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Question	Answer	Marks
1	D	1
2	A	1
3	D	1
4	C	1
5	A	1
6	D	1
7	A	1
8	C	1
9	C	1
10	B	1
11	B	1
12	B	1
13	D	1
14	B	1
15	B	1
16	A	1
17	A	1
18	A	1
19	C	1
20	C	1
21	B	1
22	D	1
23	D	1
24	B	1
25	D	1
26	C	1
27	D	1
28	D	1

Question	Answer	Marks
29	D	1
30	B	1
31	C	1
32	C	1
33	B	1
34	A	1
35	A	1
36	A	1
37	B	1
38	A	1
39	C	1
40	C	1