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## Directions for the following questions:

Read the following information carefully and answer the question given below.

Rajneesh, Kavita, Suresh, Gambir and Mahesh are friends and good players. Rajneesh and Kavita are good in hockey and volleyball. Suresh and Rajneesh are good in hockey and tennis. Gambir and Kavita are good in cricket and volleyball. Suresh, Gambir and Mahesh are good in football and tennis.

[M.A.T. 2013]

**Q1.** Who is good in hockey, volleyball and cricket?

- a) Rajneesh
- b) Suresh
- c) Kavita
- d) Gambhir

**Q2.** Who is good in tennis, cricket, volleyball and football?

- a) Suresh
- b) Kavita
- c) Rajneesh
- d) Gambhir

**Q3.** Who is good in tennis, volleyball and hockey?

- a) Gambhir
- b) Kavita
- c) Suresh
- d) Rajneesh

### Directions for the following questions:

Read the following information carefully and answer the question given below.

Ravish and Kamlesh like hockey and volleyball. Suresh and Ravish likes hockey and badminton. Giri and Kamlesh like chess and volleyball. Suresh, Giri and Mukesh like football and badminton.

[I.R.M.A. 2011]

**Q4.** Who likes chess, hockey and volleyball?

- a) Suresh
- b) Kamlesh
- c) Ravish
- d) Giri

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**Q5.** Who likes badminton, chess, football and volleyball?

- a) Suresh
- b) Kamlesh
- c) Giri
- d) Ravish

**Q6.** Who likes hockey, volleyball and badminton?

- a) Suresh
- b) Kamlesh
- c) Ravish
- d) Giri

### Directions for the following questions:

Read the following information carefully and answer the question given below.

Three persons A, B and C wore shirts of black, blue and orange colours (not necessarily) and pants of green yellow and orange colours (not necessarily in that order). No person wore shirt and pants of the same colour. Further, it is given that

- I. A did not wear shirt of black colour.
- II. B did not wear shirt of blue colour.
- III. C did not wear shirt of orange colour.
- IV. A did not wear pant of green colour.
- V. B wore pants of orange colour.

[U.P.S.C. (CSAT) 2012]

**Q7.** What were the colors of the pant and shirt worn by C, respectively?

- a) Orange and black
- b) Green and blue
- c) Yellow and blue
- d) Yellow and black

### Directions for the following questions:

Examine carefully the following statements and answer the three items that follow. Out of four friends A, B, C and D

- I. A and B play football and cricket.
- II. B and C play cricket and hockey.
- III. A and D play basketball and football.
- IV. C and D play hockey and basketball.

[U.P.S.C. (CSAT) 2013]

**Q8.** Who does not play hockey?

- a) D
- b) C
- c) B
- d) A

**Q9.** Who plays football, basketball and hockey?

- a) D
  - b) C
  - c) B
  - d) A
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**Q10.** Which game do B, C and D play?

- a) Basketball
  - b) Hockey
  - c) Cricket
  - d) Football
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**Directions for the following questions:**

**Answer the following questions based on the statements given below.**

- I. There are 3 poles on each side of the road.
- II. These six poles are labelled A, B, C, D, E and F.
- III. The poles are of different colours namely golden, Silver, metallic, black, bronze and white.
- IV. The poles are of different heights.
- V. E, the tallest pole, is exactly opposite to the golden coloured pole.
- VI. The shortest pole is exactly opposite to the mettalic coloured pole.
- VII. F, the black coloured pole, is located between A and D.
- VIII. C, the bronze coloured pole, is exactly opposite to A.
- IX. B, the metallic coloured pole, is exactly opposite to F.
- X. A, the white coloured pole, is taller than C but shorter than D and B.

[C.L.A.T. 2013]

**Q11.** What is the color of the pole diagonally opposite to the bronze colored pole?

- a) White
- b) Silver
- c) Metallic

d) Golden

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**Q12.** Which is the second tallest pole?

- a) A
- b) D
- c) B
- d) None of these

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**Q13.** Which is the colour of the tallest pole?

- a) Golden
- b) Silver
- c) Bronze
- d) None of these

**Directions for the following questions:**

Read the following information carefully and answer the questions given below.

A group of seven friends A, B, C, D, E, F AND G work as economist, agriculture officer, IT officer, terminal operator, clerk, forex officer and research analyst, for banks L, M, N, P, Q, R and S but not necessarily in the same order. C works for bank N and is neither a research analyst nor a clerk. E is an IT officer and works for bank R. A works as a forex officer and does not work for bank L or Q. The one who is an agriculture officer works for bank M. The one who works for bank L works as a terminal operator. F works for bank Q. G works for bank P as a research analyst. D is not an agriculture officer.

[Syndicate Bank (PO) 2009]

**Q14.** Who amongst the following works as an agriculture officer?

- a) C

- b) B
  - c) F
  - d) D
  - e) None of these
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**Q15.** For which bank does D work?

- a) Q
  - b) L
  - c) N
  - d) S
  - e) None of these
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**Answers to the above questions :**

**Q1. Answer: (c)**

Kavita is good in hockey, volleyball and cricket

**Q2. Answer: (d)**

Gambhir is good in tennis, cricket, volleyball and football.

**Q3. Answer: (d)**

Rajneesh is good in tennis, volleyball and hockey.

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**Q4. Answer: (b)**

Kamlesh likes chess, hockey and volleyball.

**Q5. Answer: (c)**

Giri likes badminton, chess, football and volleyball.

**Q6. Answer: (c)**

Ravish likes hockey, volleyball and badminton.

**Q7. Answer: (b)**

So, C wore green pant and blue shirt.

**Q8. Answer: (d)**

From the above table, it is clear that A does not play hockey.

**Q9. Answer: (a)**

It is clear from the above table that D plays football, basketball and hockey.

**Q10. Answer: (b)**

From the above table, it is clear that B, C and D play hockey.

**Q11. Answer: (d)**

Pole D with golden color is diagonally opposite to bronze colored pole.

**Q12. Answer: (d)**

As comparison between B and D is not given  
so it cannot be determined which is second tallest pole.

**Q13. Answer: (b)**

Tallest pole is of silver colour.

**Q14. Answer: (b)**

B is an agriculture officer.

**Q15. Answer: (b)**

D works with bank L.

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