

**CLATAPULT**

**LEGAL REASONING  
AND  
LOGICAL REASONING  
PROBLEMS-II**





**QUESTION**

**SET 1**

## SET I

1. **Assertion:** 17-18 million Jews were brutally murdered by the Nazis.

**Reason:** The Nazis were led by Adolf Hitler who was on a mission of “ethnic cleansing”.

- (a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A.
  - (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
  - (c) A is true but R is false.
  - (d) A is false but R is true.
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2. **Assertion:** The non-Ahmadiyas believe Jesus Christ went to Heaven in his bodily form. The Ahmadiyas believe Jesus Christ travelled to Kashmir, where he died, and is buried there.

**Reason:** Kashmir is considered to be the “Heaven on Earth”.

- (a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A.
  - (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
  - (c) A is true but R is false.
  - (d) A is false but R is true.
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3. **Assertion:** Compared to the western coast of India, more rice is grown in the eastern coast.

**Reason:** Compared to the western coast of India, the eastern coast receives more rainfall.

- (a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A.

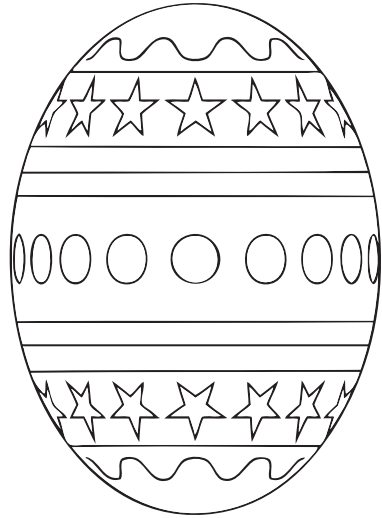


- (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
  - (c) A is true but R is false.
  - (d) A is false but R is true.
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4. **Assertion:** Lizards reproduce by laying eggs.

**Reasons:** Reproduction by laying eggs is the only means of sexual reproduction known to living creatures.

- (a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A.
- (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true but R is false.
- (d) A is false but R is true.



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5. **Assertion:** A growing number of students are appearing for CLAT with each passing year.

**Reason:** It is rumoured that jobs in the IT sector are decreasing.

- (a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A.
  - (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
  - (c) A is true but R is false.
  - (d) A is false but R is true.
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6. **Assertion:** The desert temperatures fall at night making the weather much cooler.

**Reason:** Most of the moisture in the desert air evaporates during the day leaving very little moisture in the night air to trap heat.

- (a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A.
  - (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
  - (c) A is true but R is false.
  - (d) A is false but R is true.
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7. **Assertion:** It is the male chromosomes that determine the gender of the foetus.

**Reason:** The female body lacks sex chromosomes.

- (a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A.
  - (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
  - (c) A is true but R is false.
  - (d) A is false but R is true.
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8. **Assertion:** Petrol prices are way costlier in India than in other countries.

**Reason:** The taxes levied on petrol by the Indian government are much higher in India than in other countries.

- (a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A.
- (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true but R is false.
- (d) A is false but R is true.



9. Breach : Contract:: ?

- (a) Adultery : Matrimony
  - (b) Progeria : Childhood
  - (c) Contract : Breach
  - (d) Childhood : Progeria
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10. Wheel : Pottery:: ?

- (a) Musician : Music
  - (b) Cook : Spices
  - (c) Camera : Photography
  - (d) Canvas : Paint
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**ANSWERS**

**SET 1**



**1. (a)**

17-18 million Jews were brutally murdered by the Nazis that were led by Adolf Hitler who was on a mission of “ethnic cleansing”.

When you see Assertion-Reason questions, read both the statements and ask yourself if R is the reason for A. If your mind is clouded by the slightest doubt, and you think the doubt has some weightage and is reasonable, then R is not the reason for A. Also, get your facts straight. There goes the key to solve Assertion-Reason questions. They are pretty simple. Practice to get the knack of them.

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**2. (a)**

Yes, the reason for this belief of the Ahmadiyahs is that Kashmir is considered as the “Heaven on Earth.”

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**3. (a)**

Compared to the western coast of India, more rice is grown in the eastern coast because the eastern coast receives more rainfall than the western coast. This is basic Geography that you learnt in middle school.

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**4. (c)**

Of course other means of sexual reproduction are known to living creatures. Mammals give birth to their young ones, for instance.

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**5. (b)**

Rumours such as the one presented in R keep going around. That definitely is not the reason for A. The reason for A may be the fact that there is a boom in the legal sector and the de-

mand for lawyers is on the rise. Also, read the statements carefully. What has been stated in R has been mentioned to be a “rumour”. The truth regarding whether jobs in the IT sector are really decreasing is immaterial.

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6. (a)

Yes, it is but a fact that the desert temperatures fall at night and the reason for this phenomenon is that most of the moisture in the desert air evaporates during the day leaving very little moisture in the night air to trap heat.

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7. (c)

Biology. Basic. The female body consists of a pair of X chromosomes. The male body consists of an X chromosome and a Y chromosome. For the formation of the zygote, the female body contributes an X chromosome, and therefore, the sex of the child depends on which chromosome the male body contributes.

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8. (a)

The answer is self-explanatory. Facts. Logic. And you're done!

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9. (a)

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10. (c)

A camera is the quintessential element in photography. It is the means by which the art of photography is practised. It is similar to how the wheel is an integral part of pottery. The camera is to photography what the wheel is to pottery.

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