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Direction (1-5): Read each part of the sentence to find out if there is any error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. The number of that part is the answer. If there is no error, mark your answer as (5).

opposite }
└─ opposition }
 } Opposition
 } view
 } Contrasting
 } Views.

QUESTION 1

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Sub (S)

PMEAC has expressed its (1)/opposition view to the proposal of one (2)/ PSU buying shares of others (3)/ to help government raising funds (4)/ No error (5)/

in

Just

QUESTION 2

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After completing my B-tech I joined (1)/ a job in private sector, it was than (2)/ when I first thought (3)/ of preparing for Civil Services (4)/ No error (5)/

than
Comparative Degree

er more.

then

then time / event.

Now & then
Time.

~~than~~ you will understand.

Is can be placed on more than that are living and legal entities.

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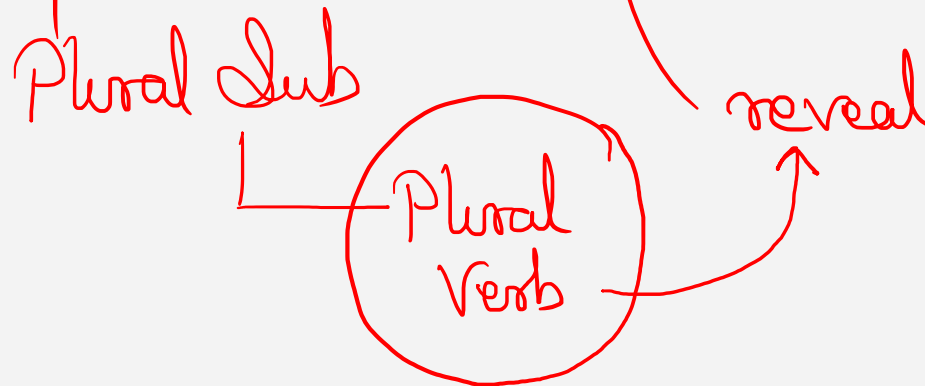
The entire organization's (1)/ growth, profits or (2)/ losses are shaped by the (3)/ decisions its core people take (4)/ No error (5)/

Plural Subject
Verb (P)

QUESTION 4

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The experiences of successful organization (1)/ ~~reveals~~ that the information technology in business (2)/ is essential to complete (3)/ successfully in the global market place (4)/ No error (5)/



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QUESTION 5

He deserves a reward (1)/ because he managed to complete(2)/ the assignment 3)/ despite many difficulties (4)/ No error (5)

Contrast.

positive sense

negative sense.

Inspite of?

Despite.

Phrase Replacement

Directions(Q6-10): Which of the phrases (1), (2), (3) and (4) given below should replace the phrase given in bold in the following sentence to make the sentence meaningful and grammatically correct. If the sentence is correct as it is and 'No correction is required', mark (5) as the answer.

QUESTION 6

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I have noticed **new moment** in our bilateral relations in recent times.

(1) a new momento — a short period of time.

~~(2) a new momentum — progress~~

(3) a new progressive — speed of growth

(4) new momentos — a token of remembrance

(5) No correction required

adj.

QUESTION 7

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A person having internet connection on a mobile can **utility the facility** by downloading the mobile ticketing application on the phone.

~~(1) facilitate~~

~~(2) have facility~~

Form of Verb

~~(3) avail the facility~~

~~(4) facility of~~

(5) No correction required

Modal + (Verb)
~~V₁~~

V₁

QUESTION 8

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The rover would have a robotic **arm as well as** two instruments to study the chemical composition and changes in the lunar surface material.

(1) arms without

(2) arm along

(3) arms together

(4) acting alongwith

(5) No correction required

QUESTION 9

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Urban planners and dwellers should develop models **whom created efficient** and ecofriendly urban settlements.

~~(1) who creates efficient~~

~~(2) which create efficiency~~

~~(3) where creates efficiency~~

~~(4) that create efficient~~

(5) No correction required

QUESTION 10

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The **report presence** of around 20 tiger cubs in the reserve is an indication of habitat recovery.

(1) The reported presence

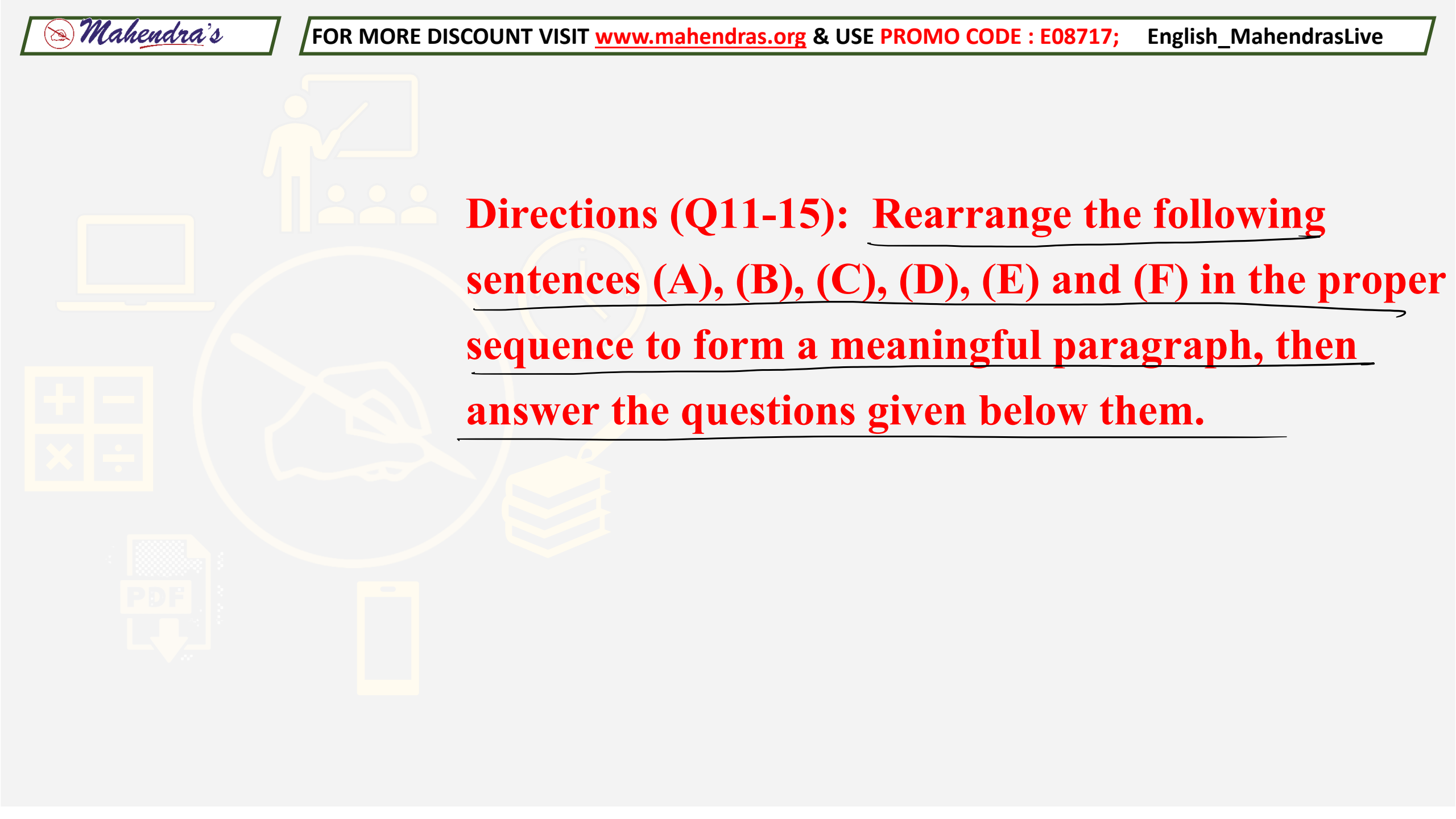
(2) The reported absence

(3) The report absent

(4) The reported present

(5) No correction required

Participle
Noun



Directions (Q11-15): Rearrange the following sentences (A), (B), (C), (D), (E) and (F) in the proper sequence to form a meaningful paragraph, then answer the questions given below them.

QUESTION 11-15


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- (A) Youngsters have started living in the virtual world.
- (B) Such settings are meant for user privacy and must be thoroughly understood beforehand.
- (C) They must understand that internet is not a space for sharing emotions.
- (D) The first thing that must be kept in mind is to understand all the privacy rules and settings and to activate them before operating any social site.
- (E) By sharing their happiness, sadness, worries on social networking sites, children make themselves more vulnerable to crimes.

↳ Starting Sentence

◦ look for the Central idea.

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Directions (16-20): In each of the following sentences there are two blank spaces. Below each five pairs of words have been denoted by numbers (1), (2), (3), (4) and (5). Find out which pair of words can be filled in the blanks in order to make a meaningful sentence.

Double Fillers

QUESTION 16

For engineering graduates who are _____ over changing their profile in order to climb up the career _____, the Certified Information System Auditor course could be the path to take.

- (1) wondering, path
- ~~(2) pondering, ladder~~
- (3) estimating, path
- (4) preparing, staircase
- 5) fearing, escalators

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QUESTION 17

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The Director's _____ to communicate with staff who are lower down the hierarchy _____ a freshness of approach.

- ~~(1) willingness, indicates~~
- (2) guidance, highlights
- (3) speech, filled
- (4) motivation, created
- (5) assurance, caused

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QUESTION 18

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Homeopathy is the second largest medical _____ and fastest growing as _____ to any other system in the world.

- (1) education, compare
- (2) value, practiced
- (3) system, compared
- (4) innovation, stated
- (5) platform, mentioned

QUESTION 19

A huge number of _____ across the country every year _____ the Civil Services preliminary exam, which is the first step to joining the services.

- (1) aspirants, see
- (2) applicants, write
- 3) contestants, face
- (4) people, appear
- (5) students, appear

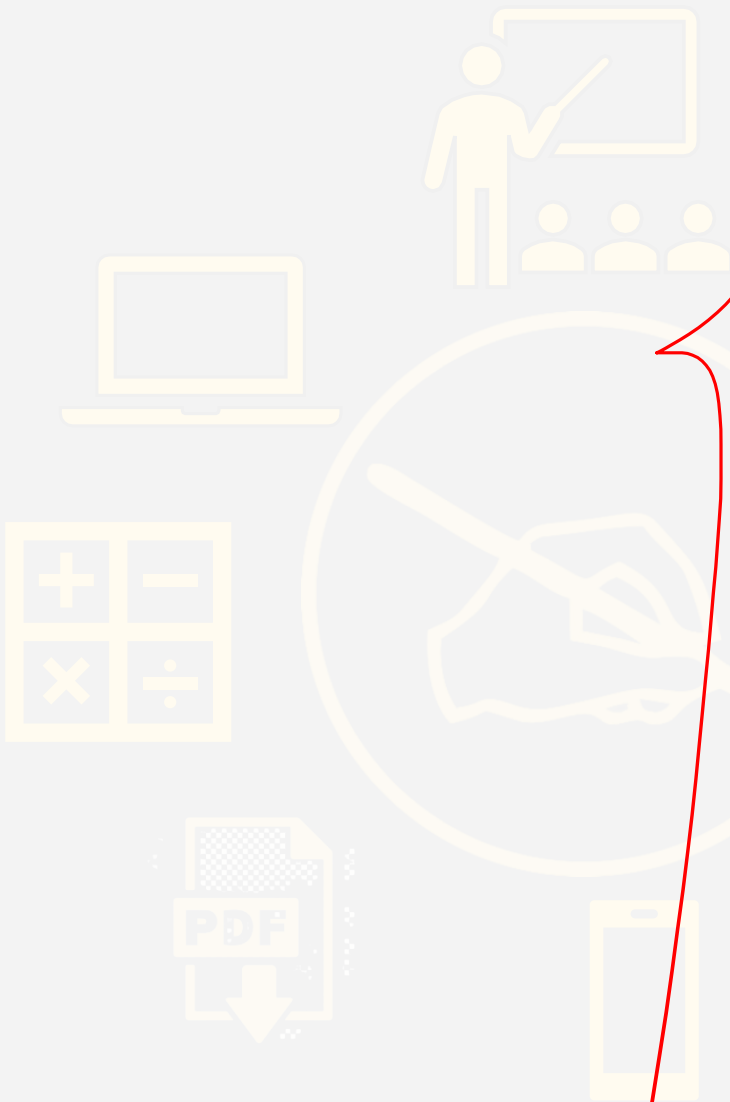
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QUESTION 20

A fresh exercise to count the country's tigers
_____ by the National Tiger Conservation
Authority has now been _____.

- (1) pictured, targeted
- (2) easily, set
- (3) followed, establish
- ~~(4) led, launched~~
- (5) motioned, predicted

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Directions (21-25): .In each question below a sentence with four words printed in bold type is given. These are numbered (1),(2),(3) and (4) . One of these four words printed in bold may be either wrongly spelt or inappropriate in context of the sentence. Find out the word which is wrongly spelt or inappropriate if any. The number of that word is your answer. If all the words printed in bold are correctly spelt & also appropriate in the context of the sentence, mark (5) "All correct" as your answer

QUESTION 21

Every human's **endeavour** should be towards **achieving** peace in mind, happiness and success

in life, keeping their **surrounding** equally happy **All correct**

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

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toiling — hard work.

surrounding — (Adj)

Surroundings — environment

QUESTION 22

Two terminally ill patients suffering from liver and kidney diseases, got a new lease of life when

(1) an accident victim's organs were transported to them (2) All correct

(3)

(4)

(5)

transplant

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QUESTION 23

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People from the creamy layer of the society, **intellectuals** and **patriats** joined politics those days and **contributed** for the progress of the nation without any personal motive or **agenda** All correct

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

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QUESTION 24

If universities want to **excel** and provide better education, they must **keep away** political powers,

(1)

(2)

especially while selecting **vice-chancellors** and teaching staff **All correct**

(3)

(4)

(5)

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QUESTION 25

HW

Besides **directing** the civic body to supply water on fixed timings, the court has also asked it to

(1)

keep the city clean by keeping roads garbage free, maintaining **streetlights** and taking care of

(2)


other basic **amenities** for which the **municipal** collects taxes from citizens. **All correct**

(3)

(4)

(5)

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Directions (21-30): Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below it. Certain words have been printed in bold to help you locate them while answering some question.

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For the past 10 years, all exports of pulses have been banned. This was presumably for food security and price stability. But this export ban has hurt farmers, who couldn't take advantage of high prices. It got worse, because when prices did shoot up, the government panicked and started importing at zero duty. The imports didn't stop despite a record harvest. When prices of food crops go up, the Central government swings into action, clamping down on exports, bringing in zero-duty imports, imposing stocking and storage limits, and so on. But when the opposite happens, that is when prices

crash, often, there is no corresponding reverse rescue. This is an example of the inherent urban bias in India's agriculture policy, which persists to this day. Indeed, among all World Trade Organization members, India is among a handful of countries with negative protection of agriculture.

Lastly, one more policy lesson is that pulses continue to be in the Agriculture Produce Marketing Committee (APMC) Act. Thus farmers are not free to sell to any buyer they wish but must go through the APMC.



Pulses are an important source of protein in India. Almost one-fifth of total acreage is used to grow them. They are also an important source of soil **fertility** since they provide nitrogen through fixation. Indeed, a pulses plant is called a mini fertilizer factory. Pulses were part of the six technology missions created in the 1980s (they were added to the oilseeds mission), to greatly **enhance** their production, use of technology and processing. But despite the mission-mode approach, India is still not self-sufficient in pulses production. And farmers continue to be at the **mercy** of nature, markets, pests and government policies.

The story of pulses is repeated across various crops. In cashew, India's Kollam used to be the world's capital, but has lost out to Vietnam due to its failure to **adopt** technology and due to excessive government control. India pioneered the Green Revolution, but scores very poorly in the global hunger index. The monolithic nationwide policies of promoting and procuring wheat and rice have ultimately proved harmful to health, nutrition and environment. Coarse cereals, the staple of most rural folk, were largely ignored by the public distribution system, and are only now being introduced in the midday meal schemes.

QUESTION 26

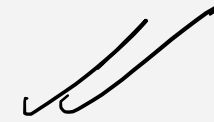
Why India's Kollam which used to be the world's capital has lost out to Vietnam in cashew?

- (A) due to its failure to adopt technology
- (B) due to excessive government control
- (C) due to excessive usage of pesticides

- (1) Both (A) and (B)
- (2) Only (B)
- (3) Both (A) and (C)
- (4) Only (C)
- (5) Only (A)

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QUESTION 27

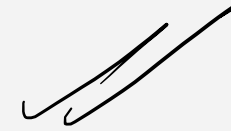


Why are pulses an important source of soil fertility?

- (1) they provide oxygen through fixation
- (2) they provide halogen through fixation
- (3) they provide sodium through fixation
- (4) they provide nitrogen through fixation
- (5) Both (1) and (3)

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QUESTION 28

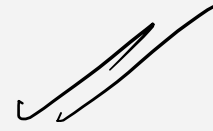


Where according to the passage farmers continue to be at?

- (1) the mercy of nature
- (2) markets
- (3) pests
- (4) government policies
- (5) All of the above

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QUESTION 29



What happens when prices of food crops go up according to the passage?

- (1) the Central government swings into action
- (2) clamping down on exports
- (3) bringing in zero-duty imports
- (4) imposing stocking and storage limits
- (5) All of the above

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QUESTION 30

Choose the most suitable title for the given passage?

- (1) Enhancing the production
- (2) Unshackle Indian agriculture
- (3) Loan waiver to farmers
- (4) Yet another reaction to policy-induced indebtedness
- (5) Advantage of high prices

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