

## GAT-A Business and Engineering Verbal

Sr	Questions	Answers Choice
1	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning irk:	A. Annoy B. iota C. Amuse D. Exodus E. irritate
2	After such _____ dinner, we were all quick to _____ Asiya for her delicious cooking.	A. a wonderful - applaud B. a heavy - thank C. a delightful - avoid D. a comprehensive - admire
3	A great deal of discussion continues as to the real extent of global environmental degradation and its implications. What few people challenge however is that the renewable natural resources of developing countries are today subject to 'stresses of unprecedented magnitude. These pressures are brought about, in part, by increased population and the quest for an ever-expanding food supply. Because the health, nutrition, and general well-being of the poor majority are directly dependent on the integrity and productivity of their natural resources, the capability of governments to manage them effectively over the long term becomes of paramount importance. Developing countries are becoming more aware of the ways in which present and future economic development must build upon a sound and sustainable natural resource base. Some are looking at our long tradition in environmental protection and are receptive to US assistance, which recognizes the uniqueness of the social and ecological systems in these tropical countries. Developing countries recognize the need to improve their capability to analyze issues and their own natural resource management. In February 1981, for example AID handed a national Academy of Sciences panel to advise Nepal on their severe natural resource degradation problems. Some countries such as Senegal, India, Indonesia and Thailand, are now including conservation concerns in their economic development planning process. Because so many governments of developing nations have recognized the importance of these issues, the need today is not merely one of raising additional consciousness, but for carefully designed and sharply focused activities aimed at management regimes that are essential to the achievement of sustained development. Q:There has been a pronounced deterior-ation of habitat all over the globe because of	A. <div>Rigorous operation of the Malthusian</div> <div>principle</div> B. <div>Unprecedented urbanization and dislocation of self contained rural</div> <div>communities</div> C. <div>Optimum degree of industrialization in the developing countries</div> D. Large scale deforestation and desertification
4	Progress in a government, science, art, literature, philosophy and religion ----- great civilisations from mere groups of communities.	A. Extol B. Describe C. Distinguish D. Relinquish
5	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Schism:	A. Together B. Union C. Scattered D. Jointly E. Alliance
6	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Levity:	A. Seriousness B. Flippancy C. Hold D. Restriction E. Frivolity
7	Conservative historians who represent a traditional account as _____ because of its age may be guilty of taking on trust what they should have _____ in a conscientious fashion.	A. ancient ... established B. false ... reiterated C. mythical ... fabricated D. accurate ... examined E. suspicious ... challenged
8	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Dexterity:	A. Facility B. Purity C. Clumsiness D. Adroitness E. Familiarity
9	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Resuscitate:	A. Revive B. Exhaust C. Defend D. Examine E. Relaxed
10	His answer was such _____ I expected him to give.	A. That B. Which C. As D. ...

		D. Like which E. Who
11	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Holy:	A. Divine B. Hoary C. Dupe D. Profane E. Sainly
12	ANECDOTE : SHORT STORY	A. Snack : Banquet B. Famine : Feast C. Muddy : River D. Sentence : Fragment
13	Complete Sentence The unruly behaviour of the children ..... their parents.	A. Aggrieved B. Impeached C. Incensed D. Tempered
14	<p>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. 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 is not true of the genetic engineering movement?</p>	A. Possibility of abuse B. It is confronted by ethical problems C. Increased tendency to manipulate gene cells D. Acquired ability to detect genetic disorders in unborn babies
15	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Pejorative:	A. Critical B. Downgraded C. Decorated D. Meliorate E. Militant
16	Some parents make their commands so _____ that they antagonise their children.	A. Perfunctory B. Peremptory C. Acrimonious D. Spasmodic E. Sporadic
17	CLARIFY : CONFUSION	A. Cloud : Thunder B. Wish : Success C. Declare : Bankruptcy D. Mediate : Altercation
18	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Dilettante:	A. Stupid B. Rapid C. Tidy D. Professional E. Sharp
19	Choose the Word Which has Opposite Meaning Effete:	A. Courageous B. Bold C. Strong D. Large E. Weak
20	FANATICISM:	A. delusion B. socialism C. harmonized D. indifference