AFCAT Solved Paper

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Directions (Q.Nos. 1-5) Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below.

Passage

Pablo Picasso showed his truly exceptional talent from a very young age. His first word was lapiz (Spanish for pencil) and he learnt to draw before he could talk. He was the only son in the family and very good-looking, so he was thoroughly spoilt. He hated school and often refused to go unless his doting parents allowed him to take one of his father's pet pigeons with him.

Apart from pigeons, his great love was art and when in 1891 his father, who was an amateur artist, got a job as a drawing teacher at college, Pablo went with him to the college. He often watched his father paint and sometimes was allowed to help. One evening his father was painting a picture of their pigeons when he had to leave the room. He returned to find that Pablo had completed the picture and it was so amazingly beautiful and lifelike that he gave his son his own palette and brushes and never painted again Pablo was just thirteen.

- 1. As a boy Pablo Picasso was
 - (a) ordinary looking but talented (b) handsome and talented
- 2. He was spoilt mostly because he was
 - (a) a smart boy
 - (c) the only son in the family
- 3. Picasso went to school only when
 - (a) his friends accompanied him
 - (c) he was allowed to paint at school
- 4. When his father painted in the college, Pablo
 - (a) occasionally helped him
- (b) rarely helped him
- 5. Pablo's father gave up painting because he
 - (a) did not like the job
 - (c) was impressed by his son's talent

- (c) handsome and studious
- (d) handsome and hardworking
- (b) loved by one and all
- (d) always surrounded by notorious boys
- (b) his father went with him
- (d) he was allowed to carry a pet with him
- (c) always helped him
- (d) invariably helped him
- (b) retired from the college
- (d) lost interest in painting

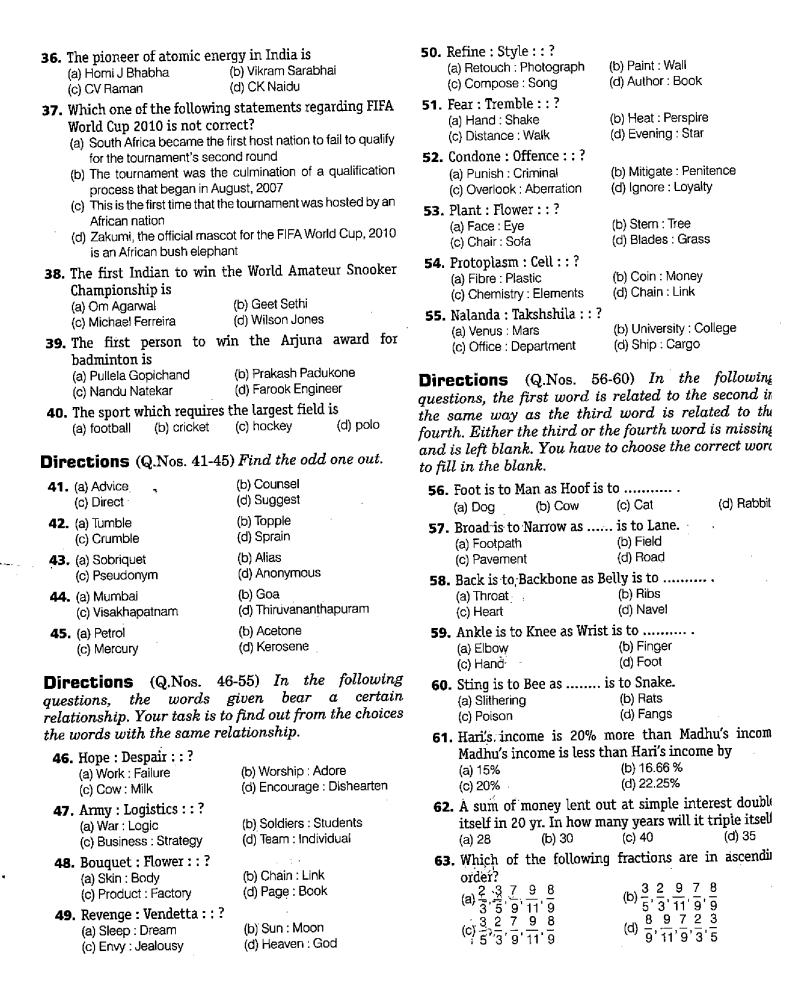
Directions (Q.Nos. 6-10) In each of the following questions, find out which part has an error.

- 6. The boss was irritated (a)/by him neglecting (b)/the duties and (c)/ not listening to his advice. (d)
- 7. Each of the three (a)/beggars were (b)/asking for more (c)/food to eat. (d)
- 8. My brother sent (a)/two pairs (b)/of shoe (c)/from America. (d)
- 9. The young boy said (a)/that he (b)/neither liked me (c)/nor my wife. (d)
- 10. He was (a)/congratulated for (b)/his success in (c)/the 100 m race. (d)

Directions (Q.Nos. 11-15) Pick up the most effective word from the given words to fill in the blanks # make the sentence meaningfully complete.

- 11. Sanjay was with divine vision to see the great battle.
 - (a) demure
- (b) authorized
- (c) endowed
- (d) uttered
- 12. There was so much material in the eassy that it was difficult to get the author's message.
 - (a) variegated
- (b) superficial
- (c) extraneous
- (d) exemplary

 13. The world is so constructed that if you wish to enjoy its pleasures, you must also its pains. (a) deny (b) neglect (c) ignore (d) endure 14. Indian press did not give to the British 	25. The Sun rises in Arunachal Pradesh two hours before it does in Dwaraka in Gujarat. This is because the former is(a) higher in elevation than Dwaraka and the Earth rotates from West to East
publicity. (a) credence (b) scion (c) augury (d) opportunity	 (b) situated further North than Dwaraka and the Earth rotates from West to East (c) situated further East (about 30° Longitude) than Dwaraka and the Earth rotates from West to East
15. Travellers their reservations well in advance if they want to travel during the Diwali holidays. (a) has better to get (b) had better get	(d) situated about 30° East of Dwaraka and the Earth rotates from West to East
(c) had to get better (d) had better got Directions (Q.Nos. 16-18) In each of the following, choose the word most similar in meaning to the word	26. Srinagar is situated on the banks of the river (a) Ravi (b) Sutlej (c) Jhelum (d) Chenab
given in capitals. 16. EMANCIPATE (a) Set free (b) Exist (c) Correct morally (d) Restrain	27. The areas in India that receive approximately an average of more than 200 cm of rainfall annually are (a) Meghalaya, Asom, Nagaland, Arunachal Pradesh (b) Odisha, Madhya Pradesh, Gujarat, Maharashtra (c) Meghalaya, Asom, Rajasthan, Jammu and Kashmir (d) Meghalaya, Delhi, Punjab, Rajasthan
(a) Simplicity (b) Gentility (c) Sincerity (d) Dishonesty 18. ADMONITION (a) Thrash (b) Hindrance	28. Isotherms are imaginary lines drawn on a map which connect places of equal (a) atmospheric pressure (b) humidity (c) rainfall (d) temperature
(c) Warning (d) Exhort Directions (Q.Nos. 19 and 20) In each of the	29. Jim Corbett National Park is situated in which state? (a) Arunachal Pradesh (b) Himachal Pradesh (c) Andhra Pradesh (d) Uttarakhand
following, choose the word most nearly opposite in meaning to the word given in capitals. 19. VOCIFEROUS	30. Which one of the following statement regarding the Sun is correct? (a) The Sun is composed mainly of hydrogen
(a) Laudable (b) Quiet (c) Dangerous (d) Powerful 20. IMPLICATE (a) Involve (b) Exonerate (c) Corrupt (d) Accuse	 (b) Its energy is generated by nuclear collision in its interior (c) It is calculated that the Sun consumes about a trillion pounds of hydrogen every second (d) All of the above
Directions (Q.Nos. 21-40) Choose the correct answer.	31. Supersonic's speed is greater than the speed of sound (in air at sea level) that is to say around miles/h.
21. The person who is regarded as the greatest law giver of ancient India is (a) Panini (b) Kautilya (c) Manu (d) Patanjali	(a) 760 (b) 860 (c) 960 (d) 1060 32. Yoga Sutra was written by (a) Vatsyayana (b) Patanjali (c) Bhratrihari (d) Maharshi Mahesh
22. The immortal fame of Ashoka largely rests upon (a) his conversion to Buddhism and its propagation (b) his policy for the welfare of his subjects	33. The National Institute of Oceanography is located at (a) Trivandrum (b) Panaji (c) Cochin (d) Mangalore
 (c) his work in the sphere of politics and moral teaching (d) his extensive conquests 23. Gandhiji started Dandi March (a) to demonstrate against the British Empire (b) to break the salt law 	 (a) of upward reaction of air (b) the density of air above the plane is less than below it (c) the pressure above its wings is less than the pressure below them (d) its nose points upwards
(c) to boycott foreign goods (d) None of the above 24. The first war of Indian Independence began on 10 May, 1857 at	35. Rocks formed on the solidification of molten matter are called (a) metamorphic rocks (b) sedimentary rocks (c) volcanic rocks (d) igneous rocks
(a) Meerut (b) Jhansi (c) Barrackpore (d) Delhi	



	which are divisible by 5.		-	is 5:8, then				
	(a) 18	(b) 20		(a) 20	(b) 30	(c) 48	(d) 58	
	(c) 24	(d) 30	80	. A certain aπ	nount was div	zided between	Sita and Gita	
67.	The average of first 80 na	tural numbers is		in the ratio	9 : 8. If Sita's	share was ₹ 49	500, then the	
	(a) 40 (b) 41	(c) 40.5 (d)	142	amount is				
68.	If the sum of a few numb	ers is 450 and their r	mean is	(a) ₹ 9000	(b) ₹ 8500	(c) ₹ 6750	(d) ₹ 9025	
	50 and if another number	r 100 is included, the	e mean					
	would become	·			-	4) Find out u	-	
	(a) 55	(b) 60				can be form	ed from the	
	(c) 75	(d) 150	piec	es given in fi	igure (X)?			
69.	Simplify $?\%$ of $932 + 30 =$: 309.6.	: 81 .	. Question Fig	gure	Answer Fig	ures	
	(a) 25	(b) 30						
	(c) 35	(d) 40			16 16	\sim M	1/ 1/21	
70.	The difference between a	a number and its 💆	is 510.	[DV]		/	八 トプルー	
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	What is 10% of that numb			(X)	(a)	(b) (c)	. (d)	
	(a) 12.75 (c) 204	(b) 85 (d) None of these	82.	. Question Fig	onre	Answer Fig	ures	
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72	A shopkeeper professes to			(X)	(a)	(b) (c)	(d)	
12.	of 10% but increases the			. Question Fig		Answer Fig		
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	(a) 6% (b) 8%		12%					
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	the profit in transaction i	s		(X)	(a)	(b) (c)	(d)	
	(a) 16.75%	(b) 20.50%	04	. Question Fig		A Ti		
	(c) 25.50%	(d) 33.33%		· Anestron Li	Anie	Answer Fig	mies	
74.	If the selling price is dou	bled, the profit triple	es. Find	Na				
	the profit per cent.	1 A		D(SD)		, (()())	
	(a) 66.66 (b) 100	(c) 105.33 (d)	120					
75.	If $\frac{4}{5}$ th of an estate is wort	:h ₹ 16800, then the v	alue of	(X)	(a)	(b) (c)	(d)	
	จั			Find out hos	w the key fic	jure (X) will lo	ok like after	
	$\frac{3}{7}$ th of the estate is		42 .	rotation.	vi tale leg 115	, 410 (11) 11111 10	on the ther	
	(a) ₹ 9000 (b) ₹ 21000	(a) ₹ 72000 (a) ₹	₹ 90000	Question Fig	gure	Answer Figure	es	
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76,	If $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{3}{4}$ and $8a + 5b = 22$,	, then the value of \hat{a} :	is				\mathbb{Z}	
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77. If (a - b) is 6 more than (c + d) and (a + b) is 3 less -

78. Two numbers are in the ratio 7:8. If 3 is added to each of them their ratio becomes 8:9. The numbers are

79. The sum of 3 numbers is 98. If the ratio of the first to the second is 2:3 and that of the second to the third

(c) 21, 24

(d) 2.0

(d) 16, 18

than (c-d), then the value of (a-c) is

(b) 1.0

(b) 24, 27

(a) 0.5

(a) 14, 16

64. 337.62 + 8.591 + 34.4 is equal to

65. Find the sum of $\frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{72}$.

(b) 380.511

(d) 426.97

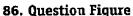
66. Find the average of all the numbers between 6 and 34

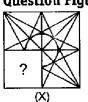
(a) 370.611

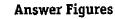
(c) 380.611

(a) $\frac{3}{5}$

Direction : (Q.Nos. 86-90) In each of the following questions, select a figure from amongst the four alternative: which when placed in the blank space of figure (X) would complete the pattern.









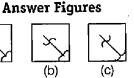




89. Question Figure

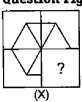


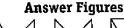






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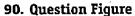




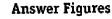


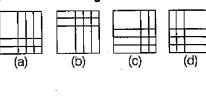




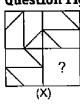








88. Question Figure



Answer Figures







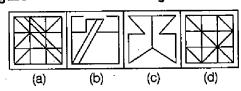


Directions (Q.Nos. 91-95) In each of the following questions, you are given a figure (X) followed by fow alternative figures (a), (b), (c) and (d) such that figure (X) is embedded in one of them. Trace out the alternative figure which contains figure (X) as its part.

91. Question Figure

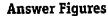


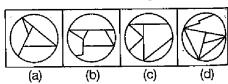
Answer Figures



94. Question Figure



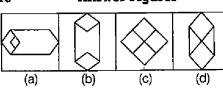




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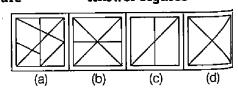
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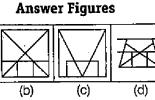


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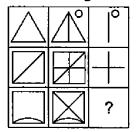
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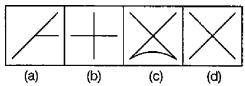


Directions (Q.Nos. 96-100) In each of the following questions, find out which of the answer figures (a), (b), (c) and (d) completes the figure matrix.

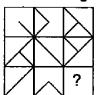
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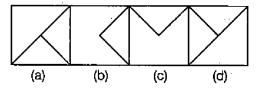
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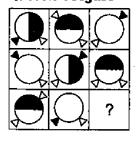
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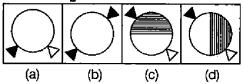
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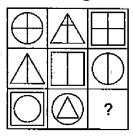
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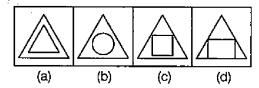
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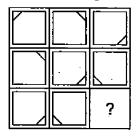
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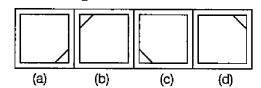
Answer Figures



100. Question Figure



Answer Figures



Answers

1.	(b)	2.	(c)	3.	(d)	4.	(a)	5. ((c)	6.	(b)	7.	(b)	8.	(c)	9.	(c)	10.	(b)
11.	(c)	12.	(c)	13.	(d)	14.	(a)	15.	(b)	16.	(a)	17.	(d)	18.	(c)	19.	(b)	20.	(b)
21.	(c)	22.	(b)	23.	(b)	24.	(a)		(c)	26.	(c)	27.	(a)	28.	(d)	29.	(ď)	30.	(d)
31.	(a)	32.	(b)	33.	(b)	34.			(d)	36.	(a)	37.	(a)	38.	(a)	39.	(c)	40.	(d)
41.	(c)	42.	(d)	43.	(a)	44.	(d)		(c)	46.	(d)	47.	(c)	48.	(b)	49.	(c)	50.	(a)
51.	(b)	52.	(c)	53.	(a)	54.	(b)	55. ((a)	56.	(b)	57.	(d)	58.	(b)	59.	(a)	60.	(d)
61.	(b)	62.	(c)	63.	(c)	64.	(c)	65.	(c)	66.	(b)	67.	(c)	68.	(a)	69.	(b)	70.	(b)
71.	(d)	72.	(b)	73.	(d)	74.	(b)	∞ 75. (76.	(c)	77.	(c)	78.	(c)	79.	(b)	80.	(b)
81.	(c)	82.	(c)	83.	(c)	84.	(a)	85.	(a) (c)	86.	(d)	87.	(c)	88.	(a)	89.	(g)	90.	(c)
91.	(a)	92.	(b)	93.	(d)	94.	(b)	95.	(b)	96.	(d)	97.	(a)	98.		9 9 .	(a)	100.	(b)
	(4)	J.	(0)	JJ.	(4/	J-7.	(1)		U)	30.	(4)	31.	(a)	30.	(d)	77.	(C)	100.	(0)

Hints and Solutions

- 21. Manu is regarded as the greatest law giver of ancient India. He belongs to 2nd century BC Manu Smriti is his famous compilation.
- 22. Ashoka, a great ruler of Maurya Dynasty, is famous in history for his welfare works for his subjects. His rule is treated as first welfare state in history.
- 23. Gandhiji started Dandi March in 1930 to break the salt law.
- 25. India lies between 68.7° E to 97.25° E longitude. The longitudinal difference between Eastern and Western end is 30°. It means time difference between the two ends is two hours. This is the reason the Sun rises in Arunachal Pradesh two hours before it does in Gujarat.
- **26.** Srinagar is situated on the bank of the river Jhelum.
- 27. North-East regions in India receive more than 200 cm of rainfall annually.
- 28. Isotherms are imaginary lines drawn on the map which connect places of equal temperature.
- Jim Corbett National Park is located in Uttarakhand. It is the first National park established in India.
- 31. The speed greater than the speed of sound is called supersonic. Supersonic speed is equal to 786 miles/h.
- 33. The National Institute of Oceanography is located at Panaji.
- Nandu Natekar was the first person to win Arjuna award for badminton in 1961,
- 61. If A is r % more than B, then B is

$$\left(\frac{r}{100+r} \times 100\right)$$
% less than A

Hari's income is 20% more than Madhu, then

Madhu's income is $\left(\frac{20}{100+20} \times 100\right)$ % less than Hari's

income =
$$\left(\frac{20}{120} \times 100\right)\% = \frac{50}{3}\% = 16.66\%$$

62. P = ₹ x, A = ₹ 2x, t = 20 yr

SI = A - P = 2x - x = ₹x

$$r = \frac{SI \times 100}{P \times t} = \frac{x \times 100}{x \times 20} = 5\%$$

Again, P=₹x

$$A = 3x, r = 5\%$$

$$SI = A - P = 3x - x = 2x$$

 $SI \times 100 \quad 2x \times 100$

$$SI = A - P = 3x - x = 2x$$

$$t = \frac{SI \times 100}{P \times t} = \frac{2x \times 100}{x \times 5} = 40 \text{ yr}$$

63. $\frac{3}{5} = 0.6$

$$\frac{2}{3} = 0.6666 \quad \frac{7}{9} = 0.7777$$

$$\frac{9}{11} = 0.818 \frac{8}{9} = 0.888$$

- $\frac{3}{5}$, $\frac{2}{3}$, $\frac{7}{9}$, $\frac{9}{11}$, $\frac{8}{9}$ are in ascending order.
- **64.** $337.62 + 8.591 + 34.4 = x \Rightarrow x = 380.611$

65.
$$\frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{72} = \frac{8+12+6+1}{72} = \frac{27}{72} = \frac{3}{8}$$

66. Average =
$$\frac{10 + 15 + 20 + 25 + 30}{5} = \frac{100}{5} = 20$$

67. Average =
$$\frac{80 \times 81}{2 \times 80} = \frac{81}{2} = 40.5$$

68.
$$n = \frac{450}{50} = 9$$
 New mean $= \frac{550}{10} = 55$

69.
$$\frac{x}{100} \times 932 + 30 = 309.6$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{932x}{100} = 279.6$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 932x = 27960

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $x = \frac{27960}{932} = 30\%$

70. Let the number be x.

According to the question,
$$x - \frac{2x}{5} = 510$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 5 \times$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 5 \times 510$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{5 \times 510}{3} = 5 \times 170 = 850$$

10% of
$$850 = \frac{10}{100} \times 850 = 85$$

73. Let CP = ₹ 100
SP =
$$\frac{4}{3} \times 100 = \frac{400}{3}$$

Profit =
$$\frac{400}{3} - 100 = \frac{100}{3}$$

:. Profit per cent =
$$\frac{100}{3 \times 100} \times 100 = \frac{100}{.3} = 33.33\%$$

75.
$$\frac{4}{5}$$
 th = 16800

$$\therefore 1 = \frac{16800 \times 5}{1}$$

$$1 = \frac{16800 \times 5}{4}$$

$$∴ \frac{3}{7} th = \frac{16800 \times 5 \times 3}{4 \times 7} = ₹9000$$

76. $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{3}{4} \implies 4a = 3b$

$$\Rightarrow \qquad a = \frac{3b}{4}$$

$$8a + 5b = 22$$

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$$\Rightarrow 8\left(\frac{3b}{4}\right) + 5b = 22$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 11 $b = 22$

$$\Rightarrow b=2$$

$$\therefore a=\frac{3b}{4}=\frac{3\times 2}{4}=\frac{3}{2}$$

77.
$$a-b=c+d+6$$

$$a+b=c-d-3$$

Adding Eqs. (i) and (ii)

$$2a = 2c + 3 \Rightarrow 2a - 2c = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(a-c)=3$$

$$a-c=\frac{3}{2}=1.5$$

78. Let numbers are 7x and 8x.

$$\frac{7x + 3}{8x + 3} = \frac{8}{9}$$

$$63x + 27 = 64x + 24$$

$$x = 3$$

Numbers are 21 and 24.

79.
$$x + y + z = 98$$

$$\frac{x}{y} = \frac{2}{3} \Rightarrow x = \frac{2y}{3}$$
$$\frac{y}{z} = \frac{5}{8} \Rightarrow z = \frac{8y}{5}$$

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From Eq. (i),

$$\frac{2y}{3} + y + \frac{8y}{5} = 98$$

$$49y = 15 \times 98 \Rightarrow y = 30$$

80. Let the amount be ξx .

$$\frac{9}{17} \times x = 4500$$
 4500×17

 $x = \frac{4500 \times 17}{9} = ₹8500$

85. Rotation of given die is as following







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- 86. Figure (d) will complete the pattern.
- 87. Figure (c) will complete the hexagon given in the figure (X).
- 89. Figure (d) will complete the figure (X) in the same pattern given in the question.

92.

... (i)



Figure (X) is embedded with figure (b).

93.



Figure (X) is embedded with figure (d).

94.



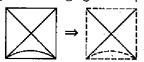
Figure (X) is embedded with figure (b).

95.



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96. Image in third column of each row is the image obtained after erasing image in first row from the image in the second row. So, required image is the image given in option (d).



- 97. Here, image in a row shows clockwise rotation. Hence, required image is in option (a).
- 99. Here, square is changing into circle and circle is changing into triangle and triangle is changing into square. Hence, required figure will be a square inside a triangle.
- 100. Here, each image in a column is rotated clockwise by 90°. Hence, required image will be image given in option (b).