

BlackRock Placement Papers 2026

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Questions

Q1. [Quantitative] A sum doubles in 5 years at SI. Rate of interest p.a. is: [BlackRock paper]

- A) 20%
- B) 10%
- C) 15%
- D) 25%

Q2. [Quantitative] Difference between CI and SI on ₹10,000 at 10% for 2 years is: [BlackRock paper]

- A) ₹100
- B) ₹200
- C) ₹110
- D) ₹90

Q3. [Reasoning] If CREDIT is written as 3-18-5-4-9-20, how is DEBIT coded? [BlackRock paper]

- A) 4-5-2-9-20
- B) 4-5-2-8-20
- C) 4-6-2-9-20
- D) 5-5-2-9-20

Q4. [Verbal] "Despite the challenges, the project _____ completed on time."

- A) was
- B) were
- C) have been
- D) has been

Q5. [Reasoning] Series: 1, 4, 9, 16, 25, ?

- A) 36
- B) 30
- C) 35
- D) 49

Q6. [Quantitative] HCF of 25 and 5 is:

- A) 5
- B) 25
- C) 7
- D) 8

Q7. [Quantitative] HCF of 7 and 16 is:

- A) 1
- B) 112
- C) 7
- D) 16

Q8. [Reasoning] In a row of 40 students, A is 11th from left and B is 31st from right. How many between A and B?

- A) 0
- B) 1
- C) 2
- D) Cannot say

Q9. [Quantitative] A number is increased by 5% and then decreased by 5%. Net % change?

- A) 0.25% decrease
- B) No change
- C) 5% decrease
- D) 10% decrease

Q10. [Reasoning] In a row of 50 students, A is 15th from the left. Rank from the right is:

- A) 29
- B) 236
- C) 36
- D) 43

Q11. [Quantitative] HCF of 14 and 23 is:

- A) 1
- B) 322
- C) 14
- D) 23

Q12. [Verbal] The committee _____ divided on the issue.

- A) is
- B) Not clear
- C) All of these
- D) None of these

Q13. [Verbal] If I _____ you, I would accept the offer.

- A) were
- B) was
- C) am
- D) be

Q14. [Reasoning] Next in series: 1, 4, 9, 16, 25, ?

- A) 36
- B) 38
- C) 33
- D) 50

Q15. [Verbal] Problem: Arrange the sentences: 1. Therefore, regular exercise is essential 2. Physical activity improves mental health 3. Studies show that exercise reduces stress 4. It also enhances cognitive function

- A) -197 2, 4, 1
- B) 2 2, 4, 1
- C) 203 2, 4, 1
- D) 3, 2, 4, 1

Answer Key & Explanations

Q1. A

$I = P$ in 5 yrs ! $R = 20\%$.

Q2. A

CI" $SI = P(R/100)^2 = 100$.

Q3. A

Positional alphabet codes.

Q4. A

"Project" is singular, past tense, so "was" is correct.

Q5. A

Perfect squares ! 36.

Q6. A

$\gcd(25,5)=5$.

Q7. A

$\gcd(7,16)=1$.

Q8. A

B from left = 40" $31+1 = 10$ th. A is 11th. They are adjacent ! 0 between.

Q9. A

$(1+5/100)(1-5/100)-1 = -0.25\%$.

Q10. C

From right = $50-15+1 = 36$.

Q11. A

$\gcd(14,23)=1$.

Q12. A

Committee as unit ! singular (also accepted are in BrE; use is).

Q13. A

Correct form: were.

Q14. A

squares

Q15. D

Logical order: 3 (evidence) ! 2 (benefit) ! 4 (additional benefit) ! 1 (conclusion)