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# **IBPS PO Previous Year Question With Detailed Explanation**

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**In the following question, a word is given that is followed by three statements. All these three statements carry the given word. Identify the sentence(s) in which the word fits to make them grammatically correct and meaningful.**

(Correctly)

## QUESTION 1

— Correct ✓✓

① → hindrance / destroy  
② → product.



### Hamper ✓✓

- ① The Centre's move to direct oil marketing companies to lower auto fuel price hampers the confidence of oil companies in investments made in India.
- ② Metro Railway services were hampered for 15 minutes on Monday afternoon.
- ③ High street retailers, Marks & Spencer and John Lewis & Partners, have also released their own hampers which are far more affordable than the luxury offerings.

A Only I

B Both I and II

C Only III

D Both II and III

E All I, II and III

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Option E

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## QUESTION 2

Tact - Skill



Tact

- I. The kind judge was tactful when he informed the dancer of her elimination from the show. ✓
- II. They came up with a <sup>α</sup>tact<sup>fact</sup>fully to reach their destination in the fastest time possible. ✗
- III. He had an engaging personality and used tact in dealing with his patients. ✓

A Only I

B Only III

~~C Both I and II~~

D Both I and III

~~E All I, II and III~~

Tactfully — Adverb

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Note → we never use  
and preposition for  
an adverb

Option D — Answer



### QUESTION 3

#### Adage

- I. Despite what that old adage says, I like to have my cake, eat it, and then have another piece. ✓
- II. Among other things, the writer is famous for adaging his philosophical ideals. ✗
- III. Tired of all the same old sayings, he adaged a new thought. ✗

A Only I

B Only II

C Only III

D Both I and II

E Both II and III

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Adage - (NOUN)

ing / ed

(noun) Ad + age → general truth  
proverbs



at one's fingertips  
→ known very well

In sentence II & III we are using it  
as a verb - which is  
wrong.

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In the following questions, two columns I and II, each containing three sentences are given. Column I consists of the first part of three sentences and Column II consists of the remaining part of those three sentences. Match column I with column II, so that the sentences formed are meaningful and grammatically correct.

C<sub>1</sub>  
C<sub>2</sub>

→ Spelling Errors  
+  
Rearrangement

Option Eliminated



## QUESTION 4

\* Never read the sentences aimlessly

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I. ✓

- A) We believe in a circular rather
- B) The Rig Veda was written more than 3800 years ago,
- C) The word 'Juggernaut' was originally used to denote the Rath Yatra temple car,

II. ✓

- D) Veda is superior to Albert Einstein's Theory of Relativity equation.
- E) than a linear concept of time.
- F) which was so massive it would crush devotees under the wheels.

~~A, B-E and C-F~~

~~B, A-E, B-F and C-D~~

~~C, A-F and C-D~~

~~D, B-F~~

~~E, A-E and C-F~~

A E

Option E

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## QUESTION 5

Option C

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I.

- A) A garbage patch in the Pacific Ocean
- B) There's a mass of floating rubbish in the Pacific Ocean weighing around
- C) About 80 percent of the plastic trash that makes up the Great Pacific Garbage Patch

II.

- D) is believed to have originated from land-based activities.
- E) to help farmers who depend on weather.
- F) has stretched to almost twice the size of France.

~~A B E and C-F~~

~~B A E, B-F and C-D~~

C A-F and C-D ✓✓

~~D B-F~~

~~E A-E and C-F~~

Option C

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## QUESTION 6

Option A

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I.

~~A) Overfishing can wreak havoc to marine ecology and completely ?~~

B) Unsustainable fishing practices over the last few decades have pushed

C) Oil destroys the insulating and water-repellent properties of

II.

D) eventually accumulating in remote areas of the world's oceans.

E) our oceans to a point where they may now be on the verge of collapse.

F) the marine animals, exposing them to harsh environment.

A B-E and C-F

~~B A-E, B-F and C-D~~

~~C A-F and C-D~~

D B-F

incomplete

~~E A-E and C-F~~

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In the question, one sentence is given, and four words have been given in bold denoted by (A), (B), (C) and (D). You have to decide which of the following is inappropriate in the context. If all the words are appropriate in the context then mark 'All correct' as your answer.

inappropriate

## QUESTION 7



Indigestion (A) is often a sign of an <sup>ying</sup>underline (B) problem, such as an ulcer (C), rather than a condition (D) on its own.

- A. A
- B. B
- C. C
- D. D
- E. All are correct

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## QUESTION 8

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A microwave heats food by causing (A) the molecules to vertebrate (B) but it certainly does not make food radioactive, (C) as a misconception (D) suggests.

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A. A

B. B

C. C

D. D

E. All are correct





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