

TEST NO.
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SSC Mains (Maths) Answer with Explanation

1. (C) $t_1 + t_2 = 10$

Total distance = x

$$T = \frac{D}{S} \Rightarrow \frac{x}{30} + \frac{x}{70} = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 420 \text{ km}$$

2. (D) $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = -(ab + bc + ca)$
 $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + ab + bc + ca = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} [(a + b)^2 + (b + c)^2 + (c + a)^2] = 0$$

$$a = -b, b = -c, c = -a$$

Its possible only when $a = b = c = 0$

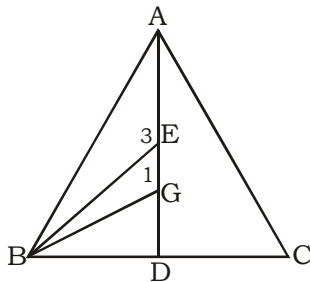
$$\therefore 3a - 2b + 5c = 0$$

3. (C) L.C.M. of (240, 144, 112) = 5040

He save ₹40

Then total money he should take
 $= 5040 + 40 = ₹5080$

4. (A) ATQ.,



$$\text{Area of } \triangle ABG = \frac{1}{3} \times \text{Area of } \triangle ABC$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \times 24 = 8 \text{ cm}^2$$

E is mid point of AD

$$DE : EG = 3 : 1$$

$$\text{Then area of } \triangle BEG = \frac{8}{4} \times 1 = 2 \text{ cm}^2$$

5. (B) Let the average expenditure per student = ₹ x

$$\Rightarrow \text{Total expenses} = ₹35x$$

$$\text{Now total expenses} = ₹(35x + 42)$$

$$\text{and New average expenditure per student} = ₹(x - 1)$$

$$= ₹(x - 1)$$

$$\therefore \frac{35x + 42}{35 + 7} = \frac{35x + 42}{42} = (x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 35x + 42 = 42x - 42$$

$$x = 12,$$

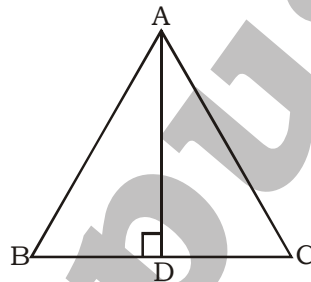
$$\therefore \text{The original expenditure} = 35 \times 12 = ₹420$$

6. (D) By option (D) $\Rightarrow x = 3$

$$\sqrt{x + 2\sqrt{x + 2\sqrt{x + 2\sqrt{3x}}}} = x$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3 + 2\sqrt{3 + 2\sqrt{3 + 2\sqrt{3 \times 3}}}} = 3$$

7. (C)



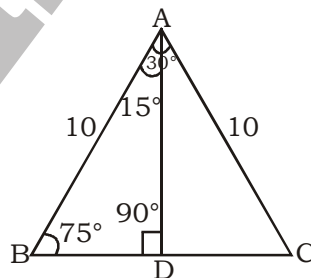
$$AD^2 = BD \cdot DC$$

$$\angle A > 45^\circ$$

$$\therefore \text{or } \angle B \geq 45^\circ$$

$$\text{or } \angle C \geq 45^\circ$$

8. (A)



Area of Triangle

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times AB \times AC \times \sin 30^\circ$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 10 \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{100}{4} = 25 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Area of } \triangle = \frac{1}{2} \times AB \times BC \times \sin 75$$

$$\Rightarrow 25 = \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times BC \times \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 100\sqrt{2} = 10BC \times (\sqrt{3} + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow BC = \left(\frac{10\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3} + 1} \right) \times \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{\sqrt{3} - 1} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow BC = \frac{10\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{3} - 1)}{2} = \frac{10(\sqrt{3} - 1)}{\sqrt{2}}$$

9. (A) $R = 14, r = 10$ cm
 $CSA = 2\pi R^2 + 2\pi r^2 + \pi(R^2 - r^2)$
 $\Rightarrow 2\pi(14)^2 + 2\pi(10)^2 + \pi(14^2 - 10^2)$
 $\Rightarrow 392\pi + 200\pi + 96\pi$
 $\Rightarrow 688\pi$ cm²
10. (D) Age of man = 50 years
 \therefore Age of his elder brother = $50 + 7 = 57$ years
 Age of his sister = $57 - 12 = 45$ years
 \Rightarrow Difference in the age of the man and his sister = $(50 - 45)$ yrs. = 5 years
 Thus when the age of his sister was 15 years, then the age of the man was = $15 + 5 = 20$ years.
11. (A) Let the four parts into which 3150 divided are a, b, c and d .
 $\Rightarrow \frac{a}{2} = \frac{b}{3} = \frac{c}{4} = \frac{d}{12} = k$
 Then, $a = 2k, b = 3k, c = 4k$ and $d = 12k$
 As, $a + b + c + d = 3150$
 $\Rightarrow (2k + 3k + 4k + 12k) = 3150$
 $\Rightarrow 21k = 3150$
 $\Rightarrow k = 150$
 Hence, the four parts are 300, 450, 600, 1800
 So, the largest part is 1800
12. (D) Let each day's salary = ₹ x
 Given, $18x + 8 \times \frac{x}{2} - 15 \times 4 = 1700$
 $\Rightarrow 22x = 1760$
 \Rightarrow Monthly Salary = $\frac{1750}{22} \times 30 = ₹2400$
13. (B) Area of circle = Area of square
 $\pi r^2 = a^2$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{r}{a} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}}$
 $\Rightarrow r = \frac{a}{\sqrt{\pi}}$
 Perimeter of eq. Δ = Perimeter of square
 $3b = 4a \Rightarrow \frac{a}{b} = \frac{3}{4} \Rightarrow b = \frac{4}{3}a$
 Area of circle: Area of equilateral triangle
 $= \pi r^2 : \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}b^2$
 $= \pi \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{\pi}}\right)^2 : \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \left(\frac{4}{3}a\right)^2$
 $= 1 : \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times \frac{16}{9}$
 $= 9 : 4\sqrt{3}$
14. (D) $\frac{\cot 5^\circ \cdot \cot 10^\circ \cdot \cot 15^\circ \cdot \cot 60^\circ \cdot \cot 75^\circ \cdot \cot 80^\circ \cdot \cot 85^\circ}{(\cos^2 20^\circ + \cos^2 70^\circ) + 2}$

$$= \frac{\tan 85^\circ \cdot \tan 80^\circ \cdot \tan 75^\circ \cdot \cot 60^\circ \cdot \cot 75^\circ \cdot \cot 80^\circ \cdot \cot 85^\circ}{(\sin^2 70^\circ + \cos^2 70^\circ) + 2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{1+2}} = \frac{1}{3\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{9}$$

15. (D) ATQ.,

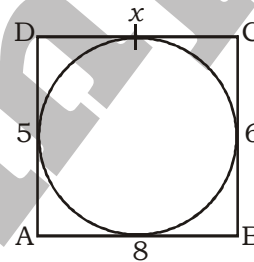
$$x + \frac{1}{x} = 99 \Rightarrow x^2 + 1 = 99x$$

$$\frac{100x}{2x^2 + 102x + 2} = \frac{50x}{x^2 + 51x + 1}$$

$$= \frac{50}{\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right) + 51}$$

$$= \frac{50}{99 + 51} = \frac{50}{150} = \frac{1}{3}$$

16. (D) $AB = 8, BC = 6, AD = 5, CD = 2$



$$\therefore AB + CD = BC + AD$$

$$\Rightarrow 8 + x = 6 + 5$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 11 - 8 = 3 \text{ cm.}$$

17. (D) Let the person invest amount x and y into two different rates of interest.

$$= \frac{x \times 10 \times 1}{100} + \frac{y \times 12 \times 1}{100} = 130$$

$$\Rightarrow 10x + 12y = 13000 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{y \times 10 \times 1}{100} + \frac{x \times 12 \times 1}{100} = 134$$

$$\Rightarrow 10y + 12x = 13400 \quad \dots(ii)$$

On solving eqs. (i) and (ii), we get
 $x = ₹700$ and $y = ₹500$

18. (D) Total weight of stone = 35 gm

Cost of stone = 12250

Cost of stone \times (weight of stone)²

C.S. = $k(w.s.)^2$

$$\Rightarrow 12250 = k(35)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 10$$

Divided into parts = 2:5

$$= \frac{2}{7} \times 35 : \frac{5}{7} \times 35 = 10 : 25 \text{ gm}$$

Cost of stone = $k(10)^2 + k(25)^2$

$$= 10[100 + 625] = ₹ 7250$$

$$\text{Loss} = 12250 - 7250 = ₹ 5000$$

19. (A) H : M
4 : 30

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Angle} &= \frac{11}{2} \times M - 30 \times H \\ &= \frac{11}{2} \times 30 - 30 \times 4 \\ &= 165 - 120 \\ &= 45^\circ = \frac{\pi}{4} \end{aligned}$$

20. (D) A in one day = $\frac{1}{12}$ parts

B in one day = $\frac{1}{8}$ parts

(A+B) in one day = $\frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{8} = \frac{5}{24}$ parts

(A+B) take = $\frac{24}{5}$ days

C takes = $\frac{4}{5} \times \frac{24}{5} = \frac{96}{25}$ days

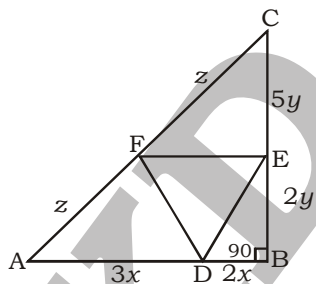
(A+B) in 3 days = $\frac{5}{24} \times 3 = \frac{5}{8}$ parts

Remaining work = $1 - \frac{5}{8} = \frac{3}{8}$ parts

C → 1 work → $\frac{96}{25}$ days

C → $\frac{3}{8}$ parts → $\frac{3}{8} \times \frac{96}{25}$ days = $1 \frac{11}{25}$ days

21. (B)



Area of $\triangle BDE = \frac{1}{2} \times 2x \times 2y$

$= 20 = \frac{1}{2} \times 2x \times 2y$

$\Rightarrow xy = 10$

Area of $\triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} \times 5x \times 7y$

$\Rightarrow \frac{35}{2} \times 10 = 175 \text{ cm}^2$

22. (A) Side of square = a

Length of rectangle = a + 5

Breadth of rectangle = a - 3

Area of square = Area of rectangle

$\Rightarrow a^2 = (a + 5)(a - 3)$

$\Rightarrow a^2 = a^2 + 5a - 3a - 15$

$\Rightarrow a^2 = a^2 + 2a - 15$

$\Rightarrow 2a = 15, a = \frac{15}{2}$

Perimeter of Rectangle = $2(a + 5 + a - 3)$

$= 2(2a + 2) = 2[15 + 2] = 34 \text{ cm}$

23. (D) Volume of sphere = $\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$

$V \propto r^3$ (Let $r = 1$), $V = 1$

New $V \propto (0.7)^3$

Decrease % = $\frac{\text{Decrease}}{\text{original}} \times 100$

$= \frac{1^3 - (0.7)^3}{1} \times 100 = \frac{1 - 0.343}{1} \times 100$

$= 0.657 \times 100 = 65.7\%$

24. (C) Let, $y = 4x^2 + 4x + 9$

$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 8x + 4$

For maxima and minima

$\frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow 8x + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{2}$

Minimum value = $4x^2 + 4x + 9$

$= 4\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 4\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) + 9$

$= 1 - 2 + 9 = 8$

25. (B) Ratio of total capital of A and B

$= 20000 \times 12 : 35000 \times 12$

$= 240000 : 420000$

Now C gives 220000 to both to make the capital equal.

\therefore A's capital : B's capital

$= 240000 : 420000$

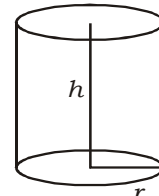
$= \frac{220000}{20000} : \frac{220000}{20000}$

\therefore Required ratio of divided amount = 1 : 10

26. (D) Side of square = $4 \times 25 = 100\text{m}$

Area of square = $(100)^2 = 1 \text{ hectare}$

27. (D)



$$\begin{aligned}
 h + r &= 30 \\
 \text{T.S.A.} &= 2640 \\
 \Rightarrow 2\pi r(r + h) &= 2640 \\
 \Rightarrow 2\pi r \times 30 &= 2640 \\
 \Rightarrow r &= \frac{2640 \times 7}{2 \times 22 \times 30} = 14, h = 16
 \end{aligned}$$

Now, $h : r = 16 : 14 = 8 : 7$

28. (D) Let the numbers of men, women and children are $3y$, $2y$ and y and their wages are $5x$, $3x$ and $2x$ respectively.

Given, $3y = 90 \Rightarrow y = 30$

Number of women = 60 and

Number of children = 30

\therefore Now, ATQ.,

Total daily wages = ₹10350

$$\Rightarrow 90 \times 5x + 60 \times 3x + 30 \times 2x = 10350$$

$$\Rightarrow x(450 + 180 + 60) = 10350$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{10350}{690} = 15$$

\therefore Daily wage of a man = $15 \times 5 = ₹75$

29. (B) $\frac{1}{1+\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{4}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}+\sqrt{5}} \dots$

$$+ \frac{1}{\sqrt{8}+\sqrt{9}}$$

On rationalising

$$= \sqrt{2} - 1 + \sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2} + \sqrt{4} - \sqrt{3} + \dots + \sqrt{9} - \sqrt{8}$$

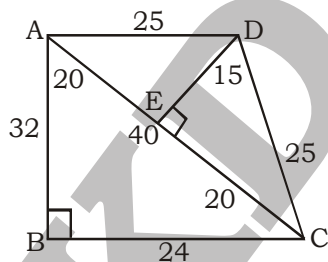
$$= \sqrt{9} - 1 = 2$$

30. (B) $\alpha + \beta = 135^\circ$

$$\alpha - \beta = 15^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = 75^\circ, \beta = 60^\circ$$

31. (D) ATQ.,



AC = 40 By pythagoras theorem

$\triangle ADC$ is isosceles

CE = 20, DE = 15

Area of ABCD = Area of $\triangle ABC$ + Area of $\triangle ADC$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 32 \times 24 + \frac{1}{2} \times 40 \times 15$$

$$= 384 + 300 = 684 \text{ m}^2$$

32. (A) $3\sin \alpha - 4\sin \beta = \frac{1}{5}$... (i)

$$7\sin \beta + 3\sin \gamma = \frac{3}{5} \quad \dots \text{(ii)}$$

Eq. (i) + eq. (ii)

$$3\sin \alpha + 3\sin \beta + 3\sin \gamma = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(\sin \alpha + \sin \beta + \sin \gamma) = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \alpha + \sin \beta + \sin \gamma = \frac{4}{15}$$

33. (B) $a = 999$

Now, $a(a^2 + 3a + 3)$

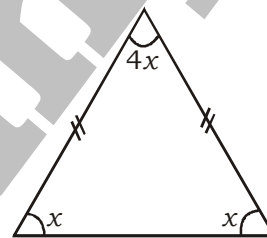
$$= a^3 + 3a^2 + 3a + 1 - 1$$

$$= (a + 1)^3 - 1 = (999 + 1)^3 - 1$$

$$= (1000)^3 - 1$$

$$= 1000000000 - 1 = 999999999$$

34. (C)



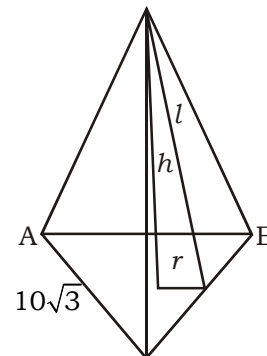
$$4x + x + x = 180$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x = 180$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 30^\circ$$

Now, $2x = 60^\circ$

35. (C)



TSA of Pyramid = $\frac{1}{2} \times \text{Perimeter of Base} \times l$ + Area of Base

$$= 270\sqrt{3} = \frac{1}{2} \times 30\sqrt{3} \times l + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times 10 \times 10 \times 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 270\sqrt{3} = \frac{30\sqrt{3}}{2}(l+5)$$

$$\Rightarrow l = 13$$

$$\text{Inradius of eq. triangle} = \frac{a}{2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{3}} = 5$$

$$\text{Now, } h^2 = l^2 - OB^2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 = 169 - 25 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 12 \text{ cm}$$

36. (B) From option (B)

Thickness = 1 cm

The inner dimension of box are

$$l = 10 - 2 = 8$$

$$b = 9 - 2 = 7$$

$$h = 7 - 2 = 5$$

$$\text{TSA} = 2(lb + bh + hl)$$

$$= 2[56 + 35 + 40]$$

$$= 262 \text{ cm}^2$$

37. (D) $\cos 12^\circ \cdot \cos 24^\circ \cdot \cos 48^\circ \cdot \cos 60^\circ \cdot \cos 84^\circ$

$$= \frac{\cos 12^\circ \cdot \cos 48^\circ \cdot \cos 72^\circ \cdot \cos 24^\circ \cdot \cos 36^\circ \cdot \cos 84^\circ \cdot \cos 60^\circ}{\cos 36^\circ \cdot \cos 72^\circ}$$

(multiplying and dividing by $\cos 72^\circ \cdot \cos 36^\circ$)

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{4} \times \cos(3 \times 12) \times \frac{1}{4} \cos(24 \times 3) \times \frac{1}{2}}{\cos 36^\circ \times \cos 72^\circ} = \frac{1}{32}$$

38. (D) $(a^2 + 2a)^2 + 12(a^2 + 2a) - 45$

$$\text{Let } (a^2 + 2a) = x$$

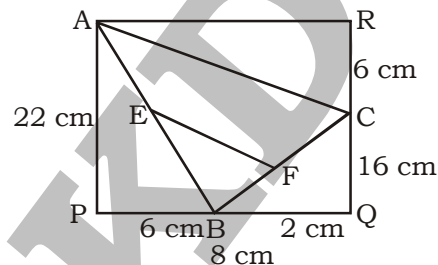
$$= x^2 + 12x - 45$$

$$= (x + 15)(x - 3)$$

$$= (a^2 + 2a + 15)(a^2 + 2a - 3)$$

$$= (a^2 + 2a + 15)(a + 3)(a - 1)$$

39. (B)



$$AC = \sqrt{8^2 + 22^2} = 10$$

In $\triangle ABC$ E & F are mid points of AB and BC

Hence, EF is half of AC and parallel to it.

$$EF = \frac{10}{2} = 5 \text{ cm}$$

40. (B) $V_1 = V_2$ and $h_1 = h_2 = h$

Volume of prism with equilateral base
= Volume of prism with hexagonal base

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times a^2 \times h = 6 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times b^2 \times h$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2}{b^2} = \frac{6}{1} \Rightarrow \frac{a}{b} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow a : b = \sqrt{6} : 1$$

41. (B) $(a^2 - b^2) \sin \theta + 2ab \cos \theta = (a^2 + b^2)$

$$\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2} \sin \theta + \frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2} \cos \theta = 1$$

On comparing with $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$

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

$$\cos \theta = \frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$\therefore \tan \theta = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{2ab}$$

42. (C) $a = \frac{xy}{x+y}, b = \frac{xz}{x+z}, c = \frac{yz}{y+z}$

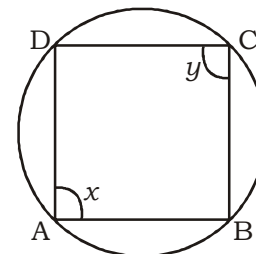
$$\frac{1}{a} = \frac{x+y}{xy}, \frac{1}{b} = \frac{x+z}{xz}, \frac{1}{c} = \frac{y+z}{yz}$$

$$\frac{1}{a} = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y}, \frac{1}{b} = \frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{x}, \frac{1}{c} = \frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{z}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{2}{x} = \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} - \frac{1}{c}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{2abc}{bc + ca - ab}$$

43. (A)



$$\angle x + \angle y = 180$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle y = 180 - \angle x$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \angle y = \sin(180 - \angle x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \angle y = \sin \angle x$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \angle y = \frac{3}{4} \quad \left[\because x = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle y = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$$

44. (C) $\frac{2}{3}\pi r^3 = 19404 \text{ cm}^3$

$$\Rightarrow r^3 = \frac{19404 \times 3 \times 7}{22 \times 2}$$

$$\Rightarrow r^3 = 441 \times 3 \times 7$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 21 \text{ cm}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \text{T.S.A.} &= 3\pi r^2 = 3 \times \frac{22}{7} \times 21 \times 21 \\ &= 4158 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

45. (B) $\frac{6}{234} \times 100 = 2.56\%$

46. (C) Wheat = $\frac{120}{560} \times 100 = 21.43\%$

$$\text{Rice} = \frac{60}{240} \times 100 = 25\%$$

$$\text{Maize} = \frac{152}{228} \times 100 = 66.67\%$$

$$\text{Other} = \frac{40}{420} \times 100 = 9.52\%$$

47. (B) 1989 = $\frac{50}{350} \times 100 = 14\frac{2}{7}\%$

$$1990 = \frac{20}{400} \times 100 = 5\%$$

$$1991 = \frac{40}{420} \times 100 = 9.52\%$$

$$1992 = \frac{40}{420} \times 100 = \frac{200}{23} = 8.69\%$$

48. (A) $\frac{1200}{100} \times 15 = 180$

49. (C) $\frac{1200}{100} \times (13 + 11) = 288$

50. (D) $\frac{22}{21} \times 100 = 104.76\%$

51. (C) ATQ.,

$$\begin{array}{l} A \rightarrow 20 \text{ days} \xrightarrow{3} \\ B \rightarrow 15 \text{ days} \xrightarrow{4} \\ C \rightarrow 12 \text{ days} \xrightarrow{5} \end{array} \rightarrow 60 \text{ units}$$

$$A+B \rightarrow 1 \text{ day} - \frac{1}{20} + \frac{1}{15} = \frac{3+4}{60} = \frac{7}{60} \text{ parts}$$

$$A+C \rightarrow 1 \text{ day} - \frac{1}{20} + \frac{1}{12} = \frac{3+5}{60} = \frac{8}{60} \text{ parts}$$

$$\text{Hence in 2 days} \rightarrow \frac{15}{60} \text{ parts over}$$

Total work = 60

Days needed = 8

52. (C) $\underbrace{(666\dots\dots 9)}_n + \underbrace{(888\dots\dots 8)}_n$

$$\left(\underbrace{111\dots\dots 1}_n \right) [8 + 6] = 14 \times \frac{[999\dots\dots 9]}{9}$$

$$= \frac{14}{9} \times [10^n - 1]$$

53. (C) Total sell = $200 + 400 + 9(600) + 2400 = 8400$

$$\text{Bonus} = \frac{8400}{100} - 1 = 83$$

$$\text{Salary} = 60 \times 12 = 720$$

$$\text{Total Income} = 720 + 83 = 803$$

$$\text{Monthly Income} = \frac{803}{12} = 66.92$$

54. (B) Let first fashion house x dress per day
Then second fashion house production = $(x + 21)$ dress/day

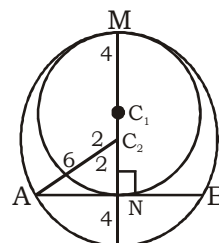
$$\left(\frac{3x + (900 - 810)}{21} \right) (x + 21) = 900$$

So, $x = 54$

So, First house production = 54

2nd house Production = $54 + 21 = 75$

55. (D)



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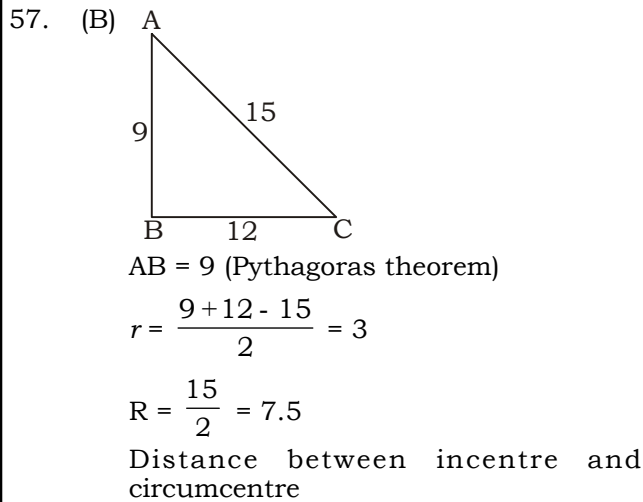
$$AN = \sqrt{32}$$

$$AN = 4\sqrt{2}$$

Max Chord = $AB = 2AN$

$$= 2 \times 4\sqrt{2} = 8\sqrt{2}$$

56. (B) $\left[20 \left(1 + \frac{20}{100} \right)^3 - 32 \left(1 - \frac{25}{100} \right)^3 \right]$ lakh
 = 2106000 lakhs



$$d = \sqrt{12^2 - 2Rr}$$

$$= \sqrt{(7.5)^2 - 2 \times (7.5)(3)}$$

$$= \sqrt{56.25 - 45}$$

$$= 3.35$$

58. (C) $\frac{1 + 1 + 3 + 1 + 3 + 5 + 1 + 3 + 5 + 7 + \dots}{1 + 4 + 9 + 16 \dots}$
 $\frac{1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + 4^2 \dots n}{\frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}}$

59. (B) $\frac{d}{dx} (x^2 + 16x + 20) = 0$
 $2x + 16 = 0$
 $x = -8$
 Put the value of $x = -8$ for min. value
 $(-8)^2 + 16(-8) + 20 = 0$
 $= -44$

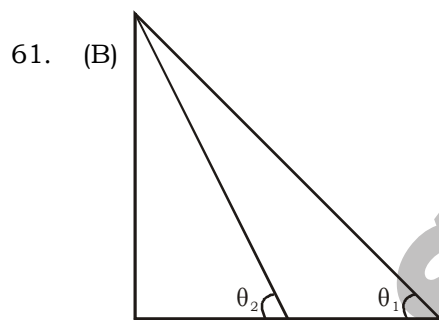
60. (D) $x + y + z = 0$
 $x + y = -z$
 $x^2 + y^2 + 2xy = (-z)^2$
 $x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = -2xy$
 Similarly,
 $y^2 + z^2 - x^2 = -2yz$
 $x^2 + z^2 - y^2 = -2xz$

Now, $\frac{1}{x^2 + y^2 - z^2} + \frac{1}{y^2 + z^2 - x^2} + \frac{1}{z^2 - x^2 - y^2}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-1}{2xy} - \frac{1}{2yx} - \frac{1}{2xz}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{xy} + \frac{1}{yz} + \frac{1}{zx} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-1}{2} \left[\frac{x+y+z}{xyz} \right] = 0$$



$$\tan \theta_1 = \frac{5}{12}, \tan \theta_2 = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\therefore d = h (\cot \theta_1 - \cot \theta_2)$$

$$h \left(\frac{12}{5} - \frac{4}{3} \right) = h \times \frac{16}{15}$$

$$192 = \frac{h \times 16}{15}$$

$$h = 15 \times 12 = 180\text{m}$$

62. (D)

G	B
378	675
27 × 14	27 × 25

No. of students in a section = 27

So No. of total sections = 14 + 25 = 39

63. (B) Increase in expenditure

$$= \frac{2400}{18} \times 28 \times \frac{7}{100} = ₹262$$

64. (A) Change = 8% P.A.
 Again and 1% P.A.
 Net Change in one year

$$= 8 + 1 + \frac{8 \times 1}{100} = 9.08$$

Change in 2nd year

$$= 9.08 + 9.08 + \frac{9.08 \times 9.08}{100} = 18.984$$

65. (C) Cost of one toffes = ₹ $\frac{75}{125}$

Cost of one million toffes at 40% off

$$= \frac{75}{125} \times 1000000 \times \frac{60}{100} = ₹3,60,000$$

66. (C) C.P = 100/- of 110 gms.

M.P = 120/-

D = 10/-

$$S.P = \frac{90}{100} \times 120 = 108/- \text{ of } 90 \text{ gms}$$

C.P of 110 gm = 100/-

$$\text{C.P of 100 gm} = \frac{100 \times 100}{110} / -$$

$$\text{C.P} = \frac{1000}{11} / -$$

$$\text{S.P of 90 gms} = 108 / -$$

$$\text{S.P of 100 gm} = \frac{108 \times 100}{90}$$

$$\text{S.P} = \frac{1080}{90}$$

$$P \% = \frac{\frac{1080}{90} - \frac{1000}{11}}{\frac{1000}{11}} \times 100\%$$

$$= \frac{1080 \times 11 - 9000}{11 \times 9} \times \frac{11}{1000} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{1080 \times 11 - 9000}{90} \times 32\%$$

Short Cut:

$$\text{₹ 1000} \rightarrow \text{₹ 1100}$$

While purchasing

$$P = 10\%$$

While selling

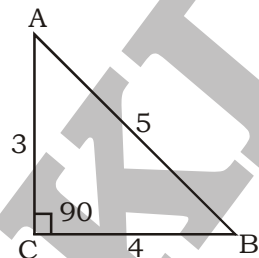
$$\text{₹ 900} = 1000 \times \frac{120}{100} \times \frac{90}{100}$$

$$900 = 1080 / -$$

$$P \% = \frac{180}{900} \times 100 = 20\%$$

$$\text{Eff \%} = 10 + 20 + \frac{10 \times 20}{100} = 32\%$$

67. (C)



Volume of cone formed on rotating around BC

$$= \frac{1}{3} \pi \times 3 \times 3 \times 4 = 12 \pi$$

Volume of rotating around AB

$$= \frac{1}{3} \pi \times 4 \times 4 \times 3 = 16 \pi$$

$$\% \text{ increase} = \frac{\text{Income}}{\text{Original}} \times 100$$

$$\text{Now, } x = \frac{4\pi}{12\pi} \times 100 = \frac{100}{3} = 33 \frac{1}{3}$$

68. (D)	A	B	C
SP	8x	9x	5x
%P	8y	7y	14y
=	$\frac{1}{7}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$

$$8y \Rightarrow 14.28\% = \frac{1}{7}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{7} \times 8 \Rightarrow 7y = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$\text{CP of B} = 400$$

$$\text{SP of B} = 400 \times \frac{9}{8} = 450$$

$$9x + 450$$

$$x = 50$$

$$\text{SP of A} = 400$$

$$\text{CP of A} = \frac{400}{8} \times 7 = 350$$

$$\text{SP of C} = 250$$

$$\text{CP of C} = \frac{250}{5} \times 4 = 200$$

$$\% \text{ Net Profit} = \frac{\text{Net profit}}{\text{Total CP}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{50 + 50 + 50}{350 + 400 + 200} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{150}{950} \times 100 = 15.78\%$$

69. (D) ATQ,

$$10 \text{ CP} = 6 \text{ SP and } 10 \text{ D} = 5 \text{ P}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\text{CP}}{\text{SP}} = \frac{6}{10} \Rightarrow \frac{3}{5} \quad \frac{\text{D}}{\text{P}} = \frac{5}{10} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Profit percentage} = \frac{2}{3} \times 100 = 66 \frac{2}{3}\%$$

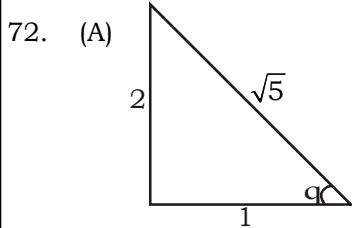
$$\text{Percentage of D} = \frac{1}{6} \times 100 = 16 \frac{2}{3}\%$$

Difference between P% and D%

$$= 66 \frac{2}{3}\% - 16 \frac{2}{3}\% = 50\%$$

70. (A) Given that,
 $x^2 - kx - 21 = 0$... (i)
 $x^2 - 3kx - 35 = 0$... (ii)
 From eq (ii) - eq (i), we get
 $kx^2 = 28$... (iii)
 $x^2 = 49$
 $x = \pm 7$
 Put the value of x in eqⁿ (3)
 $k \times (\pm 7) = 28$

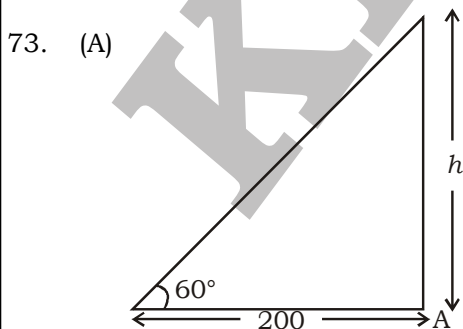
71. (A) $x^3 + 3x^2y + 2xy^2$
 $x^3 + 2x^2y + x^2y + 2xy^2$
 $x^2(x + 2y) + xy(x + 2y)$
 $(x^2 + xy)(x + 2y)$
 $x(x + y)(x + 2y)$... (i)
 $x^4 + 6x^3y + 8x^2y^2$
 $x^4 + 4x^3y + 2x^3y = 8x^2y^2$
 $x^3(x + 4y) + 2x^2y + 8x^2y^2$
 $(x^3 + 2x^2y)(x + 4y)$
 $x^2(x + 2y)(x + 4y)$... (ii)
 H.C.F of (1 & 2)
 HCF = $x(x + 2y)$



$\tan \theta = 2, \sin \theta = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$ and $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$

Now, $\frac{8 \sin \theta + 5 \cos \theta}{\sin^3 \theta + 2 \cos^3 \theta + 3 \cos \theta}$

$$= \frac{8 \times \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} + 5 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}}{\frac{8}{5\sqrt{5}} + \frac{2}{5\sqrt{5}} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{5}}} = \frac{\frac{21}{\sqrt{5}}}{\frac{25}{5\sqrt{5}}} = \frac{21}{5}$$



$\tan 60^\circ = \frac{h}{200}$

$h = 200\sqrt{3}$ meter

Speed of the balloon = $\frac{200\sqrt{3}}{90}$

= 3.87 meter/sec

74. (C) $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{7} = \frac{1}{x+7} \Rightarrow \frac{70+x}{7x} = \frac{1}{(x+7)}$

$\Rightarrow (x+7)^2 = 7x$

$\Rightarrow x^2 + 49 + 14x = 7x$

$\Rightarrow x^2 + 7x + 49 = 0$

Multiplying both side $(x-7)$

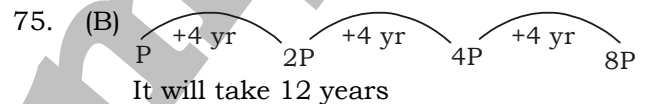
$\Rightarrow (x-7)(x^2 + 7x + 49) = 0$

$\Rightarrow x^3 - 7^3 = 0 \Rightarrow x^3 - 343 = 0$

Now, $x^{49} - 343x^{46} + x^3 + 17$

$\Rightarrow x^{46}(x^3 - 343) + x^3 + 17$

$\Rightarrow 346 \times 0 + 343 + 17 \Rightarrow 360$



76. (C)

CP	SP	MP
100	126	140

Tax 10% on profit = $26 \times \frac{10}{100} = 2.6$

Net Profit = $26 - 2.6 = 23.4$

$CP - \frac{468}{23.4} \times 100 = 2000$

77. (D)

CP	SP	MP	Profit 25%
60	75	100	$CP = \frac{75}{125} \times 100$

If Discount is 10%

CP	D	SP	MP
60	10%	90	100

% Profit = $\frac{30}{60} \times 100 = 50\%$

78. (D) Age of Father = x yr
 Age of Son = y yr
 After 6 yr
 $(x + 6) = 3(y + 6)$
 $x - 3y = 12$... (i)

Before 3 yr
 $(x - 3) = 9(y - 3)$
 $x - 9y = -24$... (ii)

From eq. (i) and (ii)

Age of father $x = 30$ yr

79. (D) Unit digit of $(2457)^{754}$
 $7^2 = 9$ Unit digit

80. (B) $x(y-z)(y+z) + y(z+x)(z-x) + z(x-y)(x+y)$
 Put, $x = 1$
 $y = 2$
 $z = 3$
 $1(-1)(5) + 2(2)(4) + 3(-1)(3) = 2$
 By option (B)
 $(x-y)(x-z)(z-y) = (-1)(-2)(1) = 2$

81. (A) $(x+3)^3 + \frac{1}{(x+3)^3} = ?$
 $x^2 + x = 5$... (i)
 $x + 3 = k$
 $x = k - 3$
 Put the value of x in eq. (i)
 $(k-3)^2 + (k-3) = 5$
 $k^2 - 6k + 9 + k - 3 = 5$
 $k^2 - 5k + 6 = 5$
 $k + \frac{1}{k} = 5$

So, $k^3 + \frac{1}{k^3} = (5)^3 - 3(5)$
 $= 110$
 82. (D) Let x can complete the work in t days
 Eff.
 $(t+3) \rightarrow t$ days
 $(t) \rightarrow t+3$ days
 Total work = $t(t+3)$
 $4 \times (t+3) + 10(t) = t(t+3)$
 $\Rightarrow t = 12, -1$
 So, $t = 12$ days
 $\Rightarrow y = 12 + 3 = 15$ days

83. (D) $x = \frac{3+\sqrt{5}}{2}$
 $\frac{1}{x} = \frac{2}{3+\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{3-\sqrt{5}} = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}$
 $x + \frac{1}{x} = \frac{3+\sqrt{5}}{2} + \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}$
 $x + \frac{1}{x} = \frac{6}{2} = 3$
 Now, $x^3 + \frac{1}{x^3} = \left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)^3 - 3\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)$
 $= 27 - 3 \times 3$
 $= 18$

84. (C) Let the number of workers be x.
 A.T.Q.,
 $x \times 8500 = 7 \times 10000 + (x-7) 78000$
 $\Rightarrow 85x = 700 + 78(x-7)$
 $\Rightarrow 85x - 78x = 700 - 546$
 $\Rightarrow 7x = 154$
 $\Rightarrow x = \frac{154}{7} = 22$

85. (C) 1. $\operatorname{cosec}^2 x + \sec^2 x = \operatorname{cosec}^2 x \cdot \sec^2 x$

L.H.S. $\frac{1}{\sin^2 x} + \frac{1}{\cos^2 x}$

$= \frac{\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x}{\sin^2 x \cdot \cos^2 x}$
 $= \operatorname{cosec}^2 x \cdot \sec^2 x$

2. $\sec^2 x + \tan^2 x = \sec^2 x \cdot \tan^2 x$
 L.H.S.

$= \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} + \frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} = \frac{1 + \sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x}$
 \neq R.H.S.

3. $\operatorname{cosec}^2 x + \tan^2 x = \cot^2 x + \sec^2 x$

L.H.S.
 $= 1 + \cot^2 x + \tan^2 x$
 $= \cot^2 x + \sec^2 x =$ R.H.S.

1 and 3 are correct.

86. (D) $\sqrt{3} \sin \theta + \cos \theta = 2$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sin \theta + \frac{1}{2} \cos \theta = 1$

$\Rightarrow \cos 30^\circ \sin \theta + \sin 30^\circ \cos \theta = \cos 0$

$\Rightarrow \cos(30^\circ - \theta) = \cos 0$

$\Rightarrow 30^\circ - \theta = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = 30^\circ$

Now, $\sqrt{3} \cos \theta - \sin \theta \Rightarrow \sqrt{3} \cos 30^\circ - \sin 30^\circ$

$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{1}{2} = 1$

87. (C) Suppose the cost price of each TV = ₹x

Then, $(x - 9400) = 2(10600 - x)$

$\Rightarrow x - 9400 = 21200 - 2x$

$\Rightarrow 3x = 21200 + 9400$

$\Rightarrow 3x = 30600$

$\Rightarrow x = \frac{39600}{3} = ₹10200$

88. (A) The difference between C.I. and S.I. for the interest as the first year's interest

S.I. for the first year = $\frac{100}{2} = ₹ 50$

C.I. - S.I. = $105 - 100 = ₹ 5$

Interest on ₹50 for 1 years = ₹ 5

or, $5 = \frac{50 \times 1 \times R}{100}$

or, $r = 10\%$

Again S.I. = $\frac{P \times R \times T}{100}$

$\Rightarrow 100 = \frac{P \times 10 \times 2}{100}$

or, $P = ₹ 500$

89. (B) Let the weight of Mr. Gupta and Mrs. Gupta be $7x$ kg and $8x$ kg respectively.
Then, $7x + 8x = 120$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{120}{15} = 8 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{Mr Gupts} = 7 \times 8 = 56 \text{ kg}$$

After taking dieting, weight of Mr. Gupta = $56 - 6 = 50$ kg and ratio of their weight

$$= \frac{50}{x} = 5 : 6, x = 60 \text{ kg}$$

So, Mrs. Gupta reduced weight
= $64 - 60 = 4$ kg

90. (D) $A \times 1.2 \times 0.75 = B \times 1.25 \times 0.8$
 $\Rightarrow A \times 0.9 = B \times 1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{B}{A} = \frac{0.9}{1} = \frac{9}{10}$$

$$\therefore B : A = 9 : 10$$

91. (A) $a = \frac{\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{2}}, b = \frac{\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{2}}$

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

$$= \frac{3+2-2\sqrt{6}+3+2+2\sqrt{6}}{(3-2)}$$

$$a + b = 10, ab = 1$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{a^2}{b} + \frac{b^2}{a} \Rightarrow \frac{a^3 + b^3}{ab}$$

$$= \frac{(a+b)^3 - 3ab(a+b)}{ab} = \frac{1000 - 3(10)}{1}$$

$$= 970$$

92. (D) Total quantity of milk
= $2 \times 0.9 + 5 \times 0.8 + 9 \times 0.7 = 12.1$ litre
Milk concentration in the resultant mixture

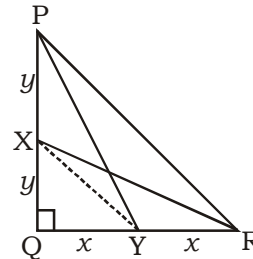
$$= \frac{12.1}{2+5+9} \times 100 = 75.625\%$$

Water concentration in the resultant mixture

$$= 100 - 75.625\% = 24.735\%$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Milk : Water} = \frac{75625}{24735} = 121:39$$

93. (D)



$$PY^2 = 4y^2 + x^2$$

$$RX^2 = 4x^2 + y^2$$

$$RX^2 + PY^2 = 5x^2 + 5y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow RX^2 + PY^2 = 5[x^2 + y^2]$$

$$\Rightarrow RX^2 + PY^2 = 5XY^2 \quad \dots\text{option (A)}$$

$$\Rightarrow RX^2 + PY^2 = XY^2 + 4XY^2$$

$$\Rightarrow RX^2 + PY^2 = XY^2 + 4[x^2 + y^2]$$

$$\Rightarrow RX^2 + PY^2 = XY^2 + PR^2 \quad \dots\text{option (B)}$$

$$[\because PR^2 = 4x^2 + 4y^2]$$

$$\Rightarrow RX^2 + PY^2 = 5[x^2 + y^2]$$

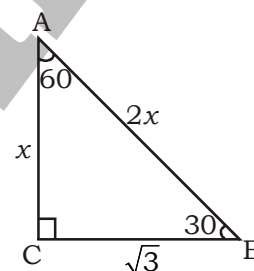
$$\Rightarrow RX^2 + PY^2 = 5 \frac{PR^2}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4(RX^2 + PY^2) = 5 PR^2$$

$$\dots\text{option (C)}$$

\therefore Option D is incorrect.

94. (A)



$$A = 60^\circ, B = 30^\circ, C = 90^\circ$$

$$\text{Now, } 3x + \sqrt{3}x = 6 + 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2$$

$$\therefore \text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} \times x \times \sqrt{3} = \sqrt{3}$$

95. (C) \because (llgm ABCD) and (llgm ABMN) are on the same base and between the same parallels.

$$\therefore \text{ar(llgm ABCD)} = \text{ar(llgm ABMN)}$$

$$\therefore \text{ar(llgm ABCD)} = 80 \text{ sq. unit}$$

Again, DAPN and llgm (ABMN) are on the same base and between the same parallels.

$$\therefore \text{ar}(\triangle APN) = \frac{1}{2} \text{ar(llgm ABMN)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 80 \text{ sq. units}$$

$$= 40 \text{ sq. units.}$$

96.(C) Required answer

$$= \frac{35 \times 30}{100} + \frac{35 \times 15}{100} + \frac{35 \times 15}{100}$$

$$= \frac{35}{100} (30 + 15 + 15)$$

$$= \frac{35 \times 60}{100} = 21 \text{ lakhs}$$

97.(D) Percentage variation in

$$\text{Model A} = \frac{40 - 30}{30} \times 100 = 33 \frac{1}{3} \%$$

$$\text{Model B} = \frac{20 - 15}{15} \times 100 = 33 \frac{1}{3} \%$$

$$\text{Model C} = \frac{15 - 20}{20} \times 100 = -25\%$$

98.(A) Required difference

$$= \frac{44 \times 20}{100} - \frac{35 \times 15}{100}$$

$$= \frac{880 - 525}{100} = \frac{355}{100} \text{ lakhs}$$

$$= 355000$$

99.(B) Required production

$$= \frac{44 \times 30}{100} \text{ lakhs} = 13,20,000$$

100. (C) Required answer

$$= 35 \times \frac{10}{100} \times \frac{15}{100} + 44 \times \frac{10}{100} \times \frac{15}{100}$$

$$= \frac{150}{10000} \times 79 = 1.1850 \text{ lakhs}$$

$$= ₹ 1,18,500$$

SSC TIER II (MATHS) MOCK TEST - 53 (ANSWER KEY)

1. (C)	11. (A)	21. (B)	31. (D)	41. (B)	51. (C)	61. (B)	71. (A)	81. (A)	91. (A)
2. (D)	12. (D)	22. (A)	32. (A)	42. (C)	52. (C)	62. (D)	72. (A)	82. (D)	92. (D)
3. (C)	13. (B)	23. (D)	33. (B)	43. (A)	53. (C)	63. (B)	73. (A)	83. (D)	93. (D)
4. (A)	14. (D)	24. (C)	34. (C)	44. (C)	54. (B)	64. (A)	74. (C)	84. (C)	94. (A)
5. (B)	15. (D)	25. (B)	35. (C)	45. (B)	55. (D)	65. (C)	75. (B)	85. (C)	95. (C)
6. (D)	16. (D)	26. (D)	36. (B)	46. (C)	56. (B)	66. (C)	76. (C)	86. (D)	96. (C)
7. (C)	17. (D)	27. (D)	37. (D)	47. (B)	57. (B)	67. (C)	77. (D)	87. (C)	97. (D)
8. (A)	18. (D)	28. (D)	38. (D)	48. (A)	58. (C)	68. (D)	78. (D)	88. (A)	98. (A)
9. (A)	19. (A)	29. (B)	39. (B)	49. (C)	59. (B)	69. (D)	79. (D)	89. (B)	99. (B)
10. (D)	20. (D)	30. (B)	40. (B)	50. (D)	60. (D)	70. (A)	80. (B)	90. (D)	100. (C)

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