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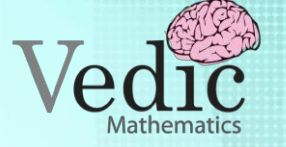
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DIRECTIONS:

Given below are pairs of events 'A' and 'B'. You have to read both the events 'A' and 'B' and decide their nature of relationship.

You have to assume that the information given in 'A' and 'B' is true and you will not assume anything beyond the given information in deciding the answer.

Mark your answer from the below given choice;

If 'A' is the effect and 'B' is its immediate and principal cause.

If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.

If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.

If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.

None of these

1) Event (A):

Transporters have threatened to go on strike in protest against the hike in diesel prices.

Event (B):

The talks between the government and agitating transporters have failed.

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b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.

c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.

d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.

e) None of these

2) Event (A):

There were riots in city 'X'.

Event (B):

Curfew was imposed on city 'X'.

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b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.

c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.

d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.

e) None of these

3) Event (A):

Many girls started taking part in beauty contests in several towns in India.

Event (B):

Indian girls succeeded in capturing all the titles of beauty contests, i.e. Miss World, Miss Universe and Miss Asia.

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b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.

c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.

d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.

e) None of these

4) Event (A):

Because of the proper distribution of gas ovens the life of the women of rural areas has become more comfortable.

Event (B):

Life of women is becoming insecure in rural areas.

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b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.

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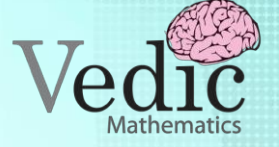
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5) Event (A):

A traveller found cockroaches in the crevices of his seat and also in the toilets of India's most prestigious train, the Rajdhani Express.

Event (B):

He drew the attention of catering manager, Western Railway, to the insects.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
- c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- e) None of these

6) Event (A):

Women have achieved parity with men in obtaining four-year college degrees and are more likely to work in managerial and professional careers today than 20 years ago.

Event (B):

The new high-tech economy is leaving women behind men.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
- c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- e) None of these

7) Event (A):

A special campaign to check drunken driving would be launched next week on National Highways.

Event (B):

Ten persons were killed and twenty-three injured on the National Highways last year.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
- c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- e) None of these

8) Event (A):

The Supreme Court has ordered to close all industrial units in the residential areas in Delhi.

Event (B):

A mob of about 1,500 people went on the rampage and the police had to use teargas to disperse them and restore normalcy.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
- c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- e) None of these

9) Event (A):

India is today gearing to become a leading producer and exporter of a range of minerals.

Event (B):

India is endowed with rich mineral resources.

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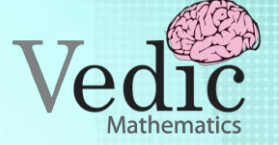
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10) Event (A):

The finance ministry has imposed additional taxation.

Event (B):

The fiscal deficit of the country has been reduced.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
- c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- e) None of these

11) Event (A):

Due to mechanisation the life of human beings is becoming more comfortable in urban areas.

Event (B):

Life is becoming insecure in urban areas.

- a) If 'A' is the effect and 'B' is its immediate and principal cause.
- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
- c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- e) None of these

12) Event (A):

There was a heavy rain for two days after a month of scorching heat in the capital.

Event (B):

There will be a pleasant weather over the next 2-3 days.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
- c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.

d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.

e) None of these

13) Event (A):

Recently the prices of the personal computers (PCs) have come down

Event (B):

Some school children are showing keen interest in learning computers.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
- c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- e) None of these

14) Event (A):

Demand of Chinese bikes in India has witnessed a terrific growth in India since last month.

Event (B):

A large number of people visited the trade fair organised in New Delhi three months ago where various ranges of bikes of different countries were displayed.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
- c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- e) None of these

15) Event (A):

The 1,000-rupee note is being printed once again.

Event (B):

The 1,000-rupee note went out of circulation in 1978





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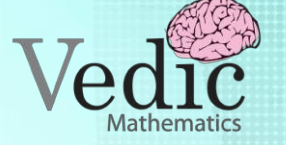
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e) None of these

16) Event (A):

No traffic shall be allowed on Jail Road.

Event (B):

Due to the ongoing flyover construction, the Traffic Police have made several diversions.

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b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.
d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
e) None of these

17) Event (A):

The court has ordered to pay a compensation of Rs 25000 to 10-year-old boy Inder.

Event (B):

The court has found Inder's employer guilty of subjecting him to cruelty and harassment.

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b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.
d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
e) None of these

18) Event (A):

Last week MTNL changed its telephone numbers from seven to eight digits.

Event (B):

MTNL has again made changes in its billing cycle by extending payment dates for bills.

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e) None of these

19) Event (A):

Mr X resigned from the post of coach of Indian cricket team.

Event (B):

BCCI is looking for a foreign coach for Indian cricket team.

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d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
e) None of these

20) Event (A):

Fiji is facing political uncertainty.

Event (B):

Fiji's economy has been hit hard.

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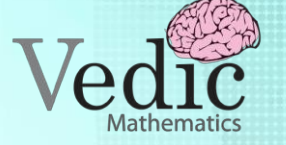
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- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
e) None of these

21) Event (A):

The sale of cars has dropped in the state X since last Monday.

Event (B):

The state 'X' has suspended registration of cars which do not conform to the emission norms stipulated recently.

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e) None of these

22) Event (A):

Mrs 'A' called Mr 'B' a traitor.

Event (B):

Mrs 'A' made an apology.

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e) None of these

23) Event (A):

Science has made the world a global village.

Event (B):

Today a man can contact any person in the world within seconds.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.
d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
e) None of these

24) Event (A):

The cold wave sweeping state 'X' further aggravated today as tribal areas experienced moderate snowfall while other hilly areas had a glimpse of snow.

Event (B):

Thousands of tourists who have come to state 'X' to celebrate Christmas are keeping their fingers crossed and praying for snowfall, hoping for a white Christmas.

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e) None of these

25) Event (A):

The CM offered prayers daily for the safe return of the abducted actor Rajkumar during the 107-day period.

Event (B):

The abductor and brigand Veerappan has released the actor Rajkumar after the 107-day period.

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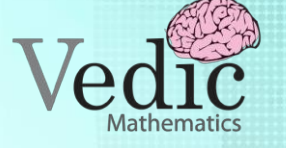
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26) Event (A):

The government announced an increase in diesel prices by 40%.

Event (B):

The Delhi Transport Corporation has revised the fares of the buses to double what it was.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
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- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- e) None of these

27) Event (A):

In one of the worst train disasters 400 people were killed.

Event (B):

People were going from Delhi to Assam.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
- c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- e) None of these

28) Event (A):

32 Indian Army men were taken hostage by the rebels in Sierra Leone.

Event (B):

India is dithering in its approach to the Sri Lankan crisis.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
- c) If 'A' is an effect but 'B' is not its immediate and principal cause.

- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- e) None of these

29) Event (A):

After long years of wait, the capital got its metro last year.

Event (B):

Pollution levels in the capital have come down.

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- b) If 'A' is the immediate and principal cause and 'B' is its effect.
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- d) If 'B' is an effect but 'A' is not its immediate and principal cause.
- e) None of these

30) Event (A):

AIIMS doctors are on strike from today.

Event (B):

One patient died in AIIMS because no doctor was available for check-up.

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