The Singing Competition Game

Directions: Each group of questions in this section is based on a set of conditions. In answering some of the questions, it may be useful to draw a rough diagram. Choose the response that most accurately and completely answers each question and blacken the corresponding space on your answer sheet.

Questions 1–7

Eight singers—Frank, Grace, Horace, Ian, Jezebel, Kramer, Lenore, and Maria—will be ranked from one, the best singer, to eight, the worst singer. The top five performers will receive prizes. The ranking of singers must conform to the following rules:

Jezebel is a better-ranked singer than Lenore.
If Horace is awarded a prize, then Grace ranks higher than Kramer, though both receive prizes.
Ian is ranked either first or fifth.
Ian is a better-ranked singer than Kramer.

1. Which of the following is an acceptable ranking of the singers who will be given prizes from first to fifth?
   (A) Jezebel, Kramer, Grace, Lenore, Ian
   (B) Grace, Maria, Jezebel, Horace, Ian
   (C) Ian, Jezebel, Grace, Kramer, Horace
   (D) Jezebel, Lenore, Grace, Frank, Maria
   (E) Ian, Frank, Kramer, Grace, Lenore

2. If Horace ranks 4th and Maria gets a prize, which of the following must be false?
   (A) Grace ranks 2nd.
   (B) Grace ranks 3rd.
   (C) Kramer ranks 5th.
   (D) Kramer ranks 2nd.
   (E) Maria ranks 5th.

3. Which of the following could be true?
   (A) Horace is 3rd and Ian is 5th.
   (B) Kramer is 2nd and Horace is 3rd.
   (C) Ian is 5th and Jezebel does not get a prize.
   (D) Horace is 2nd and Lenore is 5th.
   (E) Jezebel is 2nd and Horace does not get a prize.

4. If Horace receives the 2nd place prize, which of the following could be true?
   (A) Kramer ranks 4th.
   (B) Ian ranks 5th.
   (C) Lenore ranks 5th.
   (D) Grace ranks 5th.
   (E) Grace ranks 1st.

5. Which of the following must be true?
   (A) If Ian ranks 1st then Kramer ranks 3rd.
   (B) If Horace ranks 3rd then Ian ranks 1st.
   (C) If Ian ranks 5th then Jezebel ranks 2nd.
   (D) If Lenore does not receive a prize then Horace does.
   (E) If Maria ranks 4th then Kramer ranks 3rd.

6. Which of the following could be a complete and accurate list of the singers who do NOT win a prize?
   (A) Frank, Grant, Lenore
   (B) Grant, Jezebel, Lenore
   (C) Horace, Jezebel, Kramer
   (D) Horace, Kramer, Maria
   (E) Horace, Ian, Kramer

7. Which of the following, if substituted for the rule that if Horace is awarded a prize, then Grace ranks higher than Kramer, though both receive prizes, would have the same effect on the placement of all the singers?
   (A) If Grace and Kramer both receive prizes, then Kramer must rank higher than Grace.
   (B) If Kramer ranks higher than Grace unless Horace receives a prize.
   (C) If Kramer ranks higher than Grace or if either of them do not receive a prize then Horace cannot receive a prize.
   (D) If Horace does not get a prize the Kramer must be ranked higher than Grace.
   (E) If Horace receives a prize than both Kramer and Grace must also receive prizes and Kramer cannot place 1st or 2nd.
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1. C
2. D
3. E
4. A
5. B
6. D
7. C

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