Baseline Questionnaire

Primary School Students Standard 5, 6, 7, 8

ID	
School	
Standard	
Class	
Your Name	
Village Name You Live In	

Section I: Demographics

Directions: Please fill in the blanks with your answers or circle the most appropriate number to each question.

Q101. **Please give the basic information about your family**

	a. Relationship	b. Name		c. Sex		d. Age 96=Died 99=Don't know	e. Living Status	f. Highest education	h. Stan-dard/ Form
		First name	Surname				Live together?	Highest level of school completed 1=No education 2=Primary 3=Secondary 4=Technical/Vocational 5=College 6= University 7=Graduate school 99= don't know	
1	Father			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
2	Mother			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
3	Me			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
4	Grandfather			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
5	Grandmother			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
6	Sibling 1			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
7	Sibling 2			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
8	Sibling 3			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
9	Sibling 4			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
10	Sibling 5			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
11	Sibling 6			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
12	Sibling 7			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
13	Sibling 8			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	
14	Sibling 9			M	F		1=Yes 2=No	____ , Name:	

Q102. Who is the head of your household?

1) Father 2) Mother 3) Grandfather 4) Grandmother

5) Others Relationship: _____ Name: _____

Q103. What is your parents' cell phone number?

a. Household Head	
b. Father	Leave it blank if your father is the household head
c. Mother	Leave it blank if your mother is the household head

Q104. What is your date of birth? (Record 99 if you do not know)

Day		Month		Year			

Q105. What is your ethnic group?

1) Chewas 2) Lomwe 3) Yao 4) Ngoni

5) Tumbuka 6) Others (Specify) _____

Q106. What language do you speak at home most of the time?

1) Chichewa 2) Tumbuka 3) Yao 4) English 5) Others (Specify)_____

Q107. What is your religion?

1) Catholic 2) CCAP 3) Muslim 4) Seventh day advent/ Baptist

5) Anglican 6) Other Christian 7) No religion 8) Others, specify _____

Q108. What is the name of the church/temple you go to? _____

Q109. What is your parents' main job? (Circle that apply)	Father	Mother
1) Housewife	1	1
2) Farmer	2	2
3) Laborer	3	3
4) Clerical and sales	4	4
5) Government officer	5	5
6) Professional/managerial	6	6
7) Self-employed	7	7
8) Others, specify: [ ]	8	8
9) N/A (Passed away)	9	9

Q110. Whom do you live with currently?

1) Both Parents	2) With father only	3) With mother only
4) Without both parents, with grandparents	5) Without both parents, with other relatives	6) Alone
7) Others, specify		

Q111. What is the living status with your **father**? What happened?

1) Living together 2) Not together, passed away 3) Not together, divorced

4) Not together, away for a job in different place 5) Others, specify _____

Q112. What is the living status with your **mother**? What happened?

1) Living together 2) Not together, passed away 3) Not together, divorced

4) Not together, away for a job in different place 5) Others, specify _____

Q113. Last week, did your family members give you your own money to spend? Amount _____MK

Q114. Last week, did your family members help you with studies? Number of times _____

Q115. Last week, did your family members ask you to study? Number of times _____

Q116. Please answer the following questions.		Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly agree	N/A
1	I am in a good relationship with my father	1	2	3	4	5	6
2	I am in a good relationship with my mother	1	2	3	4	5	6
3	My father encourages me to study hard	1	2	3	4	5	6
4	My mother encourages me to study hard	1	2	3	4	5	6

Q117. Last year, did you parents give you an award such as cash or foods based on your school performance?

1) Yes., What is an award? Specify _____ 2) No 3) N/A

Section II: Education

Directions: Please fill in the blanks with your answers or circle the most appropriate number.

Q201. How long does it take for you to get home from your school? _____Hours _____ minutes

Q202. How do you get to your school usually?

1) Walk 2) Bicycle 3) Animal(Donkey, horse)

4) Motorcycle 5) Public transportation 6) Car

7) Others, specify 8) Ox cart 9) Others, specify _____

Q203. How old were you when you started primary school? _____ Years old

Q204. Have you ever repeated a grade?

1) No, never 2) Yes, once 3) Yes, twice or more

Q205. How many days of school did you miss in the past 3 months? (Do not include holidays)

_____ Days (If 0, go to Q207)

Q206. What was the reason for your absence?

1) I was sick 2) I had to help my parents 3) I had to work for money

4) I could not pay for school 5) I had to take care of the family

6) Others, specify _____

Q207. Do you have your own table (or desk) and chair when you study at school?

1) Never 2) Sometimes 3) Always

Q208. Do you have textbooks of these subjects?

1) Mathematics 0=No 1=Yes 2) Primary science 0=No 1=Yes

3) English 0=No 1=Yes 4) Social studies 0=No 1=Yes

5) Chichewa 0=No 1=Yes

Q209. For subjects that you don't have textbooks, how do you study these subjects?

1) I don't study 2) I borrow the books from school library

3) I borrow the books from family 4) I borrow the books from friends

Q210. Do you have stationary (pencil, pen, erase, notes, etc)?

1) Notebook 0=No 1=Yes 2) Pen/Pencil 0=No 1=Yes 3) Eraser 0=No 1=Yes

Q211. What is **the highest level** of education you **expect** to complete?

1) Primary school 2) Secondary school 3) Technical/vocational

4) College/university 5) Graduate school 99) Don't know

Q212. What is **the highest level** of education you **hope** to complete?

1) Primary school 2) Secondary school 3) Technical/vocational

4) College/university 5) Graduate school 99) Don't know

Q213-215. Please answer these questions	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither disagree nor agree	Agree	Strongly agree
Q213. It is important for me to get a good education	1	2	3	4	5
Q214. I am motivated to study hard	1	2	3	4	5
Q215. I like to come to school	1	2	3	4	5

Q216. What is your school performance in your class?

		Very bad (0-20%)	Bad (21-40%)	Moderate (41-60%)	Good (61-80%)	Very Good (81-100%)
a.	Math	1	2	3	4	5
b	Chichewa	1	2	3	4	5
c.	English	1	2	3	4	5
d.	Primary science	1	2	3	4	5
e..	Social studies	1	2	3	4	5
f	Arts and life skills	1	2	3	4	5
g	Overall	1	2	3	4	5

Q217. Do you study after class? (either at home or school)

1) No, not at all (go to Q220)
2) Rarely, less than once a month
3) Once or twice a month
4) Once a week
5) 2~3 times a week
6) 4 or more times a week

Q218. When you study (if your answer is 2~6 in Q217), how many hours on average do you study?

1) Less than 30 minutes
2) 30 minutes ~ 1 hour
3) 1 hour ~ 2 hours
4) 2 hours ~ 3 hours
5) More than 3 hours

Q219. When you study (if your answer is 2~6 in Q217), where do you usually study?

1) Home
2) School
3) Education center
4) Church
5) Others, specify

Q220. How often do you come to school without finishing the assignment or homework?

1) Never
2) Sometimes
3) Often
4) Usually
5) Always

Section III: General Health: Please fill in the blanks with your answers

Q301. How many meals did you have yesterday? _____ Meals

Q302. How would you rate your health?

1) Very good
2) Good
3) Moderate
4) Bad
5) Very bad

Q303. How often have you been sick during the last 12 months?

1) Never (go to Q401)
2) Less than once a month
3) More than once a month
99) Don't know

Q304. What is the last disease you had? Please circle one.

1) Malaria
2) Flu/Cold/Upper respiratory tract infection
3) Eye disease
4) Skin problems/Rash
5) Accident, injury or animal bites
6) Diarrhea
7) Asthma
8) Others, specify _____

Section IV: Participation in Labor: Please circle appropriate number to each question.

Q401. Have you engaged in any income generating activity in the last 30 days?

0= No 1= Yes

If the answer is 0= No, skip to Section V., if the answer is 1= Yes, proceed to Q402

Q402. If yes, what was your source of income in the last 30 days?

1) Farming 2) Domestic worker/ cleaner 3) Daily labor
4) Petty trader 5) Dressmaking/hairdresser 6) Waitress/Barmaid
7) Small scale food product 8) Making alcoholic drink 9) Salesperson
10) Others, specify _____

Q403. How many days a week on average have you worked in the last 30 days? _____ Days

Q404. How many hours on average have you worked on your working day? _____ Hours

Section V: Household Assets

Q501. What is the main source of drinking water for members of your household?

1) Pipe water 2) Borehole 3) Well 4) Surface water 5) Bottled water

Q502. What kind of toilet facilities does your household have?

1) Flush toilet 2) Improved toilet 3) Traditional pit toilet 4) No facility/Bush/Field
5) Others(Specify) _____

Q503. Does your household have….?

a. Electricity	0= No	1= Yes	f. Cellular phone	0= No	1= Yes
b. Battery lamp	0= No	1= Yes	g. Bed with mattress	0= No	1= Yes
c. Paraffin lamp	0= No	1= Yes	h. Sofa set	0= No	1= Yes
d. Radio	0= No	1= Yes	i. Table and chair	0= No	1= Yes
e. TV	0= No	1= Yes	j. Refrigerator	0= No	1= Yes

Q504. How many rooms are there in total at your household? _____

Q505. How many of the following livestock does your household have?

a. Cow	( )	f. Sheep	( )
b. Horse/Donkey	( )	g. Goat	( )
c. Pig	( )	h. Guinea fowls	( )
d. Chicken/Duck	( )	i. Pigeons	( )

Q506. Does any member of your household own.....?

a. A bicycle	0=No	1=Yes	c. A car or truck	0=No 1=Yes
b. A motorcycle or scooter	0=No	1=Yes	d. An ox cart	0=No 1=Yes

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Section VI: Friend network: Please fill in the blanks with relevant information. Do NOT fill in the ID code, since the enumerators will finish that column.

Q601. List up your best friends **within class**? (Do **NOT** write in ID code column)

Record your friend as many as you can, but you have to record **at least 3** of your friends.

a.ID code	b.Friends	c.Name	d.Gender		e.How long do you study with him/her per day? 0=Within 1 hour 1=1-2 hours 2=2-3 hours 3=More than 3 hours	f. How long do you play with him/her per day? 0=Within 1 hour 1=1-2 hours 2=2-3 hours 3=More than 3 hours
	First best Friend		M	F	0 1 2 3	0 1 2 3
	Second best Friend		M	F	0 1 2 3	0 1 2 3
	Third best Friend		M	F	0 1 2 3	0 1 2 3
	Fourth best Friend		M	F	0 1 2 3	0 1 2 3
	Fifth best Friend		M	F	0 1 2 3	0 1 2 3
	Sixth best Friend		M	F	0 1 2 3	0 1 2 3
	Seventh best Friend		M	F	0 1 2 3	0 1 2 3
	Eighth best Friend		M	F	0 1 2 3	0 1 2 3
	Ninth best Friend		M	F	0 1 2 3	0 1 2 3
	Tenth best Friend		M	F	0 1 2 3	0 1 2 3

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Section VII: Learning and Motivation: Please circle the appropriate number to the question.

Q701 - Q704. How much do you think average workers will be paid per month if one graduates from…

	Q701. Not graduating primary school	**Q702. Primary school graduation**	**Q703. Secondary school graduation**	**Q704. College**
Less than 10,000	1	1	1	1
10,000-20,000	2	2	2	2
20,000-30,000	3	3	3	3
30,000-40,000	4	4	4	4
40,000-50,000	5	5	5	5
50,000-60,000	6	6	6	6
60,000-70,000	7	7	7	7
70,000-80,000	8	8	8	8
80,000-90,000	9	9	9	9
90,000-100,000	10	10	10	10
100,000-110,000	11	11	11	11
110,000-120,000	12	12	12	12
120,000-130,000	13	13	13	13
130,000-140,000	14	14	14	14
140,000-150,000	15	15	15	15
150,000-160,000	16	16	16	16
160,000-170,000	17	17	17	17
170,000-180,000	18	18	18	18
180,000-190,000	19	19	19	19
190,000-200,000	20	20	20	20
More than 200,000	21	21	21	21

Q705-Q748. Rate the following items based on your behavior in this class	Rating should be on a 7-point scale **1= not at all true of me, 7=very true of me** .						
Q705. I prefer class work that is challenging so I can learn new things.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q706. Compared with other students in this class I expect to do well	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q707. I am so nervous during a test that I cannot remember facts I have learned	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q708. It is important for me to learn what is being taught in this class	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q709. I like what I am learning in this class	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q710. I'm certain I can understand the ideas taught in this course	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q711. I think I will be able to use what I learn in this class in other classes	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q712. I expect to do very well in this class	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q713. Compared with others in this class, I think I'm a good student	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Q714.	I often choose paper topics I will learn something from even if they require more work.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q715.	I am sure I can do an excellent job on the problems and tasks assigned for this class	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q716.	I have an uneasy, upset feeling when I take a test.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q717.	I think I will receive a good grade in this class	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q718.	Even when I do poorly on a test I try to learn from my mistakes	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q719.	I think that what I am learning in this class is useful for me to know	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q720.	My study skills are excellent compared with others in this class	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q721.	I think that what we are learning in this class is interesting	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q722.	Compared with other students in this class I think I know a great deal about the subject	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q723.	I know that I will be able to learn the material for this class	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q724.	I worry a great deal about tests	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q725.	Understanding this subject is important to me	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q726.	When I take a test I think about how poorly I am doing	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q727.	When I study for a test, I try to put together the information from class and from the book	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q728.	When I do homework, I try to remember what the teacher said in class so I can answer the questions correctly	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q729.	I ask myself questions to make sure I know the material I have been studying	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q730.	It is hard for me to decide what the main ideas are in what I read	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q731.	When work is hard I either give up or study only the easy parts	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q732.	When I study I put important ideas into my own words	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q733.	I always try to understand what the teacher is saying even if it doesn't make sense.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q734.	When I study for a test I try to remember as many facts as I can	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q735.	When studying, I copy my notes over to help me remember material	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q736.	I work on practice exercises and answer end of chapter questions even when I don't have to	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q737.	Even when study materials are dull and uninteresting, I keep working until I finish	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q738.	When I study for a test I practice saying the important facts over and over to myself	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q739.	Before I begin studying I think about the things I will need to do to learn	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q740.	I use what I have learned from old homework assignments and the textbook to do new assignments	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q741.	I often find that I have been reading for class but don't know what it is all about.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q742.	I find that when the teacher is talking I think of other things and don't really listen to what is being said.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Q743.	When I am studying a topic, I try to make everything fit together	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q744.	When I'm reading I stop once in a while and go over what I have read	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q745.	When I read materials for this class, I say the words over and over to myself to help me remember	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q746.	I outline the chapters in my book to help me study	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q747.	I work hard to get a good grade even when I don't like a class	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Q748.	When reading I try to connect the things I am reading about with what I already know.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

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Section VIII: Students' perception of teachers

Direction: In this section, you are going to evaluate your teachers based on their experience. Circle the most appropriate number in the option.

1= Totally untrue	**4= Mostly true**
2= Mostly untrue	**5= Totally true**
3= Somewhat untrue	

Part A						
Q801.	I like the way my teacher treats me when I need help.	1	2	3	4	5
Q802.	My teacher is nice to me when I ask questions.	1	2	3	4	5
Q803.	My teacher in this class makes me feel that s/he really cares about me.	1	2	3	4	5
Part B						
Q804.	In this class, we learn a lot almost everyday	1	2	3	4	5
Q805.	My teacher pushes everybody to work hard.	1	2	3	4	5
Q806.	In our class, it is okay to stop trying.	1	2	3	4	5
Part C						
Q807.	My classmates behave the way my teacher wants them to.	1	2	3	4	5
Q808.	Everybody knows what they should be doing and learning in this class.	1	2	3	4	5
Q809.	Our class stays busy and does not waste time.	1	2	3	4	5
Part D						
Q810.	My teacher checks to make sure we understand what s/he is teaching us.	1	2	3	4	5
Q811.	When s/he is teaching us, my teacher asks us whether we understand.	1	2	3	4	5
Q812.	My teacher knows when the class understands, and when we do not.	1	2	3	4	5
Part E						
Q813.	We have interesting homework.	1	2	3	4	5
Q814.	School work is interesting.	1	2	3	4	5
Q815.	I like the ways we learn things in this class	1	2	3	4	5

Part F						
Q816.	My teacher wants us to share our thoughts	1	2	3	4	5
Q817.	In this class, we get to make enough choices	1	2	3	4	5
Q818.	Students speak up and share their ideas about class work.	1	2	3	4	5
Part G						
Q819.	My teacher takes the time to summarize what we learn each day.	1	2	3	4	5
Q820.	My teacher takes time to help us remember what we learn.	1	2	3	4	5
Q821.	To help us remember, my teacher talks about things that we already learned	1	2	3	4	5

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Section IX: Non-Cognitive test

Direction: Here are a number of statements that may or may not apply to you. For the most accurate score, when responding, think of how you compare to most people -- not just the people you know well, but most people in the world. There is no right or wrong answer, so just answer honestly! For the following statements, please indicate how often you did the following during the past school year.

1= Strongly disagree **2= Disagree**	**3= Agree** **4= Strongly agree**	**1**	**2**	**3**	**4**
Q901.	On the whole, I am satisfied with myself	1	2	3	4
Q902.	At times I think I am no good at all	1	2	3	4
Q903.	I feel that I have a number of good qualities	1	2	3	4
Q904.	I am able to do things as well as most other people.	1	2	3	4
Q905.	I feel I do not have much to be proud of.	1	2	3	4
Q906.	I certainly feel useless at times.	1	2	3	4
Q907.	I feel that I'm a person of worth, at least on an equal plane with others.	1	2	3	4
Q908.	I wish I could have more respect for myself.	1	2	3	4
Q909.	All in all, I am inclined to feel that I am a failure.	1	2	3	4
Q910.	I take a positive attitude toward myself.	1	2	3	4

1= Not like me at all **2= Not much like me** **3= Somewhat like me**	**4= Mostly like me** **5= Very much like me**	**1**	**2**	**3**	**4**	**5**
Q911.	New ideas and projects sometimes distract me from previous ones.	1	2	3	4	5
Q912.	Setbacks don't discourage me.	1	2	3	4	5
Q913.	I have been obsessed with a certain idea or project for a short time but later lost interest.	1	2	3	4	5

Q914. I am a hard worker	1	2	3	4	5
Q915. I often set a goal but later choose to pursue a different one.	1	2	3	4	5
Q916. I have difficulty maintaining my focus on projects that take more than a few months to complete	1	2	3	4	5
Q917. I finish whatever I begin.	1	2	3	4	5
Q918. I am diligent	1	2	3	4	5

I see Myself as Someone Who...

1=Disagree strongly **4= Agree a little**

2=Disagree a little **5= Agree strongly**

3=Neither agree nor disagree

	1	**2**	**3**	**4**	**5**
Q919. Does a thorough job	1	2	3	4	5
Q920. Can be somewhat careless	1	2	3	4	5
Q921. Is a reliable worker	1	2	3	4	5
Q922. Tends to be disorganized	1	2	3	4	5
Q923. Tends to be lazy	1	2	3	4	5
Q924. Perseveres until the task is finished	1	2	3	4	5
Q925. Does things efficiently	1	2	3	4	5
Q926. Makes plans and follows through with them	1	2	3	4	5
Q927. Is easily distracted	1	2	3	4	5

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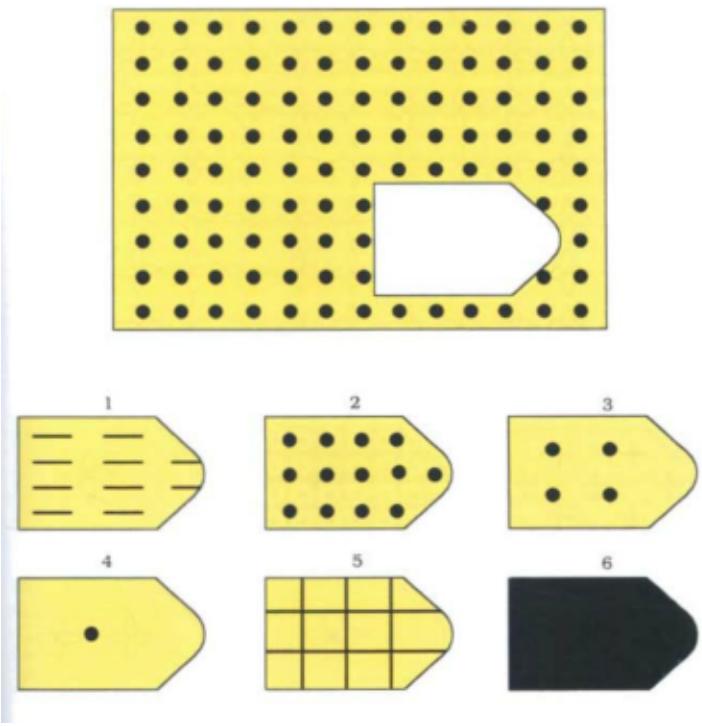
Section X: Cognitive test

Direction: Please circle the appropriate number to the question.

Example



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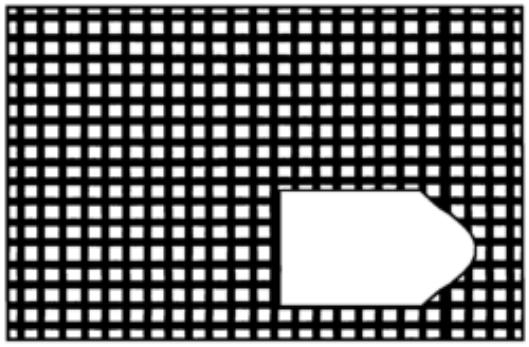
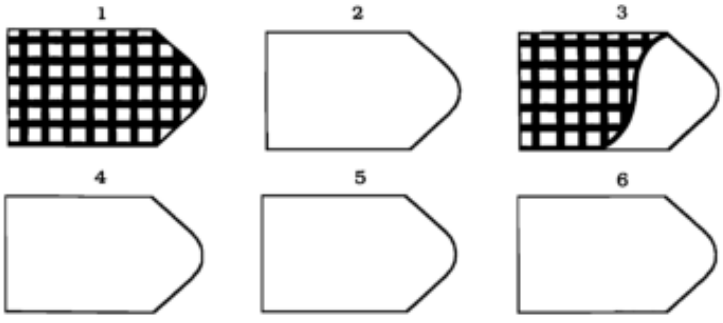
Q1001. Answer





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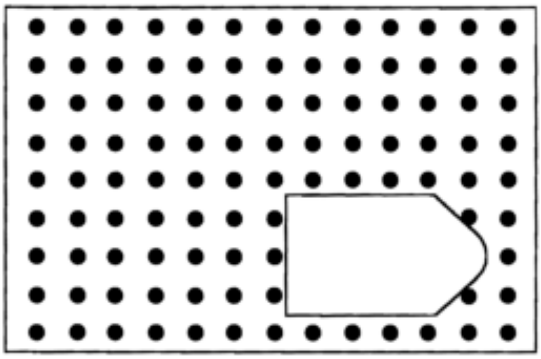

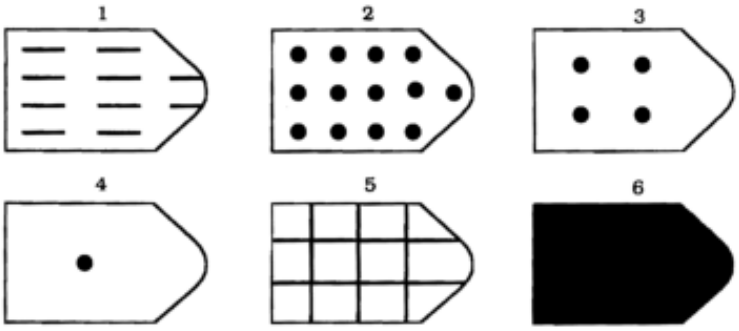

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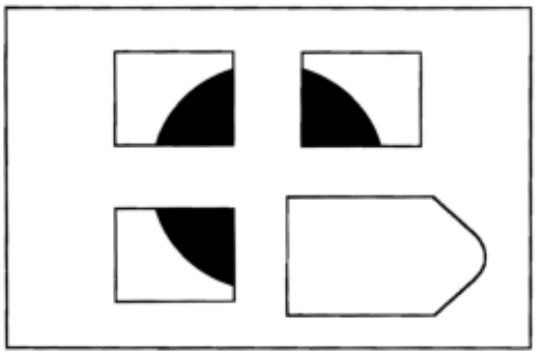

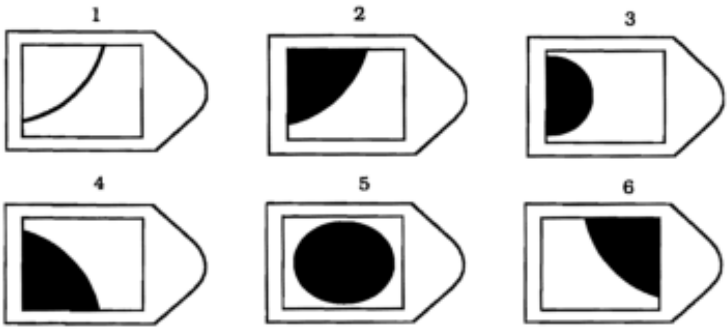

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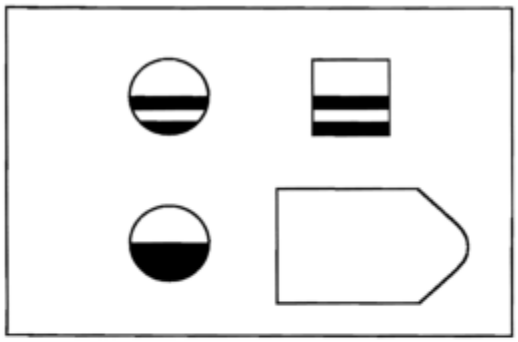

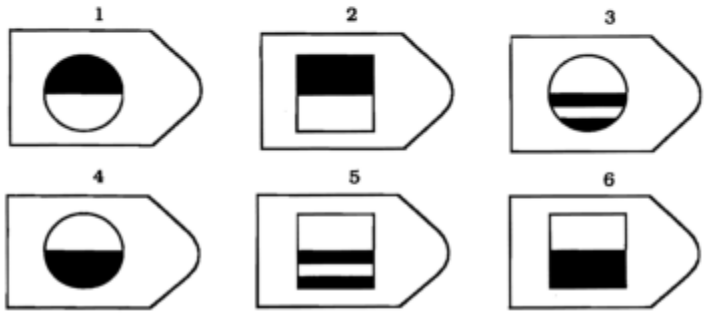

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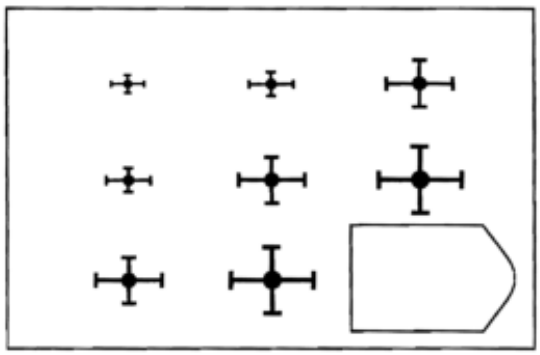

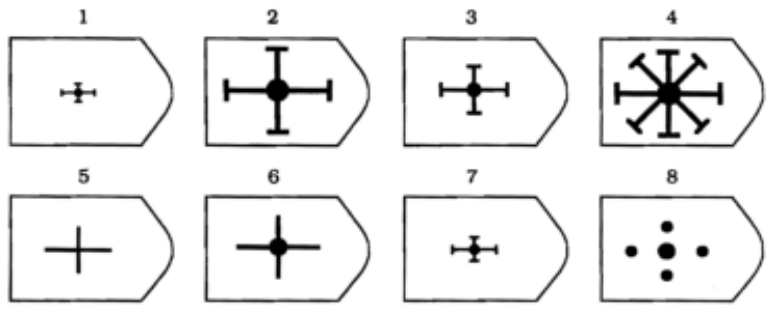

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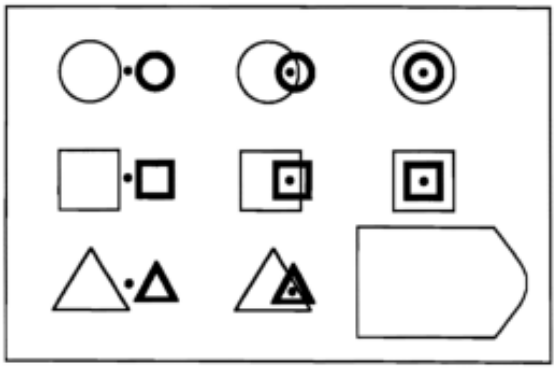

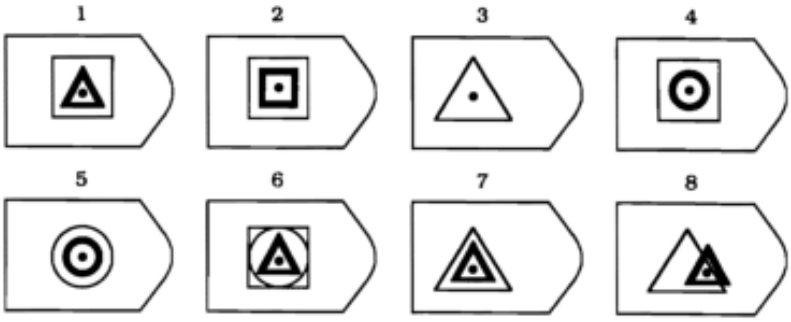

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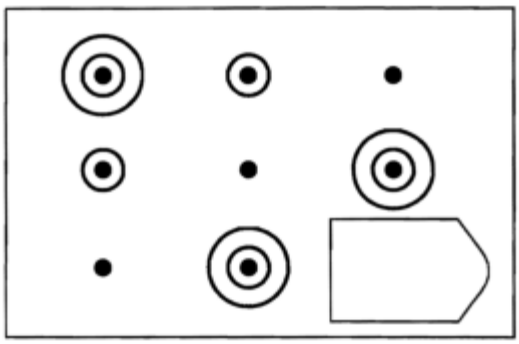

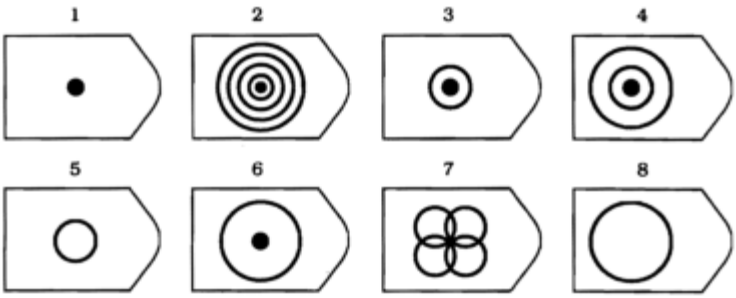

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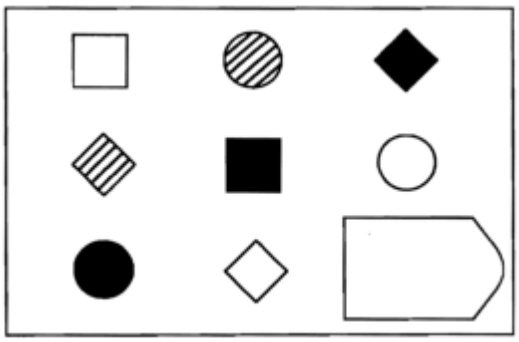

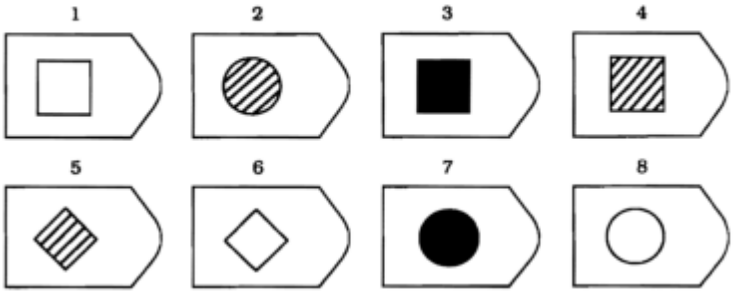

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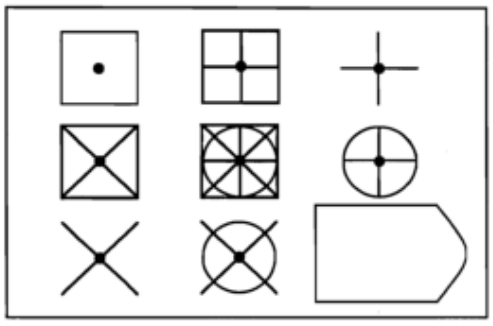

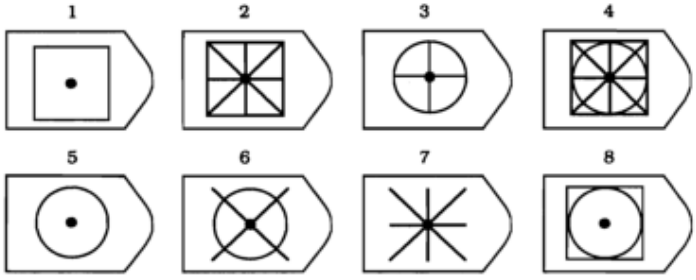

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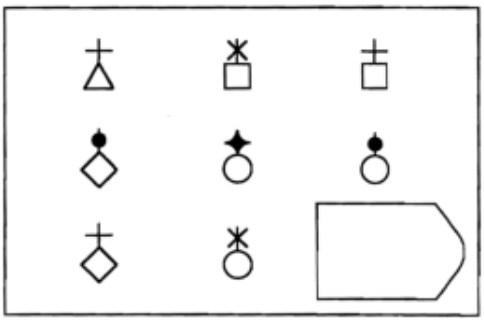

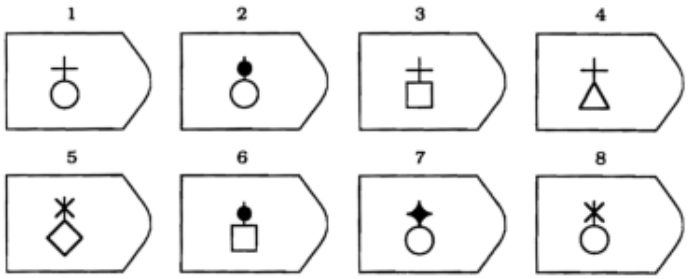

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