

# 2007 NIFT Question paper

Test Details:

Section Name : NIFT - 1

No of questions : 100

Time(minutes) : 120

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Question 1 of 100

Directions: In the following question, a sentence has been divided into four parts and marked (A), (B), (C) and (D). One of these parts contains a mistake in grammar idiom or syntax. Identify part and mark it as the answer.

1. Sunit is more talkative than
2. any boy in the class because
3. he is not afraid of the teacher
4. since he is his brother

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Question 2 of 100

Directions: In the following question, a sentence has been divided into four parts and marked (A), (B), (C) and (D). One of these parts contains a mistake in grammar idiom or syntax. Identify part and mark it as the answer.

1. Lawyers these days can practice

2. civil law, criminal law

3. or the law of the Constitution

4. or all of them together

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Question 3 of 100

Directions: In the following question, a sentence has been divided into four parts and marked (A), (B), (C) and (D). One of these parts contains a mistake in grammar idiom or syntax. Identify part and mark it as the answer

1. She was wearing a wig that was

2. far more attractive than

3. the other women who had

4. their natural hair

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Question 4 of 100

Directions: In the following question, a sentence has been divided into four parts and marked (A), (B), (C) and (D). One of these parts contains a mistake in grammar idiom or syntax. Identify part and mark it as the answer

1. The only persons in the theatre

2. on that stormy night

3. were the staff of the theatre

4. and me

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Question 5 of 100

Directions: In the following question, a sentence has been divided into four parts and marked (A), (B), (C) and (D). One of these parts contains a mistake in grammar idiom or syntax. Identify part and mark it as the answer.

1. After finding the problem

2. the mechanic cleaned the carburetor

3. started the engine

4. and found it working smoothly

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Question 6 of 100

Directions: In the following question, a sentence has been divided into four parts and marked (A), (B), (C) and (D). One of these parts contains a mistake in grammar idiom or syntax. Identify part and mark it as the answer.

1. If one reads the newspaper regularly

2. you will be surprised at the improvement

3. in your overall reading skills

4. from day to day

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Question 7 of 100

Directions: In the following question, a sentence has been divided into four parts and marked (A), (B), (C) and (D). One of these parts contains a mistake in grammar idiom or syntax. Identify part and mark it as the answer

1. She was as pretty

2. if not prettier than

3. any other girl who had come

4. to participate in the meeting

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Question 8 of 100

The average of 6 numbers is 19. The average of 5 of these is 20. What is the sixth number?

1. 24

2. 38

3. 119

4. 14

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Two poles of heights 35 m and 20 m stand on a plane surface. If the distance between their feet is 20 m, what is the distance between their tops?

1. 50 m
2. 25 m
3. 40 m
4. 55 m

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of of of a number is 8. What is the number?

1. 72
2. 68
3. 84
4. 70

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If  $3x =$  ,  $x = ?$

1. 3

2. 9

3. - 3

4. ? 9

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Question 12 of 100

25% of a number is greater than the other number by 5. If sum of the numbers is 70, what is the ratio of the larger number to the smaller number?

1. 6 : 1

2. 3 : 1

3. 5 : 1

4. 4 : 1

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The third proportional of  $(X^2 - Y^2)$  and  $(x - y)$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

1.

2.

3.  $(x + y)^2$

4.  $x^3 - y^3$

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A sum of Rs. 1560 is to be distributed amongst A, B and C in the proportion of : : . What is the share of A?

1. Rs.780

2. Rs.640

3. Rs.720

4. Rs.840

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Question 15 of 100

Which of the following is the smallest number which when divided by 20, 25, 35 and 40 leaves the remainders as 12, 17, 27 and 32 respectively?

1. 1200

2. 1400

3. 1408

4. 1392

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The floor of the rectangular room of size 10 m (length) x 8.5 m (width) x 8.5 m (height) is to be carpeted so as to leave a margin of 1.25 m from all sides. What would be the area of the carpet required?

1. 45 sq.m.

2. 40 sq.m

3. 60 sq.m

4. 90 sq.m

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6 examiners working 5 hours a day can check 750 answer books in 8 days. At the same rate of checking, in what period of time can 4 examiners examine 800 answer books, working 8 hours a day?

1. 4 days

2. 8 days

3. 9 days

4. 12 days

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Two railway stations A and B are 300 km apart. In what time will two trains, starting from the opposite ends and travelling towards each other with equal speeds, meet each other?

1. 4 hrs

2. 1 hr.

3. 2 hrs

4. Cannot be determined

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A sailor travels in a boat 8 km downstream in 40 minutes and returns back to the same point in 1 hour. What is the speed of the boat in still water?

1. 6 kmph

2. 12 kmph

3. 9 kmph

4. 10 kmph

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Question 20 of 100

The average age of a couple was 26 years at the time of their marriage. After 11 years of marriage, the average age of the family with 3 children becomes 19 years. What is the average age of the children?

1. 8yrs
2. 6 yrs
3. 7 yrs
4. 11 yrs

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Milk and water are mixed in the ratio 4 : 1 to form solution A and in the ratio of 3 : 2 to form solution B. A man takes equal quantities of solutions A and B and mixes them together. What is the ratio of quantities of milk to that of water in the mixture so formed ?

1. 7 : 3
2. 1 : 1
3. 3 : 7
4. 3 : 2

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What is the ratio of side of a square to the radius of a circle, both with equal perimeters?

1. 1 : II

2. 2 : II

3. II : 1

4. II : 2

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Directions: In the following question, a sentence has been divided into four parts and marked (A), (B), (C) and (D). One of these parts contains a mistake in grammar idiom or syntax. Identify part and mark it as the answer.

1. There is only the plantain

2. and one apple in the refrigerator

3. so let us go to the market

4. and buy some more fruits

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Question 24 of 100

Directions: In the following question, a sentence has been divided into four parts and marked (A), (B), (C) and (D). One of these parts contains a mistake in grammar idiom or syntax. Identify part and mark it as the answer

1. Like his brother who did not wear his helmet
2. and was injured in the accident
3. Rajan was always careful
4. and wore his helmet without fail

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Question 25 of 100

Directions: In the following question, a sentence has been divided into four parts and marked (A), (B), (C) and (D). One of these parts contains a mistake in grammar idiom or syntax. Identify part and mark it as the answer

1. It is futile to discuss this further
2. since neither him nor you
3. is going to agree
4. with the other on this issue

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Question 26 of 100

Direction: In the following question four words or phrases have been underlined. Only one underlined part in each sentence is not acceptable in standard English. Pick up the part (A), (B), (C) or (D).

I have seen (A) as bad or worse scenes of (B) disorder at the English fair (C) than in (D) any other fair.

1. (A)

2. (B)

3. (C)

4. (D)

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Question 27 of 100

Direction: In the following question four words or phrases have been underlined. Only one underlined part in each sentence is not acceptable in standard English. Pick up the part (A), (B), (C) or (D).

This is the third (A) communication we have (B) sent and (C) we are very surprised that we have received (D) no answer

1. (A)

2. (B)

3. (C)

4. (D)

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Question 28 of 100

Direction: In the following question four words or phrases have been underlined. Only one underlined part in each sentence is not acceptable in standard English. Pick up the part (A), (B), (C) or (D).

The officers are (A) now (B) perfectly happy fishing, boating, shooting, (C) playing cricket and (D) other sport.

1. (A)

2. (B)

3. (C)

4. (D)

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Question 29 of 100

Direction: In the following question four words or phrases have been underlined. Only one underlined part in each sentence is not acceptable in standard English. Pick up the part (A), (B), (C) or (D).

While in conversation(A) with a high ranking military officer (B) he told me that (C) at the head-quarters nothing (D) was known

1. (A)

2. (B)

3. (C)

4. (D)

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Question 30 of 100

Direction: In the following question four words or phrases have been underlined. Only one underlined part in each sentence is not acceptable in standard English. Pick up the part (A), (B), (C) or (D)

(A) The fear of an (B) impending invasion has more to do (C) than even the debasing of the coinage with the (D) financial difficulties

1. (A)

2. (B)

3. (C)

4. (D)

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Question 31 of 100

Directions: Select the correct word or phrase to complete a grammatical and idiomatic sentence

The patient was cheered --- by the news that she was likely to be discharged in a day or two.

1. on

2. up

3. out

4. down

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Question 32 of 100

Directions: Select the correct word or phrase to complete a grammatical and idiomatic sentence

The thieves had driven ten miles before the police caught – them

1. on with

2. upon

3. up to

4. up with

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Question 33 of 100

Directions: Select the correct word or phrase to complete a grammatical and idiomatic sentence

As soon as the visitors dishonest purpose was discovered, he was --- the door

1. show with

2. shown to

3. shown

4. shown out of

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Question 34 of 100

Directions: Select the correct word or phrase to complete a grammatical and idiomatic sentence

As soon as my attention was --- the dangerous state of the staircase, I got it repaired.

1. drawn for
2. drawn upon
3. drawn near
4. drawn to

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Question 35 of 100

Directions: Select the correct word or phrase to complete a grammatical and idiomatic sentence.

---- pompous, he was an entertaining companion

1. Before
2. Never
3. Though
4. Despite

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Directions: Choose a word or phrase which is opposite in meaning to the key word.

Esteem

1. veneration

2. revere

3. mighty

4. disdain

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Question 37 of 100

Directions: Choose a word or phrase which is opposite in meaning to the key word.  
Eternal

1. permanent

2. perpetual

3. transitory

4. active

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Directions: Choose a word or phrase which is opposite in meaning to the key word

Eulogistic

1. pretty

2. critical

3. brief

4. stern

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Directions: Choose a word or phrase which is opposite in meaning to the key word  
Euphonious

1. strident

2. lethargic

3. literary

4. significant

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Directions: Choose a word or phrase which is opposite in meaning to the key word  
Evitable

1. unavoidable

2. eatable

3. half-baked

4. crisp