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## QUANTITATIVE ABILITY - 89 (SOLUTION)

1. (A) **Seeta**                                   **Geeta**

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 1 & : & 2 & = & 3 \\
 100 & : & 200 & = & 300 \\
 20\% \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow 30\% \\
 120 & : & x & = & 390 \\
 x = 390 - 120 & = & 270
 \end{array}$$

$$\text{Increase in Geeta's weight} = \frac{270 - 200}{200} \times 100 = 35\%$$

2. (C)                                           **₹**                                   **kg**                                   **Ex**

Initial	10	10	100
	↓ +20%		↓ +5%
New	12	x	115

$$x = \frac{115}{12},$$

If 10 → 24

$$\frac{115}{12} \rightarrow \frac{24}{10} \times \frac{115}{12} = 23 \text{ kg}$$

3. (A) Total questions required to pass =  $\frac{60}{100} \times 75 = 45$

$$\text{Arithmetic} = \frac{70}{100} \times 10 = 7$$

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

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

$$\text{Total questions answered} = 7 + 12 + 21 = 40$$

He has to answer  $45 - 40 = 5$  questions more to pass.

4. (B) Time taken by P to complete the work =  $10 \times 4 = 40$  days

$$\text{Time taken by Q to complete the work} = 15 \times \frac{100}{40} = 37 \frac{1}{2} \text{ days}$$

$$\text{Time taken by R to complete the work} = 13 \times 3 = 39 \text{ days}$$

$$\text{Time taken by S to complete the work} = 7 \times 6 = 42 \text{ days}$$

So, Q will be able to complete the work

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5. (B) Ganga      
$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ \times 3 \\ \hline 24 \end{array}$$
  
 Saraswati    
$$\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ \times 2 \\ \hline 2 \end{array}$$

Work done by Ganga and Saraswati in 1 hour = 5 units

If they work alternatively the work done in 2 hours = 5 unit

$$20 \text{ unit work done} = \frac{20}{5} \times 2 = 8 \text{ hours}$$

3 unit work done by Ganga = 1 hours

$$1 \text{ unit work done by Saraswati} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ hours}$$

If work begins at a.m then it will be finish at = 6.30 pm

6. (C) Total work = 5 km

$$\text{work done} = 3\frac{1}{2} \text{ km}$$

$$\text{Remaining work} = 1\frac{1}{2} \text{ km}$$

Men  $\times$  Days = Work

$$\frac{\text{Men} \times \text{Day}}{\text{work}} = 1$$

$$\frac{M_1 D_1}{W_1} = \frac{M_2 D_2}{W_2}$$

$$\frac{280 \times 80}{3\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{M_2 (100-80)}{1\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$M_2 = \left( \frac{280 \times 80 \times 2}{7} \right) \left( \frac{3}{2 \times 20} \right) = 480$$

Extra men needed =  $480 - 280 = 200$

$$\begin{aligned} 7. \quad (B) \quad & 3 \div \left[ (8-5) \div \left\{ (4-2) \div \left( 2 + \frac{8}{13} \right) \right\} \right] = 3 \div \left[ 3 \div \left\{ 2 \div \left( \frac{34}{13} \right) \right\} \right] \\ & = 3 \div \left[ 3 \div \left\{ 2 \times \frac{13}{34} \right\} \right] = 3 \div \left[ 3 \div \left\{ \frac{13}{17} \right\} \right] \\ & = 3 \div \left[ 3 \times \frac{17}{13} \right] = 3 \div \left[ \frac{51}{13} \right] \\ & = 3 \times \frac{13}{51} = \frac{13}{17} \end{aligned}$$


  
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8. (A) 
$$\frac{2\frac{1}{7} + 2\frac{1}{2}}{2\frac{1}{4} + 1\frac{1}{7}} \div \frac{1}{2 + \frac{1}{2 + \frac{1}{2 - \frac{1}{2}}}} = \frac{\frac{15}{7} + \frac{5}{2}}{\frac{9}{4} + \frac{8}{7}} \div \frac{1}{2 + \frac{1}{2 + \frac{1}{2 + \frac{3}{2}}}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{30+35}{14}}{\frac{63+32}{28}} \div \frac{1}{2 + \frac{1}{2 + \frac{2}{3}}} = \frac{65}{14} \times \frac{28}{95} \div \frac{1}{2 + \frac{1}{8}}$$

$$= \frac{26}{19} \div \frac{1}{2 + \frac{3}{8}} = \frac{26}{19} \div \frac{1}{\frac{19}{8}}$$

$$= \frac{26}{19} \div \frac{8}{19} = \frac{26}{19} \times \frac{19}{8}$$

$$= \frac{13}{4}$$

9. (A) Let the speeds of goods train and a passenger train be  $4x$  and  $5x$  m/sec and length of goods train and passenger train be  $A$  and  $B$  m respectively.

According to question

$$\frac{A+B}{4x+5x} = 40 \Rightarrow \frac{A+B}{9x} = 40 \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{A}{4x+5x} = 25 \Rightarrow \frac{A}{9x} = 25 \dots(ii)$$

Dividing equation (i) by (ii)

$$\frac{A+B}{A} = \frac{40}{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \frac{B}{A} = \frac{8}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{B}{A} = \frac{8-5}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{B}{A} = \frac{3}{5} \Rightarrow A : B = 5 : 3$$

10. (D) Let the distance be  $d$  km and the initial speed be  $x$  km/hr

As the accident took place after 3 hours

Distance of accident site =  $3x$  km

Distance left =  $(d - 3x)$  km

Total time taken, if no accident took place =  $\frac{d}{x}$  hr

According to question

$$3 + 1 + \frac{d-3x}{x \times 75} = \frac{d}{x} + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4d-12x}{3x} = \frac{d}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4d - 12x = 3d$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 12x$$

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In 2nd case, distance of accident site =  $3x + 150$

Distance left =  $d - (3x + 150)$

$$\therefore \frac{3x+150}{x} + 1 + \frac{d-(3x+150)}{x \times \frac{75}{100}} = \frac{d}{x} + \frac{7}{2}$$

$\therefore$  Original speed of train = 100 km/hr

Distance =  $12x = 1200$  km

11. (B) Let the length of two trains be A m and B m respectively and their speed be  $3x$  and  $4x$  m/sec respectively Relative speed =  $(3x + 4x)$  m/sec =  $7x$  m/sec  
ATQ,

$$\frac{A_1}{3x} = \frac{B}{4x} = 3 \text{ sec}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{A}{x} = 9 \text{ and } \frac{B}{x} = 12 \quad \dots(i)$$

Time taken to cross each other =  $\frac{\text{Total length}}{\text{Sum of speed taken as direction of both are opposite}}$

$$= \frac{A+B}{3x+4x} = \frac{A+B}{7x}$$

$$= \frac{1}{7} \left[ \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x} \right] = \frac{1}{7} [9+12] = 3 \text{ sec}$$

12. (A)  $\angle AOC + \angle COF + \angle BOF = 180^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow 30^\circ + \angle COF + 35^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle COF = 180^\circ - 30^\circ - 35^\circ = 115^\circ$$

13. (D)

14. (B) The total interest after 2 years would be  $\left(10 + 10 + \frac{10 \times 10}{100}\right)\%$  i.e. 21% of the sum & the total

interest after 3 yrs. would be  $\left(21 + 10 + \frac{21 \times 10}{100}\right)\%$  i.e. 33.1% of the sum.

Hence, the total amount to be paid would be  $(100 + 33.1)\%$  of the sum.

$$\therefore \text{Required amount} = \frac{10000 \times 133.1}{100} = ₹ 13310$$

15. (B) The total interest for the first 2 years would be  $\left(5 + 5 + \frac{5 \times 5}{100}\right)\%$  i.e. 10.25% of the sum.

Similarly, the total interest for the last two years would be  $\left(5 + 5 + \frac{5 \times 5}{100}\right)\%$  i.e. 10.25% of the increased sum.

Hence, the total interest at the end of four years would be  $\left(10.25 + 10.25 + \frac{10.25 \times 10.25}{100}\right)\%$

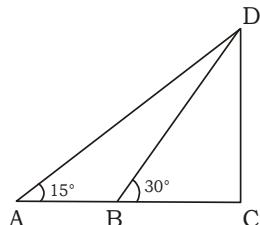
i.e. 21.550625% of the sum

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, the total amount to be paid} &= (100 + 21.550625)\% \text{ of } 12000 \\ &= 121.550625 \times 120 = 14586.075 \end{aligned}$$

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16. (B)



Let height of tower (CD) =  $x$  m

A.T.Q.,

$$BC = CD \times \cot 30^\circ$$

$$BC = \sqrt{3}x \quad \dots(i)$$

$$AC = CD \times \cot 15^\circ$$

$$AC = (2 + \sqrt{3})x$$

$$AC - BC = 48$$

$$(2 + \sqrt{3})x - \sqrt{3}x = 48$$

$$2x = 48$$

$$x = 24 \text{ m}$$

17. (A) C.P.<sub>1</sub> =  $x$

$$\text{C.P.}_2 = 980 - x$$

$$\text{P}_1\% = 35\%$$

$$\therefore \text{S.P.}_1 = \frac{135x}{100}$$

$$\text{S.P.}_2 = \frac{86}{100} = (980 - x)$$

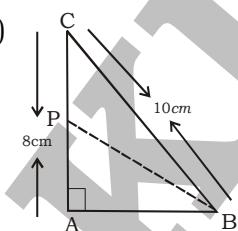
S.P.<sub>1</sub> + S.P.<sub>2</sub> = 980 (There is no profit or Loss)

$$\frac{135x}{100} + \frac{86}{100}(980 - x) = 980$$

$$49x + 84280 = 98000$$

$$x = \frac{13720}{49} = ₹ 280$$

18. (B)



$$AB = \sqrt{BC^2 - AC^2} = \sqrt{10^2 - 8^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{100 - 64} = \sqrt{36} = 6 \text{ cm}$$

$$AP = \sqrt{PB^2 - AB^2} = \sqrt{9^2 - 6^2}$$

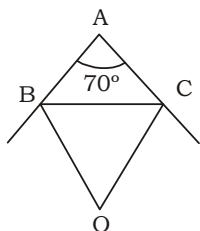
$$= \sqrt{81 - 36} = \sqrt{45}$$

$$= 3\sqrt{5} \text{ cm}$$

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19. (A)



$$\angle BOC = 90^\circ - \frac{\angle A}{2}$$

$$= 90^\circ - \frac{70^\circ}{2} = 55^\circ$$

20. (A) Let the angles of triangle be  $k$ ,  $2k$ , and  $3k$ .

$$\text{then, } \angle A = k, \angle B = 2k \text{ and } \angle C = 3k.$$

$$\text{Now, } \angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow k + 2k + 3k = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 6k = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 30^\circ$$

Therefore, the angles of the triangle are:

$$\angle A = k = 30^\circ, \angle B = 2k = 60^\circ \text{ and } \angle C = 3k = 90^\circ$$

$$\text{the circumradius} = 10 \text{ cm}$$

Therefore , if the lengths of the sides of the triangle be  $a, b, c$  then

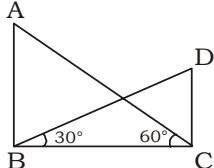
$$a = 2R \sin A = 2 \cdot 10. \sin 30^\circ = 10 \text{ cm}$$

$$b = 2R \sin B = 2 \cdot 10. \sin 60^\circ = 10\sqrt{3} \text{ cm; and}$$

$$c = 2R \sin C = 2 \cdot 10. \sin 90^\circ = 20 \text{ cm}$$

21. (A)

22. (A)



Height of one post (AB) = 108 m

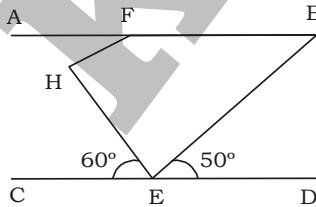
A.T.Q.,

$$BC = AB \cot 60^\circ = 108 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = 36\sqrt{3} \text{ m}$$

$$CD = BC \tan 30^\circ = 36\sqrt{3} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = 36 \text{ m}$$

Height of the other post = 36 m

23. (A)



$$\angle BEH = 180^\circ - (60^\circ + 50^\circ) = 70^\circ$$

Now,  $\angle BEH + \angle FHE = 180^\circ$  [co-interior angles]

$$\therefore 70^\circ + \angle FHE = 180^\circ$$

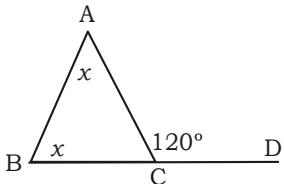
$$\angle FHE = 110^\circ$$

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24. (C)

25. (A)



Let  $\angle BAC$  be  $x$

$\angle ACD = \angle ABC + \angle CAB$  [Exterior angle sum property]

$$x + x = 120^\circ \quad (\because \angle ABC = \angle CAB)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 60^\circ$$

So,  $\angle BAC = 60^\circ$

26. (B) ATQ,

$$\left[ \frac{(n-2)180}{n} \right] = 2 \times \frac{360}{n}$$

$$n - 2 = 2 \times 2$$

$$n = 4 + 2$$

$$n = 6$$

27. (C)  $12\frac{1}{2}\% = \frac{1}{8} \rightarrow \text{Water}$

Mixture =  $8 + 1 = 9$

Milk = 8

$\therefore$  Mixture : Milk = 9 : 8

$$28. (C) \sqrt{\frac{\sec \theta - 1}{\sec \theta + 1}} = \sqrt{\frac{\frac{1}{\cos \theta} - 1}{\frac{1}{\cos \theta} + 1}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta}} = \sqrt{\frac{(1 - \cos \theta)(1 - \cos \theta)}{(1 + \cos \theta)(1 - \cos \theta)}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{(1 - \cos \theta)^2}{1 - \cos^2 \theta}} = \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{\sin \theta}$$

$$= \csc \theta - \cot \theta$$

$$29. (A) \sec^2 \theta - \frac{\sin^2 \theta - 2 \sin^4 \theta}{2 \cos^4 \theta - \cos^2 \theta} = \sec^2 \theta - \frac{\sin^2 \theta (1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta)}{\cos^2 \theta (2 \cos^2 \theta - 1)}$$

$$= \sec^2 \theta - \frac{\sin^2 \theta [1 - 2(1 - \cos^2 \theta)]}{\cos^2 \theta (2 \cos^2 \theta - 1)} = \sec^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta \frac{(2 \cos^2 \theta - 1)}{2 \cos^2 \theta - 1}$$

$$= \sec^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta = 1$$

$$30. (D) \sqrt{\frac{1 + \sin \theta}{1 - \sin \theta}} + \sqrt{\frac{1 - \sin \theta}{1 + \sin \theta}} = \sqrt{\frac{(1 + \sin \theta)(1 + \sin \theta)}{(1 - \sin \theta)(1 + \sin \theta)}} + \sqrt{\frac{(1 - \sin \theta)(1 - \sin \theta)}{(1 + \sin \theta)(1 - \sin \theta)}}$$

$$= \frac{1 + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + \frac{1 - \sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \frac{1 + \sin \theta + 1 - \sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\cos \theta} = 2 \sec \theta$$

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31. (B) Using the formula,

$$N = \left[ \frac{N+1}{2} \right]^2 - \left[ \frac{N-1}{2} \right]^2, \text{ where } N = \text{Natural number}$$

Put  $N = 51$

$$\Rightarrow 51 = \left( \frac{51+1}{2} \right)^2 - \left( \frac{51-1}{2} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 51 = (26)^2 - (25)^2$$

32. (D) Let the total score be  $n$  runs, then

$$\frac{2n}{9} - \frac{2}{9} \times \left( n - \frac{2n}{9} \right) = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2n}{9} - \frac{2}{9} \times \frac{7n}{9} = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2n}{9} \times \left( 1 - \frac{7}{9} \right) = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2n}{9} \times \frac{2}{9} = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 162$$

33. (B) Let the investment be ₹ 700 and ₹ 300

I	II	Total
C.P 700	300	1000

↓ +10% ↓ -15%

S.P 770	255	= 1025
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$$\text{Profit} = 1025 - 1000 = ₹ 25$$

$$P\% = \frac{25}{1000} \times 100 = 2.5\%$$

34. (D) Cost Price for A =  $506 \times \frac{100}{(100+10)} \times \frac{100}{(100+15)} = ₹ 400$

35. (D) ATQ,

$$₹ 150 = 2.5 \text{ kg Rice}$$

$$4 \text{ kg Rice} = 7 \text{ kg Sugar}$$

$$14 \text{ kg Sugar} = 3 \text{ kg Tea}$$

$$9 \text{ kg Tea} = 7 \text{ kg Coffee}$$

$$11 \text{ kg Coffee} = ₹ x$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{150}{2.5} \times \frac{4}{7} \times \frac{14}{3} \times \frac{9}{7} \times 21 = ₹ 4320$$

36. (B) C.P of 36 pens = ₹ 30

$$\text{S.P of 36 pens} = ₹ 36$$

Discount is calculated on S.P

$$\therefore 5\% \text{ of } 36 = ₹ 1.8$$

$$\therefore \text{Final S.P} = ₹ 34.2$$

$$\text{Profit} = 34.2 - 30 = ₹ 4.2$$

$$P\% = \frac{4.2}{30} \times 100 = 14\%$$

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37. (B) Total C.P =  $20 \times 7 + 25 \times 10 = ₹ 390$

Total S.P =  $9 \times (25 + 20) = ₹ 405$

Profit =  $405 - 390 = ₹ 15$

38. (D)  $a \sin \theta + b \cos \theta = c$  (given)

Let  $a \cos \theta - b \sin \theta = x$

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2 + x^2$$

$$x^2 = a^2 + b^2 - c^2$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}$$

39. (D)  $\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$  .....(i)

$$\frac{x}{a} \sin \theta - \frac{y}{b} \cos \theta = 1$$
 .....(ii)

Adding equation (i) and (ii),

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right) (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta) = 1^2 + 1^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

40. (B)  $\frac{\tan \theta + \sec \theta - 1}{\tan \theta - \sec \theta + 1} = \frac{(\tan \theta + \sec \theta) - (\sec^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta)}{\tan \theta - \sec \theta + 1}$

$$= \frac{(\tan \theta + \sec \theta) - \{(\sec \theta + \tan \theta)(\sec \theta - \tan \theta)\}}{(\tan \theta - \sec \theta + 1)} = \frac{(\tan \theta + \sec \theta) - \{1 - \sec \theta + \tan \theta\}}{\tan \theta - \sec \theta + 1}$$

$$= \tan \theta + \sec \theta = \frac{1 + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$$

41. (A)  $\frac{(m^2 + n^2) \cos^2 \beta}{n^2} = \frac{\left( \frac{\cos^2 \alpha}{\cos^2 \beta} + \frac{\cos^2 \alpha}{\sin^2 \beta} \right) \cos^2 \beta}{\frac{\cos^2 \alpha}{\sin^2 \beta}}$

$$= \frac{\cos^2 \alpha \cdot (\sin^2 \beta + \cos^2 \beta)}{\cos^2 \beta \times \sin^2 \beta} \times \cos^2 \beta \cdot \sin^2 \beta = \frac{\cos^2 \alpha}{\cos^2 \alpha} = 1$$

42. (D)  $\sec \theta + \tan \theta = 3$

$$\frac{\sec \theta - \tan \theta}{\sec \theta + \tan \theta} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$2 \sec \theta = 3 + \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\sec \theta = \frac{10}{3 \times 2} = \frac{5}{3}$$

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43. (A)  $\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \sin \theta = m$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1 - \sin^2 \theta}{\sin \theta} = m$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta} = m$$

$$\sec \theta - \operatorname{sec} \theta = n$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1 - \cos^2 \theta}{\cos \theta} = n$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos \theta} = n$$

$$\text{Now, } (m^2 n)^{2/3} + (mn^2)^{2/3} = \left[ \left( \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta} \right)^2 \times \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos \theta} \right]^{2/3} + \left[ \left( \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta} \right) \times \left( \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos \theta} \right)^2 \right]^{2/3}$$

$$= [\cos^3 \theta]^{2/3} + [\sin^3 \theta]^{2/3} = \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$$

44. (B)  $\sin \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$

$$\sin \theta = 1 - \sin^2 \theta = \cos^2 \theta$$

$$\text{Now, } \cos^{12} + 3\cos^{10} \theta + 3\cos^8 \theta + \cos^6 \theta + 2\cos^4 \theta + 2\cos^2 \theta - 2$$

$$= (\cos^2 \theta)^6 + 3(\cos^2 \theta)^5 + 3(\cos^2 \theta)^4 + (\cos^2 \theta)^3 + 2(\cos^2 \theta)^2 + 2\cos^2 \theta - 2$$

$$= \sin^6 + 3\sin^5 \theta + 3\sin^4 \theta + \sin^3 \theta + 2[\sin^2 \theta + \sin \theta - 1]$$

$$= (\sin^2 \theta)^3 + 3(\sin^2 \theta)^2 \sin \theta + 3\sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta + \sin^3 \theta + 2[1-1]$$

$$= (\sin^2 \theta + \sin \theta)^3 = 1^3 = 1$$

45. (B)  $(1 + \cot \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \theta)(1 + \tan \theta + \sec \theta) = \left( \frac{\sin \theta + \cos \theta - 1}{\sin \theta} \right) \left( \frac{\cos \theta + \sin \theta + 1}{\cos \theta} \right)$

$$= \frac{(\sin \theta + \cos \theta)^2 - 1}{\sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta} = \frac{\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta + 2\sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta - 1}{\sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta}$$

$$= \frac{1 + 2\sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta - 1}{\sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta} = \frac{2\sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta}{\sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta} = 2$$

46. (B)  $\cos^3 \theta = \sin^2 \theta$

$$\Rightarrow \cot^2 \theta = \sec \theta$$

$$\text{Now, } \cot^6 \theta - \cot^2 \theta$$

$$(\cot^2 \theta)^3 - \cot^2 \theta$$

$$\sec^3 \theta - \sec \theta$$

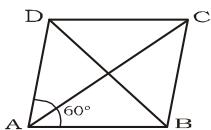
$$\sec \theta (\sec^2 \theta - 1)$$

$$\cot^2 \theta \times \tan^2 \theta = 1$$

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47. (B)



$$\angle ABC = 180^\circ - 60^\circ = 120^\circ$$

$$\cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} = \cos 60^\circ$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{8^2 + 8^2 - a^2}{2 \times 8 \times 8}$$

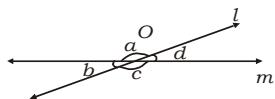
$$a = 8 \text{ cm} = BD$$

$$\cos 120^\circ = \frac{8^2 + 8^2 - b^2}{2 \times 8 \times 8}$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} = \frac{4 + 64 - b^2}{2 \times 8 \times 8}$$

$$b = 8\sqrt{3} \text{ cm} = AC$$

48. (A)



$$a + d = 180^\circ$$

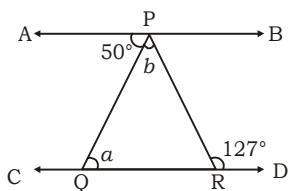
$$a + 45^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 135^\circ$$

$\therefore d = b = 45^\circ$  (Vertically opposite angles)

Similarly  $a = c = 135^\circ$

49. (C)



$$\angle PQR = \angle QPA$$

$$\angle a = 50^\circ$$

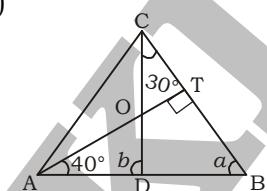
$\therefore \angle APR = \angle PRD$  (Alternate angles)

$$50^\circ + b^\circ = 127^\circ$$

$$b = 77^\circ$$

(Alternate Angles)

50. (A)



In  $\triangle COT$

$$\angle COT = 180^\circ - (30^\circ + 90^\circ) = 60^\circ = \angle AOD$$

In  $\triangle AOD$

$$40^\circ + \angle AOD + b = 180^\circ$$

$$40^\circ + 60^\circ + b = 180^\circ$$

$$b = 80^\circ$$

In  $\triangle BCD$

$$b = 30^\circ + a \text{ (Exterior angles sum property)}$$

$$80^\circ = 30^\circ + a$$

$$a = 50^\circ$$

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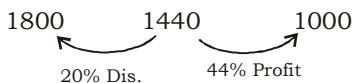
51. (D) Discount of 10% offered on M.P = ₹ 60

$$\text{After discount} = \frac{90}{100} \times 60 = ₹ 54 \text{ per toy}$$

$$\text{S.P of 8 dozen toys} = 54 \times 12 \times 8 = ₹ 5184$$

$$\therefore \text{New S.P of one toy} = \frac{5184}{12 \times 9} = ₹ 48$$

52. (C) **M.P            S.P            C.P**



$$\text{M.P} = \frac{100}{100 - P\%} \times \text{S.P} = \frac{100}{100 - 20} \times 1440 = ₹ 1800$$

$$\text{C.P} = \frac{100}{100 + P\%} \times \text{S.P} = \frac{100}{100 + 44} \times 1440 = ₹ 1000$$

Now,

After 10% discount,

$$\text{New S.P} = 1800 \times \frac{90}{100} = ₹ 1620$$

$$\therefore \text{Profit} = 1620 - 1000 = ₹ 620$$

$$P\% = \frac{1620}{1000} \times 100 = 62\%$$

53. (B) **P = 15%        L = 10%        P = 10%**

$$= \frac{3 \rightarrow P}{20 \rightarrow C.P_1} \quad \frac{1 \rightarrow L}{10 \rightarrow C.P_2} \quad \frac{1 \rightarrow L}{10 \rightarrow C.P_3}$$

$$C.P_1 = 20 \quad C.P_2 = 10 \quad C.P_3 = 10$$

$$S.P_1 = 23 \quad S.P_2 = 9 \quad S.P_3 = 11$$

S.P of each article is same.

$$C.P_1 = 20 \quad C.P_2 = 10 \quad C.P_3 = 10 \\ S.P_1 = 23 \quad S.P_2 = 9 \quad S.P_3 = 11$$

$$C.P_1 = 1980 \quad C.P_2 = 2530 \quad C.P_3 = 2070 \\ S.P_1 = 2277 \quad S.P_2 = 2277 \quad S.P_3 = 2277$$

Total C.P = 6580

Total S.P = 6831

$$\therefore \text{Profit} = 6831 - 6580 = ₹ 251$$

↓ ×2

Actual profit = ₹ 502

$$\therefore C.P_2 = 2530 \times 2 = ₹ 5160$$

54. (C) Points on the given line are (-3, 2) and (x, 10). The length is 10.

$$\sqrt{(x+3)^2 + (10-2)^2} = 10$$

$$(x+3)^2 + 8^2 = 10^2$$

$$x^2 + 6x + 9 + 64 = 100$$

$$x^2 + 6x - 27 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 9x - 3x - 27 = 0$$

$$x(x+9) - 3(x+9) = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x+9) = 0$$

$$x = 3 \text{ or } -9$$

Therefore, the required abscissa will 3 or - 9

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55. (C) The required point be  $P(x, y)$

Then,

$$AP = 2PB$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AP}{PB} = \frac{2}{1}$$

$$AP : PB = 2 : 1$$

$$\text{Therefore } x = \left[ \frac{2 \times (-3) + 1 \times 5}{2+1} \right] = \frac{-1}{3} \text{ and}$$

$$y = \left[ \frac{2 \times 2 + 1 \times (-4)}{2+1} \right] - 0$$

So, the required point is  $\left( \frac{-1}{3}, 0 \right)$ .

56. (B) Let there be  $x$  men in the beginning.

So, after 15 days the food for them is left for 45 days.

After 500 men food lasts for 40 days.

$$\Rightarrow (x + 500) \text{ men will have the same food for 40 days.}$$

We have,

$$45x = (x + 500) 40$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x = 500 \times 40$$

So, 4000 men were there in the beginning.

57. (B) Let Vinod and Basu's marks be  $6x$  and  $5x$  respectively.

Then, sum of marks =  $6x + 5x = 11x$

$$\text{So, } 11x = 275 \Rightarrow x = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Vinod marks} = 6x = 150$$

$$\text{and Basu's marks} = 5x = 125$$

$$\therefore \text{Combined average \% of marks} = \frac{150+125}{2} = 137.5$$

Now, if total marks is 100 then combined average is 68.75

$$\therefore \text{Required total marks} = \frac{137.5}{68.75} \times 100 = 200$$

58. (D) Let the number of ₹ 1, 50p and 25p coins be  $3k$ ,  $5k$  and  $7k$  respectively.

ATQ,

$$(100 \times 3k) + (50 \times 5k) + (25 \times 7k) = 5800$$

$$\Rightarrow 725k = 5800 \Rightarrow k = 8$$

Now, If the number of coins of ₹ 1, 50p and 25p, is reversed, the total value of coins in bag (in paise)

$$= (100 \times 7k) + (50 \times 5k) + (25 \times 3k)$$

$$= 1025k = 1025 \times 8$$

$$= 8200 \text{ pasie} = 82 \text{ rupees}$$

59. (C) Money collected =  $(59.29 \times 100)$  paise = 5929 paise.

$$\therefore \text{Number of members} = \sqrt{(5929)} = 77$$

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60. (D) Part filled in 4 minutes =  $4 \times \left( \frac{1}{15} + \frac{1}{20} \right) = 4 \times \frac{7}{60} = \frac{7}{15}$

$$\text{Remaining part} = \left( 1 - \frac{7}{15} \right) = \frac{8}{15}$$

$$\text{Part filled by B in 1 minute} = \frac{1}{20}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{20} : \frac{8}{15} :: 1 : x \Rightarrow \frac{1}{20} \times x = \frac{8}{15} \times 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{20} = \frac{8}{15} \Rightarrow x = \frac{32}{3} = 10\frac{2}{3} \text{ min} = 10 \text{ min } 40 \text{ sec.}$$

The tank will be full in (4 min. + 10 min. 40 sec.) = 14 min. 40 sec.

61. (B) Let their investments be ₹ $x$  for 14 months, ₹ $y$  for 8 months and ₹ $z$  for 7 months respectively.

Then,  $14x : 8y : 7z = 5 : 7 : 8$ .

$$\text{Now, } \frac{14x}{8y} = \frac{5}{7} \Leftrightarrow 98x = 40y \Rightarrow y = \frac{49}{20}x$$

$$\text{And, } \frac{14x}{7z} = \frac{5}{8} \Leftrightarrow 112x = 35z$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{112}{35}x \Rightarrow z = \frac{16}{5}x$$

$$x : y : z = x : \frac{49}{20}x : \frac{16}{5}x = 20 : 49 : 64$$

Required ratio = 20 : 49 : 64

62. (D) Part filled by (A + B) in 1 minute =  $\left( \frac{1}{60} + \frac{1}{40} \right) = \frac{1}{24}$

Suppose the tank is filled in  $x$  minutes.

$$\text{Then, } \frac{x}{2} \left( \frac{1}{24} + \frac{1}{40} \right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 30 \text{ min}$$

∴ Required time = 30 min.

63. (B) In alloy c, Gold =  $\frac{4}{7} + \frac{4}{11} = 4 \left( \frac{1}{7} + \frac{1}{11} \right) = \frac{72}{77}$

$$\text{and Copper} = \frac{3}{7} + \frac{7}{11} = \frac{82}{77}$$

$$\therefore \text{Ratio of gold and copper} = \frac{72}{77} : \frac{82}{77} = 36 : 41$$

64. (D) Ratio of investment of A and B =  $3 \times 2 : 1 \times 1 = 6 : 1$

$$\text{Share of B} = \frac{1}{7} \times \text{Total profit} = 5000$$

$$\text{Total profit} = 35000$$

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65. (A) Let total work units = 60

$$\text{In a day man can do} = \frac{60}{20} = 3 \text{ units}$$

$$\text{In a day women can do} = \frac{60}{30} = 2 \text{ units}$$

$$\text{In a day boy can do} = \frac{60}{60} = 1 \text{ units}$$

$$\text{in 2 days} = \frac{60}{2} = 3 \text{ units}$$

$$\text{So, } 30 = 2 \times 3 + 8 \times 2 + x \times 1$$

$$x = 30 - 6 - 16 = 8$$

So, 8 boys are required to assist 2 men and 8 women.

66. (C) Men  $\times$  hours  $\times$  days = work

$$\text{So, } M_1 D_1 H_1 = M_2 D_2 H_2 \\ 80 \times 16 \times 6 = 64 \times 15 \times H_9$$

$$\text{Hours} = \frac{80 \times 16 \times 6}{64 \times 15} = 8 \text{ hours}$$

67. (C) The average Income of company =  $\frac{40 + 60 + 50 + 65 + 70}{5} = \frac{285}{5} = 57$

68. (A)

Expenditure in 2007 = 30 ] increase — 10  
Expenditure in 2008 = 40 ]

$$\text{Percentage increase in Expenditure} = \frac{10}{30} \times 100 = 33.33\%$$

69. (B) Profit = Income – Expenditure.

$$\text{Profit in 2005} = 40 - 25 = 15$$

$$\text{Profit in 2007} = 50 - 30 = 20$$

$$\text{Profit in 2008} = 65 - 40 = 25$$

$$\text{Profit in 2009} = 70 - 50 = 20$$

$\therefore$  Maximum profit in 2008.

70. (A) Given:  $c = \frac{yz}{y+z} \Rightarrow z = \frac{cy}{y-c}$

$$b = \frac{xy}{y+z} \Rightarrow z = \frac{bx}{x-b}$$

$$\frac{cy}{y-c} = \frac{bx}{x-b} \Rightarrow cyx - cyb = bxy - bxc$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{bxc}{bx+bc-cx} \text{ and } a = \frac{xy}{x+y}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{ax}{x-a}$$

$$\therefore \frac{ax}{x-a} = \frac{bxc}{bx+bc-cx}$$

$$\Rightarrow abx^2 + abc x - acx^2 = bx^2 c - abcx$$

$$\Rightarrow 2abc = x(bc + ac - ab)$$

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

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71. (A) Given:  $x + y + z = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x + y = -z, y + z = -x$  and  $z + x = -y$   
 $\Rightarrow (x + y)(y + z)(z + x) = (-z)(-x)(-y) = -xyz$

72. (C)  $p^3 + \frac{1}{p^3} = \left(p + \frac{1}{p}\right)\left(p^2 + \frac{1}{p^2} - 1\right)$

$$= \left(p + \frac{1}{p}\right) \left[ \left(p + \frac{1}{p}\right)^2 - 3 \right]$$

$$= \left(p + \frac{1}{p}\right)(3 - 3) = 0$$

73. (B)  $\frac{x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 64}{xy - yz - zx} = -2$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = -2xy + 2yz + 2zx + 64$$

$$\therefore (x + y + z)^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2xy + 2yz + 2zx$$

$$\Rightarrow (4z)^2 = -2xy + 2yz + 2zx + 64 + 2xy + 2yz + 2zx$$

$$\Rightarrow 16z^2 = 4yz + 4zx + 64$$

$$\Rightarrow 16z^2 = 4z(x + y) + 64$$

$$\Rightarrow 16z^2 = 4z(3z) + 64$$

$$\Rightarrow 16z^2 - 12z^2 = 64$$

$$\Rightarrow 4z^2 = 64$$

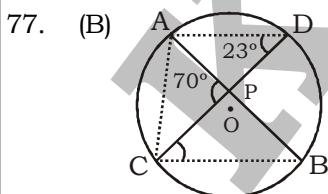
$$\Rightarrow z = 4$$

74. (D) Volume of pyramid  $= \frac{1}{3} \times \text{height} \times \text{area of base}$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \times 10 \times 57 = 190 \text{ cm}^3$$

75. (B) Clearly,  $l = (48 - 16)m = 32 m$ ,  $b = (36 - 16)m = 20 m$ ,  $h = 8 m$ .  
 Volume of the box  $= (32 \times 20 \times 8) \text{ m}^3 = 5120 \text{ m}^3$ .

76. (C) AE = AH  
 BE = BF  
 GC = FC  
 GD = HD  
 $\Rightarrow AB + CD = AD + BC$   
 $\Rightarrow 6 + 3 = AD + 7.5$   
 $\Rightarrow AD = 9 - 7.5 = 1.5 \text{ cm}$



$\angle ADC = \angle ABC$  [Angle formed by same chord of a circle]

$\angle BCD = 70^\circ - 23^\circ = 47^\circ$

78. (B)  $a = 1, b = -1, c = 1$   
 $a - b + c$   
 $1 - (-1) + 1 = 2 + 1 = 3$

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79. (A) Let  $x = -1$ ,

$$(-1)^{97} + \frac{1}{(-1)^{94}} = -1 + 1 = 0$$

80. (B)  $40! = 40 \times 39 \times 38 \times \dots \times 1$

Number of zero =  $8+1 = 9$

81. (B) Foreign collaboration in 2013 with U.S.A =  $\frac{64.8}{360} \times 1200 = 216$

$$\text{Foreign collaboration in 2014 with U.S.A} = \frac{75.6}{360} \times 1500 = 315$$

$$\therefore \text{Total increase} = 315 - 216 = 99$$

82. (C) Foreign collaboration with U.K. in 2013 =  $\frac{50.4}{360} \times 1200 = 168$

$$\text{Foreign collaboration with U.K. in 2014} = \frac{43.2}{360} \times 1500 = 180$$

$$\text{Then Required ratio} = 168 : 180 = 14 : 15$$

83. (B) Foreign collaboration with Germany in 2013 =  $\frac{54}{360} \times 1200 = 180$

$$\text{Foreign collaboration with Germany in 2014} = \frac{46.8}{360} \times 1500 = 195$$

$$\therefore \text{Percent changes} = \frac{15}{180} \times 100 = 8\frac{1}{3}\%$$

84. (D) Slant height  $l = \sqrt{r^2 + h^2}$

$$= \sqrt{8^2 + 15^2} = 17 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Curved surface area} = \pi \times 8 \times 17 = 136\pi \text{ cm}^2$$

85. (C)  $l = 10 \text{ m}$

$$h = 8 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{So, } r = \sqrt{l^2 - h^2} = \sqrt{10^2 - 8^2} = 6 \text{ m.}$$

$$\text{Curved surface area} = \pi rl$$

$$= (\pi \times 6 \times 10) \text{ m}^2 = 60\pi \text{ m}^2$$

86. (B) Let the thickness of the bottom be  $x \text{ cm}$ .

$$\text{Then, } [(330 - 10) \times (260 - 10) \times (110 - x)] = 8000 \times 1000$$

$$\Rightarrow 320 \times 250 \times (110 - x) = 8000 \times 1000$$

$$\Rightarrow (110 - x) = \frac{8000 \times 1000}{320 \times 250} = 100$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 10 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Required thickness} = 10 \text{ cm}$$

87. (B) The three lower oval shapes can be inserted into the three hollow spaces adjacent to the upper shaded region, and together, the four shapes will nearly form a single circle.

The circle has  $r = 6$ , so area =  $36\pi \text{ sq. unit}$

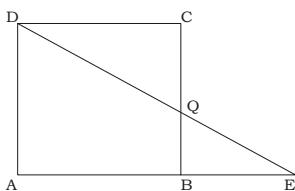
88. (B) Volume of water displaced =  $(3 \times 2 \times 0.01) \text{ m}^3 = 0.06 \text{ m}^3$

Mass of man = Volume of water displaced  $\times$  Density of water =  $(0.06 \times 1000) \text{ kg} = 60 \text{ kg}$ .

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89. (A)



$$AD \parallel BC \Rightarrow AD \parallel BQ \text{ (Parts of parallel lines)}$$

In,  $\triangle DQC$  and  $\triangle BQE$

$$\angle DCQ = \angle QBE$$

$$\angle DQC = \angle BQE$$

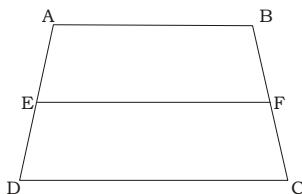
$$\angle CDQ = \angle BEQ$$

$\therefore$  Both  $\triangle DQC$  and  $\triangle BQE$  are similar.

$$\therefore \frac{DQ}{QE} = \frac{DC}{BE} = \frac{DC}{AB} = \frac{DC}{DC} = 1 \quad (\because AB = BE = DC)$$

$$\Rightarrow BQ : QE = 1 : 1$$

90. (D)



$$\text{So, } EF = \frac{1}{2}(AB + DC)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(x + y) = \frac{x + y}{2}$$

$$91. \quad (A) \text{ Total Time} = \frac{600}{80} + \frac{800}{40} + \frac{500}{400} + \frac{100}{50} = \frac{246}{8} \text{ hours}$$

$$\text{Average Speed} = \frac{600 + 800 + 500 + 100}{246} = \frac{2000 \times 8}{246} = 65 \frac{5}{123} \text{ kms/hr}$$

$$92. \quad (C) \text{ Volume of the large cube} = (3^3 + 4^3 + 5^3) = 216 \text{ cm}^3.$$

Let the edge of the large cube be a.

$$\text{So, } a^3 = 216$$

$$a = 6 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Required ratio} = \left( \frac{6 \times (3^2 + 4^2 + 5^2)}{6 \times 6^2} \right) = \frac{50}{36} = 25 : 18$$

93. (C) Perimeter = Distance travelled in 8 min.

$$\Rightarrow \text{Perimeter} = \frac{12000 \times 60}{8} = 1600 \text{ meters}$$

Let the length be  $3x$  and width be  $2x$ .

Perimeter of rectangle  $2(L+B)$

$$\text{So, } 2(3x + 2x) = 1600$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 160$$

$$\text{So, Length} = 160 \times 3 = 480 \text{ meter}$$

$$\text{and Width} = 160 \times 2 = 320 \text{ meters}$$

$$\therefore \text{Required area} = \text{length} \times \text{breadth} \\ = 480 \times 320 = 153600 \text{ m}^2$$

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94. (C) From the question,  $2b + 1 = 30$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = 30 - 2b$$

$$\text{Area} = 100\text{m}^2 \Rightarrow 1 \times b = 100$$

$$\Rightarrow b(30 - 2b) = 100 \Rightarrow b^2 - 15b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (b - 10)(b - 5) = 0$$

$$b = 10 \text{ or } b = 5$$

when  $b = 10$  then  $l = 10$

when  $b = 5$  then  $l = 20$

Since the garden is rectangular so we will take value of breadth 5 m.

So its dimensions are  $20 \text{ m} \times 5 \text{ m}$

95. (A)  $a^2 + b^2 = 117$

$$\Rightarrow (a + b)^2 = 117 + 2ab = 117 + 2 \times 54 = 225$$

$$\Rightarrow a + b = 15$$

$$\text{Also } (a - b)^2 + 2ab = 117$$

$$\Rightarrow (a - b)^2 = 117 - 2 \times 54 = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow a - b = 3$$

$$\therefore \text{The value of the given expression } \frac{a+b}{a-b} = \frac{15}{3} = 5$$

96. (A)  $x + y + z = 0 \Rightarrow x + y = -z, y + z = -x, x + z = -y$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{xyz}{(x+y)(y+z)(z+x)} = \frac{xyz}{-z \times -x \times -y} = -1$$

97. (A) Number of men selecting Product C =  $\frac{56340 \times 45}{100} = 25353$

$$\text{Number of men selecting Product F} = \frac{35580 \times 15}{100} = 5337$$

$$\therefore \text{Required percent} = \frac{5337}{25353} \times 100 = 21.05\%$$

98. (D) Total number of people selecting all products = 284894

$$\text{Number of women selecting product E} = \frac{48300 \times 44}{100} = 21252$$

$$\therefore \text{Required percentage} = \frac{21252}{284894} \times 100 = 7.5\% \text{ (Approx)}$$

99. (D) Total number of children selecting Product A =  $\frac{45525 \times 36}{100} = 16389$

100. (A) Average number of women selecting all products together

$$= \frac{\frac{45525 \times 44}{100} + \frac{36800 \times 33}{100} + \frac{56340 \times 30}{100} + \frac{62350 \times 28}{100} + \frac{48300 \times 44}{100} + \frac{35580 \times 35}{100}}{6} = 16707$$

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