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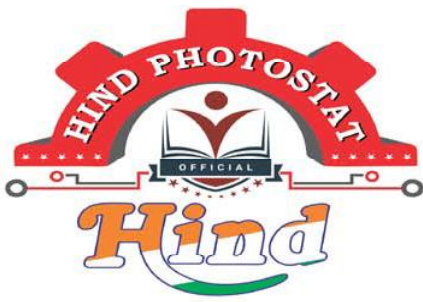
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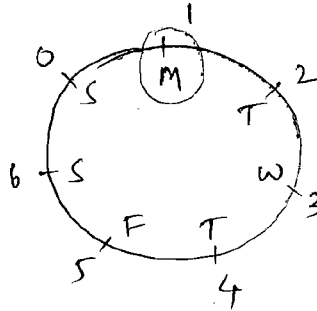
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Pure Aptitude

→ Calender :-

→ Gregorian Calender ; In which 1st Jan 001 was assumed as Monday



Odd days :

→ It is defined as remainder when no. of days is divided by seven.

$$\text{Remainder} = \left(\frac{\text{Total days}}{7} \right)$$

<u>Month</u>	<u>No. of ^{odd} days</u>
Jan →	3
Feb →	0
Mar →	3
Apr →	2
May →	3
June →	2
July →	3
Aug →	3
Sep →	2
Oct →	3
Nov →	2
Dec →	3

→ In one - Non leap year ⇒ No. of odd days = $\frac{365}{7} \approx \text{Remainder} = 1$

→ In Leap-year ⇒ No. of odd days = $\frac{366}{7} \approx \text{Remainder} = 2$

→ Leap year $\hat{=}$ When year is completely divisible by 4.

$$\frac{\text{Year}}{4} \approx \text{Remainder} = 0$$

But above concept is not applicable in case of Century years (i.e., 100, 200, 300, 400, ...)

→ Hence Century year will be a Leap year only when it is divisible by 400.

$$\text{i.e., } \frac{\text{Century Year}}{400} \approx \text{Rem. is } 0.$$

Ex:

1996 $\hat{=}$ Leap year (\because It is divisible by 4).

1900 $\approx \frac{1900}{400} \neq$ Leap year (\because Not divisible by 400)

2000 $\approx \frac{2000}{400} =$ Leap year (\because Divisible by 400).

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \text{No. of odd days in 100 years} &= \frac{76 \text{ years} \& 24 \text{ Leap years}}{7} \\ &= \frac{76 \times 1 + 24 \times 2}{7} \\ &= \frac{124}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } \underline{5} \text{ (leap)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{No. of odd days in 200 years} = \frac{2 \times 5}{7} = \frac{10}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } \underline{3} \text{ (leap)}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{No. of odd days in 300 years} = \frac{3 \times 5}{7} = \frac{15}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } \underline{1} \text{ (leap)}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{No. of odd days in 400 years} = \frac{4 \times 5 + 1}{7} = \frac{21}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } \underline{0}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{No. of odd days in 1600 years} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \text{No. of odd days in 2000 years} = 0.$$

Note:

) In one Non-leap year No. of odd days = 1

$$\therefore \frac{365}{7} = \text{Rem. is } 1.$$

$$\therefore 1^{\text{st}} \text{ Jan} \approx 1 \approx \text{M}$$

$$\therefore 31^{\text{st}} \text{ Dec} \approx 1 \approx \text{M}.$$

→ Hence, 1st and last day of any Non-leap year is always same

→ Hence (1st Jan 001, 1st Jan 401, 1st Jan 801, 1st Jan 1201, 1st Jan 1601, 1st Jan 2001) are all "Mondays".

Q: The Calendar for 2007 will be same for the calendar of the year?

- a) 2015 b) 2016 c) 2017 d) 2018

Sol:

2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
					?						
odd days → 1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	
										$\frac{14}{7} \approx \text{Rem. } 0$	

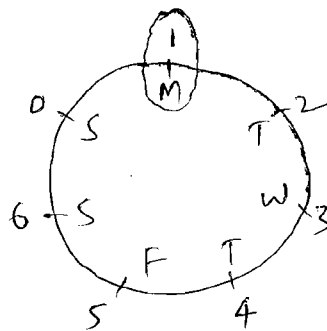
Q: Last day of the century years cannot be —?

- Sol:
- 100 → odd days = 5 (Fri)
 - 200 → odd days = 3 (Wed)
 - 300 → odd days = 1 (Mon)
 - 400 → odd days = 0 (Sun)

∴ Hence last day of the century years can't be Tue, Thur, Sat.

⇒ Questions based on Type - I : (when reference point is given) :-

In such situations we follow Gregorian calendar



Q: Which days of the week will fall on —?

a) 15 Aug 1947 b) 15 Sep 1995 c) 5 May 2007

Solⁿ

a) In 1600 yrs \rightarrow No. of odd days = 0

In 300 yrs \rightarrow No. of odd days = 1

In 46 yrs \rightarrow No. of odd days = $\frac{11 \text{ Lp. Yrs} + 35 \text{ Yrs}}{7}$

$$= \frac{11 \times 2 + 35 \times 1}{7} = \frac{57}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } 1$$

In, Jan No. of odd days = 3

Feb \rightarrow = 0

Mar \rightarrow = 3

Apr \rightarrow = 2

May \rightarrow = 3

June \rightarrow = 2

July \rightarrow = 3

Remaining, Aug \rightarrow $\frac{15}{7} \approx$ Rem. is 1

\therefore Total odd days = $\frac{19}{7} \approx$ Rem. is 5 \Rightarrow Friday.

b) In 1900 yrs \rightarrow No. of odd days = 1

In 94 yrs \rightarrow No. of odd days = $\frac{23 \text{ Lp. years} + 71 \text{ Yrs}}{7}$

$$= \frac{23 \times 2 + 71 \times 1}{7}$$

$$= \text{Rem. is } 5 \Rightarrow$$

In Jan No. of odd days = 3

Feb \rightarrow = 0

July \rightarrow = 3

Aug. ----- $\rightarrow 3$

Remaining Sep. ----- $\rightarrow \frac{15}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } (1)$

\therefore Total odd days = $\frac{26}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } (5) \Rightarrow \text{Friday}$

c) In 2000 yrs \rightarrow No. of odd days = (0)

In 6 yrs \rightarrow No. of odd days = $\frac{1 \text{ Lp yr} + 5 \text{ yr}}{7}$

= $\frac{2+5}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } (0)$

In Jan No. of odd days = 3

Feb ----- $\rightarrow = 0$

Mar ----- $\rightarrow = 3$

Apr ----- $\rightarrow = 2$

Remaining, May. ----- $\rightarrow = (5)$

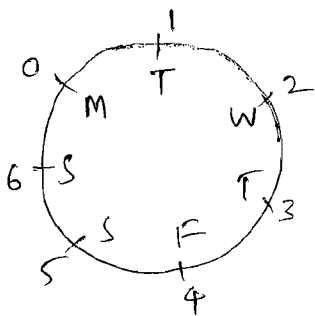
\therefore Total odd days = $\frac{13}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } (6) \Rightarrow \text{Saturday}$.

\Rightarrow Questions based on Type-II \div (When reference point is given) \div

(Don't follow Gregorian calendar).

Q: If 10th April 2007 was Tuesday, then what day of the week will fall on 25th December 2010?

Sol: Let us assume that, 10th April 2007 \approx 1st day $\approx (1) \approx \text{Tuesday}$



\rightarrow From 10th April 2007 to 9th April 2010, No. of yrs = (3)

So, no. of odd day = $1 \text{ Lp yr} + 2 \text{ yrs} = (4)$

∴ Remaining, April No. of odd days = $\frac{21}{7} = \text{Remainder is } 0$

May ----- → 3

June ----- → 2

July ----- → 3

Aug. ----- → 3

Sep. ----- → 2

Oct. ----- → 3

Nov ----- → 2

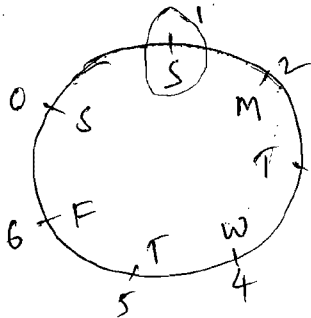
Remaining, Dec ----- → $\frac{25}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } 4$

∴ Total odd days = $\frac{26}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } 5 \Rightarrow \text{Saturday}$.

Q: If CAT is always held on 3rd Sunday of November and in the year 2007 it was held on 18th Nov. then on which date will it be held in 2009?

Sol: (This is Type-II question).

Let us assume that, 18th Nov. 2007 as 1st day $\approx 1 \approx \text{Sunday}$



∴ From 18th Nov. 2007 to 17th Nov. 2009, No. of yrs = 2

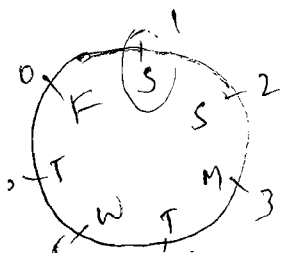
→ No. of odd days = $4 \text{ yrs} + \text{yrs} = 2 + 1 = 3 \approx \text{Tuesday}$

i.e., 12th Nov. 2009 is Tuesday

i.e., 15th Nov. → 3rd Sunday

Q: If 12th Jan. year 1450 is Saturday, then which day of the week is 27th Jan year 1750?

Sol: Let us assume that, 12th Jan 1450 $\approx 1^{\text{st}} \text{ day} \approx 1 = \text{Sat}$



From 12th Jan 1450 to 11th Jan 1750 → No. of yrs = 300 yrs

No. of odd day in these 300 yrs = $1 + 1 \rightarrow (\text{for yr } 1600) = 2$

→ Remaining, Jan. ----- → No. of odd day = $\frac{16}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } 2$

∴ Total odd days = 4 ⇒ Tuesday.

Q: If 10th April 2007 was Tuesday, then which day of the week would be 2nd Oct 2002?

Sol: Instead of going back we should move forward to maintain same strategy.

10th April 2007 Tuesday, 2nd Oct 2002?

Let us assume that 2nd Oct 2002 as 1st days = 1 = ?

→ From 2nd Oct 2002 to 1st Oct 2006, No. of yrs = 4

$$\therefore \text{No. of odd days} = \frac{1 \text{ Lp. yr} + 3 \text{ Yrs}}{7} \approx \frac{1 \times 2 + 3 \times 1}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } 5$$

→ Remaining; Oct → No. of odd days = $\frac{30}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } 2$

Nov ----- → = 2

Dec ----- → = 3

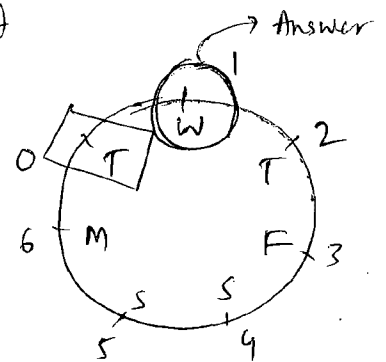
Jan ----- → = 3

Feb ----- → = 0

Mar ----- → = 3

Remaining, April ----- → = $\frac{10}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } 3$

∴ Total odd days = $\frac{21}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } 0 \approx \text{Tuesday (given)}$

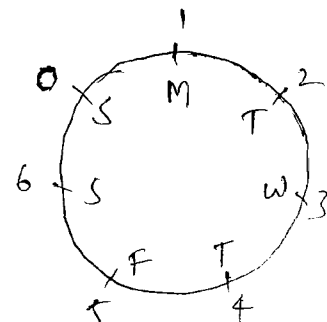


Q: A workman starts his work on Monday & work for 8 days & takes 9th day as his holiday, then his twelfth (12th) holiday will fall on?

Sol: Workman works 8 days & 9th day is Holiday, then his cycle is of 9 days for 12th Holiday he should complete 12 cycles.

$$\therefore \text{Total days} = 12 \times 9 = 108 \text{ days}$$

i.e, 108th day is his 12th Holiday



∴ Total odd day = $\frac{108}{7} \approx \text{Rem. is } 3 \Rightarrow \text{Wednesday}$

2. Circular Motion

→ Time taken to meet/catch = $\frac{\text{Track length}}{\text{Relative speed } (S_1 \pm S_2)}$

Note :-

→ if they are moving in a same direction, relative speed = $S_1 - S_2$

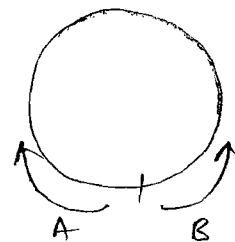
" " " " opposite direction, relative speed = $S_1 + S_2$

Case(i) :-

→ if they are moving in opposite direction :-

On meeting for the first time they have together run one complete track length

i.e. Sum of the distances run by them till their first meeting = 1 track length



Case(ii) :-

→ if they are moving in same direction :-

On meeting for the first time faster Athlete has to run one complete track length more than the slower one.

i.e. Difference of the distances run by them so far = One complete track length

∴ Three Athletes A, B & C are running on a circular track of length 1200m with speeds 30, 50 & 80 m/sec. A is running clockwise, B & C are running ⁱⁿ Anti-clockwise direction?

1) Find the time after which A & B meet for 1st time?

Sol: A & B meet for 1st time,

$$\text{Time} = \frac{\text{Track length}}{\text{Relative speed}} = \frac{1200}{30+50} = 15 \text{ Sec}$$

