

## GAT-A Business and Engineering Verbal

Sr	Questions	Answers Choice
1	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Lethargic:	A. Listless B. Invigorating C. Sluggish D. Laborious E. Slothful
2	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Oppress:	A. Subdue B. Subjugate C. Depress D. Clutch E. Liberate
3	Complete Sentence He said that there was no going back because his decision was .....	A. Palatable B. Peremptory C. Premeditated D. Revolutionary&nbsp;nbsp;
4	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Diffidence:	A. Acuteness B. Shyness C. Hindrance D. Sharpness E. Boldness
5	Complete Sentence Raheela spoke ..... that it was applauded by all.	A. Well B. As well C. Very well D. So well
6	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Hypocrisy:	A. Busy B. Naive C. Candour D. Aware E. Fraud
7	Complete Sentence The child was so spoiled by his parents that he pouted and become ..... when he did not receive all of their attention.	A. Sullen B. Discreet C. Suspicious D. Elated
8	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Quiescent:	A. Quiet B. Departure C. Turbulent D. Quarterly E. Odorous
9	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Obstreperous:	A. Unruly B. Noise C. Quiet D. Plain E. Thunderous
10	DIET : REGIMEN	A. Teasing : Provocation B. Laughter : Irrepressible C. Appraisal : Army D. Revolutionaries : Intrigue
11	Choose the word/phrase related to given word/phrase PURITY: ADULTERATION	A. Profuse: Availability B. Treachery: Sincerity C. Rare: Scanty D. Slink: Drown
12	Complete Sentence Patriotism, like so many other objects of this imperfect world, is a ..... web of good and evil.	A. Tangled B. Entrapped C. Entangled D. Complicated

Recent advances in science and technology have made it possible for geneticists to find out abnormalities in the unborn fetus and take remedial action to rectify some defects which would otherwise prove to be fatal to the child. Though genetic engineering is still at its infancy, scientists can now predict with greater accuracy a genetic disorder. It is not yet an exact science since they are not in a position to predict when exactly a genetic disorder will set in. While they have not yet been able to change the genetic order of the gene in germs, they are optimistic and are holding out that in the near future they might be successful in achieving this feat. They have, however, acquired the ability in manipulating tissue cells.

A. Technicians will not be able to

13	<p>However, genetic misinformation can sometimes be damaging for it may adversely affect people psychologically. Genetic information may lead to a tendency to brand some people as inferiors. Genetic information can therefore be abused and its application in deciding the sex of the fetus and its subsequent abortion is now hotly debated on ethical lines. But on this issue geneticists cannot be squarely blamed though this charge has often been leveled at them. It is mainly a societal problem. At present genetic engineering is a costly process of detecting disorders but scientists hope to reduce the costs when technology becomes more advanced. This is why much progress in this area has been possible in scientifically advanced and rich countries like the U.S.A., U.K. and Japan. It remains to be seen if in the future this science will lead to the development of a race of supermen or will be able to obliterate disease from this world.</p> <p>Q: Which of the following, according to the author, are the short-comings of genetics in becoming an exact science?</p>	<p>determine the time when genetic disorder will set in  B. Technicians have not been able to manipulate germ cells  C. Both A and B  D. Either A or B</p>
14	<p>Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning  Anemic:</p>	<p>A. Energetic  B. Listless  C. Hazardous  D. Polite  E. Hostile</p>
15	<p>The secret of writing good English is not just memorizing the rules of grammar; actually, it lies in developing the habit of unambiguous thinking and precise expression. Matthew Arnold commented, "Have something to say and say it as clearly as possible." Many of the students in Pakistan have no particular style because they have nothing to say. If any unclear idea they have, they express it vaguely. Perspicuity or lucidity is the prime requisite of an impressive writing style. In order to attain lucidity, we should avoid dangling of ideas, vagueness of expression, redundancy of arguments, and use of bombast words.</p> <p>Q: Which of the following best expression the redundancy of argument?</p>	<p>A. Unplanned and repetitive expression of an idea  B. Ambiguous idea expressed in some writing  C. Unplanned structure of writing  D. Precise writing style</p>
16	<p>Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning  Endemic:</p>	<p>A. Epidemic  B. Ending  C. Hateful  D. Assaulting  E. Lethargic</p>
17	<p>Choose the word/phrase related to given word/phrase  AGENDA: MEETING</p>	<p>A. Programme: Function  B. Performance: Ticket  C. Map: Scale  D. Footnote: Article</p>
18	<p>Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning  Schism:</p>	<p>A. Together  B. Union  C. Scattered  D. Jointly  E. Alliance</p>
19	<p>Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning  Heed:</p>	<p>A. Regard  B. Observe  C. Follow  D. Notice  E. Ignore</p>
20	<p>Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning  Diacritical:</p>	<p>A. Scathing  B. Mordant  C. Critique  D. Ordinary  E. Mordent</p>