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Type 1

Two or More **Statements** Conclusions

Directions (Q No: 1 - 4) Two statements are given in each of the following question, followed by two Conclusions I and II. You have to take the given two statements to be true even, if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts. Read the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows from the two disregarding known facts.

Give answer

- (a) if only Conclusion I follows
- (b) if only Conclusion II follows
- (c) if neither Conclusion I nor Il follows
- (d) If both Conclusions I and II follow

1. Statements

[RRB (NTPC) 2020]

Some dolls are plants. Some plants are books.

Conclusions

- I. Some dolls are books.
- II. No book is a plant.
- (a) if only Conclusion I follows
- (b) if only Conclusion II follows
- (c) if neither Conclusion I nor Il follows
- (d) If both Conclusions I and II follow

2. Statements

[SSC (CPO) 2021]

All bats are sticks.

No stick is a ball.

Conclusions

- I. No bat is a ball.
- II. No ball is bat.
- (a) if only Conclusion I follows
- (b) if only Conclusion II follows
- (c) if neither Conclusion I nor Il follows
- (d) If both Conclusions I and II follow

3. Statements

[UP **Police** (Constable)

2018]

Some chalks are dusters.

All the dusters are boards.

Conclusions

- I. Some chalks are boards.
- II. No duster is a board.
- (a) if only Conclusion I follows
- (b) if only Conclusion II follows
- (c) if neither Conclusion I nor Il follows
- (d) If both Conclusions I and II follow

4. Statements

[BSSC (CGL) 2015]

Some birds are clouds.

Horse is a bird.

Conclusions

- I. Some clouds are birds.
- II. Horse is not a cloud.
- (a) if only Conclusion I follows
- (b) if only Conclusion II follows
- (c) if neither Conclusion I nor Il follows
- (d) If both Conclusions I and II follow

[CLAT 2017]

No parrots are black.

All crows are black.

From the above premises, which one of the following conclusions is true?

- (a) Some crows are not parrots.
- (b) No crows are parrots.
- (c) Some parrots are not crows.
- (d) No conclusion can be drawn.
- 6. Read the given statements and conclusions carefully. Assuming that the information given in the statement is true, even if it appears to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the given conclusions logically follow(s) from the statements?

[SSC (Steno) 2021]

Statements

All professors are males. All males are smart.

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Some males are professionals.

Conclusions

- I. No professional is smart.
- II. Some professionals are professors.
- III. Some smart are professionals.
- IV. Some professors are smart.
- (a) Only Conclusion IV follows
- (b) Both Conclusions I and II follow
- (c) Both Conclusions III and IV follow
- (d) Only Conclusion I follows
- 7. Some statements are given followed by some conclusions. You have to consider the statements to be true even, if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts. You have to decide which of the given conclusions if any, follow from the given statements. [SBI (PO) 2014]

even if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts.

Conclusions

I. Some B is E.

II. Some I is F.

Statements

- (a) All F is B. Some B is C. All C is D. All D is E. Some E is J.
- (b) Some F is B. All B is C. Some C is D. All D is E. Some E is
- (c) Some F is E. All E is D. Some D is B. All B is C. All C is J.
- (d) All F is E. Some F is J. All J is B. Some B is D. All D is
- (e) None of the above

Statements

Some doctors are lawyers.

All teachers are lawyers.

Some engineers are lawyers.

All engineers are businessmen.

Conclusions

- I. Some teachers are doctors, pardhaguru India Private Limited II. Some businessmen are lawyers.
- III. Some businessmen are teachers.
- IV. Some lawyers are teachers.
- (a) None follows
- (b) Only 1 follows
- (c) Only III follows
- (d) II and IV follow
- (e) None of these

Type 2

Find the Statements Based on the Given **Conclusions**

8. In the question below are given two conclusions followed by five set of statements. You have to choose the correct set of statements that logically satisfies given conclusions either definitely or possibly. Assume the given statements to be true

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