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

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