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# Puzzle test for SBI Clerk Mains, IBPS Clerk Mains, RRB Scale I Pre, SBI PO Pre, IBPS PO Pre, IBPS SO Pre and RRB Scale I Pre Exams.

## PT Set No 5

**Directions :** Read the following information carefully and answer the questions given below.

1. There is a group of five persons - A, B, C, D and E.
2. One of them is a horticulturist, one is a physicist, one is a journalist, one is an industrialist and one is an advocate.
3. Three of them - A, C and advocate prefer tea to coffee and two of them - B and the journalist prefer coffee to tea.
4. The industrialist, D and A are friends to one another but two of them prefer coffee to tea.
5. The horticulturist is C's brother.

**1. Who is the horticulturist?**

- A. A                      B. B                      C. C                      D. D                      E. E

**2. Who is the industrialist?**

- A. E                      B. C                      C. B                      D. A                      E. D

**3. Which of the following groups includes a person who likes tea but is not an advocate?**

- A. AC                      B. DE                      C. BCE                      D. BD                      E. None of these

**4. Who is a physicist?**

- A. A                      B. E                      C. D                      D. C                      E. B

**5. Which of the statements given above is superfluous/unnecessary?**

- A. Statement No 3    B. Statement No 4    C. Statement No 2    D. Statement No 5    E. None of these

**Correct Answers:**

<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
A	C	A	D	E



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## Common explanation :

### Reference:

Three of them - A, C and advocate prefer tea to coffee and two of them - B and the journalist prefer coffee to tea.

The industrialist, D and A are friends to one another but two of them prefer coffee to tea.

### Inference:

Clearly, from the above reference we can see that out of industrialist, D & A two of them prefer coffee.

Also, we know from reference I, that A prefers Tea.

Thus, D & industrialist, which must be B prefer coffee.

Since, three of them like Tea, E must prefer Tea.

A		Tea
B	industrialist	Coffee
C		Tea
D	Journalist	Coffee
E	Advocate	Tea

### Reference:

The horticulturist is C's brother.

### Inference:

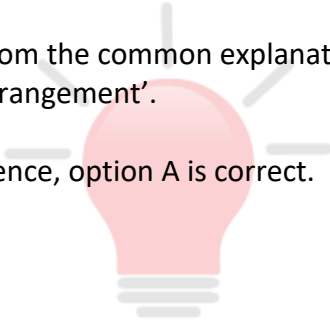
Since, horticulturist is C's brother A must be horticulturist and C will be physicist.

we can draw final arrangement as below.

A	Horticulturist	T
B	industrialist	C
C	Physicist	T
D	Journalist	C
E	Advocate	T

## Answers:

1. From the common explanation 'it is clear that A is Horticulturist'  
Hence, option A is correct.
2. From the common explanation, 'it is clear that B is industrialist'.  
Hence, option B is correct.
3. From the common explanation, 'it is clear that A and C likes Tea but are not Advocate'.  
Hence, option A is correct.
4. From the common explanation, 'C is Physicist'  
Hence, option A is correct..
5. From the common explanation, 'it is clear that we need all statement to come to the final arrangement'.  
Hence, option A is correct.



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