow(+3) \rightarrow \mathrm{G} \rightarrow(+3) \rightarrow \mathrm{J}$
(odd one)
Hence, option B is the correct answer.
3. Three of the following four numbers are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the number that is different from the rest.
A. 65
B. 170
C. 195
D. 50

Ans. C
Sol.
$8^{2}+1=65$
$13^{2}+1=170$
$7^{2}+1=50$
$14^{2}-1=195$
Here we can see that number given in option ' C ' is different among them. Hence, option (C) is the correct answer.
4. Three of the following four words are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the odd word out.
A. Shirt
B. Sandals
C. Slippers
D. Shoes

Ans. A
Sol.
Except shirt, all are footwear.
Hence, the correct answer is option A.
5. Three of the following four letterclusters are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the odd one out.
A. DGMJ
B. PSZV
C. SVBY
D. KNTQ

Ans. B
Sol.
Option(a)-
$D+9=M$
$\mathrm{G}+3=\mathrm{J}$
Option(b)-
P+10=Z
$\mathbf{S + 3}=\mathbf{V}$
Option(c)-
S+9=B
$V+3=Y$
Option(d)-
$K+9=T$
$N+3=Q$
Hence, the correct answer is option B.
6. In the following question, select the odd word pair from the given alternatives.
A. Mass-Balance
B. Temperature-Thermometer
C. Scale-Length
D. Pressure-Barometer

Ans. C
Sol.
Every physical quantity is paired with its instrument of measurement on the right side except Scale-Length.
Hence, the correct option is $\mathbf{C}$.
7. In the following question, four number pairs are given. The number on left side of ( - ) is related to the number of the right side of ( - ) with some Logic/Rule/Relation. Three are similar on basis of same


## Logic/Rule/Relation. Select the odd one out from the given alternatives.

A. 11-1331
B. $15-3375$
C. 12-1728
D. 14-2788

Ans. D
Sol.
Pattern follows here is:
$11^{3}=1331$
$15^{3}=3375$
$12^{3}=1728$
$14^{3} \neq 2788$
Hence, option D is the correct answer.
8. In the following question, select the odd letter/letters from the given alternatives.
A. HPY
B. AIQ
C. GOW
D. DLT

Ans. A
Sol.

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$\mathbf{H}+\mathbf{8}=\mathbf{P}, \mathbf{P}+\mathbf{9}=\mathbf{Y}$
$\mathrm{A}+8=\mathrm{I}, \mathrm{I}+8=\mathrm{Q}$
$\mathrm{G}+8=\mathrm{O}, \mathrm{O}+8=\mathrm{W}$
$\mathrm{D}+8=\mathrm{L}, \mathrm{L}+8=\mathrm{T}$
Hence, the correct option is $\mathbf{A}$.
9. In the following question, four groups of three numbers are given. In each group the second and third number are related to the first number by a Logic/Rule/Relation. Three are similar on basis of same Logic/Rule/Relation. Select the odd one out from the given alternatives.
A. $(64,32,16)$
B. $(96,48,20)$
C. $(144,72,36)$
D. $(216,108,54)$

Ans. B
Sol.
$64,64 \div 2,64 \div 4$
96, $96 \div 2,20$
$144,144 \div 2,144 \div 4$
$216,216 \div 2,216 \div 4$
Hence, the correct option is $\mathbf{B}$.
10. Three of the following four numbers are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the number that is different from the rest.
A. 2936
B. 3864
C. 6394
D. 4638

Ans. C
Sol.
Except 6394, all follow the logic-
Product of first two digits is equal to the product of last two digits.
for example:
$3864=3 \times 8=6 \times 4$
Hence, the correct answer is option C.
11. Three of the following four letterclusters are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the odd one out.
A. UQJF
B. OKPL
C. AWDZ
D. IDWS

Ans. D
Sol.
Option(A): AWDZ $=1+23+4+26=$ 54
Option(B): UQJF $=21+17+10+6=$ 54
Option(C): OKPL $=15+11+16+12=$ 54
Option(D): IDWS $=9+4+23+19=55$
(odd one out)
Hence, the correct answer is option (D).
12. Three of the following four numbers are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the number that is different from the rest.
A. 5138
B. 3128
C. 9178
D. 7158

Ans. B
Sol.
Here logic is-
Option A:38+13=51
Option B: $28+13=41$ here, 31 is given so this is different from others.
Option C: 78+13=91
Option D:58+13=71

Hence, the correct answer is option B.
13. In the following question, select the odd word from the given alternatives.
A. Attacker
B. Back Heel
C. Back Pass
D. Ad-Court

Ans. D
Sol.
Option D (Ad-Court) is a tennis term and rest option A (Attacker), option B (Back Heel) and option C (Back Pass) is the football terms. So Ad-Court is different from others.
Hence, correct answer is option D.
14. In the following question, select the odd letter group from the given alternatives.
A. PRT
B. CEG
C. UXZ
D. LNP

Ans. C
Sol.
In option A:


In option B:


In option C:


In option D :


So, UXZ is different from others.
Hence, option C is the correct response.
15. In the following question, four number pairs are given. The number on left side of $(-)$ is related to the number of the right side of (-) with some Logic/Rule/Relation. Three are similar on basis of same Logic/Rule/Relation. Select the odd one out from the given alternatives.
A. 13-26
B. $15-30$
C. 17-34
D. 19-31

Ans. D

Sol. 13, $(13 \times 2)$
15, $(15 \times 2)$
17, $(17 \times 2)$
19, $(\mathbf{1 9} \times \mathbf{2}) \Rightarrow \mathbf{3 8}$
Hence, the correct option is D.

## 16. In the following question, select the odd letter/letters from the given alternatives.

A. OKGC
B. TPLH
C. XSOK
D. YUQM

Ans. C
Sol.

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O-4 $=\mathrm{K}, \mathrm{K}-4=\mathrm{G}, \mathrm{G}-4=\mathrm{C}$
$\mathrm{T}-4=\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{P}-4=\mathrm{L}, \mathrm{L}-4=\mathrm{H}$
$\mathrm{Y}-4=\mathrm{U}, \mathrm{U}-4=\mathrm{Q}, \mathrm{Q}-4=\mathrm{M}$
$\mathrm{X}-5=\mathrm{S}, \mathrm{S}-4=0,0-4=\mathrm{K}$
Hence, option C is the correct answer.
17. In the following question, four groups of three numbers are given. In each group the second and third number are related to the first number by a Logic/Rule/Relation. Three are similar on basis of same Logic/Rule/Relation. Select the odd one out from the given alternatives.
A. $(83,97,113)$
B. $(47,61,75)$
C. $(34,48,62)$
D. $(64,78,92)$

Ans. A
Sol. All groups follow same pattern:
$83,83+14 ., 97+16$
$47,47+14 ., 61+14$
$34,34+14 ., 48+14$
$64,64+14 ., 78+14$
Hence, the correct option is A.
18. In the following question, four groups of three numbers are given. In each group the second and third number are related to the first number by a Logic/Rule/Relation. Three are similar on basis of same Logic/Rule/Relation. Select the odd one out from the given alternatives.
A. $(2,22,222)$
B. $(3,33,333)$
C. $(1,11,111)$
D. $(4,44,4444)$

Ans. D
Sol. All groups are written with a number in one digit, two digit and three digit respectively, except $(\mathbf{4}, \mathbf{4 4 , 4 4 4 4})$.
Hence, the correct option is D
19. In the following question, four number pairs are given. The number on left side of $(-)$ is related to the number of the right side of (-) with some Logic/Rule/Relation. Three are similar on basis of same Logic/Rule/Relation. Select the odd one out from the given alternatives.
A. 10-121
B. 12-169
C. 14-225
D. 16-279

Ans. D
Sol. $(10+1)^{2}=121$
$(12+1)^{2}=169$
$(\mathbf{1 6}+\mathbf{1})^{2} \neq 279$
$(14+1)^{2}=225$
Hence, the correct option is $\mathbf{D}$

## 20. In the following question, select the odd letters from the given alternatives.

A. JKL
B. EGI
C. OQS
D. KMO

Ans. A
Sol.

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$E+2=G, G+2=I$
$\mathrm{O}+2=\mathrm{Q}, \mathrm{Q}+2=\mathrm{S}$
$K+2=M, M+2=O$
$\mathbf{J}+\mathbf{1}=\mathbf{K}, \mathbf{K}+\mathbf{1}=\mathbf{L}$
Hence, option A is correct answer.
21. In the following question, four groups of three numbers are given. In each group, the second and third number is related to the first number by a Logic/Rule/Relation. Three are similar on the basis of same Logic/Rule/Relation.

Select the odd one out from the given alternatives.
A. $(5,10,15)$
B. $(7,14,21)$
C. $(6,12,18)$
D. $(8,16,28)$

Ans. D
Sol. In every group consecutive multiple of $1^{\text {st }}$ number is given respectively:
$(5,10,15)->5 \times 1,5 \times 2,5 \times 3$
$(7,14,21)->7 \times 1,7 \times 2,7 \times 3$
$(6,12,18)->6 \times 1,6 \times 2,6 \times 3$
$(8,16,28)->8 \times 1,8 \times 2,28$ is not a multiple of 8
Hence, the correct option is D.
22. In the following question, select the odd number pair from the given alternatives.
A. 12-121
B. 14-169
C. 16-215
D. $18-289$

Ans. C
Sol. The $2^{\text {nd }}$ number in the pair is a square of the number by subtracting ' 1 ' from the $1^{\text {st }}$ number in respective pair:
$121 \rightarrow 12-1=11^{2}$
$169 \rightarrow 14-1=13^{2}$
$215 \rightarrow \mathbf{1 6}-1=15^{2}=225$, which is not correct.
$289 \rightarrow 18-1=17^{2}$
Hence, the correct option is C.
23. In the following question, select the odd letters from the given alternatives.
A. HFD
B. SQO
C. ZXV
D. BZU

Ans. D
Sol.

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$\mathrm{H}-2=\mathrm{F}, \mathrm{F}-2=\mathrm{D}$
$\mathrm{S}-2=\mathrm{Q}, \mathrm{Q}-2=\mathrm{O}$
$z-2=x, x-2=v$
$B-2=Z, Z-5=U$
Hence, the correct option is D.
24. In the following question, select the odd number from the given alternatives.
A. 2437
B. 9118
C. 8548
D. 7649

Ans. A
Sol. If we consider the last two digits as one number, then that number is given by:
$9118 \rightarrow 18=9 \times(1+1) \rightarrow$ i.e. first number multiplied by succession of $2^{\text {nd }}$ number.
$8548 \rightarrow 48=8 \times(5+1)$
$7649 \rightarrow 49=7 \times(6+1)$
But it's not applicable with 2437.
Hence, option A is the correct answer.
25. In the following question, four groups of three numbers are given. In each group the second and third number are related to the first number by a Logic/Rule/Relation. Three are similar on basis of same Logic/Rule/Relation. Select the odd one out from the given alternatives.
A. $(10,12,14)$
B. $(12,14,16)$
C. $(18,20,22)$
D. $(24,26,30)$

Ans. D
Sol. In every group $2^{\text {nd }}$ number and $3^{\text {rd }}$ number is greater than the $1^{\text {st }}$ number by '2' \& '4' respectively except (24, 26, 30). Hence, the correct option is $\mathbf{D}$.
26. Select the odd word/letters/number/number pair from the given alternatives.
A. White
B. Yellow
C. Violet
D. Red

Ans. A
Sol. All are colors of rainbow except

## White.

Hence, the correct option is A
27. In the following question, select the odd word from the given alternatives.
A. 10
B. 14
C. 28
D. 25

Ans. D
Sol. All are even numbers except for 25. Hence, the correct option is D.
28. Select the odd word/letters/number/ number pair from the given alternatives.
A. 4313
B. 5434
C. 8723
D. 3674

Ans. A
Sol. Sum of the digits of every number is
even number except '4314'.
$4+3+1+3=11$
$5+4+3+4=16$
$8+7+2+3=20$
$3+6+7+4=20$
Hence, the correct option is $\mathbf{A}$
29. Select the odd word/letters/number/ number pair from the given alternatives.
A. 8179
B. 7147
C. 8135
D. 9113

Ans. D
Sol. Sum of the digits of every number is odd number except '9113'.
$8+1+7+9=25$
$8+1+3+5=17$
$7+1+4+7=19$
$\mathbf{9 + 1}+1+3=14$
Hence, the correct option is $\mathbf{D}$
30. In the following question, select the odd letters from the given alternatives.
A. AI
B. OU
C. AD
D. IO

Ans. C
Sol. All are in pair of 'Vowels' except 'AD'. Hence, option (C) is correct.
31. Choose the odd word/letters/number/ number pair from the alternatives.
A. AE
B. IO
C. UA
D. GH

Ans. D

Sol. There are 5 vowels in English Language viz. a, e, i, o and u.
Here all are pair of vowels except in ' $\mathrm{GH}^{\prime}$. Hence, the correct option is D
32. Choose the odd word/letters/number/ number pair from the alternatives.
A. 17
B. 23
C. 29
D. 33

Ans. D
Sol. Prime numbers are the number which doesn't have any other factor than ' 1 ' and the number itself and here all are prime numbers except '33'
Hence, the correct option is D
33. In the following question, select the odd letters from the given alternatives.
A. CUD
B. SIP
C. SET
D. NIR

Ans. D
Sol. All are meaningful words in the English language except 'NIR'
Hence, the correct option is D
34. The sum of the ages of Ram and Shyam is 49. The difference between the age of Shyam and twice the age of Ram is 8 . What is the age (in years) of Ram?
A. 30
B. 20
C. 19
D. 29

Ans. C
Sol. Let the age of ram be $x$ and shyam be y years.
So, $x+y=49$ from statement 1
And $2 x-y=8$ from statement 2
On solving we get $y=30$
So, $x=49-30=19$ which is the age of ram.
Hence C
35. In the following question, select the odd number from the given alternatives.
A. 306
B. 270
C. 132
D. 240

Ans. B
Sol. All except '270' follow the same pattern:
$306=18^{2}-18$
$132=12^{2}-12$
$240=16^{2}-16$
Hence, the correct option is B.
36. In the following question, select the odd number from the given alternatives.
A. 897
B. 969
C. 888
D. 432

Ans. D
Sol. All the digits of number sum up to '24' except '432' i.e.
$8+9+7=24$
$9+6+9=24$
$8+8+8=24$
$4+3+2=9$ (odd one)
Hence, the correct option is D.
37. In the following question, select the odd word from the given alternatives.
A. Washington
B. New York
C. Las Vegas
D. Sydney

Ans. D
Sol. Except Sydney, all other are part of United States while Sydney is in Australia.
Hence, the correct option is D.
38. Find out the odd word/letters/number /number pair from the given alternatives.
A. WT
B. SR
C. ED
D. KJ

Ans. A
Sol. Here in every option pair of alphabets are written with its predecessor except in option A.
Hence, the correct option is A.
39. Find out the odd word/letters/number /number pair from the given alternatives.
A. 5306
B. 2147
C. 4205
D. 4308

Ans. D
Sol. NO number given is a multiple of ' 3 ' except '4308' (Divisibility of 3 is sum of all digits of a
number should be divisible by3).
Hence, the correct option is D.
40. In the following question, select the odd letters from the given alternatives.
A. PD
B. LE
C. IC
D. DB

Ans. B
Sol.
PD $\rightarrow 16-4=12$
LE $\rightarrow 12-5=7$
IC $\rightarrow 9-3=6$
DB $\rightarrow 4-2=2$
here, the difference between 'LE' is only an odd number while in other three the difference is an even number.
Hence, option (B) is the correct response.
41. Find out the odd word/letters/number/number pair from the given alternatives.
A. 286
B. 374
C. 143
D. 279

Ans. D
Sol. $2+8+6=16$
$3+7+4=14$
$1+4+3=8$
These numbers aren't divisible by 3 as their sum is not divisible by 3
Whereas, $2+7+9+=18$
Which is divisible by 3
Hence D
42. A series is given with one term missing. Choose the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.
Thousand, Ten thousand, Lakh, Ten lakh, ?
A. Ones
B. Hundred
C. Ten crore
D. Crore

Ans. D

Sol. As we move ahead in the above series, everybody knows that 10 lakhs * 10 lakhs gives us Crore.
Hence D
43. Three of the following four numbers are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the number that is different from the rest.
A. 145
B. 325
C. 425
D. 235

Ans. C
Sol.
Except 425, sum of digits of each given option's number is equal to 10.
So here 425 is an odd one out.
Hence, the correct answer is option C.
44. Three of the following four letterclusters are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the odd one out.
A. EGK
B. IKM
C. BDH
D. DFJ

Ans. B
Sol.


Hence, the correct answer is option B.
45. Three of the following four numbers are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the number that is different from the rest.
A. 47
B. 57
C. 67
D. 37

Ans. B
Sol.
Except 57 all other are prime numbers. Hence, option B is the correct answer.
46. Three of the following four letterclusters are alike in a certain way and one
is different. Among the following four letter-clusters, pick the odd one out:
A. PRKI
B. LNOM
C. STHI
D. CEXV

Ans. C
Sol.
Option (A) $\mathrm{P}(+2) \rightarrow \mathrm{R} \& \mathrm{~K}(-2) \rightarrow \mathrm{I}$
Option (B) $L(+2) \rightarrow N \& O(-2) \rightarrow M$
Option (C) $\mathrm{S}(+1) \rightarrow \mathrm{T} \boldsymbol{\&} \mathrm{H}(+1) \rightarrow \mathrm{I}$ (odd one)
Option (D) C(+2) $\rightarrow \mathrm{E} \boldsymbol{\&} X(-2) \rightarrow V$
Hence, option C is the correct answer.
47. Three of the following four words are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the odd word out.
A. Bark
B. Bleat
C. Frog
D. Moo

Ans. C
Sol.
Except for frogs (are amphibians), all others are the sounds produced by different animals.
Hence, option C is the correct answer.
48. Three of the following four words are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the odd word out.
A. Thyroxin
B. Insulin
C. Adrenalin
D. Hormone

Ans. D
Sol.

Thyroxin, Insulin and Adrenalin are different kind of Hormones.
So here Hormone is an odd word.
Hence, the correct answer is option D.
49. Three of the following four letterclusters are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the odd one out.
A. GLQV
B. CHMR
C. LQVZ
D. SXCH

Ans. C
Sol.


Hence, the correct answer is option C.
50. Three of the following four numbers are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the number that is different from the rest.
A. 216
B. 159
C. 512
D. 343

Ans. B
Sol.
Except 159 all are perfect cube.
Hence, the correct answer is option B.

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