MISSING SERIES –1. SOLUTION

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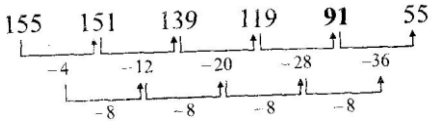

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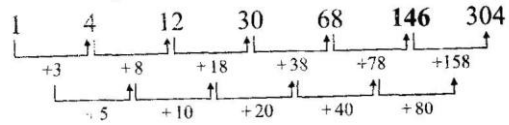

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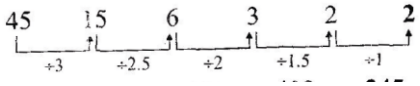

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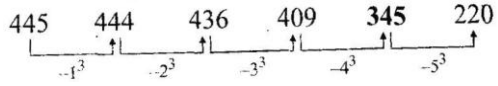

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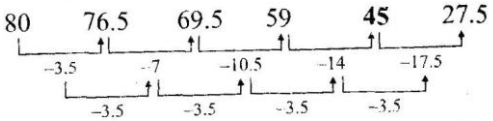

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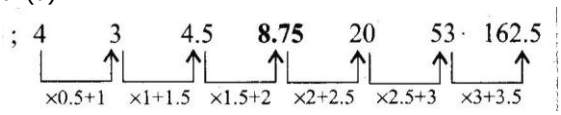

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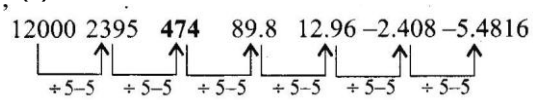

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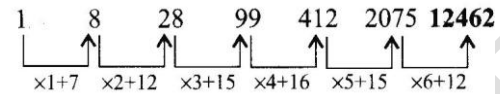

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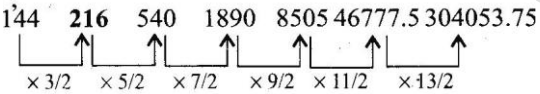

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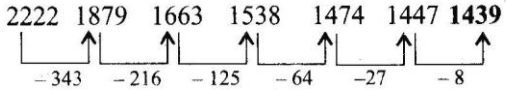

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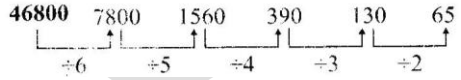

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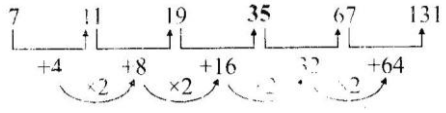

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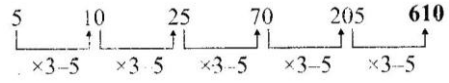

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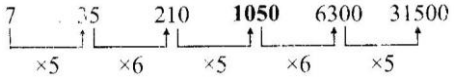

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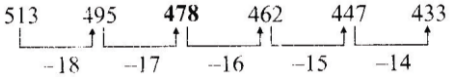

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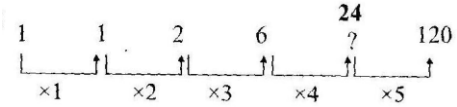

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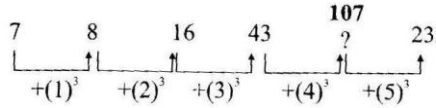

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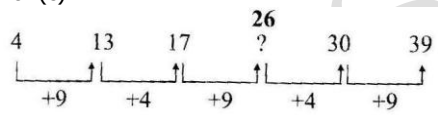

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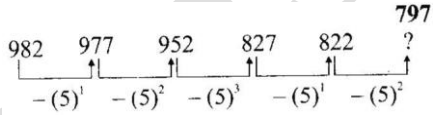

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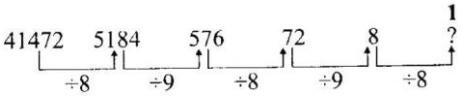

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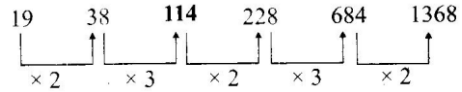

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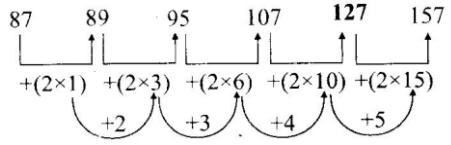

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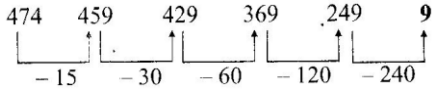

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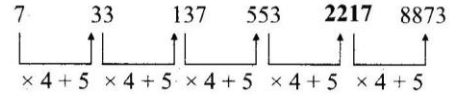

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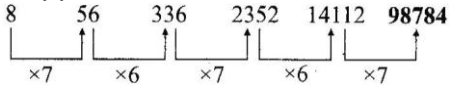

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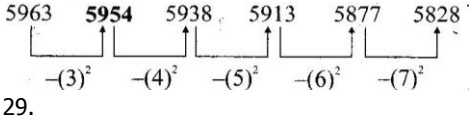

29.

2916 972 **324** 108 36 12
÷3 ÷3 ÷3 ÷3 ÷3

30. (b)

9 15 27 45 69 **99**
+(6×1) +(6×2) +(6×3) +(6×4) +(6×5)

31. (c)

1 5 13 29 **61** 125 253
+4 +8 +16 +32 +64 +128

32. (e)

45 57 81 117 165 **225**
+12 +24 +36 +48 +60

33. (b)

353 354 351 356 349 **358**
−2 −2
+2 +2

34. (a)

$\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ 1 $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{3}{2}$ $\frac{7}{4}$ **2**
$+\frac{1}{4}$ $+\frac{1}{4}$ $+\frac{1}{4}$ $+\frac{1}{4}$ $+\frac{1}{4}$ $+\frac{1}{4}$ $+\frac{1}{4}$

25. (e)

17 18 26 53 117 **242** 458
$+1^3$ $+2^3$ $+3^3$ $+4^3$ $+5^3$ $+6^3$

36. (c)

4 19 49 94 154 **229**
+15 +30 +45 +60 +75

37. (a)

$\frac{1}{2}$ 1 $1\frac{1}{2}$ 2 $2\frac{1}{2}$ 3 $\mathbf{3\frac{1}{2}}$
$+\frac{1}{2}$ $+\frac{1}{2}$ $+\frac{1}{2}$ $+\frac{1}{2}$ $+\frac{1}{2}$ $+\frac{1}{2}$

38. (d)

+2 +2
101 103 99 105 97 **107** 95
−2 −2 −2

39. (b)

3 219 344 408 **435** 443 444
$+(6)^3$ $+(5)^3$ $+(4)^3$ $+(3)^3$ $+(2)^3$ $+(1)^3$

40. (a)

7 10 16 28 52 **100** 196
+3 +6 +12 +24 +48 +96

41. (e)

980 484 236 112 50 **19** 3.5
÷2−6 ÷2−6 ÷2−6 ÷2−6 ÷2−6 ÷2−6

42. (c)

8 9 20 63 256 1285 **7716**
×1+1 ×2+2 ×3+3 ×4+4 ×5+5 ×6+6

43. (d)

1015 508 255 129 66.5 **35.75** 20.875
$\times\frac{1}{2}+0.5$ $\times\frac{1}{2}+1$ $\times\frac{1}{2}+1.5$ $\times\frac{1}{2}+2$ $\times\frac{1}{2}+2.5$ $\times\frac{1}{2}+3$

44. (a)

12 12 18 36 90 270 **945**
×1 ×1.5 ×2 ×2.5 ×3 ×3.5

45. (d)

4 6 12 **30** 90 315 1260
×1.5 ×2 ×2.5 ×3 ×3.5 ×4

46. (d)

7 12 40 222 **1744** 17390 208608
−1×2 −2×4 −3×6 −4×8 −5×10 −6×12

47. (c)

6 91 **582** 2935 11756 35277 70558
$\times7+7^2$ $\times6+6^2$ $\times5+5^2$ $\times4+4^2$ $\times3+3^2$ $\times2+2^2$

48. (e)

9050 5675 3478 2147 1418 **1075** 950
$-(15)^3$ $-(13)^3$ $-(11)^3$ $-(9)^3$ $-(7)^3$ $-(5)^3$

49. (e)

1 4 **27** 256 3125 46656 823543
$(1)^1$ $(2)^2$ $(3)^3$ $(4)^4$ $(5)^5$ $(6)^6$ $(7)^7$

50. (b)

8424 4212 2106 **1053** 526.5 263.25 131.625
÷2 ÷2 ÷2 ÷2 ÷2 ÷2

51. Option **B**

1st letter : W $\xrightarrow{-3}$ T $\xrightarrow{-3}$ Q $\xrightarrow{-3}$ (N)

2nd letter : F $\xrightarrow{+1}$ G $\xrightarrow{+1}$ H $\xrightarrow{+1}$ (I)

3rd letter : B $\xrightarrow{+2}$ D $\xrightarrow{+3}$ G $\xrightarrow{+4}$ (K)

52. Option **B**

1st letter : A $\xrightarrow{+6}$ G $\xrightarrow{+6}$ M $\xrightarrow{+6}$ (S) $\xrightarrow{+6}$ Y

2nd letter : Z $\xrightarrow{-6}$ T $\xrightarrow{-6}$ N $\xrightarrow{-6}$ (H) $\xrightarrow{-6}$ B

53. **Answer:** Option **C**

H $\xrightarrow{+1}$ I $\xrightarrow{+2}$ K $\xrightarrow{+3}$ N $\xrightarrow{+4}$ (R)

54. Option **A**

The given sequence is a combination of two series:

I. Z, W, T, Q, ? and II. S, O, k, G, ?

The pattern in I is : Z $\xrightarrow{-3}$ W $\xrightarrow{-3}$ T $\xrightarrow{-3}$ Q $\xrightarrow{-3}$ (N)

The pattern in II is : S $\xrightarrow{-4}$ O $\xrightarrow{-4}$ K $\xrightarrow{-4}$ G $\xrightarrow{-4}$ (C)

55. Option **A**
The series may be divided into groups as shown:
b e d / f ? h / j ? l
Clearly in the first group, the second and third letters are respectively three and two steps ahead of the first letter.
A similar pattern would follow in the second and third groups.

56.Option **A**

A $\xrightarrow{+6}$ G $\xrightarrow{+5}$ L $\xrightarrow{+4}$ P $\xrightarrow{+3}$ S $\xrightarrow{+2}$ (U)

57. Option **B**
Explanation:

1st letter : a $\xrightarrow{+6}$ g $\xrightarrow{+6}$ (m) $\xrightarrow{+6}$ s $\xrightarrow{+6}$ y

2nd letter : j $\xrightarrow{+6}$ p $\xrightarrow{+6}$ (v) $\xrightarrow{+6}$ b $\xrightarrow{+6}$ h

3rd letter : s $\xrightarrow{+6}$ y $\xrightarrow{+6}$ e $\xrightarrow{+6}$ k $\xrightarrow{+6}$ q

58. Option **C**
The number of letters in the terms of the given series increases by one at each step.
The first letter of each term is two steps ahead of the last letter of the preceding term.
However, each term consists of consecutive letters in order.

59. Option **C**
The given sequence is a combination of two series :
I. Y,T, O and II. B, G, ?
I consists of 2nd, 7th and 12th letters from the end of the English alphabet, while
II consists of 2nd, 7th and 12th letters from the beginning of the English alphabet.
So, the missing letter in II is the 12th letter from the beginning of the English alphabet, which is L.

60. Option **C**
The given sequence is a combination of two series:
I. C, F, I, L, O, ? and II. Z, X, V, T, ?

The pattern in I is : C $\xrightarrow{+3}$ F $\xrightarrow{+3}$ I $\xrightarrow{+3}$ L $\xrightarrow{+3}$ O $\xrightarrow{+3}$ (R)

The pattern in II is : Z $\xrightarrow{-2}$ X $\xrightarrow{-2}$ V $\xrightarrow{-2}$ T $\xrightarrow{-2}$ (R)