

**Solution**  
**Class 10 - Mathematics**  
**Sample Paper 2**

**Section A**

1. (a)  
0.5

Explanation:

$$9^{x+2} = 240 + 9^x$$

$$\Rightarrow 9^x \cdot 9^2 = 240 + 9^x$$

$$\Rightarrow 9^x (81 - 1) = 240$$

$$\Rightarrow 9^x = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 9^x = 9^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5$$

2. (b)  
a rational number

Explanation:

$$(\sqrt{a} + \sqrt{b})(\sqrt{a} - \sqrt{b}) = \{(\sqrt{a})^2 - (\sqrt{b})^2\}$$

$$= (a - b)$$

Since  $a$  and  $b$  both are positive rational numbers,  
therefore difference of two positive rational numbers is also rational.

3. (d)  
62

Explanation:

$$\bar{x} = a + \frac{\sum f_i u_i}{\sum f_i} \times h$$

$$= 47.5 + \frac{29}{30} \times 15$$

$$= 47.5 + \frac{29}{2}$$

$$= 47.5 + 14.5$$

$$= 62$$

4. (c)  
30 and 35

Explanation:

Let one multiple of 5 be  $x$  then the next consecutive multiple of will be  $(x + 5)$  According to question,

$$x(x + 5) = 1050$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 5x - 1050 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 35x - 30x - 1050 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x + 35) - 30(x + 35) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 30)(x + 35) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 30 = 0 \text{ and } x + 35 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 30 \text{ and } x = -35$$

$x = -35$  is not possible therefore  $x = 30$

Then the other multiple of 5 is  $x + 5 = 30 + 5 = 35$

Then the number are 30 and 35.

5. (a)  
 $90^\circ$

Explanation:

$$\text{Given: } \sin \alpha = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \alpha = \sin 45^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = 45^\circ$$

$$\text{And } \cos \beta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \beta = \cos 45^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta = 45^\circ$$

$$\therefore \alpha + \beta = 45^\circ + 45^\circ = 90^\circ$$

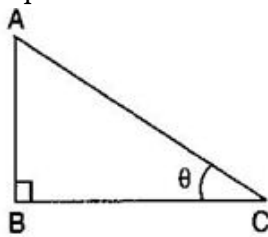
6. (d)  
 $\tan 60^\circ$

Explanation:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{2 \tan 30^\circ}{1 - \tan^2 30^\circ} \\ &= \frac{2 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 - \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2} = \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 - \frac{1}{3}} \\ &= \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}}{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{3}{2} = \sqrt{3} = \tan 60^\circ \end{aligned}$$

7. (b)  
 $60^\circ$

Explanation:



Given: the height of the pole =  $AB = 6$  m and the length of the shadow =  $BC = 2\sqrt{3}$  m

$$\therefore \tan \theta = \frac{AB}{BC}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{6}{2\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{3}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \tan 60^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 60^\circ$$

8. (a)  
 $-5$

Explanation:

Since  $x$ -coordinate of a point is called abscissa.

Therefore, abscissa is  $-5$ .

9. (c)  
abscissa

Explanation:

The distance of a point from the  $y$ -axis is the  $x$  (horizontal) coordinate of the point and is called abscissa.

10. (a)  
 $0.24$

Explanation:

Given: P (It will rain on a particular day) = 0.76

$\therefore$  P (It will not rain on a particular day) =  $1 - P$  (It will rain particular day)  
=  $1 - 0.76 = 0.24$

11.  $2(1 + b)h$  sq units

12. -3

OR

$$\frac{-1}{2}$$

13. equilateral

14.  $\sqrt{3}$

15.  $4\sqrt{2}$

16. Clearly, the given number 23.123456789 is a terminating decimal. So, it is rational.

Therefore, it can be expressed in  $\frac{p}{q}$ , where  $q = 10^9$  and factors of  $q$  are of the form  $2^m \times 5^n$ , where  $n$  and  $m$  are positive integers.

17. Given:  $AB = 5.6$  cm,  $AD = 1.4$  cm,  $AC = 7.2$  cm and  $AE = 1.8$  cm

$$\therefore \frac{AD}{AB} = \frac{1.4}{5.6} = \frac{1}{4} \text{ and } \frac{AE}{AC} = \frac{1.8}{7.2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AD}{AB} = \frac{AE}{AC}$$

Hence, by the converse of Thales' theorem,  $DE \parallel BC$ .

18. Here,  $a = p$  and  $d = q$

We know that  $a_n = a_1 + (n - 1)d$

$$a_{10} = p + (10 - 1)q = p + 9q$$

Hence, 10th term of the AP is  $p + 9q$ .

OR

Here,  $a = -37$ ,  $d = -33 - (-37) = -33 + 37 = 4$  and  $n = 12$

Now we know that,  $S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n-1)d]$

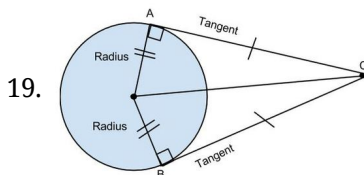
$$\text{Therefore, } S_{12} = \frac{12}{2} [2 \times (-37) + (12 - 1)4]$$

$$= 6[-74 + 44]$$

$$= 6 \times (-30)$$

$$= -180$$

Therefore, sum of given A.P is -180.



Consider C is an external point as shown in figure.

According to theorem, from an external point only two tangents can be drawn to a circle.

So, value of  $k = 2$

20.  $x^2 + 6x + 9 = 0$ .

Put  $x = -3$  in the equation

$$\Rightarrow (-3)^2 + 6(-3) + 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 - 18 + 9 = 0$$

Hence, it is a solution of the given equation.

### Section B

21. H- Heads T- Tails

Total number of outcomes = 8 (HHH, HHT, HTH, THH, HTT, THT, TTH, TTT)

Favourable number of outcomes (HHH, TTT) = 2

Probability (getting success) =  $\frac{2}{8}$  or  $\frac{1}{4}$

$\therefore$  Probability (losing the game) =  $1 - P(\text{getting success}) = 1 - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$

22. We have,

$$kx^2 - 2\sqrt{5}x + 4 = 0$$

Here,  $a = k$ ,  $b = -2\sqrt{5}$  and  $c = 4$

$$\therefore D = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$= (-2\sqrt{5})^2 - 4 \times k \times 4$$

$$= 20 - 16k$$

$$\Rightarrow D = 20 - 16k$$

The given equation will have real and equal roots, if

$$D = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 20 - 16k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16k = 20$$

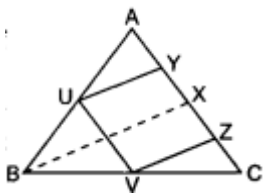
$$\Rightarrow k = \frac{20}{16} = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$\therefore k = \frac{5}{4}$$

23. Join BX

In  $\triangle ABX$ , U is midpoint of AB and Y is mid-point AX (given)

$\therefore UY \parallel BX$  (using mid-point theorem) .....(i)



In  $\triangle BCX$ , v is mid-point of BC and z is mid-point of XC

$VZ \parallel BX$  ..(ii)

from (i) and (ii)

$UY \parallel VZ$

In  $\triangle ABC$ , U is mid-point of AB and V is mid-point of BE.

$\therefore UV \parallel AC$

$\Rightarrow UV \parallel YZ$  Hence proved.

OR

Given:  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle DBC$  are two triangles on the same base BC but on the opposite sides of BC, AD intersects BC at O.

construction: Draw  $AL \perp BC$  and  $DM \perp BC$

To prove:  $\frac{ar(\triangle ABC)}{ar(\triangle DBC)} = \frac{AO}{EO}$

Proof: In  $\triangle ALO$  and  $\triangle DMO$

$\angle ALO = \angle DMO$  [Each  $90^\circ$ ]

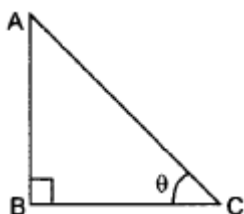
$\angle AOL = \angle DOM$  [Vertically opposite angles]

$\therefore \triangle ALO \sim \triangle DMO$  [By AA similarity]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AL}{DM} = \frac{AO}{DO}$$

$$\therefore \frac{ar(\triangle ABC)}{ar(\triangle DBC)} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \times BC \times AL}{\frac{1}{2} \times BC \times DM} = \frac{AL}{DM} = \frac{AO}{DO}$$

24.



Let AB is the tower,  $AB = 15m$ ,  $BC = 15m$

In right  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\tan \theta = \frac{AB}{BC}$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{15}{15}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = 1 \Rightarrow \theta = 45^\circ$$

25. Given: PQ and PR are tangents to a circle with centre O and  $\angle QPR = 50^\circ$ .

To find:  $\angle QSR$

$$\angle QOR + \angle QPR = 180^\circ$$

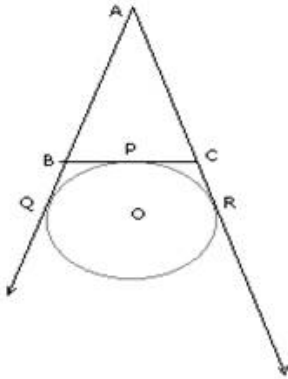
$$\Rightarrow \angle QOR + 50^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle QOR = 130^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle QSR = \frac{1}{2} \angle QOR$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle QSR = \frac{1}{2} \times 130^\circ = 65^\circ$$

OR



We know that the two tangents drawn to a circle from an external point are equal.

$$\therefore AQ = AR, BP = BQ, CP = CR$$

$$\therefore \text{Perimeter of } \triangle ABC = AB + BC + AC$$

$$= AB + BP + PC + AC$$

$$= AB + BQ + CR + AC \quad [\because BP = BQ, PC = CQ]$$

$$= AQ + AR = 2AQ = 2AR \quad [\because AQ = AR]$$

$$= AQ = AR = \frac{1}{2} [\text{Perimeter of } \triangle ABC]$$

26. For cone, Radius of the base (r)

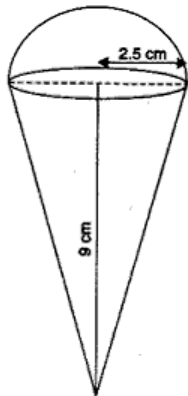
$$= 2.5\text{cm} = \frac{5}{2}\text{cm}$$

$$\text{Height (h)} = 9\text{cm}$$

$$\therefore \text{Volume} = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times \frac{5}{2} \times \frac{5}{2} \times 9$$

$$= \frac{825}{14} \text{cm}^3$$



For hemisphere,

$$\text{Radius (r)} = 2.5\text{cm} = \frac{5}{2}\text{cm}$$

$$\therefore \text{Volume} = \frac{2}{3} \pi r^3$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times \frac{5}{2} \times \frac{5}{2} \times \frac{5}{2} = \frac{1375}{42} \text{cm}^3$$

i. The volume of the ice-cream without hemispherical end = Volume of the cone

$$= \frac{825}{14} \text{cm}^3$$

ii. Volume of the ice-cream with hemispherical end = Volume of the cone + Volume of the hemisphere

$$= \frac{825}{14} + \frac{1375}{42} = \frac{2475+1375}{42}$$

$$= \frac{3850}{42} = \frac{275}{3} = 91\frac{2}{3} \text{cm}^3$$

### Section C

27. We can prove  $7\sqrt{5}$  irrational by contradiction.

Let us suppose that  $7\sqrt{5}$  is rational.

It means we have some co-prime integers  $a$  and  $b$  ( $b \neq 0$ ) such that

$$7\sqrt{5} = \frac{a}{b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{5} = \frac{a}{7b} \dots\dots(1)$$

R.H.S of (1) is rational but we know that  $\sqrt{5}$  is irrational.

It is not possible which means our supposition is wrong.

Therefore,  $7\sqrt{5}$  cannot be rational.

Hence, it is irrational.

OR

Let take that  $3 + 2\sqrt{5}$  is a rational number.

So we can write this number as

$$3 + 2\sqrt{5} = \frac{a}{b}$$

Here  $a$  and  $b$  are two co-prime numbers and  $b$  is not equal to 0.

Subtract 3 both sides we get,

$$2\sqrt{5} = \frac{a}{b} - 3$$

$$2\sqrt{5} = \frac{a-3b}{b}$$

Now divide by 2 we get

$$\sqrt{5} = \frac{a-3b}{2b}$$

Here  $a$  and  $b$  are an integer so  $\frac{a-3b}{2b}$  is a rational number so  $\sqrt{5}$  should be a rational number but  $\sqrt{5}$  is an irrational number so it contradicts the fact.

Hence the result is  $3 + 2\sqrt{5}$  is an irrational number

Now its square will again contain an irrational number.

Hence the given number is an irrational number.

28. Let the 1st term of AP be  $a$  and common difference be  $d$ .

Now, three middle terms of this AP are  $a_{10}$ ,  $a_{11}$  and  $a_{12}$

from question, we have,

$$a_{10} + a_{11} + a_{12} = 129$$

$$\Rightarrow (a + 9d) + (a + 10d) + (a + 11d) = 129$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a + 30d = 129$$

$$\Rightarrow a + 10d = 43 \Rightarrow a = 43 - 10d \dots\dots(i)$$

Also, last three terms are  $a_{19}$ ,  $a_{20}$  and  $a_{21}$

$$\therefore a_{19} + a_{20} + a_{21} = 129$$

$$\Rightarrow (a + 18d) + (a + 19d) + (a + 20d) = 129$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a + 57d = 129$$

$$\Rightarrow a + 19d = 43 \Rightarrow 43 - 10d + 19d = 43 \text{ [using eq. (i)]}$$

$$\Rightarrow 9d = 36 \Rightarrow d = 4$$

When  $d = 4$ , equation (i) becomes

$$a = 43 - 10(4) = 3$$

$\therefore$  AP is 3, 7, 11, 15, ...

29.  $4x + 6y = 3xy$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4x+6y}{xy} = 3$$

$$\frac{4}{y} + \frac{6}{x} = 3 \dots\dots(i)$$

$$\frac{8x+9y}{xy} = 5$$

$$\frac{8}{y} + \frac{9}{x} = 4 \dots\dots(ii)$$

Putting  $\frac{1}{x} = u$  and  $\frac{1}{y} = v$ , the given equations

$$4u + 6v = 3 \dots\dots(iii)$$

$$8u + 9v = 5 \dots\dots(iv)$$

Multiplying (iii) by 9 and (iv) by 6, we get

$$36v + 54u = 27 \dots\dots(v)$$

$$48v + 54u = 30 \dots\dots(vi)$$

Subtracting (iii) from (iv), we get

$$12v = 3$$

$$v = \frac{3}{12} = \frac{1}{4}$$

Putting  $v = \frac{1}{4}$  in (iii), we get

$$4 \times \frac{1}{4} + 6u = 3$$

$$1 + 6u = 3$$

$$6u = 3 - 1 = 2$$

$$u = \frac{2}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{Now, } u = \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow x = 3$$

$$\text{and, } v = \frac{1}{y} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{y} = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow y = 4$$

Hence, the solution is  $x = 3, y = 4$

OR

We have to solve the following systems of equations by using the method of substitution:

$$\frac{2x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 2$$

$$\frac{x}{a} - \frac{y}{b} = 4$$

The given system of equations are:

$$\frac{2x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 2 \dots\dots(i)$$

$$\frac{x}{a} - \frac{y}{b} = 4 \dots\dots(ii)$$

From equation (i), we get

$$\frac{y}{b} = 2 - \frac{2x}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = b \left( 2 - \frac{2x}{a} \right)$$

Substituting  $y = b \left( 2 - \frac{2x}{a} \right)$  in equation (ii), we get

$$\frac{x}{a} - \frac{b}{b} \left( 2 - \frac{2x}{a} \right) = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{a} - 2 + \frac{2x}{a} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3x}{a} = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 6a$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2a$$

Putting  $x = 2a$  in equation (i), we get

$$4 + \frac{y}{b} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y}{b} = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -2b$$

Hence, the solution of the given system of equations is  $x = 2a$  and  $y = -2b$ .

30. It is given  $f(x) = 6x^3 + 11x^2 - 39x - 65$  and  $g(x) = x^2 - 1 + x$ .

So now on long division of  $f(x)$  by  $g(x)$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 + x - 1 \overline{) 6x^3 + 11x^2 - 39x - 65} \quad (6x + 5 \\ \underline{6x^3 + 6x^2 - 6x} \phantom{- 65} \\ \phantom{6x^3} + 5x^2 - 33x - 65 \\ \phantom{6x^3} \underline{5x^2 + 5x - 5} \\ \phantom{6x^3} \phantom{5x^2} - 38x - 60 \end{array}$$

Hence quotient  $q(x) = 6x + 5$  and remainder  $r(x) = -38x - 60$

$$\text{Also, } g(x)q(x) + r(x) = (x^2 + x - 1)(6x + 5) + (-38x - 60)$$

$$= 6x^3 + 6x^2 - 6x + 5x^2 + 5x - 5 - 38x - 60$$

i.e.  $f(x) = g(x)q(x) + r(x) = 6x^3 + 11x^2 - 39x - 65$   
 or, Dividend = Quotient  $\times$  Divisor + Remainder

31. If points are collinear, then one point divides the other two in the same ratio.

Let point  $(m, 6)$  divides the join of  $(3, 5)$  and  $(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{15}{2})$  in the ratio  $k:1$ .

$$\text{Then, } (m, 6) = \left( \frac{\frac{k}{2} + 3}{k+1}, \frac{15k}{k+1} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{\frac{k}{2} + 3}{k+1} \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } 6 = \frac{\frac{15}{2}k + 5}{k+1} \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{From (ii), we get } 6k + 6 = \frac{15k}{2} + 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 6k - \frac{15k}{2} = -1$$

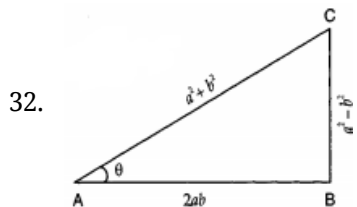
$$\Rightarrow -\frac{3}{2}k = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \frac{2}{3}$$

Substituting,  $k = \frac{2}{3}$  in (i), we get

$$m = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{3} + 3}{\frac{2}{3} + 1} = \frac{\frac{1}{3} + 3}{\frac{2}{3} + 1} = \frac{\frac{10}{3}}{\frac{5}{3}} = 2$$

Hence, for  $m = 2$  points are collinear.



We have,

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\text{Perpendicular}}{\text{Hypotenuse}} = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2}$$

So, Let us draw a right triangle ABC in which  $\angle B$  is right angle, we have

Perpendicular =  $BC = a^2 - b^2$  Hypotenuse =  $AC = a^2 + b^2$  and,  $\angle BAC = \theta$

By Pythagoras theorem, we have

$$AC^2 = AB^2 + BC^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^2 + b^2)^2 = AB^2 + (a^2 - b^2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow AB^2 = (a^2 + b^2)^2 - (a^2 - b^2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow AB^2 = (a^4 + b^4 + 2a^2b^2) - (a^4 + b^4 - 2a^2b^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow AB^2 = 4a^2b^2 = (2ab)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow AB = 2ab$$

Now, Let  $\angle BAC = \theta$

We have

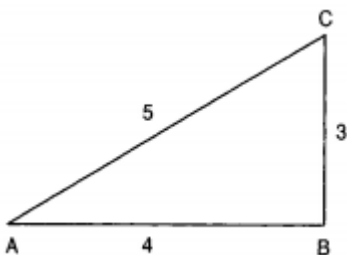
Base =  $AB = 2ab$ , Perpendicular =  $BC = a^2 - b^2$ , Hypotenuse =  $AC = a^2 + b^2$

$$\text{Therefore, } \cos \theta = \frac{\text{Base}}{\text{Hypotenuse}} = \frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2}, \tan \theta = \frac{\text{Perpendicular}}{\text{Base}} = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{2ab}$$

$$\text{cosec } \theta = \frac{\text{Hypotenuse}}{\text{Perpendicular}} = \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2 - b^2}, \sec \theta = \frac{\text{Hypotenuse}}{\text{Base}} = \frac{a^2 + b^2}{2ab}$$

$$\text{and, } \cot \theta = \frac{\text{Base}}{\text{Perpendicular}} = \frac{2ab}{a^2 - b^2}$$

OR





According to the question,

$$\sin A = \frac{\text{Perpendicular}}{\text{Hypotenuse}} = \frac{3}{5}$$

Draw a right triangle right angled at B such that

Perpendicular =  $BC = 3$  and, Hypotenuse =  $AC = 5$

Using Pythagoras theorem,

$$\Rightarrow AC^2 = AB^2 + BC^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 5^2 = AB^2 + 3^2$$

$$\Rightarrow AB^2 = 25 - 9 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow AB = \sqrt{16} = 4$$

Consider the trigonometric ratios of  $\angle C$ , we have

Base =  $BC = 3$ , Perpendicular =  $AB = 4$  and, Hypotenuse =  $AC = 5$ .

$$\therefore \sin C = \frac{\text{Perpendicular}}{\text{Hypotenuse}} = \frac{4}{5}, \quad \cos C = \frac{\text{Base}}{\text{Hypotenuse}} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\tan C = \frac{\text{Perpendicular}}{\text{Base}} = \frac{4}{3}, \quad \text{cosec } C = \frac{\text{Hypotenuse}}{\text{Perpendicular}} = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$\sec C = \frac{\text{Hypotenuse}}{\text{Base}} = \frac{5}{3} \text{ and, } \cot C = \frac{\text{Base}}{\text{Perpendicular}} = \frac{3}{4}$$

33. We have, Rate of fencing = Rs 24 per metre and, Total cost of fencing = Rs 5280

$$\therefore \text{Length of the fence} = \frac{\text{Total cost}}{\text{Rate}} = \frac{5280}{24} = 220 \text{ metre}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Circumference of the field = 220 metre

$\Rightarrow 2\pi r = 220$ , where r is the radius of the field

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times r = 220$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{220 \times 7}{22 \times 2} = 35$$

$$\text{Area of the field} = \pi r^2 = \frac{22}{7} \times 35 \times 35 \text{m}^2 = 22 \times 5 \times 35 \text{m}^2$$

It is given that the field is ploughed at the rate of Rs 0.50 per  $\text{m}^2$

Cost of ploughing the field = Rs  $(22 \times 5 \times 35 \times 0.50)$  = Rs 1925

34. The given series is an inclusive series. Making it an exclusive series by subtracting 0.5 from lower limit and adding 0.5 in upper limit, we get

Class Interval(Exclusive)	Frequency( $f_i$ )	Mid value $x_i$	$u_i = \frac{(x_i - A)}{h}$	$(f_i \times u_i)$
24.5 - 29.5	14	27	-3	-42
29.5 - 34.5	22	32	-2	-44
34.5 - 39.5	16	37	-1	-16
39.5 - 44.5	6	42 = A	0	0
44.5 - 49.5	5	47	1	5
49.5 - 54.5	3	52	3	12
54.5 - 59.5	4	57	3	12
	$\Sigma f_i = 70$			$\Sigma (f_i \times u_i) = -79$

$$A = 42, h = 5, \Sigma f_i = 70 \text{ and } \Sigma (f_i \times u_i) = -79$$

$$\therefore \text{mean } \bar{x} = \left\{ A + \frac{h \times (\Sigma f_i \times u_i)}{\Sigma f_i} \right\}$$

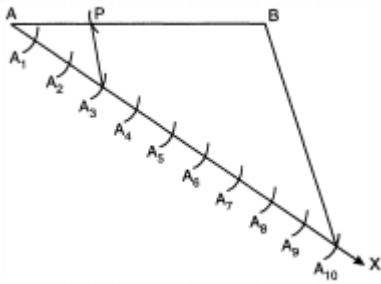
$$= 42 + \left\{ 5 \times \frac{(-79)}{70} \right\}$$

$$= 42 - 5.64$$

$$= 36.36$$

#### Section D

35.



We have to draw a line segment of length 5 cm and divide it in the ratio 3 : 7. We write the steps of construction as follows:

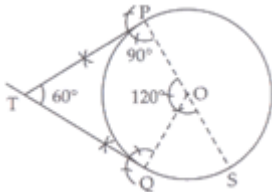
Steps of Construction:

- i. Draw a line segment  $AB = 5$  cm.
- ii. Draw any ray  $AX$  making an acute angle down ward with  $AB$ .
- iii. Mark the points  $A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_{10}$  on  $AX$  such that  $AA_1 = A_1A_2 = \dots = A_9A_{10}$ .
- iv. Join  $BA_{10}$ .
- v. Through the point  $A_3$  draw a line parallel to  $BA_{10}$ . To meet  $AB$  at  $P$ .

Hence  $AP : PB = 3 : 7$

OR

Angle between tangents is  $60^\circ$ . So angles between their radii is  $180^\circ - 60^\circ = 120^\circ$ .  
As the angles between tangents and their corresponding radii are supplementary.



**Steps of construction:**

- i. Draw a circle of radius 4 cm.
- ii. Draw any diameter  $POS$ .
- iii. Draw  $OQ$  making  $\angle AOC = 120^\circ$ .
- iv. Draw tangent at  $P$  by drawing  $\angle OPT = 90^\circ$ .
- v. Similarly, draw  $\angle OQT$  equal to  $90^\circ$  to draw tangent.
- vi. Both  $PT$  and  $QT$  tangents intersect at  $T$  and make angle of  $60^\circ$ .

Hence, the two tangents on circle are  $TP$  and  $TQ$  inclined at  $60^\circ$ .

**Justification:** Because the radius  $OP$  and tangent  $PT$  at contact point makes angle  $\angle TPO = 90^\circ$   
Similarly,  $\angle TQO = 90^\circ$

In quadrilateral  $TPOQ$ .

$$\angle T + \angle P + \angle O + \angle Q = 360^\circ$$

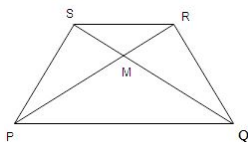
$$\Rightarrow \angle T + 90^\circ + 120^\circ + 90^\circ = 360^\circ [\because \angle O = 120^\circ \text{ by construction}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle T = 360^\circ - 300^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle T = 60^\circ.$$

Hence, verified.

36. Given :  $\triangle PMS \sim \triangle QMR$  and  $PQ \parallel SR$ .



To show  $PS = QR$

$$\because \triangle PMS \sim \triangle QMR$$

$$\therefore \frac{PS}{QR} = \frac{PM}{QM} = \frac{MS}{MR} \dots (i)$$

[corresponding sides of similar triangles are proportional]

Now, consider  $\triangle PMQ$  and  $\triangle RMS$

In these triangles, we have

$\angle PMQ = \angle RMS$  [ vertically opposite angles ]

$\angle MPQ = \angle MRS$  [ alternate angles ]

$\therefore \triangle PMQ \sim \triangle RMS$  [AA criteria]

$$\therefore \frac{PM}{RM} = \frac{MQ}{MS}$$

[corresponding sides of similar triangles are proportional]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{PM}{QM} = \frac{MR}{MS} \dots(ii)$$

From Eq (i) and Eq (ii), we get

$$\Rightarrow \frac{MS}{MR} = \frac{MR}{MS}$$

$$\Rightarrow MS^2 = MR^2$$

$$\Rightarrow MS = MR$$

From Eq(i) , we get

$$\therefore \frac{PS}{QR} = \frac{MS}{MR}$$

$$\frac{PS}{QR} = 1$$

$\Rightarrow PS = QR$  Hence proved.

37. Let the fraction be  $\frac{x}{y}$

$$\frac{x-2}{y+1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2x - 4 = y + 1$$

$$2x - y = 5 \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$\text{Also, } \frac{x+4}{y-3} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{or, } 2x + 8 = 3y - 9$$

$$\text{or, } 2x - 3y = -17 \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

Subtracting eqn. (1) from eqn. (2),

$$2y = 22$$

$$\therefore y=11$$

Substituting this value of y in eqn. (i),

$$2x - 11 = 5$$

$$2x = 5 + 11$$

$$2x = 16$$

$$\therefore x=8$$

$$\text{Hence, Fraction} = \frac{8}{11}$$

OR

Suppose the speed of the train be x km/hr and the speed of the car be y km/hr.

**CASE I**

Distance covered by car is  $(600 - 120)km = 480km$ .

Now, Time taken to cover 480 km by train  $\frac{120}{x}$  hrs [ $\therefore \text{Time} = \frac{\text{Distance}}{\text{Speed}}$ ]

Time taken to cover 480 km by car =  $\frac{480}{y}$  hrs

$$\therefore \frac{120}{x} + \frac{480}{y} = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow 8 \left( \frac{15}{x} + \frac{60}{y} \right) = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{15}{x} + \frac{60}{y} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{15}{x} + \frac{60}{y} - 1 = 0 \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

**CASE II**

Distance travelled by car is  $(600 - 200)km = 400km$

Now, Time taken to cover 200km by train =  $\frac{200}{x}$  hrs

Time taken to cover 400km by train =  $\frac{400}{y}$  hrs

In this case the total time of journey is 8 hour 20 minutes

$$\therefore \frac{200}{x} + \frac{400}{y} = 8 \text{ hrs } 20 \text{ minutes}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{200}{x} + \frac{400}{y} = 8\frac{1}{3} \left[ \therefore 8 \text{ hrs } 20 \text{ minutes} = 8\frac{20}{60} \text{ hrs} = 8\frac{1}{3} \text{ hrs} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{200}{x} + \frac{400}{y} = \frac{25}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 25 \left( \frac{8}{x} + \frac{16}{y} \right) = \frac{25}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{8}{x} + \frac{16}{y} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{24}{x} + \frac{48}{y} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{24}{x} + \frac{48}{y} - 1 = 0 \dots\dots\dots(ii)$$

Putting  $\frac{1}{x} = u$  and  $\frac{1}{y} = v$  in equations (i) and (ii), we get

$$15u + 60v - 1 = 0 \dots\dots\dots(iii)$$

$$24u + 48v - 1 = 0 \dots\dots\dots(iv)$$

By using cross-multiplication, we have

$$\frac{u}{60 \times -1 - 48 \times -1} = \frac{-v}{15 \times -1 - 24 \times -1} = \frac{1}{15 \times 48 - 24 \times 60}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{u}{-60 + 48} = \frac{-v}{-15 + 24} = \frac{1}{720 - 1440}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{u}{-12} = \frac{v}{-9} = \frac{1}{-720}$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \frac{-12}{-720} = \frac{1}{60} \text{ and } v = \frac{-9}{-720} = \frac{1}{80}$$

$$\text{Now, } u = \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{60} = \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow x = 60$$

$$\text{and, } v = \frac{1}{y} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{80} = \frac{1}{y} \Rightarrow y = 80$$

Speed of train = 60 km/hr

Speed of car = 80 km/hr.

38. Given

$$\text{Volume of cistern} = 150 \times 120 \times 110 \text{ cm}^3 = 1980000 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\text{Volume of water} = 129600 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\text{Volume of one brick} = 22.5 \times 7.5 \times 6.5 \text{ cm}^3 = 1096.875 \text{ cm}^3$$

Each brick absorbs one - seventeenth of its volume of water

$$\text{Volume of water absorbed by one brick} = \frac{1}{17} \times \text{volume of brick}$$

$$= \frac{1}{17} \times 1096.875 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$= 64.52 \text{ cm}^3$$

Let n be the total number of bricks which can be put in the cistern without water overflowing. Then,

$$\text{Volume of water absorbed by n bricks} = n \times \frac{1}{17} \times 1096.875 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\therefore \text{Volume of water left in cistern} = (129600 - \frac{n}{17} \times 1096.875) \text{ cm}^3$$

Since the cistern is filled upto the brim.

Therefore, Volume of the cistern = Volume of water left in the cistern + Volume of bricks

$$1980000 = 129600 - \frac{n}{17} \times 1096.875 + n \times 1096.875$$

$$n \times 1096.875 - \frac{n}{17} \times 1096.875 = 1980000 - 129600$$

$$1096.875 \times \left( n - \frac{n}{17} \right) = 1850400$$

$$1096.875 \times \frac{16n}{17} = 1850400$$

$$17550 \times \frac{n}{17} = 1850400 \Rightarrow n = \frac{1850400 \times 17}{17550} = 1792.41$$

since the number of bricks cannot be in decimals

therefore, required number of bricks = 1792

OR

Diameter of the well = 2 m

Radius of the well, r = 1 m = 100 cm

Depth of the well, h = 14 m = 1400 cm

Height of embankment, H = 40 cm

Let the width of embankment = x cm

According to the question,

Volume of embankment = Volume of earth dug out

$$\Rightarrow \pi (R^2 - r^2) H = \pi r^2 h$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{22}{7} [(100 + x)^2 - (100)^2] \times 40 = \frac{22}{7} \times 100 \times 100 \times 1400$$

$$\Rightarrow (100 + x)^2 - (100)^2 = \frac{22 \times 100 \times 100 \times 1400}{7 \times 40} \times \frac{7}{22}$$

$$\Rightarrow 10000 + x^2 + 200x - 10000 = 350000$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 200x - 350000 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 700x - 500x - 350000 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x + 700) - 500(x + 700) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 700)(x - 500) = 0$$

$$\text{If } x + 700 = 0$$

$$x = -700$$

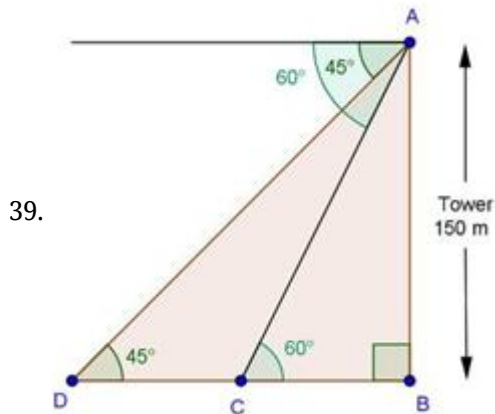
or,

$$\text{If } x - 500 = 0$$

$$x = 500$$

Since, the width cannot be negative.

Therefore, width of the embankment,  $x = 500 \text{ cm} = 5 \text{ m}$



Let AB be the tower of height 150 m and two objects are located when top of tower are observed, makes an angle of depression from the top and bottom of tower are  $45^\circ$  and  $60^\circ$

In  $\triangle ABD$

$$\tan 45^\circ = \frac{AB}{BD}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = \frac{150}{BD}$$

$$\Rightarrow BD = 150 \text{ m}$$

In  $\triangle ABC$

$$\tan 60^\circ = \frac{AB}{BC}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3} = \frac{150}{BC}$$

$$\Rightarrow BC = \frac{150}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow BC = \frac{150\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow BC = 50\sqrt{3} = 50 \times 1.732 = 86.6 \text{ m}$$

$\therefore$  Distance between two objects = DC

$$= BD - BC$$

$$= 150 - 86.6$$

$$= 63.4 \text{ m}$$

40.

Class Interval	Mid - value	$d_i = x_i - 15$	$u_i = (x_i - 15)/6$	Frequency $f_i$	$f_i u_i$
0 - 6	3	-12	-2	-1	-14
6 - 12	9	-6	-1	5	-5
12 - 18	15	0	0	10	0
18 - 24	21	6	1	12	12
24 - 30	27	12	2	6	12
				$N = 40$	$\sum f_i u_i = 5$

Let the assumed mean be (A) = 15

h=6

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Mean} &= A + h \frac{\sum f_i u_i}{N} \\ &= 15 + 6 \left( \frac{5}{40} \right) \\ &= 15 + 0.75 \\ &= 15.75\end{aligned}$$