

(8) $a_1, 4a_2, 6a_3, 8a_4, \dots$

$$a = a_1, d = 4a_2 - a_1 \\ = 2a_1$$

$$a_n = a_1 + (n-1)d$$

$$a_1 + (n-1)d = a_1 + (n-1)2a_1$$

$$a_1 + (n-1)a_1 = a_1 + (n-1)2a_1$$

 $\therefore a_1$

$$1 + n - 1 = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 10 \quad (B)$$

(9) $a_{18} - a_{13}$

$$= d + 17d - d - 12d$$

$$= 5d$$

$$= 5 \times 5$$

$$= 25 \quad (C)$$

(10) $a_{18} - a_{14} = 32$

$$\Rightarrow d + 17d - d - 13d = 32$$

$$\Rightarrow 4d = 32$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 8 \quad (A)$$

(11) I AP $a = -1$ II AP $a' = -8$
 $d = d$ $d' = d$

$$a_4 - a'_4 \\ = -1 + 3d - (-8) - 3d \\ = -1 + 8 \\ = 7 \quad (C)$$

(12) $7a_7 = 11a_{11}$

$$\Rightarrow 7(a + 6d) = 11(a + 10d)$$

$$\Rightarrow 7a + 42d = 11a + 110d$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a + 68 = 0$$

$$\therefore a + 17d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_{18} = 0 \quad (D)$$

(13) $49, 46, 43, \dots$

$$a = 49, d = 46 - 49 \\ = -3$$

$$a_4 = a + 3d$$

$$= 49 + 3(-3)$$

$$= 49 - 9$$

$$= 40 \quad (B)$$

(14) guess (C)

(15) $a = -5, d = 2$

$$S_6 = \frac{6}{2} [2(-5) + 5 \times 2]$$

$$= 3(-10 + 10)$$

$$= 3 \times 0$$

$$= 0 \quad (A)$$

(16) $10, 6, 2, \dots$

$$a = 10, d = 6 - 10 \\ = -4$$

$$S_{16} = \frac{16}{2} [2 \times 10 + 15(-4)]$$

$$= 8[20 - 60]$$

$$= 8 \times (-40)$$

$$= -320 \quad (A)$$

(17) $a = 1, a_n = 20, S_n = 399$

$$S_n = 399$$

$$\frac{n}{2} [a + a_n] = 399$$

$$\frac{n}{2} [1 + 20] = 399$$

$$\Rightarrow n = \frac{399 \times 2}{21}$$

$$\Rightarrow n = \frac{19 \times 2}{3} \\ = 38 \quad (C)$$

(18) $3, 6, 9, \dots$

$$a = 3, d = 3$$

$$S_5 = \frac{5}{2} [2 \times 3 + 4 \times 3]$$

$$= \frac{5}{2} \times 6 \times 3$$

$$= 45 \quad (A)$$