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Ex 82

**Directions: Please read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow:**

The impact of artificial intelligence and robotics on employment opportunities have always been a topic of much speculation. When it comes to \_\_\_ (A) \_\_\_ and manipulating data, processing complex mathematical problems, and executing tasks in the \_\_\_ (B) \_\_\_, AI and robotics are the most preferred choice. As a result, AI has penetrated almost every industry, from construction, transport, and manufacturing to business intelligence, education, and healthcare. It is, therefore, not surprising that many Silicon Valley figures, including Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg, believe that not only can artificial intelligence support and enhance existing jobs, but it can also create new roles.

A report generated by Gartner suggests that by 2020, AI would \_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_ an estimated 2.3 million jobs. This figure was calculated by taking into account the 1.8 million jobs made simpler by automation. However, like any other \_\_\_ (D) \_\_\_, when it comes to domain skills, AI and robotics also require dedicated training courses. This has spurred the need \_\_\_ (E) \_\_\_ artificial intelligence courses, thus preparing professionals for a new wave of change brought about by innovations in robotics and artificial intelligence.

The AI and robotics sector never fail to \_\_\_ (F) \_\_\_ people with innovations. Tasks that used to be considered extremely complex until previously have now been rendered simple, thus giving professionals a broader space to focus on other tasks. In addition to this, the proliferation of AI techniques has yet another \_\_\_ (G) \_\_\_; as the number of AI and robotics devices increase, so will the need for job roles to support and maintain their functioning.

As a result, there will be a demand for professionals who \_\_\_ (H) \_\_\_ robotics and AI at every stage of the development cycle. This amounts to at least a two-thirds increase in the current job scenario.

**1. Which of the following fits in the blank labelled(A)?**

- A. Organising      B. Adjusting      C. Rejecting      D. Replacing      E. None of the above

**2. Which of the following fits in the blank labelled(B)?**

- A. Far cry      B. Blink of an eye      C. Caught between two stools  
D. Heat of a moment      E. None of the above

**3. Which of the following fits in the blank labelled(C)?**

A. Discover      B. Maintain      C. Generate      D. Implement      E. None of the above

**4. Which of the following fits in the blank labelled(D)?**

A. Equipment      B. Technology      C. Technological      D. Advanced      E. None of the above

**5. Which of the following fits in the blank labelled(E)?**

A. For      B. At      C. In      D. Of      E. None of the above

**6. Which of the following fits the blank labelled(F)?**

A. Impress      B. Involve      C. Demand      D. Supported      E. None of the above

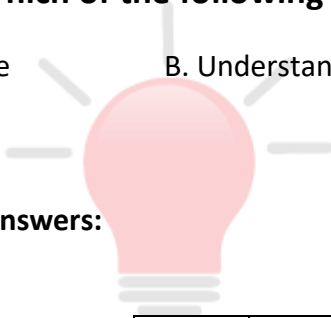
**7. Which of the following fits the blank labelled (G)?**

A. Benefit      B. Bane      C. Explore      D. Amount      E. None of the above

**8. Which of the following fits blank labelled(H)?**

A. Receive      B. Understand      C. Consider      D. Simple      E. None of the above

**Correct Answers:**



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<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>
A	B	C	B	A	A	A	B



**Explanations:**

**1. Refer to :**

Here, the author is talking about the use of AI in the various segments. In the first example, he states when it comes to managing data the AI is preferred. So **Rejecting** is out of context here as it means to dismiss. So it can be eliminated.

**Replacing** means to take or switch place with and as AI is managing data not replacing data, It becomes invalid here.

Of the remaining two option, **Adjust** means to change or alter something to make it more appropriate while **Organise** means to arrange systematically or orderly. Both can be fit in here, but **Organise** makes more sense contextually. As data is organised and manipulated by the AI to make it more suitable and appropriate. So, **Organising** is the correct answer.

Hence, option A is correct.

**2. Refer to:**

It can be inferred here that AI and Robotics help in executing tasks with more speed and efficiency.

**Far cry** means very different from something or someone and is illogical in the context of the passage.

**Caught between two stools** can be eliminated as well, as it means to be in a dilemma.

**Heat of the moment** means to be Overwhelmed by what is happening in the moment which makes no sense in the given context.

**In the blink of an eye** which means very quickly fits the blank perfectly and makes sentence both grammatically and contextually correct. All the other option are out of context.

Clearly, option B is the right choice.

**3. Refer to:**

The author is talking about the role of artificial intelligence in improving current jobs and creating new ones. So it only makes sense that the author will continue to talk about the role of AI in job creation. Furthermore, The sentence talks about a report published by the Gartner that suggested that AI would create about 2.3 million jobs by the end of 2020.

As, **Discover** means to find something unexpectedly or during a search and it is out of context here, as the passage is talking about creating new jobs and not about finding them.

**Maintain** means to provide the necessities for existence and it is illogical and out of context.

**Implement** means to put into effect or to execute but the passage is talking about inventing new jobs which make option d incorrect.

**Generate** is the most appropriate among the giving options, as it means to create something new and the context is about creating new jobs

Hence the option C is correct.

**4. Refer to:**

The phrase 'any other' requires a noun after it. So option c i.e. **Technological** is ruled out as it is an adjective and grammatically incorrect.

On the same ground, **Advanced** is ruled out as it is also an adjective.

Both **Equipment** and **Technology** are nouns and hence grammatically correct, but **Technology** is more contextually correct as it means the branch of knowledge dealing with engineering or applied sciences which fits perfectly with AI and Robotics.

**Equipment** means the necessary items for a particular purpose and it is out of context.

Clearly, **Technology** is the correct answer.

Hence, option B is correct.

**5. Refer to:**

The passage is discussing the requirement of the AI courses to prepare the next wave of professionals. **At**, as a preposition, is used to refer a time or place. Hence, It is ruled out.

**In** is also a preposition which means inside a container, place, or area, or surrounded or closed off by something. Thus it cannot be used here.

**Of** use to show possession or belonging. The passage is talking about the requirement of the AI courses and not their relation to the professionals. So, **Of** can be eliminated.

**For** denotes the purpose of something. In this passage, the purpose of the AI courses is to train professionals who can bring new innovation in the field of AI and Robotics.

Thus, **For** is the correct answer.

Hence, option A is correct.

**6. Refer to:**

The sentence here talking about that AI makes difficult and complex tasks easy and simple. So, **Demand** is illogical and out of context.

**Supported** is grammatically incorrect as '**to**' requires an infinitive.

**Involve** does not make sense in the given context. So, it is ruled out.

**Impress** means to make (someone) feel admiration and respect and it fits perfectly as people are impressed by what AI and Robotics can do.

So, Option A is the correct answer.

**7. Refer to:**

The passage is discussing the advantages and profits of the AI and Robotics.

**Bane** means a cause of distress and annoyance which is opposite of what passage is discussing, So, it is ruled out.

**Explore** is grammatically incorrect as it is a verb and blank requires a noun. Also, It is illogical. Hence it is eliminated as well.

**Amount** can be eliminated as well, as it is contextually incorrect.

**Benefit** means an advantage or profit gained from something and fits the blanks perfectly.

Clearly, option A is the correct answer.

**8. Refer to :**

In the last sentence of the passage, the author talks about the requirement of the professionals in the field of AI and Robotics.

**Receive** means to give something and it is out of context. Hence it is eliminated.

**Consider** means to think about something carefully and **Simple** means plain and basic. They both do not make sense in the context of the passage, as the passage is about the professionals who have the knowledge of AI and Robotics.

**Understand** means to have a knowledge of something which fits perfectly as it makes sense to hire a professional who already has a good knowledge of the AI and Robotics and understands their various development stages and cycles.

Clearly, option B is the correct answer.



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