SSC CGL T-I Similar Paper (Held on 13 Sep 2025 S3) - English

Q1. A says: “She is the daughter of my father’s only son.” How is the girl related to A?
(a) Sister
(b) Cousin
(c) Mother
(d) Daughter
Ans.(d)

Q2. If 4 # 3 = 19 and 6 # 5 = 41, then 8 # 7 = ?
(a) 63
(b) 65
(c) 71
(d) 73
Ans.(c)

Q3. If LIGHT is coded as KJFIS, then HEAVY is coded as?
(a) GEZWX
(b) GFZWX
(c) GFZXX
(d) GFYWX
Ans.(b)

Q4. If 7x + 5 = 61, then x = ?
(a) 7
(b) 8
(c) 9
(d) 10
Ans.(b)

Q5. Statement:
“The government should regulate plastic usage strictly.”
Assumptions:
I. Plastic causes environmental damage.
II. Regulations can reduce plastic usage.
(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II
Ans.(c)

Q6. Choose the option similar to the following numbers:
21, 34, 55, ?
(a) 89
(b) 90
(c) 87
(d) 91

Ans.(a)

Q7. How many letters will remain unchanged if the word MOBILE is arranged alphabetically?
(a) 2
(b) 1
(c) 0
(d) 3
Ans.(c)

Q8. If + is ×, × is -, - is ÷ and ÷ is +, then 6 + 4 × 24 - 8 ÷ 4 = ?
(a) 30
(b) 25
(c) 20
(d) 35
Ans.(b)

Q9. In a row of students, R is 10th from left and S is 12th from right. If they interchange positions, R becomes 14th from left. Total students?
(a) 23
(b) 24
(c) 25
(d) 26
Ans.(c)

Q10. Select the incorrect term from the given options.
(a) RED
(b) QDC
(c) TGF
(d) KLM
Ans.(d)

Q11. P is brother of Q. Q is mother of R. How is P related to R?
(a) Uncle
(b) Father
(c) Brother
(d) Cousin
Ans.(a)

Q12. Complete the series:
2, 5, 10, 17, ?
(a) 24
(b) 26
(c) 25
(d) 27
Ans.(b)

Q13. Find the odd one out.
(a) 4 : 16

(b) 5 : 25
(c) 6 : 36
(d) 8 : 54
Ans.(d)

Q14. If PEARL is coded as RGCUN, how is STONE coded?
(a) UVQQG
(b) UVQPF
(c) UVRPF
(d) TUPOF
Ans.(a)

Q15. If '$' means +, '@' means ×, then 8 @ 3 $ 4 = ?
(a) 24
(b) 32
(c) 36
(d) 28
Ans.(d)

Q16. Complete the series:
3, 6, 13, 28, ?
(a) 55
(b) 57
(c) 59
(d) 61
Ans.(c)

Q17. If the sum of 48 and 32 is multiplied by 6, the result is:
(a) 420
(b) 500
(c) 480
(d) 540
Ans.(c)

Q18. Apply the same pattern used in the following group and find the correct option.
WRITE → UQGSC
BREAK → ?
(a) ZQCYI
(b) ZQCZI
(c) YOCYI
(d) YPCYI
Ans.(b)

Q19. How many meaningful English words can be formed using letters of PLANT, each letter used once?
(a) 2
(b) 1
(c) 4
(d) 3

Ans.(b)

Q20. Select the option that will replace the question mark.
ABDF, CEGH, EHJJ, ?
(a) GKML
(b) FHJK
(c) GKJL
(d) HJKL
Ans.(a)

Q21. If CAT = DBU, then DOG = ?
(a) EPJ
(b) FPH
(c) EPH
(d) EOJ
Ans.(c)

Q22. If 6 @ 4 = 40, 5 @ 3 = 24, then 8 @ 5 = ?
(a) 60
(b) 65
(c) 55
(d) 75
Ans.(b)

Q23. Choose the option exactly similar to:
Flat No. 45, Block C, Sector 18, Noida, UP – 201301
(a) Flat No. 45, Block B, Sector 18, Noida, UP – 201301
(b) Flat No. 45, Block C, Sector 19, Noida, UP – 201301
(c) Flat No. 54, Block C, Sector 18, Noida, UP – 201301
(d) Flat No. 45, Block C, Sector 18, Noida, UP – 201301
Ans.(d)

Q24. How many diagonals does a pentagon have?
(a) 5
(b) 7
(c) 10
(d) 15
Ans.(a)

Q25. If 14 + 6 = 84 and 10 + 8 = 80, then 12 + 8 = ?
(a) 76
(b) 82
(c) 84
(d) 96
Ans.(d)

Q26. Arrange the steps in the passage of an Ordinary Bill in Parliament: A. Introduction in either House B. Passage by both Houses D. Consideration in the second House C. President’s assent

(a) A-B-D-C
(b) A-D-B-C
(c) B-A-D-C
(d) D-A-B-C
Ans.(b)

Q27. The 'Mission Karmayogi' programme is implemented by which department?
(a) Department of Personnel and Training
(b) Ministry of Defence
(c) Ministry of Finance
(d) NITI Aayog
Ans.(a)

Q28. Under the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, digital evidence is treated as:
(a) Secondary evidence only
(b) Primary evidence if authenticated
(c) Invalid evidence
(d) Oral testimony
Ans.(b)

Q29. According to recent energy transition strategies, which measure improves grid stability?
(a) Increasing coal imports
(b) Expanding energy storage systems
(c) Reducing renewable energy capacity
(d) Limiting digital monitoring
Ans.(b)

Q30. Assertion (A): India is developing small satellite launch vehicles (SSLVs).
Reason (R): SSLVs are designed to provide cost-effective and rapid launch capabilities.
(a) Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A
(b) Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A
(c) A is true, but R is false
(d) A is false, but R is true
Ans.(a)

Q31. Which of the following are features of glacial landforms?
(a) Formation of moraines and drumlins
(b) Development of sand dunes
(c) Creation of coral reefs
(d) Formation of deltas
Ans.(a)

Q32. In the Wangala festival, the term 'Rongchugala' symbolizes:
(a) War
(b) Harvest celebration
(c) Mourning
(d) Isolation
Ans.(b)

Q33. Consider the following statements about the book 'Playing It My Way':
(a) It is an autobiography of a former Indian cricketer.
(b) It was written by a sports journalist.
(c) It focuses only on domestic cricket tournaments.
(d) It was published by the ICC.
Ans.(a)

Q34. Consider the following statements:
1. The Finance Commission is a constitutional body.
2. Its recommendations are legally binding on the government.
(a) Only 1
(b) Only 2
(c) Both 1 and 2
(d) Neither 1 nor 2
Ans.(a)

Q35. Who among the following was awarded Padma Shri for contribution to traditional Pattachitra art?
(a) Jitendra Maharana
(b) Rameshwar Broota
(c) Bhuri Bai
(d) Syed Haider Raza
Ans.(a)

Q36. The folk dance 'Chhau' is associated with which region?
(a) Rajasthan
(b) Eastern India
(c) Western Himalayas
(d) Deccan Plateau
Ans.(b)

Q37. A raga that uses five notes is classified under which jaati?
(a) Sampoorna
(b) Shadav
(c) Audav
(d) Mishra
Ans.(c)

Q38. Which of the following pairs is correctly matched with Mauryan pillar locations?
(a) Vaishali – Bihar
(b) Dhauli – Rajasthan
(c) Rampurva – Uttar Pradesh
(d) Amaravati – Karnataka
Ans.(a)

Q39. Ox-bow lakes are most commonly formed in:
(a) Glacial regions
(b) Floodplains of meandering rivers

(c) Coastal deserts
(d) Mountain plateaus
Ans.(b)

Q40. Which river basin is associated with major iron ore deposits in India?
(a) Mahanadi basin
(b) Godavari basin
(c) Narmada basin
(d) Kaveri basin
Ans.(a)

Q41. Which of the following statements about the 2022 SAFF Championship final is correct?
(a) India defeated Nepal in Kathmandu.
(b) India defeated Bangladesh in Dhaka.
(c) India defeated Nepal in Malé.
(d) India defeated Sri Lanka in Colombo.
Ans.(c)

Q42. Which of the following statements about India's cement industry is correct?
(a) It depends entirely on imported limestone.
(b) It is one of the largest producers in the world.
(c) Production is limited to coastal states.
(d) It is controlled only by public sector companies.
Ans.(b)

Q43. The main objective of the 'National Green Hydrogen Mission' is to:
(a) Promote nuclear energy
(b) Develop hydrogen as a clean energy source
(c) Expand coal mining
(d) Increase petroleum imports
Ans.(b)

Q44. Who scored the highest number of goals for India in the 1952 Helsinki Olympic hockey final?
(a) Balbir Singh Sr.
(b) Dhyan Chand
(c) Roop Singh
(d) Leslie Claudius
Ans.(a)

Q45. Which of the following statements about football rules is correct?
(a) A goalkeeper cannot handle the ball inside the penalty area.
(b) Offside is judged only when the ball is passed forward.
(c) A player is sent off for receiving two yellow cards.
(d) A corner kick is taken from the centre circle.
Ans.(c)

Q46. When did India successfully conduct the first Gaganyaan TV-D1 test flight?
(a) October 2022

(b) October 2023
(c) January 2024
(d) December 2024
Ans.(b)

Q47. Which initiative was launched by India under G20 to promote startup ecosystems among member nations?
(a) G20 Innovation Network
(b) Startup Bridge Forum
(c) Global MSME Platform
(d) Digital Economy Alliance
Ans.(b)

Q48. Consider the following statements regarding renewable energy certificates (RECs):
1. They are issued for electricity generated from renewable sources.
2. They help utilities meet renewable purchase obligations.
(a) Only 1 is correct
(b) Only 2 is correct
(c) Both 1 and 2 are correct
(d) Neither 1 nor 2 is correct
Ans.(c)

Q49. A new All-India Service can be created by Parliament through a resolution passed in the:
(a) Lok Sabha
(b) Rajya Sabha
(c) Supreme Court
(d) State Assemblies
Ans.(b)

Q50. In tribal traditions of Odisha, the 'Chaitra Parva' festival primarily symbolizes:
(a) Beginning of the agricultural season
(b) Victory in war
(c) Funeral rituals
(d) Trade activities
Ans.(a)

Q51. A retailer sells an item for ₹Z with a loss of 12%. He then marks it at 0.9Z and gives a 10% discount. What is the overall loss percentage?
(a) 19.6%
(b) 28.7%
(c) 21.2%
(d) 26.4%
Ans.(b)

Q52. A vendor mixes two types of tea - one costing ₹150 per kg and another costing ₹200 per kg, in the ratio 2 : 3. If he sells the mixture at ₹180 per kg, find his gain or loss percent.
(a) 4% Gain
(b) 4% Loss
(c) 6% Loss

(d) no loss, no gain
Ans.(d)

Q53. A merchant incurred a loss of ₹200 on an item. If the loss percentage was 8%, what was the cost price?
(a) ₹2,250
(b) ₹2,500
(c) ₹2,750
(d) ₹3,000
Ans.(b)

Q54. Two concentric circles have circumferences in ratio 4:7. If smaller circle has area 80 m^2, what is the approximate area of the larger circle?
(a) 245 m^2
(b) 280 m^2
(c) 308 m^2
(d) 336 m^2
Ans.(a)

Q55. The average monthly salary of 30 workers is ₹35,000. The average salary of 10 junior staff is ₹25,000. What is the average salary for the remaining workers?
(a) ₹37,500
(b) ₹40,000
(c) ₹42,500
(d) ₹45,000
Ans.(b)

Q56. A sum of ₹1,25,000 is invested at 12% compound interest per annum. After how many years will it grow to ₹1,75,616?
(a) 2
(b) 3
(c) 4
(d) 5
Ans.(b)

Q57. A student's average score in 12 exams is 72. If his highest score is excluded, the average becomes 70. What is his highest score?
(a) 92
(b) 94
(c) 96
(d) 98
Ans.(b)

Q58. P and Q start a business. P invests 3 times the capital of Q. After 7 months, P withdraws one-third of his capital, and Q doubles his capital. If the total duration of the business is 12 months and the total profit is ₹60,000, find Q's share.
(a) ₹12,000
(b) ₹21,250
(c) ₹18,000

(d) ₹20,250
Ans.(b)

Q59. M and N share a rented property. M uses 16 machines for 6 months, while N uses 24 equipment for 5 months and 36 tools for 4 months. If 3 machines are equivalent to 6 equipment, and 2 equipment equal 3 tools. What portion of rent does M pay?
(a) 10/17
(b) 9/17
(c) 15/17
(d) 8/17
Ans.(d)

Q60. X, Y, and Z invested ₹50,000, ₹75,000, and ₹1,25,000 respectively in a business. If the total profit is ₹50,000, what is Y's share?
(a) ₹10,000
(b) ₹12,500
(c) ₹15,000
(d) ₹17,500
Ans.(c)

Q61. A bookstore ordered 10 boxes of hardcover books and some boxes of paperback books. Hardcovers cost twice as much per box as paperbacks. Due to an order error, the quantities were swapped, increasing the bill by 20%. What is the ratio of hardcover to paperback boxes originally?
(a) 4:7
(b) 1:3
(c) 2:3
(d) 3:2
Ans.(a)

Q62. Table: Test Scores (out of 100)

Student	Test 1	Test 2	Test 3
Student X	82	78	85
Student Y	88	86	90

Which student had a higher average score?
(a) Student X
(b) Student Y
(c) Both are equal
(d) Cannot be determined
Ans.(b)

Q63. A pipe is divided in the ratio 3/7 : 2/5 : 3/4. Total length = 8 m. Find the largest piece.
(a) 3.2 m
(b) 3.8 m
(c) 4.0 m
(d) 4.4 m
Ans.(b)

Q64. If P is 30% more than Q, and R is 25% more than P, then what is Q : R?
(a) 4 : 5
(b) 8 : 13
(c) 5 : 4
(d) 33 : 20
Ans.(b)

Q65. An item is marked at ₹850. A dealer allows 20% discount and still makes 12% profit. What is the cost price(Approximate)?
(a) ₹580
(b) ₹610
(c) ₹607
(d) ₹604
Ans.(c)

Q66. A pump fills 0.625 liters of water every second. How much does it fill in 6 seconds?
(a) 3.5 L
(b) 3.75 L
(c) 4.0 L
(d) 4.25 L
Ans.(b)

Q67. A container holds 4,000 milliliters of liquid. If its full capacity is 0.008 kiloliters, what percentage is empty?
(a) 25%
(b) 40%
(c) 50%
(d) 60%
Ans.(c)

Q68. A manufacturer sells goods to a wholesaler at a 20% discount on marked price plus a 5% surcharge. The wholesaler then sells the goods at ₹3,150 more than his cost price, making a profit of 25%. What was the marked price?
(a) ₹15,000
(b) ₹17,500
(c) ₹19,200
(d) ₹20,480
Ans.(a)

Q69. Three types of grain costing ₹50/kg, ₹70/kg, and unknown price are mixed in ratio 2:3:2. If sold at ₹64/kg with 20% profit, what is the price of the third variety?
(a) ₹31.6/kg
(b) ₹32.8/kg
(c) ₹24.2/kg
(d) ₹36/kg
Ans.(a)

Q70. Three concentric circles have diameters in arithmetic progression. Smallest circumference is 8π cm, largest is 18π cm. What is the middle circumference?
(a) 11π cm

(b) 12π cm
(c) 13π cm
(d) 14π cm
Ans.(c)

Q71. A sphere and a cone have the same volume and base radius. Find the ratio of height of cone to its radius.
(a) 2:1
(b) 3:1
(c) 4:1
(d) 8:1
Ans.(c)

Q72. A person invests ₹24,000 in two schemes - Scheme A at 18% and Scheme B at 12%, both simple interest. After 1 year, total interest is ₹3,840. How much in Scheme A?
(a) ₹8,000
(b) ₹10,000
(c) ₹12,000
(d) ₹16,000
Ans.(d)

Q73. A hexagonal prism has a regular hexagon base with side 8 cm and height 12 cm. What is its volume?
(a) 1920√3 cm^3
(b) 1728√2 cm^3
(c) 1152√3 cm^3
(d) 2304√3 cm^3
Ans.(c)

Q74. A solid cylinder (radius 6 cm) has five cylindrical holes (radius 1.5 cm each) drilled throughout its length. Approximately what percent of volume is removed?
(a) 25.25%
(b) 36.60%
(c) 42.75%
(d) 31.25%
Ans.(d)

Q75. A sector has central angle 144° and radius 7 cm. Another sector with the same radius has a central angle 4π/5 radians. What is the ratio of their areas?
(a) 1:1
(b) 4:5
(c) 5:6
(d) 7:8
Ans.(a)

Q76. Choose the most suitable option to replace the highlighted part of the sentence:
They reverted back to their original plan after the discussion.
(a) returned back to their plan
(b) reverted to original plan
(c) reverted to their original plan

(d) went back to original plan
Ans.(c)

Q77. Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word: DISCORD
(a) Uproar
(b) Concord
(c) Racket
(d) Clatter
Ans.(b)

Q78. Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word: RUSE
(a) Trickery
(b) Candor
(c) Deceit
(d) Fraud
Ans.(b)

Q79. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word: DETRIMENTAL
(a) Damaging
(b) Beneficial
(c) Soothing
(d) Supportive
Ans.(a)

Q80. Choose the most suitable option to replace the highlighted part of the sentence:
The man was charged for fraud.
(a) charged with fraud
(b) charged by fraud
(c) charged of fraud
(d) charged on fraud
Ans.(a)

Q81. Convert the sentence provided below from its passive voice structure to an active voice structure:
The report will have been submitted by the analyst before the deadline.
(a) The analyst will submit the report before the deadline.
(b) The analyst had submitted the report before the deadline.
(c) The analyst has submitted the report before the deadline.
(d) The analyst will have submitted the report before the deadline.
Ans.(d)

Q82. Select the correct option:
Each of the reports _____ been verified before submission.
(a) has
(b) have
(c) is
(d) has been being
Ans.(a)

Q83. What was one major unintended drawback linked to the CoWIN registration system?
Read the passage and answer the following questions.
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(a) It worsened network speed in villages
(b) It caused official vaccination records to be incomplete
(c) It left out citizens with low digital awareness
(d) It resulted in frequent cyber-attacks on user accounts
Ans.(c)

Q84. According to the passage, why did cities get a larger share of vaccines in the early phase?
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(a) Urban facilities produced more vaccines than rural centres
(b) Overseas supply disruptions alone created urban preference
(c) Rural communities rejected vaccination in large numbers
(d) Centralized control and weak rural logistics tilted allocation toward cities
Ans.(d)

Q85. Which step mentioned in the passage helped address vaccine rumours and hesitancy?
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(a) Enforcing a nationwide ban on social media platforms
(b) Relying on community figures and mobile vaccination outreach
(c) Depending only on vaccines sourced from abroad
(d) Limiting access to local news in rural regions

Ans.(b)

Q86. Which option most accurately captures the central message of the passage?

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(a) India's pharmaceutical exports gained global dominance
(b) Vaccine side effects were the biggest threat to public health
(c) Crisis management alone defined India's vaccination plan
(d) Public health delivery was shaped by digital inequality and inclusion gaps

Ans.(d)

Q87. . What best describes the writer's attitude toward India's vaccination drive?

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(a) Mocking and dismissive
(b) Evaluative and balanced with guarded optimism
(c) Celebratory without pointing out flaws
(d) Harshly negative and fear-inducing

Ans.(b)

Q88. A sentence is provided in direct speech. From the four given options, choose the one that most accurately conveys the sentence in its corresponding indirect speech.

She said, " Where have you been living for the past few months?"

(a) She asked where had I been living for the past few months.
(b) She asked where I had been living for the past few months.
(c) She asked where I have been living for the past few months.
(d) She said where I had been living for the past few months.

Ans.(b)

Q89. A sentence is provided in indirect speech. From the four given options, choose the one that most accurately conveys the sentence in its corresponding direct speech.

The manager said that the employees were adapting to the new system quickly.

(a) "The employees are adapting to the new system quickly," said the manager.
(b) "The employees were adapting to the new system quickly," said the manager.
(c) "The employees adapted to the new system quickly," said the manager.
(d) "The employees had adapted to the new system quickly," said the manager.

Ans.(a)

Q90. Find the part of the sentence that contains an error:

That none of the applicants considered the policy fair (1)/ is hardly shocking given (2)/ that neither the supervisor nor the HR officer (3)/ were informed in advance. (4)

(a) (1)
(b) (2)
(c) (3)
(d) (4)

Ans.(d)

Q91. Choose the correct one-word substitute for: "A professional who makes detailed maps showing terrain/features".

(a) Archivist

(b) Topographer
(c) Pharmacist
(d) Sculptor
Ans.(b)

Q92. Choose the correct meaning of idiom: Get cold feet
(a) To lose courage at the last moment
(b) To request urgent help
(c) To act bravely under pressure
(d) To accept failure politely
Ans.(a)

Q93. Change the following from active to passive:
Will the committee review the amended policy immediately?
(a) Will the amended policy be reviewed immediately by the committee?
(b) Will the amended policy being reviewed immediately by the committee?
(c) Will the amended policy have been reviewed immediately by the committee?
(d) Will the amended policy reviewed immediately by the committee?
Ans.(a)

Q94. Spot the correct spelling of microorganism-based pollution cleanup.
(a) Bioremediation
(b) Bioremydiation
(c) Biorimediation
(d) Bioremedation
Ans.(a)

Q95. Rearrange the following sentences to form a coherent paragraph:
1. It begins with identifying a clear question and collecting relevant information through observation or study.
2. Scientific inquiry plays a crucial role in developing reliable knowledge and improving human life.
3. The results are then analysed and presented so others can examine, replicate, and evaluate them.
4. This approach may be exploratory to understand ideas, or experimental to test a specific hypothesis.
(a) 2, 1, 4, 3
(b) 1, 2, 4, 3
(c) 2, 4, 1, 3
(d) 4, 1, 3, 2
Ans.(a)

Q96. Rearrange the following sentences to form a coherent paragraph:
1. The most common model is a peer-to-peer setup, where control is shared rather than held by one authority.
2. A decentralized ledger system records transactions across multiple nodes instead of storing them in a single place.
3. This shared structure increases trust because updates are accepted only after agreement across the network.
4. It works by distributing identical copies of the record to many computers connected through the internet.
(a) 2, 4, 1, 3
(b) 4, 2, 1, 3
(c) 1, 4, 2, 3
(d) 2, 1, 3, 4
Ans.(a)

Q97. Select the correct option:
The panel opted _____ extending the deadline due to strict compliance rules.
(a) for
(b) against
(c) with
(d) on
Ans.(b)

Q98. Select the correct option:
Neither the captain nor the players _____ ready to begin without the referee.
(a) is
(b) were
(c) has been
(d) was
Ans.(b)

Q99. Select the sentence with the correct homonym of the highlighted word:
The guards stood in pike formation along the causeway.
(a) At dawn, the angler reeled in a pike from the quiet river.
(b) The captive was sentenced to be displayed on the pike as a warning.
(c) The long pike of the foot-soldier helped break the rival ranks.
(d) Beside the knight's shield, the pike reflected the torchlight.
Ans.(a)

Q100. Find the part of the sentence that contains an error:
Neither the analysis of revenue nor the forecast of expenditure patterns (1)/ seem to reflect the supply bottlenecks (2)/ that medium-sized manufacturers experience (3)/ during sudden market contractions. (4)
(a) (1)
(b) (2)
(c) (3)
(d) (4)
Ans.(b)