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1. If you permit me to speak the truth (1)/ I shall state without hesitation (2)/ that you have done a mistake. (3)/ No error (4)

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1. (3) make a mistake : to err Look at the sentence The waiter made a mistake in adding up the bill.

Hence, that you have made a mistake is the right usage.

2. I succeeded persuading him (1)/ to come with me (2)/ only after hours of argument. (3)/ No error

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2. (1) Here, I succeeded in persuading him is the right usage.

(1) persuade (V.): to make somebody do something.

**3. Vermin (1)/ does much harm (2)/ to crops.
(3)/ No error (4)**

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**3. (2) vermin (N.) : insects that live on the
bodies of the animals and birds; wild
animals or birds that destroy plants etc.**

**Vermin is Plu. Sub. Hence, Plu. V. i.e., do
much harm is the right usage.**

4. If the farmer got a washing machine (1)/ his wife can (2)/ do the laundry quickly. (3)/ No error (4)
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**4. (2) As the structure suggests,
Past Simple i.e., his wife could
(would) is the right usage.**

5. They had often heard (1)/about the ship (2)/ they had to travel on. (3)/ No error (4)

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5. (4) No error



6. He'd no sooner (1)/ seen one continent (2)/ when he saw another. (3)/ No error (4)

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6. (3) No Sooner.....than is correct Correlative. Hence, than he saw another is correct usage.



7. Can I have (1)/a loaf of bread (2)/ and a jam jar? (3)/ No error (4)

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7. (3) Here, and a jar of jam or and some jam is the right usage.



8. Now that I am back at work, (1)/ I have beginning (2)/ to feel much better. (3)/ No error (4)
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**8. (2) Here, Present Perfect
i.e., I have begun (V3) is the
right usage.**



9. The artist, plainly a better critic (1)/ than painter, destroyed what (2)/ he made over for ten years. (3)/ No error (4)

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9. (3) make over : transform Here, Past Perfect i.e., he had made for ten years is the right usage.



**10. He ought not (1)/ have done such a (2)/ filthy thing.
(3)/ No error (4)**

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**10. (2) (1) ought to (Mod. V.) : used to say what is
the right thing to do.**

Look at the sentences:

You ought to have come to the meeting.

He oughtn't to have been driving so fast.

Hence, to have done such is the right usage.

**11. The reason for (1)/ his failure is because (2)/
he did not work hard. (3)/ No error (4)**

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**11. (2) Here, Connective-that
should be used. It is improper to
use reason and because together.
Hence, his failure is that is the right
usage.**



12. I have reached (1)/ the office before (2)/ the rain started. (3)/ No error (4)

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12. (1) When both events happen in the past, the event that happens earlier should be expressed in Past Perfect.

Hence, I had reached is the right usage.

13. A large (1)/ consignment of books (2)/ are expected. (3)/No error (4)

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13. (3) A Large consignment (Singular Collective Noun) agrees with Singular Verb (is).

Hence, is expected is the right usage.

**14. The leader (1)/ with all his followers (2) /
were send to prison. (3)/ No error (4)**

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**14. (3) Here, Subject (The leader) is
Singular.**

**Hence, Singular Verb i.e. was sent
(V) to prison is the right usage.**



15. Do you know (1)/ whom the (2)/ next speaker is? (3)/ No error (4)

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15. (2) Who is used to show which person or people you mean/used in question.

Whom is used as the Object of a Verb or Preposition.

Hence, who the is the right usage.

**16. He is having an attack (1)/ of fever everyday (2)/
for the last few days. (3)/ No error (4)**

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**16. (1) Here. He has an attack is
the right usage.**

**Have should not be used in the
Progressive Tenses.**

17. According to scientists (1)/ there are a lot of (2)/ answers about it. (3)/ No error (4).

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17. (3) It is Preposition related error.

Look at the sentence:

I can't easily give an answer to the question.

Hence, answers/solutions to it is the right usage.



18. They are coming (1)/ straight to (2)/ our direction. (3)/ No error (4).

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18. (2) Here, straight towards is the right usage.

**19. The building collapsed (1)/ at the afternoon
(2)/ at about 4 O'clock. (3)/ No error (4).**

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**19. (2) Here, in the
afternoon is the right usage.**



20. Considering the (1)/gravity of the problems
(2)/an early reply has expected. (3)/No error (4)
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**20. (3) As the sense suggests, Passive
of Present Simple i.e. an early reply is
expected is the right usage.**

21. The Statesman has the (1)/ larger circulation
(2)/of all English dailies. (3)/No error (4)
(SSC CGL Tier-I (CBE) Exam. 04.09.2016 (1st sitting))

**21. (2) Here, Superlative Degree i.e.,
largest circulation is the right usage.**



**22. I am very anxious (1)/to know how are you
(2)/and mother are doing. (3)/No error (4)**
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**22. (2) Here, Affirmative i.e, 'to
know how you and mother are'
the right usage.**

**23. Why you (1)/copying your homework
(2)/from someone else? (3)/No error (4)**

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23. (1) Structure of Interrogative (Present Progressive) Why + am/is/are + Subject + V-ing Hence. Why are you is the right usage.

**24. There is (1)/few time (2)/for preparation. (3) /
No error (4)**

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24. (2) Few (Det., Adj.) : not many.

Little (Adj.) : not much.

few is used with Plural Nouns and Plural Verbs

little/a little is used with Uncountable Nouns.

Hence, (a) little time (no time) is the right usage.

25. All my hope (1)/were duped (2)/ and I was plunged in deep sorrow. (3)/No error (4).

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25. (2) Here, All my hope was the right usage.

26. I always enjoy (1)/ to read (2)/ books. (3)/ No error (4)

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26. (2) Here, Gerund i.e. reading is the right usage.



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27. Today people is ignorant (1)/ of the things that (2) / are happening around them. (3)/ No error (4)

28. I think so (1)/ you have taken (2)/ the right decision. (3)/ No error (4)

29. When Albert stayed at the African jungle (1)/he chose to put up with many inconveniences such as (2)/wild animals and poisonous insects. (3)/ No error (4)

30. I recall you telling me (1) / the story of the seven witches (2) but I cannot remember where or when.(3)/ No error (4)

HOME WORK ANSWER - NARRATION

1. Shahekant said to me, "I have no time for you".

A. Shahekant said that he had no time for me.

B. Shahekant told me that he had no time for me.

C. Shahekant told me that he has no time for me.

D. Shahekant told me that he was having no time for me.

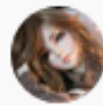
2. He said to us, "Are you going to market today?"

A. He asked us if we were going to market that day.

B. He asked us if you are going to market that day.

C. He asked us if we went to market that day.

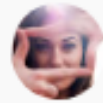
D. He asked us if we had gone to market that day.



arunima sakshi 16 hours ago

Question number (1) ans—
Shahekant told me that he had no time for me.
Question number (2) ans—
He told us if we were going to market that day.

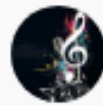
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Azra Naaz 13 hours ago (edited)

1.B.Shahekant told me that he had no time for me. ✓
2.He asked us if we were going to market that day. ✓

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Prabhat Kumar 13 hours ago
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Nisha pandey 16 hours ago

Good evwing sir
Answer
1-b
2-a



ARUN PANDEY 15 hours ago

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2-a

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hurt lucker 8 hours ago

Thank you sir

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Himanshu Kataria 5 hours ago

1) B
2) A

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Vikas Raaj 1 hour ago

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2_a

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