

PART - I
SECTION 1 – CRITICAL THINKING

Instructions (Q1-Q4): The questions will begin with a proposition which is true. Read the proposition and the arguments carefully. Now decide whether the argument is strong or weak & choose the correct option.

Proposition: Wild animals like panthers need to learn how to hunt and survive. Hence, they should be allowed to roam freely in forests.

- 1) **Argument:** Panthers can’t survive in the wild and they should be kept in cages in zoos.
A) Strong Argument B) Weak Argument
- 2) **Argument:** Panthers need a lot of area to roam around and hunt.
A) Strong Argument B) Weak Argument
- 3) **Argument:** Panthers are domestic animals.
A) Strong Argument B) Weak Argument
- 4) **Argument:** Panthers kept in cages don’t know how to hunt.
A) Strong Argument B) Weak Argument

Instructions (Q5-Q8): The questions will begin with a proposition which is true. Read the proposition and the arguments carefully. Now decide whether the argument is strong or weak & choose the correct option.

Proposition: A true Neopolitan Pizza contains plum tomatoes from the San Marzano region of Italy. Hence pizzas that contain other types of tomatoes cannot be called a true Neopolitan pizzas.

- 5) **Argument:** San Marzano tomatoes are cherry tomatoes.
A) Strong Argument B) Weak Argument
- 6) **Argument:** Pizzas made from cherry tomatoes cannot be called a true Neopolitan pizza.
A) Strong Argument B) Weak Argument
- 7) **Argument:** Plum tomatoes from the Piedmont region of Italy cannot be used in a true Neopolitan pizza.
A) Strong Argument B) Weak Argument
- 8) **Argument:** San Marzano tomatoes are plum tomatoes.
A) Strong Argument B) Weak Argument

Instructions (Q9-Q14): The questions will begin with a paragraph which is true. Read the paragraph and the assumptions carefully. Now decide whether the assumption can be made or cannot be made.

Paragraph: The samosa has a Central Asian origin. The Central Asian samsa was introduced to the Indian subcontinent in the 13th or 14th century by chefs from the Middle East and Central Asia who cooked in the royal kitchens for the rules of the Delhi Sultanate. Ibn Battuta, a 14th-century traveler and explorer, describes a meal where the samushak or sambusak, a small pie stuffed with minced meat, almonds, pistachios, walnuts and spices, was served before the third course, of pulao.

- 9) **Assumption:** Samosa originates from the Central Asian dish samsa.

	A) Assumption Made	B) Assumption Not Made
10)	Assumption: Samosas have always been vegetarian.	
	A) Assumption Made	B) Assumption Not Made
11)	Assumption: Samosas were present in the court of the Delhi Sultanate.	
	A) Assumption Made	B) Assumption Not Made

12)	Assumption: Samosas were present in the court of the Delhi Sultanate.	
	A) Assumption Made	B) Assumption Not Made
13)	Assumption: Ibn Battuta has eaten samosas.	
	A) Assumption Made	B) Assumption Not Made
14)	Assumption: The royal kitchens of the sultanate had only Indian chefs	
	A) Assumption Made	B) Assumption Not Made

Instructions (Q15 – Q20): The questions will begin with a paragraph which is true. Read the paragraph and the conclusions carefully. Now decide whether the conclusions follow or don't follow.

Paragraph: The Tata IPL is cricket tournament organised by the BCCI. Table toppers, Gujarat Titans, a new team, playing their first IPL, won the 2022 tournament by beating the Rajasthan Royals in the final.

15)	Conclusion: Rajasthan Royals were the runners-up of IPL 2022	
	A) Conclusion follows	B) Conclusion does not follow
16)	Conclusion: Gujarat Titans have participated in the IPL prior to 2022 as well.	
	A) Conclusion follows	B) Conclusion does not follow
17)	Conclusion: Tata is the sponsor of IPL 2022. Tata is the sponsor of IPL 2022.	
	A) Conclusion follows	B) Conclusion does not follow
18)	Conclusion: BCCI is the only organisation that can conduct the IPL tournament.	
	A) Conclusion follows	B) Conclusion does not follow
19)	Conclusion: Gujarat Titans were the teams with the most wins in the preliminary stage of the tournament.	
	A) Conclusion follows	B) Conclusion does not follow
20)	Conclusion: Rajasthan Royals were playing in the IPL for the first time (in 2022).	
	A) Conclusion follows	B) Conclusion does not follow

SECTION 02 – CREATIVE THINKING

21)	What has hands and a face, but can't hold anything or smile?	
	A) Clock	C) Pan
	B) Oven	D) Dishwasher
22)	Kate's mother has three children: Snap, Crackle and ___?	
	A) Bake	C) Kate
	B) Sizzle	D) None of the Above
23)	I have a tail and a head, but no body. What am I?	
	A) Snake	C) Coin
	B) Rat	D) Lizard
24)	If you don't keep me, I'll break. What am I?	
	A) Clock	C) Glass
	B) Cup	D) Promise
25)	You're running a 5 person race and at the very end, you pass the person in 2nd place. What place did you finish the race in?	
	A) 1st	C) 3rd
	B) 2nd	D) 4 th

26)	When Grant was 8, his brother was half his age. Now, Grant is 14. How old is his brother?	
	A) 10	C) 7
	B) 8	D) 12
27)	What can you put between 7 and 8, to make the result greater than 7, but less than 8?	
	A) Slash	C) Decimal Point
	B) Comma	D) None of the Above
28)	What 3 numbers give the same result when multiplied and added together?	
	A) 1,2,3	C) 1,4,5
	B) 1,2,4	D) 3,4,5
29)	81 x 9 = 801. What do you need to do to make this equation true?	
	A) Hold it in front of a mirror	C) multiply by 12 instead of 9
	B) Hold it upside down	D) None of the above
30)	A new clothing store has a unique method of pricing items. A vest costs Rs.100, a tie costs Rs.75, a blouse costs Rs.150, and underwear costs Rs.225. How much would pants cost?	
	A) Rs.125	C) Rs. 150
	B) Rs.250	D) Rs.175
31)	I go all around the world, but never leave the corner. What am I?	
	A) Postage Stamp	C) Compound Wall
	B) Envelope	D) Airplane
32)	You'll find me in Mercury, Earth, Mars and Jupiter, but not in Venus or Neptune. What am I?	
	A) Moon	C) Rings
	B) Meteor	D) The letter 'R'
33)	I make a loud sound when I'm changing. When I do change, I get bigger but weigh less. What am I?	
	A) Smores	C) Bubblegum
	B) Popcorn	D) Cotton Candy
34)	It has keys, but no locks. It has space, but no room. You can enter, but can't go inside. What is it?	
	A) Door	C) House
	B) Keyboard	D) None of the above
35)	I can fill a room, but I take up no space. What am I?	
	A) Light	C) Rice
	B) Cotton	D) Popcorn
36)	What goes away as soon as you talk about it?	
	A) Silence	C) Tooth-Fairy
	B) Ghost	D) Santa-Claus
37)	I'm orange, I wear a green hat and I sound like a parrot. What am I?	
	A) Uniform	C) Carrot
	B) Orange	D) None of the above
38)	Four legs up, four legs down, soft in the middle, hard all around. What am I?	
	A) Bed	C) Exercise machine
	B) Stove	D) None of the above

39)	I follow you all the time and copy your every move, but you can't touch me or catch me. What am I?		
	A) Shadow	C) Stalker	
	B) Ghost	D) Mirror	
40)	I have wings, I am able to fly, I'm not a bird yet I soar high in the sky. What am I?		
	A) Eagle	C) Kite	
	B) Airplane	D) Owl	

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