

SBI Clerk Prelims 2020 – Reasoning Ability

Direction (1-5): Study the following information carefully and answer the questions given below:

There are eight employees of a company and all of them are working on eight different designation of a bank viz. Chairman, CFO, GM, DGM, AGM, Manager, Junior Manager and Clerk. All the designations given are to be considered in a given order (as Chairman is considered as Senior-most and Clerk is considered as the Junior-most).

Only two persons are senior to B. One designation lies between B and G. The number of persons junior to G is same as the number of persons senior to C. H is just senior to E, but junior to C. More than four designations lie between H and F. D is junior to A.

1. How many persons are junior to H?
(a) None (b) One (c) More than four
(d) Four (e) Three
2. Four of the following five are alike in a certain way and hence they form a group. Which one of the following does not belong to that group?
(a) A-F (b) B-A (c) H-D
(d) G-A (e) E-H
3. How many designation gaps are between A and D?
(a) More than three (b) Two (c) Three
(d) One (e) None
4. Who among the following is just senior to B?
(a) A (b) D (c) C
(d) E (e) None of these
5. Who among the following is AGM?
(a) F (b) B (c) G
(d) D (e) None of these

Direction (6-8): In each of the questions below are given some statements followed by some conclusions. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows from the given statements disregarding commonly known facts.

- (a) If only conclusion I follows.
- (b) If only conclusion II follows.
- (c) If either conclusion I or II follows.
- (d) If neither conclusion I nor II follows.
- (e) If both conclusions I and II follow.

6. **Statements:** Some Banana are Orange.
All Orange are Apple.

Conclusions: I. Some Banana are not Apple.
II. Some Orange are Banana.

7. **Statements:** Only a few East are North.
Few North are South.
All South are West.

Conclusions: I. All East being North is a possibility.
II. Some East are West.

8. **Statements:** Only a few Song are Melody.
Only a few Melody are Film.
No Film is Award.

Conclusions: I. All Song being Film is a possibility.
II. Some Melody are not Award.

Direction (9-12): Study the following information carefully and answer the questions given below:

In a certain code language:

“Club house near located” is coded as “ol gp ox ot”

“both club view near” is coded as “mt ox sq ot”

“make located house view” is coded as “nk ol gp sq”

“near club view area” is coded as “ot ox sq tm”

9. What is the code for “both” in the given code language?
(a) ox (b) sq (c) mt
(d) ot (e) Either (b) or (c)

10. What is the code for “house” in the given code language?
(a) ol (b) ox (c) gp
(d) Either (a) or (c) (e) None of these

11. The code “nk” is stands for?
(a) make (b) both (c) area
(d) club (e) None of these

12. What may be the possible code for “both house” in the given code language?
(a) gp mt (b) mt nk (c) mt sq
(d) ox mt (e) gp sq

Directions (13-17): Study the following information carefully and answer the questions given below:

There are eight persons A, B, C, D, E, F, G and H sitting around a circular table facing towards the centre of the table but not necessarily in the same order.

B sits third to the right of A. Only one person sits between B and D. E faces C who is not an immediate neighbour of B. G sits third to the left of F. A is not an immediate neighbour of F.

28. How many persons are buying their products after D?

- (a) None
- (b) Two
- (c) More than three
- (d) One
- (e) None of these

29. Who among the following is buying just after G?

- (a) E
- (b) F
- (c) B
- (d) C
- (e) None of these

30. If all the persons are arranged in alphabetical order from left to right starting from A, then find how many persons remains at the same position (excluding A)?

- (a) One
- (b) None
- (c) Two
- (d) Four
- (e) More than Four

31. Who among the following is buying exactly between D and F?

- (a) E
- (b) B
- (c) A
- (d) H
- (e) None of these

32. How many persons are buying between E and C?

- (a) Five
- (b) Four
- (c) Three
- (d) None
- (e) Two

Directions (33-35): In each of the question, relationships between some elements are shown in the statements. These statements are followed by conclusions numbered I and II. Read the statements and give the answer.

- (a) If only conclusion I follows.
- (b) If only conclusion II follows.
- (c) If either conclusion I or II follows.
- (d) If neither conclusion I nor II follows.
- (e) If both conclusion I and II follows.

33. **Statements:** $P > Q \geq R = S < T = U$
Conclusions: I. $Q > S$ II. $S = Q$

34. **Statements:** $J < D = L \leq K \leq Q \geq R$
Conclusions: I. $J < Q$ II. $L \leq R$

35. **Statements:** $O > P = G > B \geq X = M \leq H$
Conclusions: I. $G > X$ II. $O > M$