

**SSC MAINS (MATHS) MOCK TEST-12 (SOLUTION)**

1. (B) Required ratio =  $(\sqrt{2})^2 : (1)^2 = 2 : 1$

2. (A)  $(64)^2 - (36)^2 = 20K$   
 $(64 + 36)(64 - 36) = 20K$   
 $20K = 28 \times 100$   
 $K = 140$

3. (D)  $\angle ACB = 88^\circ$  ( $\therefore$  exterior angle)  
 $\angle BAC = 180^\circ - (88^\circ + 54^\circ) = 38^\circ$   
 $\angle BOC = 2 \times 38^\circ = 76^\circ$

4. (A) Total profit earned = ₹ 60000  
 Profit remain after reinvesting 40% profit

$$= ₹ \left( 60000 \times \frac{60}{100} \right)$$

$$= ₹ 36000$$

ATQ,

Amount spent on advertisement

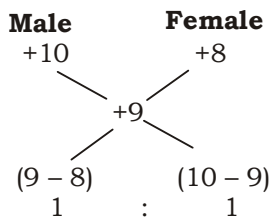
$$= ₹ 36000 \times \left( 1 - \frac{30}{100} - \frac{20}{100} \right)$$

$$= ₹ 18000$$

5. (B)  $NP = 208 \times \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{4} \times 4$

$$= ₹ 52/\text{kg}$$

6. (D) Total population of town = 8000



Ratio of male and female = 1 : 1

$$\text{Population of females} = \frac{1}{2} \times 8000$$

$$= 4000$$

$$\text{Population of males} = \frac{1}{2} \times 8000$$

$$= 4000$$

If 75% of population is females then

$$\text{Number of females} = \frac{75}{100} \times 8000$$

$$= 6000$$

$$\text{Number of males to be added to females}$$

$$= 4000 - (6000 - 4000)$$

$$= 2000$$

7. (B)  $100 \times \frac{133}{2} \times \frac{400}{3 \times 80} \times 100 = \frac{500}{3}$

$$SP = \frac{500}{3} \times \frac{90}{100} = 150$$

Profit % = 50%

8. (C) Selling price of merchant = ₹ 56100

Loss = 15%

Cost price of merchant

$$= ₹ \left( 56100 \times \frac{100}{85} \right)$$

$$= ₹ 66000$$

Selling price of wholesale dealer

= cost price of merchant = ₹ 66000

Cost price of wholesale dealer

= selling price of manufacturer

$$= ₹ \left( 66000 \times \frac{100}{120} \right)$$

$$= ₹ 55000$$

Cost price of manufacturer

$$= ₹ \left( 55000 \times \frac{100}{110} \right)$$

$$= ₹ 50,000$$

9. (C)  $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x+5} = \frac{1}{x-4}$

$$\frac{x+5+x}{x(x+5)} = \frac{1}{(x-4)}$$

$$(2x+5)(x-4) = x^2 + 5x$$

$$2x^2 - 8x + 5x - 20 = x^2 + 5x$$

$$x^2 - 8x - 20 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 10x + 2x - 20 = 0$$

$$x(x-10) + 2(x-10) = 0$$

$$(x-10)(x+2) = 0$$

$$x = 10$$

Time taken by Ist pipe =  $(x+5)$  hrs.

$$= 10 + 5 = 15 \text{ hrs.}$$

10. (A) Sum after 2 years if compounded annually

$$= ₹ 4624$$

Sum after 3 years if compounded annually

$$= ₹ 4913$$

$$\text{So, initial sum} = ₹ \left[ 4624 \times \left( \frac{4624}{4913} \right)^2 \right]$$

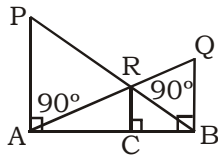
$$= ₹ 4096$$

11. (C) It must be multiple of 3.

12. (A)  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are roots of equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } \alpha + \beta &= -\frac{b}{a} \\ \alpha\beta &= \frac{c}{a} \\ \alpha^2 + \beta^2 &= (\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta \\ &= \left(-\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 - 2 \times \frac{c}{a} \\ &= \frac{b^2}{a^2} - \frac{2ac}{a^2} \\ &= \frac{b^2 - 2ac}{a^2} \end{aligned}$$

13. (D)



$\Delta BRC \sim \Delta BPA$

$$\frac{x}{y} = \frac{BC}{AB} \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

$\Delta ARC \sim \Delta AQB$

$$\frac{y}{z} = \frac{AC}{AB} \dots\dots\dots(ii)$$

$$\frac{y}{x} + \frac{y}{z} = \frac{BC}{AB} + \frac{AC}{AB}$$

$$y \left( \frac{z+x}{xz} \right) = \frac{BC+AC}{AB} = \frac{AB}{AB}$$

$$y = \frac{xz}{x+z}$$

$$yx + yz = xz$$

14. (D)

$$\begin{aligned} \angle ACB &= \angle PAB = 80^\circ \\ \angle ACQ &= 180^\circ - 80^\circ = 100^\circ \\ \angle CAQ &= \angle ABC = 30^\circ \\ \angle AQC &= 180^\circ (\angle ACQ + \angle CAQ) \\ &= 180^\circ - (100^\circ + 30^\circ) = 50^\circ \end{aligned}$$

15. (B)

Let the obstruction remained for A minutes only.

$\therefore$  Part of cistern filled in A minutes + Part of cistern filled in 3 minutes = cistern filled.

$$\left[ \left( \frac{7}{8} \times \frac{A}{12} \right) + \left( \frac{5}{6} \times \frac{A}{16} \right) + \left( \frac{3}{12} + \frac{3}{16} \right) \right] = 1$$

$$\frac{12A}{96} + \frac{7}{16} = 1$$

A = 4.5 minutes

16. (B)  $\sin^6 A + \cos^6 A + 3 \sin^2 A \cos^2 A$   
 $= (\sin^2 A)^3 + (\cos^2 A)^3 + 3 \sin^2 A \cos^2 A$   
 $(\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A)$   
 $= (\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A)^3$   
 $= (1)^3 = 1$

17. (A)  $\frac{100}{100} \frac{100+x\%}{100-x}$   
 $\frac{10,000}{10,000} \frac{10000-x^2}{10,000-x^2} \xrightarrow{1}$   
 $\downarrow \times 1 \quad \times 1$   
 $\frac{10,000}{10,000-x^2}$

18. (D) Let the mixture of two containers be added together in the ratio of x : y

$$\left( \frac{\frac{2}{3}x + \frac{4}{5}y}{x+y} \right) \times 100 = 70$$

$$\frac{10x+12y}{15(x+y)} \times 10 = 7$$

$$100x+120y = 105x+105y$$

$$5x = 15y$$

$$x : y = 3 : 1$$

19. (B) Arithmetic =  $10 \times \frac{70}{100} = 7$

$$\text{Algebra} = 30 \times \frac{40}{100} = 12$$

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

$$\text{Total} = 40$$

$$\text{Required no} = 75 \times \frac{60}{100} = 45 - 40 = 5$$

20. (D)

	Spirit	Water	
Jar A	2	3)	$\times 6 \times 3 = 36 : 54$
Jar B	3	7)	$\times 3 \times 4 = 36 : 84$
Jar C	4	11)	$\times 2 \times 5 = 40 : 110$
			$112 : 248$
			$14 : 31$

Ratio of spirit and water in mixture = 14 : 31

21. (C)  $(P+2)^2 = P^2 + 2P + 4$

22. (A)

23. (A)  $x + y = 4$  and  $x - y = 3$

Square both sides

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

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2xy = 16 \dots(i)$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2xy = 9 \dots(ii)$$

Subtracting equations (ii) from (i)

$$\text{then } 4xy = 7$$

$$xy = \frac{7}{4}$$

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- On adding (i) and (ii) we have  $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{25}{2}$
- ATQ,  $16 \times \left(\frac{25}{2}\right) \times \frac{7}{4}$   
 $= 14 \times 25 = 350$
24. (B)  $\sqrt{\frac{100[(0.003)^2 + (0.021)^2 + (0.0065)^2]}{(0.003)^2 + (0.021)^2 + (0.0065)^2}}$   
 $= \sqrt{100} = 10$
25. (C)  $CD \parallel AB$ ,  $BD$  is transversal  
 $\therefore \angle CDB = \angle DBA = 45^\circ$   
 $AD \parallel BC$   
 $\angle DAB + \angle ABC = 180^\circ$   
 $\angle ABC = 180^\circ - 75^\circ = 105^\circ$   
 $\angle CBD = 105^\circ - 45^\circ = 60^\circ$
26. (D) Average age of A, B and C = 4 years  
 $A + B + C = 12$   
 By Hit and Trial method  
 Ratio of age = 3 : 4 : 5  
 Ratio of square of ages = 9 : 16 : 25  
 Ratio of chocolates = 9 : 16 : 25  
 Respective chocolates of A, B and C = 9, 16, 25
27. (C)  $\angle PQR + \angle PSR = 180^\circ$   
 $\angle PQR + 95^\circ = 180^\circ$   
 $\angle PQR = 85^\circ$   
 Now,  $RY \parallel PQ$  and  $RQ$  is the transversal.  
 $\angle QRY = \angle PQR = 85^\circ$   
 [Alternate Interior Angles]  
 $\angle QRX = 85^\circ + 20^\circ = 105^\circ$   
 $\angle SRQ = 180 - 105^\circ = 75^\circ$   
 Now,  $\angle QPS + \angle QRS = 180^\circ$   
 $\angle QPS + 75^\circ = 180^\circ$   
 $\angle QPS = 105^\circ$
28. (C) Age of mother when Deepak was born = 36 years  
 Age of Priya when Deepak was born = 4 years  
 Age of father when Priya was born = 38 years  
 Age of father when Deepak was born =  $(38 + 4) = 42$  years  
 Difference of ages of the parents =  $(42 - 36)$  years = 6 years
29. (B) If  $x = y = z = 1$  then  
 Put value :  
 $= (3)^3 - (1)^3 - (1)^3 - (1)^3$   
 $= 27 - 3 = 24 = 24xyz$
30. (C) Let number of candidates who applied =  $x$   
 Eligible candidates =  $\frac{80}{100}x$   
 Candidates of other category =  $\frac{20}{100} \times \frac{80}{100}x$   
 $= \frac{16}{100}x$   
 ATQ,
- $\frac{16}{100}x = 8000$   
 $x = 50000$   
 Total number of candidates who applied for the exam = 50000
31. (C) Distance covered in 1 Litre petrol with 50 km/h speed = 19.5 km  
 Hence, this distance will cover with 70 km/h speed in 1.3 litres.  
 then distance covered in 1 litre with 70 km/h Speed  
 $= \frac{19.5}{1.3} = 15$  km  
 then distance covered in 10 litres diesel with 70 km/h. Speed =  $10 \times 15 = 150$  km
32. (D) Monthly savings of the person = ₹ 3645  
 ATQ,  
 Monthly savings of the person  
 $= 100 \times \frac{(100-40)}{100} \times \frac{(100-20)}{100} \times \frac{(100-37\frac{1}{2})}{100}$   
 $\times \frac{(100-10)}{100} \times \frac{(100-10)}{100} \times \frac{(100-40)}{100}$   
 $= 14.58\%$   
 Monthly salary = ₹  $\left(3645 \times \frac{100}{14.58}\right)$   
 $= ₹ 25000$
33. (A) Let marked price = 100  
 ATQ,  
 $100 \times \frac{70}{100} \times \frac{85}{100} = 476$   
 $59.5 = 476$   
 $MP = 476 \times \frac{100}{59.5}$   
 $= ₹ 800$
34. (B)  $\frac{x-a^2}{b^2+c^2} + \frac{x-b^2}{c^2+a^2} + \frac{x-c^2}{a^2+b^2} = 3$   
 $\frac{x-a^2}{b^2+c^2} - 1 + \frac{x-b^2}{c^2+a^2} - 1 + \frac{x-c^2}{a^2+b^2} - 1 = 0$   
 $\frac{x^2-a^2-b^2-c^2}{b^2+c^2} + \frac{x^2-a^2-b^2-c^2}{c^2+a^2} + \frac{x^2-a^2-b^2-c^2}{a^2+b^2} = 0$   
 $(x-a^2-b^2-c^2) \left[ \frac{1}{b^2+c^2} + \frac{1}{c^2+a^2} + \frac{1}{a^2+b^2} \right] = 0$   
 So,  $x - a^2 - b^2 - c^2 = 0$   
 $x = a^2 + b^2 + c^2$
35. (B) The weight of the boxes are I<sup>st</sup> box → 200 Kg  
 Weight of III<sup>rd</sup> box → 250 Kg  
 2<sup>nd</sup> box → 300 Kg  
 4<sup>th</sup> box → 350 Kg

5<sup>th</sup> box → 500 Kg

Hence difference between the havier 4 and the lighter 4 is 300.

So difference in the averages is 75 kg.

36. (A) Given  $\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)^2 = 3 \Rightarrow x + \frac{1}{x} = \sqrt{3}$

So,  $x^6 + 1 = 0$

Now,

$$x^{206} + x^{200} + x^{90} + x^{84} + x^{18} + x^{12} + x^6 + 1 = x^{200}(x^6 + 1) + x^{84}(x^6 + 1) + x^{12}(x^6 + 1) + x^6 + 1 = 0 [\because x^6 + 1 = 0]$$

37. (B) H = Height of pyramid  
h = Slant height

Height of pyromid =  $\sqrt{h^2 - \left(\frac{10\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{3}}\right)^2}$

H =  $\sqrt{(13)^2 - \left(\frac{10\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{3}}\right)^2}$

H = 12 cm

Volume of Pyramid =  $\frac{1}{3} \times \text{Area of base} \times \text{Height}$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times (10\sqrt{3})^2 \times 12 = 300\sqrt{3} \text{ cm}^3$$

38. (C) Marked price =  $6580 \times \frac{100}{(100 - 30)} = ₹ 9400$

39. (B)  $x + \frac{1}{x} = 1$

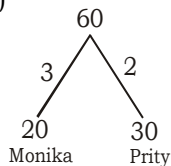
$x^3 = -1$

$$x^{17} + \frac{1}{x^{17}} \Rightarrow \frac{x^{18}}{x} + \frac{x}{x^{18}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(-1)^6}{x} + \frac{x}{(-1)^6}$$

$$\Rightarrow x + \frac{1}{x} = 1$$

40. (A)



10 days work of Monika =  $3 \times 10 = 30$  units

Required days =  $\frac{60 - 30}{3 + 2}$  days

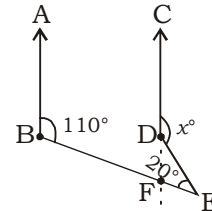
$$= \frac{30}{5} \text{ days}$$

$$= 6 \text{ days}$$

41. (B) ATQ,  $\frac{M}{3} - \frac{M}{4} = 7$

$$M = 84 \text{ feet} = 84 \times 30 \text{ cm} = 2520 \text{ cm}$$

42. (D)



AB || CF

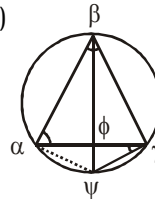
$\angle DFE = 110^\circ$

$\angle CDE = 110^\circ + 20^\circ$

(sum of two interior angles equal to exterior angle)

$x = 130^\circ$

43. (B)



$\Delta\alpha\beta\phi \cong \Delta\psi\beta\gamma$

$$\frac{\alpha\beta}{\beta\phi} = \frac{\beta\psi}{\beta\gamma} = \frac{\alpha\beta}{\gamma\psi}$$

$\beta\phi \times \phi\psi = \psi\phi \times \phi\gamma \dots(i)$

$\alpha\beta \times \beta\gamma = \psi\phi \times \beta\psi \dots(ii)$

$\beta\alpha \times \beta\gamma = \beta\phi \times \beta\psi \dots(iii)$

put value of  $\beta\phi \times \beta\psi + \psi\phi \times \phi\psi = \beta\psi$

$(\beta\phi + \psi\phi)$

$= (\beta\psi)^2$

44. (C)  $\angle CAD = \frac{180^\circ}{\text{Number of sides}} = \frac{180^\circ}{5} = 36^\circ$

45. (B) SI =  $\frac{12000 \times 3 \times r}{100} = 360r$

Remaining principal 12000 - 6500 = 5500

Again SI =  $\frac{5500 \times r \times 2}{100} = 110r$

$5500 + 110r + 360r = 9260$

$470r = 9260 - 5500$

$r = 8\%$

46. (A)  $\frac{1}{1-x} - \frac{1}{1+x} - \frac{2x}{1+x^2} - \frac{4x^3}{1+x^4} - \frac{8x^7}{1+x^8} - \frac{16x^{15}}{1-x^{16}}$   
 $= \frac{1+x-1+x}{1-x^2} - \frac{2x}{1+x^2} - \frac{4x^3}{1+x^4} - \frac{8x^7}{1+x^8} - \frac{16x^{15}}{1-x^{16}}$

$$= \frac{2x}{1-x^2} - \frac{2x}{1+x^2} - \frac{4x^3}{1+x^4} - \frac{8x^7}{1+x^8} - \frac{16x^{15}}{1-x^{16}}$$

$$= \frac{4x^3}{1-x^4} - \frac{4x^3}{1+x^4} - \frac{8x^7}{1+x^8} - \frac{16x^{15}}{1-x^{16}}$$

Similarly it becomes

$$= \frac{16x^{15}}{1-x^{16}} - \frac{16x^{15}}{1-x^{16}} = 0$$

47. (D)  $\left[ \frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} \right] + \left[ \frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right] + \dots + \left[ \frac{1}{9^2} - \frac{1}{10^2} \right]$

$$= \frac{1}{1} - \frac{1}{10^2} = \frac{99}{100}$$

48. (D)  $x + \frac{4}{x} = 4$

$$x^2 + 4 = 4x$$

$$x^2 - 4x + 4 = 0$$

$$(x-2)^2 = 0$$

$$x = 2$$

$$x^2 + \frac{1}{x^3} = (2)^2 + \frac{1}{(2)^3} = 4\frac{1}{8}$$

49. (A) Diagonal of inner most square is 2 cm.  
After that diagonal will increase by 2,  
So, diagonal of seventh square will be 14,  
Area of seventh square will be 14,

$$\text{Area of seventh square} = \frac{14^2}{2} = 98 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$\text{Area of eight square} = \frac{16^2}{2} = 128 \text{ cm}^2$$

Difference = 30 square unit

$$\frac{1}{3} \times 3 \times \frac{5}{7} + \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times \frac{4}{5} + \frac{1}{7} \times 1 \times \frac{4}{5}$$

50. (C)  $\frac{1}{3} \times 3 \times \frac{2}{7} + \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{7} \times 1 \times \frac{1}{5}$

$$\frac{5}{7} + \frac{4}{5} + \frac{4}{35}$$

$$= \frac{2}{7} + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{35}$$

$$= \frac{25 + 28 + 4}{10 + 7 + 1}$$

$$= \frac{57}{18}$$

$$\% = \frac{18}{75} \times 100\% = 24\%$$

51. (D)  $\tan \alpha = 1, \tan \beta = \sqrt{3}$

$$\sin \alpha = \frac{\tan \alpha}{\sqrt{1 + \tan^2 \alpha}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{1}{1 + \tan^2 \alpha} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\tan \beta = \sqrt{3}, \sin \beta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{1+3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

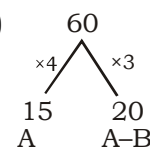
$$\cos \beta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+3}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \cos \alpha \cdot \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \cdot \sin \beta$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

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

52. (C)



$$B = \frac{60}{4-3} = 60 \text{ hrs}$$

53. (A)  $\frac{\frac{m}{n} - \frac{m}{m+n}}{m-n} + \frac{\frac{m+n}{m+n} - \frac{m-n}{m+n}}{m+n} \times \frac{m^2}{m^2+n^2}$

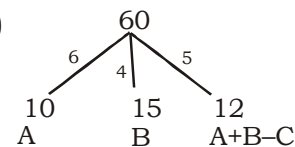
$$= \frac{m(m+n) - m(m-n)}{n(m+n) - n(m-n)} +$$

$$\frac{(m+n)^2 + (m-n)^2}{(m+n)^2 - (m-n)^2} \times \frac{m^2}{m^2+n^2}$$

$$\frac{2mn}{2n^2} + \frac{2(m^2+n^2)}{4mn} \times \frac{m^2}{(m^2+n^2)}$$

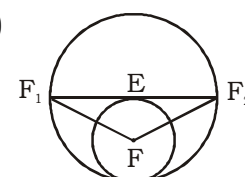
$$= \frac{m}{n} + \frac{m}{2n} = \frac{2m+m}{2n} = \frac{3m}{2n}$$

54. (C)



$$C = \frac{60}{6+4-5} = 12 \text{ hrs}$$

55. (C)



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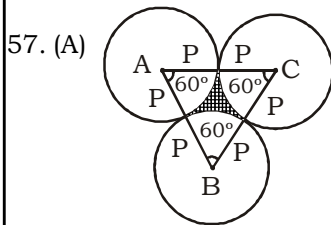
$$\tan \angle EFF_1 = \frac{F_1 E}{FE}$$

$$\tan \angle EFF_1 = \frac{2}{1} = \tan \angle EFF_2$$

$$\tan \angle F_1 FF_2 = \frac{2 \times 2}{1 - 2 \times 2} = -\frac{4}{3}$$

56. (C)  $\frac{40}{S_B} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

$$S_B = 80 \text{ km/hrs}$$



Let  $AB = BC = CA = 2P$  cm  
 $\angle BAC = \angle ACB = \angle ABC = 60^\circ$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of } \triangle ABC &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times (\text{side})^2 = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} (2P)^2 \\ &= \sqrt{3} P^2 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of three sectors} &= 3 \times \frac{60}{360} \times \pi P^2 \\ &= \frac{\pi P^2}{2} \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{Area of shaded portion} = \sqrt{3} P^2 - \frac{\pi}{2} P^2$$

$$= \left( \frac{2\sqrt{3} - \pi}{2} \right) P^2 \text{ cm}^2$$

58. (C) Speed =  $\frac{45 \times 40}{30} = 60 \text{ km/hr}$

59. (B)  $CP_1 \times \frac{119}{100} = CP_2 \times \frac{85}{100}$   
 $CP_1 : CP_2 = 5 : 7$

$$C.P_1 = \frac{5}{12} \times 4800 = 2000$$

$C.P_2 = 2800$   
then selling price of second Article  $SP_2$

$$= \frac{85}{100} \times 2800 = 2380$$

60. (C)  $\begin{array}{r} 4 \text{ km/hr} \quad +15 \Rightarrow +60 \\ \hline 6 \text{ km/hr} \quad -10 \Rightarrow -60 \\ \hline 2 \quad \quad \quad \Rightarrow 120 \end{array}$

$$T = \frac{120}{2} = 60 \text{ min}$$

$$D = 4 \left( 1 + \frac{15}{60} \right) \text{ km}$$

$$= 4 \times \frac{5}{4} = 5 \text{ km}$$

61. (C) Area of circle =  $9\pi$

$$\pi r^2 = 9\pi \Rightarrow r = 3$$

So,  $d = \text{height} = 6$

Now in triangle  $ADB$ ,

$$AB^2 = AD^2 + DB^2 \Rightarrow (2x)^2 = 6^2 + x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 = 36 + x^2 \Rightarrow 3x^2 = 36$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = 12 \Rightarrow x = \sqrt{12} \Rightarrow x = 2\sqrt{3} \text{ units}$$

$$\Rightarrow DB = 2\sqrt{3} \Rightarrow CD = 2DB = 4\sqrt{3}$$

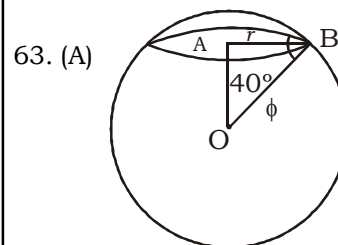
So, the base of equilateral triangle =  $4\sqrt{3}$

$$\therefore \text{Area of equilateral } \triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} \times b \times h$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 4\sqrt{3} \times 6 = 12\sqrt{3} \text{ sq. units}$$

62. (B) Required time =  $\frac{60 \times \frac{1}{2}}{15} = 2 \text{ hr}$

$$\text{Distance} = 75 \times 2 = 150 \text{ km}$$



In  $\triangle OAB$

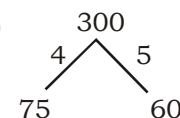
$$\cos 40^\circ = \frac{AB}{OB}$$

$$\cos 40^\circ = \frac{r}{\phi}$$

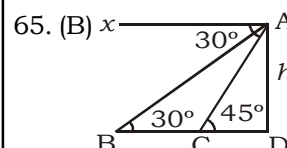
$$\therefore r = \phi \cos 40^\circ$$

$$\therefore 40^\circ \beta = \phi \cos 40^\circ$$

64. (B)



$$\text{Required time} = \frac{1}{5} \times 60 = 12 \text{ min}$$



$AD = h$   
 Let  $CD = x$   
 $BC = 1$   
 $\angle XAB = 30^\circ = \angle ABD$  asnd  
 $\angle XAC = 45^\circ = \angle ACD$   
 In  $DAB$ ,  $\tan 30^\circ = \frac{AD}{BD} = \frac{h}{x+1}$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{h}{x+1}$$

$$x = \sqrt{3}h - 1 \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

Again  $\triangle ACD$

$$\tan 45^\circ = \frac{AD}{CD} = \frac{h}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = \frac{h}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow h = x$$

$\therefore$  From (i)

$$(\sqrt{3} - 1)h = 1$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3} - 1} = \frac{1}{0.732} = 1.366 \text{ Km}$$

66. (A)

67. (C)  $PQ = (PS - SQ) = (PS - PT)$  and  $ST = (PS - PT) \Rightarrow PQ = ST$

In  $\triangle PQR$  and  $\triangle STU$ , we know

$PQ = ST$  (proved)

$RQ = TU$  (given)

$\angle PQR = \angle UTS$

$\therefore \triangle PQR \cong \triangle STU$

68. (D)  $B : A = 1 : 2$

$$\frac{A}{B} : \frac{C}{B} = 1 : 3$$

$$B : A : C = 1 : 2 : 6$$

$$A : B : C = 2 : 1 : 6$$

69. (D)  $\therefore 5a7 + 815 = 13b2$

$$\therefore 815 = 13b2 - 5a7$$

We get  $a = 1$ ,  $b = 3$

$$\text{then } (a + b)^3 = (3 + 1)^3 = 64$$

70. (A)  $CP = \frac{63}{12} \times \frac{100}{105} \times 50 = ₹ 250$

$$\text{Loss} = \frac{2.5}{250} \times 100\% = 1\%$$

71. (A) Difference = 15

$$23^{\text{rd}} \text{ term } (t_{23}) = a + (n - 1)d$$

$$= 15 + (23 - 1)15 = 345$$

$$= 27^{\text{th}} \text{ term } (t_{27}) = a + (n-1)d$$

$$= 15 + (27 - 1)15 = 405$$

$$\text{then } 27^{\text{th}} \times 23^{\text{th}} = 139725$$

72. (A) Volume =  $3\sqrt{8} \times 2 \times 8$

$$= 3 \times 4 \times 8 = 96 \text{ cm}^3$$

73. (B)  $\frac{18}{x+y} + \frac{12}{x-y} = 3 \dots(i)$

$$\frac{24}{x+y} + \frac{36}{x-y} = \frac{13}{2} \dots(ii)$$

Down stream distance : 18  
                                   24  
                                   12  
 upstream distance : 12  
                                   8  
                                   36

$\left. \begin{matrix} x = \text{speed of boat} \\ y = \text{speed of current} \end{matrix} \right\}$

$$\therefore x + y = 12$$

$$\text{and } x - y = 8$$

satisfies above equations,

$$\text{therefore } y = \frac{12 - 8}{2} = 2 \text{ km/h}$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{5}{18} \text{ m/s}$$

$$\text{Speed of current } \Rightarrow 2 \times \frac{5}{18} = \frac{5}{9} \text{ m/s}$$

74. (B) Required area =  $\frac{42 \times 14 - 3\pi \times 7 \times 7}{2}$

$$= \frac{588 - 462}{2} = \frac{126}{2} = 63 \text{ cm}^2$$

75. (B)  $\tan^2 \alpha = 1 - \beta^2$

$$\therefore \sec \alpha + \tan^3 \alpha \cdot \operatorname{cosec} \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec \alpha + \tan^2 \alpha \cdot \tan \alpha \cdot \operatorname{cosec} \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec \alpha + \tan^2 \alpha \cdot \sec \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec \alpha (1 + \tan^2 \alpha)$$

$$= \sqrt{1 + \tan^2 \alpha} (1 + \tan^2 \alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + \tan^2 \alpha)^{3/2} = (1 + 1 - \beta^2)^{3/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 - \beta^2)^{3/2}$$

76. (C)  $AB : AC = 5 : 7$

$$BD = \frac{5}{12} \times 20 = \frac{25}{3} \text{ cm}$$

77. (B) Let Camel (I) Camel (II)

CP            100x       100y

Profit 1       10x       20y

Profit 2       20x       10y

$$10x - 10y = ₹ 387$$

$$\times 10 \downarrow \quad \downarrow \times 10 \quad \downarrow \times 10$$

$$100x - 100y = ₹ 3870$$

78. (B)  $28.49 = \frac{1}{3} \pi (28^2 + 21^2 + 28 \times 21)h$

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- $h = 15$  cm
79. (C)  $36 \times 8 = 288$   
 $13 \times 8 = +104$   
 $\quad 392$   
 $\quad \underline{+32}$   
 $\quad 424$   
 $\quad \underline{-56}$  (died)  
 $\quad 368$   
 $\quad \underline{+24}$   
 $\quad 392$   
 $\quad \underline{-48}$  (died)  
 Sum  $344$
- required answer =  $\frac{344}{8} = 43$  years
80. (C)  $bh = 540 \times 2 = 1080$   
 $(b + p)^2 = b^2 + h^2 + 2bh$   
 $= (51)^2 + 2 \times 1080$   
 $= 4761$   
 $b + p = 69$  cm  
 Perimeter =  $69 + 51 = 120$  cm
81. (B)  $\therefore A + 2A = 3A$   
 $\therefore \cot(A + 2A) = \cot 3A$   
 or  $\frac{\cot A \cot 2A - 1}{\cot 2A + \cot A} = \cot 3A$   
 $\Rightarrow \cot A \cot 2A - 1 = \cot 3A \cot 2A + (\cot 3A \cot A)$   
 $\Rightarrow \cot A \cot 2A - 1 = \cot 3A \cot 2A + \cot 3A \cot A \cot 2A - \cot 3A \cot 2A - \cot 3A \cot A = 1$
82. (B) B : C = 6 : 5  
 C : A = 4 : 5  
 B : C : A = 24 : 20 : 25  
 A : C = 25 : 20
83. (A)  $(3^{123} - 3^{122} - 3^{121})(2^{121} - 2^{120} - 2^{119})((2^3 - 3) \cdot 2)$   
 $\Rightarrow 3^{121} (3^2 - 3^1 - 1) \cdot 2^{119} (2^2 - 2 - 1) ((2^3 - 3) \cdot 2)$   
 $= 3^{121} \times 5 \times 2^{119} \times 5 \times 2$   
 $= 2$   
 $\therefore$  It makes 2 zero
84. (C)  $x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} = 3 + 2 = 5$
85. (D) Let principal = ₹  $x$   
 Then amount =  $\frac{8x}{5}$   
 Then simple interest =  $\left(\frac{8x}{5} - x\right) = \frac{3x}{5}$   
 time = 5 years  
 Then,  
 Rate % =  $\left(100 \times \frac{3x}{5} \times \frac{1}{x} \times \frac{1}{5}\right)\%$

- = 12% annual
86. (B) It is triplet so,  
 $\text{Area} = \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{1}{2} \times 18 \times 7.5 = 90$  cm<sup>2</sup>
87. (C) Total prime no. between 1 to 100 = 25  
 Their sum = 1060  
 Required sum =  $\frac{1060}{25} \times \frac{2}{3} = 28.26$
88. (B)  $h = 9$  cm =  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} a$   
 $a = \frac{9 \times 2}{\sqrt{3}}$  cm =  $6\sqrt{3}$  cm
89. (C)
90. (D)  $a = \sqrt{3+a}$   
 $a^2 = 3 + a$   
 $a^2 - a - 3 = 0$   
 $a = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1+12}}{2} = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{13}}{2}$   
 $a = \frac{1 - \sqrt{13}}{2} < 0$  (not possible)  
 or  
 $a = \frac{1 + \sqrt{13}}{2} = \frac{1 + 3.6}{2} = \frac{4.6}{2} = 2.3$   
 $\therefore 2 < a < 3$
91. (D) Unit place of  $25^{6251} + 36^{528} + 73^{50}$   
 $= 5 + 6 + 9 = '0'$
92. (D) Required number = Y in 2014 + Y in 2015  
 $= (25 \times 1000) + (15 \times 1000)$   
 $= 40 \times 1000$   
 $= 40000$
93. (D) Required % =  $\frac{(X + Y + Z) \text{ in } 2013}{(X + Y + Z) \text{ in } 2014} \times 100$   
 $= \frac{55 \times 1000}{60 \times 1000} \times 100 = 91.67\%$
94. (A) Required % =  $\frac{X \text{ in } 2012}{(X + Y + Z) \text{ in } 2012} \times 100$   
 $= \frac{10 \times 1000}{55 \times 1000} \times 100 = 18\%$  (approx)
95. (C) Required Average  
 $= \frac{(5 + 10 + 25 + 20 + 25 + 15) \times 1000}{6}$   
 $= \frac{100000}{6} = 16666 \frac{2}{3}$
96. (B) Respective Ratio = (Z in 2011) : (Z in 2010)  
 $= (15 \times 1000) : (10 \times 1000)$   
 $= 3 : 2$
97. (A) Percent rise/fall in number of students who left the school to the previous year in



  
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2011

$$= \frac{\text{Rise in no. of students left in 2011}}{\text{No. of students who left in 2010}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{200}{250} \times 100 = 80\% \text{ increase}$$

$$\text{Students left in 2012} = \frac{50}{450} \times 100$$

$$= 11 \frac{1}{9} \% \text{ decrease}$$

Student left in 2013

$$= \frac{50}{400} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \times 100 = 12 \frac{1}{2} \% \text{ decrease}$$

Student left in 2014

$$= \frac{100}{350} \times 100$$

$$= 28 \frac{4}{7} \% \text{ increase}$$

∴ Maximum rise/fall was in year 2011.

98. (B) Number of students in school in 2012 = 3000

In 2013, strength of school = 3150

In 2014, 400 students join and 450 left

⇒ Net 50 students left in 2014

∴ Strength of students in 2014

$$= 3150 - 50$$

$$= 3100$$

In 2015, 550 students join and 450 students left ⇒ Net 100 students join school in 2015

∴ Strength of school in 2015

$$= 3100 + 100$$

$$= 3200$$

Percent of students studying in school in 2012 to that in 2015

$$= \frac{3000}{3200} \times 100 = 93 \frac{3}{4} \% = 93.75\%$$

99. (D) Least number of students who join the school = 300 (in 2011)

Maximum number of students left the school = 450 (in 2015)

$$\therefore \text{Required Ratio} = \frac{300}{450} = \frac{2}{3} = 2 : 3$$

100. (B) Strength of school in 2011 = 2950

Strength of school in 2012 = 3000

Percent increase in strength of school from (2011 to 2012)

$$= \frac{50}{2950} \times 100 \approx 1.7\%$$



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**SSC MAINS (MATHS) MOCK TEST-12 (ANSWER KEY)**

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