Union Pacific

Clerical Test Battery

Sample Test Questions

Comparing and Checking

This is a test of your ability to compare words and numbers to detect errors.

- In SECTION I, you are given a "Correct List" containing typed names, addresses, and dollar amounts. You are to compare a "List To Be Checked" to the "Correct List" line by line, to detect any differences, and then indicate the number of differences or errors by selecting the correct number of errors.
- In SECTION II, there are also two lists to be compared. One is an alphabetically sorted "Correct List" and the other is an unsorted "List To Be Checked". (Note that in the Correct List, the first 20 entries are alphabetized separately from the second 20 entries.)

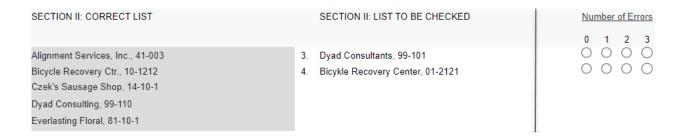
You are to compare each entry in the "List To Be Checked" to the appropriate entry in the "Correct List", count the number of errors, and select the correct answer. Each word in the name of the business could be an error, and there could be an error in the number for each business.

Sample Questions:

1) Read the example below and compare the "List To Be Checked" to the "Correct List" and select the Number of Errors.



2) Read the example below, compare the "List To Be Checked" to the "Correct List", and select the Number of Errors.



Quantitative Reasoning

This is a test of your ability to compare words and numbers to detect errors. There is only one correct answer for each question. Base your answer only on the information in the question. Do not use outside information or make assumptions based on "common sense" to help you choose the right answer.

Sample Questions:

- 1) An office manager bought a computer for A dollars, three desks for B dollars each, and two chairs for C dollars each. What is the total cost of the order?
 - a. A + B + C
 - b. AB + 2C
 - c. A + 3B + 2C
 - d. A + (B + 2C)/3
 - e. (A + B + C)(3+2)
- 2) A commodity has been on the market for four years and is currently worth \$1,107. In its first two years on the market, its value increased by 50% every year. Its value doubled in the third year and tripled in the last year to reach its current value. What was the initial value of the commodity?
 - a. \$862
 - b. \$454
 - c. \$186
 - d. \$82
 - e. \$68

Personality Assessment

This assessment is composed of statement pairs. You need to indicate which one you agree with more. At times, it may be hard to choose because you agree or disagree with both statements. This is a normal part of the assessment. When faced with this type of choice, you should review each statement and then move the selector closer to the one you agree with slightly more.

There are no right or wrong answers to this assessment, so please answer as honestly and accurately as possible.

Sample Statements:

