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(1) Arrange the words given below in a meaningful sequence.

1. Leaves 2. Branch 3. Flower
4. Tree 5. Fruit

[A] 4, 3, 1, 2, 5

[B] 4, 2, 5, 1, 3

[C] 4, 3, 2, 1, 5

[D] 4, 2, 1, 3, 5

Answer : [D]

Explanation:

The correct order is :

Tree Branch Leaves Flower Fruit
4 2 1 3 5

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(2) Arrange the words given below in a meaningful sequence.

1. Tree 2. Seed 3. Flowers
4. Fruit 5. Plant

[A] 5, 2, 1, 3, 4

[B] 2, 5, 1, 4, 3

[C] 2, 5, 1, 3, 4

[D] 2, 5, 3, 1, 4

Answer : [C]

Explanation:

The correct order is :

Seed Plant Tree Flowers Fruit
2 5 1 3 4

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(3) Arrange the words given below in a meaningful sequence.

1. Income 2. Status 3. Education
4. Well-being 5. Job

[A] 3, 1, 5, 2, 4

[B] 1, 3, 2, 5, 4

[C] 1, 2, 5, 3, 4

[D] 3, 5, 1, 2, 4

Answer : [D]

Explanation:

The correct order is :

Education Job Income Status Well-being
3 5 1 2 4

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(4) Arrange the words given below in a meaningful sequence.

1. Patient 2. Diagnosis 3. Bill 4. Doctor 5. Treatment

[A] 1, 4, 2, 3, 5

[B] 1, 4, 3, 2, 5

[C] 1, 4, 2, 5, 3

[D] 4, 1, 2, 3, 5

Answer : [C]

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(5) Arrange the words given below in a meaningful sequence.

1. Yarn 2. Plant 3. Saree 4. Cotton 5. Cloth

[A] 2, 4, 1, 5, 3

[B] 2, 4, 3, 5, 1

[C] 2, 4, 5, 1, 3

[D] 2, 4, 5, 3, 1

Answer : [A]

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(6) Arrange the words given below in a meaningful sequence.

1. Atomic Age 2. Metallic Age 3. Stone Age 4. Alloy Age

[A] 1, 3, 4, 2

[B] 2, 3, 1, 4

[C] 3, 2, 4, 1

[D] 4, 3, 2, 1

Answer : [C]

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(7) Arrange the words given below in a meaningful sequence.

1. Book 2. Pulp 3. Timber 4. Jungle 5. Paper

[A] 2, 5, 1, 4, 3

[B] 3, 2, 5, 1, 4

[C] 4, 3, 2, 5, 1

[D] 5, 4, 3, 1, 2

Answer : [C]

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(8) Arrange the words given below in a meaningful sequence.

1. Sentence 2. Chapter 3. Letter 4. Book 5. Word 6. Paragraph

[A] 4, 2, 1, 6, 5, 3

[B] 4, 2, 6, 1, 5, 3

[C] 4, 6, 1, 2, 3, 5

[D] 4, 6, 2, 5, 1, 3

Answer : [B]

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(9) Arrange the words given below in a meaningful sequence.

1. College 2. Child 3. Salary 4. School 5. Employment

[A] 1, 2, 4, 3, 5

[B] 2, 4, 1, 5, 3

[C] 4, 1, 3, 5, 2

[D] 5, 3, 2, 1, 4

Answer : [B]

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(10) Arrange the words given below in a meaningful sequence.

1. Mother 2. Child 3. Milk 4. Cry 5. Smile

[A] 1, 5, 2, 4, 3

[B] 2, 4, 1, 3, 5

[C] 2, 4, 3, 1, 5

[D] 3, 2, 1, 5, 4

Answer : [B]

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(11) Choose the odd one out.

[A] AJKL

[B] IXYZ

[C] EPQR

[D] OFGH

[E] VCBA

Answer : [E]

Explanation:

In all other groups, the first letter is a vowel followed by three consecutive letters.

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(12) Choose the odd one out.

[A] ACDF

[B] FGKL

[C] HIVW

[D] TUOP

Answer : [A]

Explanation:

In all other groups, the first and second as well as the third and fourth letters are consecutive.

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(13) Choose the odd one out.

[A] MKGA

[B] PNID

[C] RPLF

[D] VTPJ

Answer : [B]

Explanation:

In all other groups, the first, second and third letters are respectively two, four and six steps ahead of the second, third and fourth letters respectively.

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(14) Choose the odd one out.

[A] CGON

[B] FJQP

[C] HLTS

[D] LPXW

Answer : [B]

Explanation:

In all other groups, the second, fourth and third letters are respectively four, seven and one steps ahead of the first, second and fourth letters respectively.

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(15) Choose the odd one out.

[A] ABBC

[B] PQQR

[C] HIIJ

[D] WYYZ

[E] KLLM

Answer : [D]

Explanation:

All other groups contain three consecutive letters with second letter repeated once.

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(16) Statements: Some tables are T.V. Some T.V. are radios.

Conclusions:

I. Some tables are radios.

II. Some radios are tables.

III. All the radios are T.V.

IV. All the T.V. are tables.

[A] Only (2) and (4)

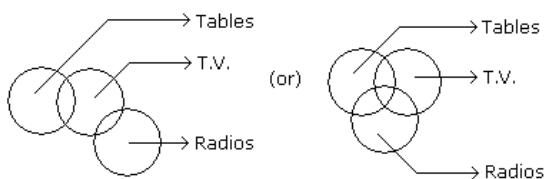
[B] Only (1) and (3)

[C] Only (4)

[D] Only (1) and (4)

[E] None of the four.

Answer : [E]



Explanation: None of the four follows.

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(17) Statements: All the goats are tigers. All the tigers are lions.

Conclusions:

I. All the goats are lions.

II. All the lions are goats.

III. Some lions are goats.

IV. Some tigers are goats.

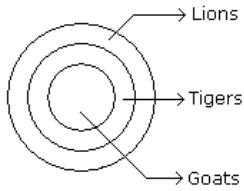
[A] All the four

[B] Only (1), (2) and (3)

[C] Only (1), (3) and (4)

[D] Only (2), (3) and (4)

Answer : [C]



Explanation: Only (1), (3) and (4) follows.

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(18) Statements: All the locks are keys. All the keys are bats. Some watches are bats.

Conclusions:

I. Some bats are locks.

II. Some watches are keys.

III. All the keys are locks.

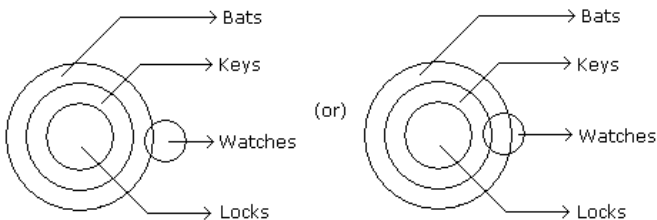
[A] Only (1) and (2)

[B] Only (1)

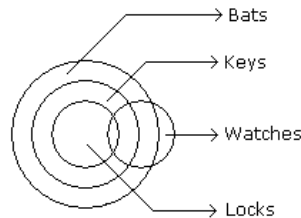
[C] Only (2)

[D] Only (1) and (3)

Answer : [B]



Only (1) follows.



Explanation:

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(19) Statements: Some keys are staplers. Some staplers are stickers. All the stickers are pens.

Conclusions:

I. Some pens are staplers.

II. Some stickers are keys.

III. No sticker is key.

IV. Some staplers are keys.

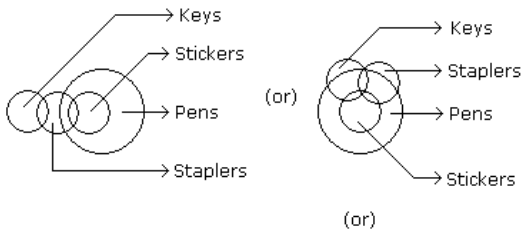
[A] Only (1) and (2)

[B] Only (2) and (4)

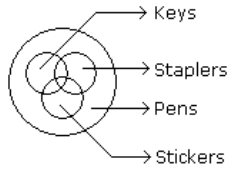
[C] Only (2) and (3)

[D] Only (1) and (4) and either (2) or (3)

Answer : [D]



Only (1) and (4) follow.



Explanation:

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(20) Statements: All the bottles are boxes. All the boxes are bags. Some bags are trays.

Conclusions:

- I. Some bottles are trays.
- II. Some trays are boxes.
- III. All the bottles are bags.
- IV. Some trays are bags.

[A] Only (3) and (4)

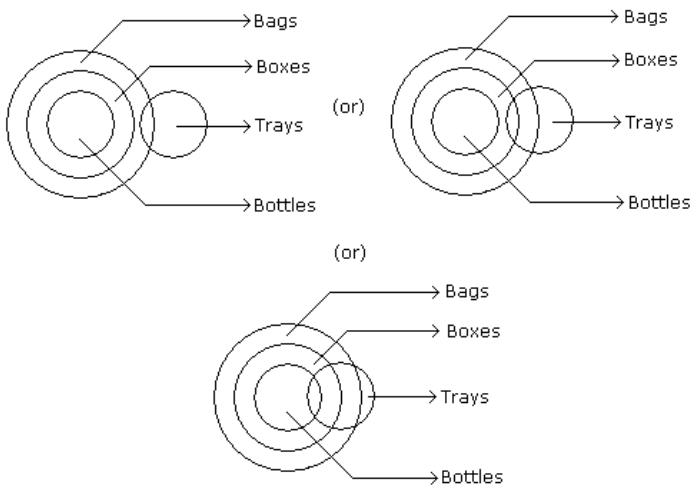
[B] Only (1) and (2)

[C] Only (2) and (3)

[D] Only (1) and (4)

Answer : [A]

Explanation:



Only (3) and (4) follow.

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