

**1 Mark Questions**

1. The question below consists of a pair of related words followed by four pairs of words. Select the pair that best expresses the relation in the original pair.

**INTIMATE : CLOSE**

- (a) evanescent : permanency  
(b) articulate : speech  
(c) enclose : parentheses  
(d) obsessed : attracted

2. In the following question, a word is given in bold which precedes four more words. Pick the word from the four options which most nearly opposite in meaning to the bold word.

**POLEMICAL**

- (a) lavish (b) imitative (c) conciliatory (d) attractive

3. Which of the following options is the closest in meaning to the word below:

**DELETERIOUS**

- (a) delaying (b) glorious (c) harmful (d) graduating

4. In the following question one word-part is given with example, followed by four options. Choose the most appropriate word which best describes the usage of the given word-part in a word.

**dis- (Ex. disperse)**

- (a) free, book (b) not, apart (c) before (d) obsession

5. Find the unit's digit in the product  $24647^{117}$  and  $45631^{24647}$

- (a) 9 (b) 7 (c) 3 (d) 1

**2 Mark Questions:**

6. The recent news that local hospitals have had to reroute seriously ill patients because the community's critical-care beds are full is worrisome. Earlier this week, four of the six local hospitals ran out of space for the critically ill and had to turn people away. Federal law requires hospitals to treat anyone who walks in. As a result of having to treat large numbers of uninsured patients, the emergency rooms often become an economic drain on their hospitals. Doctors now want to set up their own free standing ambulatory surgical facilities and diagnostic centers. Critics contend this would leave hospitals with less revenue and the same number of indigents to treat.

A bill was recently introduced to phase out the need for a "certificate of public



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