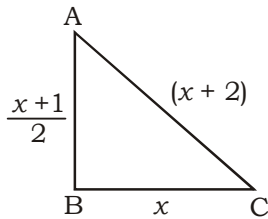


SSC MAINS (MATHS) MOCK TEST-18 (SOLUTION)

1. (B)



Let Base of triangle = x
Then : $AB^2 + BC^2 = AC^2$

$$\left(\frac{x+1}{2}\right)^2 + x^2 = (x+2)^2$$

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

$$x^2 + 1 + 2x + 4x^2 = 4x^2 + 16 + 16x$$

$$x^2 - 14x - 15 = 0$$

$$(x-15)(x+1) = 0$$

$$x = 15$$

$$\text{Then } AB = \frac{15+1}{2} = 8$$

$$(15)^2 + (8)^2 = (17)^2$$

2. (A) $\alpha^4 - \beta^4 = (\alpha - \beta)(\alpha + \beta)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)$

$$= [(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta](\alpha + \beta)\sqrt{(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 4\alpha\beta}$$

$$\therefore (\alpha + \beta) = \frac{-b}{a}$$

$$\therefore \alpha \times \beta = \frac{c}{a} \text{ Put the value.}$$

$$\left(\frac{b^2-2ac}{a^2}\right) \left(\frac{-b}{a}\right) \sqrt{\left(\frac{b^2}{a^2} - 4\frac{c}{a}\right)}$$

$$\frac{-b}{a^4} (b^2 - 2ac) \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}$$

$$\therefore b^2 - 4ac = 0$$

$$\frac{-b}{a^4} (b^2 - 2ac) \sqrt{D}$$

3. (B) $\left(\frac{5}{2} + 2\right)$ km/h

$$= \frac{9}{2} \text{ km/h}$$

$$\text{Time} = \frac{\text{Distance}}{\text{Speed}} = \frac{18}{\frac{9}{2}} = 4 \text{ hours}$$

4. (C) $\frac{4x^3 - x}{(2x+1)(6x-3)} = \frac{x(4x^2-1)}{(2x+1)3(2x-1)}$
 $= \frac{x(2x+1)(2x-1)}{3(2x+1)(2x-1)} = \frac{x}{3} = \frac{9999}{3} = 3333$

5. (A) $P_1 + P_2 + P_3 + P_4 = 10000$
 $= \frac{10}{11}x + \frac{1331+1210+1100+1000}{1331}x = 10000$

$$= \frac{10x}{11} \times \frac{4641}{1331} = 10000$$

$$x = 3155 \text{ (Approx)}$$

$$\text{Now Amount After 1 year} = 10000$$

$$10000 \times \left(1 + \frac{10}{100}\right) = ₹11000$$

$$\text{After giving 1 installment} = 11000 - 3155 = 7845$$

$$7845 \left(1 + \frac{10}{100}\right) = 8629.50$$

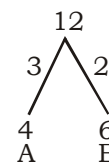
$$\text{After second year installment}$$

$$8629.50 - 3155 = 5474.50$$

$$\text{Now} = 5474.50 \left(1 + \frac{10}{100}\right) = 6022$$

$$\text{Total money returned} = 6022 + 3155 + 3155 = 12332$$

6. (B)



(A) 1 ——— 3

(B) 1 ——— 2

2 hours ——— 5

4 hours ——— 10

$$\text{Remaining} = 12 - 10 = 2$$

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

$$\text{Total time} = 4 \frac{2}{3} \text{ hours}$$

7. (C)

$$P = \frac{P \times \frac{50}{3} \times T}{100}$$

$$T = 6 \text{ year}$$

8. (B) $x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}+1}$

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$$(x + 1) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} + 1} + 1 \quad (\text{Both side added 1})$$

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

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{2} + 1)}{(\sqrt{2} + 1)}$$

$$= \sqrt{2}$$

9. (A) $PQ = \sqrt{(13)^2 - (11 - 6)^2}$

$$PQ = \sqrt{(169 - 25)}$$

$$PQ = \sqrt{144}$$

$$PQ = 12 \text{ cm}$$

10. (A) $\pi(10 + x)^2 \times 4 = \pi 10^2 (4 + x)$

$$100 + x^2 + 20x = 25(4 + x)$$

$$x^2 + 20x + 100 = 100 + 25x$$

$$x^2 - 5x = 0$$

$$x = 5$$

Required Increase = 5 cm

11. (C) Let total votes = 100%

$$75\% = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$2\% = \frac{1}{50} \quad (\text{invalid vote})$$

$$x \times \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{49}{50} \times \frac{3}{4} = 9261$$

$$x = 16800$$

$$\text{Total votes} = 16800$$

12. (B) Time taken by Ram to cover the distance = 294 seconds.

Time taken by usain Bolt to cover the distance = 300 seconds

	Ram	Usain Bolt
T	294	300

Speed	300	294
	└──────────┘	
	6 m	

in 300 m required distance = 6 m

$$1 \text{ m} \text{ ————— } \frac{6}{300}$$

$$1000 \text{ m} \text{ ————— } \frac{6}{300} \times 1000 = 20 \text{ m}$$

13. (D) $A + B + C = 36$ days

$$A + B : C$$

$$2_{x4} : 1_{x4} \rightarrow 3_{x4}$$

$$A + C : B$$

$$3_{x3} : 1_{x3} \rightarrow 4_{x3}$$

Then efficiency of $A : B : C = 5 : 3 : 4$

$$\text{Total work} = 12 \times 36 = 432$$

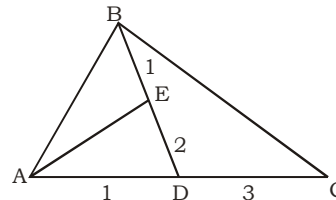
$$\text{Complete by C} = \frac{432}{4} = 108 \text{ days}$$

14. (B) $(30)^{15} \times (22)^{11} \times (15)^{24}$
 $= (2 \times 3 \times 5)^{15} \times (2 \times 11)^{11} \times (3 \times 5)^{24}$
 $= 2^{15} \times 3^{15} \times 5^{15} \times 2^{11} \times 11^{11} \times 3^{24} \times 5^{24}$
 $= 2^{15+11} \times 3^{15+24} \times 5^{15+24} \times 11^{11}$
 $= 2^{26} \times 3^{39} \times 5^{39} \times 11^{11}$

The number of Prime factor

$$= 26 + 39 + 39 + 11 = 115$$

15. (A)



$$\text{Area of } \triangle ABD = \frac{1}{4} \text{ AC}$$

$$\text{Now, Area of } \triangle ABE = \frac{1}{4} \text{ AC} \times \frac{1}{3} \text{ BD}$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} \text{ Area of } \triangle ABC$$

$$\text{Ratio} = 1 : 12$$

16. (C) $90 \times 8\% + 50 \times 10\% = 140 \times 9\% - 60$
 $= 1260\% - 1220\% = 60$

$$40\% = 60$$

$$1\% = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$100\% = 150$$

17. (D) Let CP = 100%

CP

SP

$$\frac{130}{100} \times (100\% - 950) = 125\% - 950$$

$$1300\% - 950 \times 13 = 1250\% - 950 \times 10$$

$$50\% = 950 \times 3$$

$$100\% = \frac{950 \times 3}{50} \times 100$$

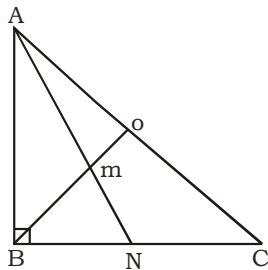
$$= 5700$$

18. (B) Diff. = $P \left(\frac{r}{100} \right)^2$

$$40 = P \left(\frac{10}{100} \right)^2$$

$$P = 4000$$

19. (B) Now by angle bisector theorem



$$\frac{AB}{AO} = \frac{BM}{MO}$$

$$\frac{BM}{MO} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$BM = 20\sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore BO = 20 + 20\sqrt{2}$$

$$= 20(1 + \sqrt{2}) \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Now since } BO = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{AB}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$AB = \sqrt{2} BO$$

$$AB = \sqrt{2} \times 20(1 + \sqrt{2})$$

$$= 20(\sqrt{2} + 2) \text{ cm}$$

20. (C) Number of wrist watches sold in 2010 = 22.3 lakhs

$$\text{Required \%} = \frac{28.7 - 22.3}{22.3} \times 100$$

$$= 28.7\%$$

21. (D) Required Ratio = 3.5 : 9.5 = 7 : 19

22. (B) Required percent = $\frac{30.7 - 9.4}{30.7} \times 100$

$$= \frac{21.2}{30.1} \times 100$$

$$= 69.05\%$$

23. (D) Wall clock

24. (A) Percentage increase in the sales of table

$$\text{clock} = \frac{22.3 - 9.5}{9.5} \times 100$$

$$= 135\%$$

25. (A) $\square \cos 3\theta + \sin 3\theta$

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

$$= \sqrt{2} \sin 45^\circ \cos 3\theta + \cos 45^\circ \sin 3\theta$$

$$= \sqrt{2} \sin(45^\circ + 3\theta)$$

$$\text{Now } \sin(45^\circ + 3\theta) = 1$$

$$3\theta = 45^\circ$$

$$\theta = 15^\circ$$

26. (D) $x = 2y = 3z$

$$\therefore x = 3z, y = \frac{3z}{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2x} + \frac{1}{4y} + \frac{1}{6z} = \frac{24}{7}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2 \cdot 3z} + \frac{1}{4 \cdot \frac{3z}{2}} + \frac{1}{6z} = \frac{24}{7}$$

$$\frac{1}{6z} + \frac{1}{6z} + \frac{1}{6z} = \frac{27}{7}$$

$$\frac{1}{6z} \times 3 = \frac{24}{7}$$

$$z = \frac{7}{48}$$

27. (C) $\square r = 3.5$

Total colour part

$$= 2^{4\sqrt{2}} r^2 + 2^{4\sqrt{2}} r^2$$

$$= 4 \times \frac{22}{7} \times \frac{7}{2} \times \frac{7}{2} \text{ cm}^2$$

cost of paint = 10 cm² in ₹ 5

$$1 \text{ cm}^2 = \frac{5}{10} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Total cost} = 4 \times \frac{22}{7} \times \frac{7}{2} \times \frac{7}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = ₹ 77$$

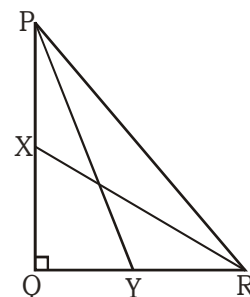
28. (C) $\square x = \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}$

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

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

29. (C) $Py^2 = PQ^2 + Qy^2$

$$Py^2 = PQ^2 + \frac{QR \cdot \theta^2}{2 \cdot \theta} \dots\dots (i)$$



and in $\triangle XQR$

$$RX^2 = QX^2 + QR^2$$

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$$RX^2 = \frac{5PQ^2}{4} + QR^2 \dots\dots (ii)$$

adding (i) and (ii)

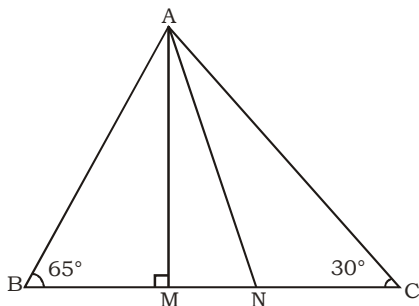
$$Py^2 + RX^2 = \frac{5PQ^2}{4} + \frac{5QR^2}{4}$$

$$4(Py^2 + RX^2) = 5PR^2$$

$$4Py^2 + 4RX^2 = 4PR^2 + PR^2$$

$$Py^2 + RX^2 - PR^2 = \frac{5PR^2}{4}$$

30.(A)



In $\triangle ABC$

$$\angle BAC = 180^\circ - 65^\circ - 30^\circ = 85^\circ$$

$$\angle BAN = \frac{85^\circ}{2} = 42.5^\circ$$

In $\triangle ABM$

$$\angle BAM = 180^\circ - 90^\circ - 65^\circ = 25^\circ$$

$$\angle MAN = \angle BAN - \angle BAM = 42.5^\circ - 25^\circ = 17.5^\circ$$

or

$$\text{Direct} = \frac{1}{2}(65^\circ - 30^\circ) = 17.5$$

$$31.(B) \square \sqrt{2 + \sqrt{2(1 + \cos 4q)}}$$

$$\square \sqrt{2 + 2 \cos^2 2q}$$

$$= \sqrt{2 + \sqrt{4 \cos^2 2q}}$$

$$= \sqrt{2 + 2 \cos 2q}$$

$$= \sqrt{2(1 + \cos 2q)}$$

$$= \sqrt{2(2 \cos^2 q)}$$

$$= \sqrt{4 \cos^2 q} = 2 \cos q$$

$$32.(C) \square \frac{P \cdot 8 \cdot 3}{100} = \frac{1}{2} \left(4000 \frac{1}{100} + \frac{10}{100} \right) - 4000 \frac{1}{100}$$

$$= \frac{24P}{100} = \frac{1}{2} \left(4000 \cdot \frac{121}{100} - 4000 \right)$$

$$P = \frac{420 \cdot 100}{24}$$

$$P = 1750$$

33.(A) Mean proportional between $(2 + \sqrt{3})$ and

$$(8 - \sqrt{48}) \quad \square \text{ Mean proportional} = \sqrt{ab}$$

$$= \sqrt{(2 + \sqrt{3})(8 - \sqrt{48})}$$

$$= \sqrt{(2 + \sqrt{3})4(2 - \sqrt{3})}$$

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

34. (C) Let the number $2a, a, \frac{2a}{3}$

$$= \frac{2a + a + \frac{2a}{3}}{3} = 88$$

$$\frac{11a}{3} = 88 \quad \square a = 72$$

$$\text{Smallest number} = 72 \times \frac{2}{3} = 48$$

$$35.(B) = \frac{18 - 16}{16} \times 100 = \frac{100}{8} = 12.5\%$$

$$36.(D) S_1 \times t_1 = S_2 \times t_2$$

$$10 \times (t + 2) = 15 \times t$$

$$5t = 20$$

$$t = 4h$$

Now distance covered to reach

$$\text{KD Campus} = S_1 \times t_1$$

$$= 10 \times (4 + 2)$$

$$= 60 \text{ km}$$

Speed required at 12 Noon

$$= \frac{60}{5} = 12 \text{ km/h}$$

$$37.(B) \square T_5 = a + (n - 1)d$$

$$2 = -14 + 4d$$

$$d = 4$$

$$\therefore S_n = \frac{n}{2} (2a + (n - 1)d)$$

$$40 = \frac{n}{2} (-28 + (n - 1)d)$$

$$80 = -28n + 4n^2 - 4n$$

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

$$n = 10$$


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38. (D) $\therefore \frac{(2n-4)}{n} \times 90 - \frac{360}{n} = 132$

$180n - 360 - 360 = 132n$

$180n - 132n = 720$

$n = 15$

39. (B) $\angle OQR = \angle OQR = 90^\circ$

$PQ = \sqrt{OP^2 - OQ^2}$

$= \sqrt{(13)^2 - (5)^2} = 12$

\therefore Area of PQOR = $2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 5 \times 12 = 60 \text{ cm}^2$

40. (A) $5x - 9y = 1300 \times 5 \dots$ (i)

$3x - 5y = 900 \times 9 \dots$ (ii)

$25x - 45y = 6500$

$27x - 45y = 8100$

$2x = 1600$

$x = 800$

Now income of 1st person = $5 \times 800 = 4000$

second $\frac{23}{11} 800 \times 3 = 2400$

41. (D)

42. (A)

43. (A) $a, a + 2, a + 4 \dots$

sum = $na + 2 + 4 + \dots$ upto n term

sum = $na + sn$

$= S_n = \frac{2(2^n - 1)}{2 - 1}$

Average = $a + \frac{2(2^n - 1)}{n}$

44. (C) A : B : C

24000 : 32000 : 18000

12 : 16 : 9

Let total profit = $100x$

Extra share of A = $100x \times \frac{15}{100} = 15x$

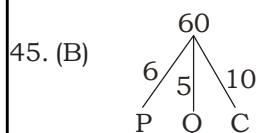
Extra share of B = $100x \times \frac{12}{100} = 12x$

Remaining profit = $100x - (15x + 12x) = 73x$

Share of C = $\frac{9}{37} \times 73x = 65700$

$x = 3700$

Total profit = $3700 \times 100 = 370000$



$= 11 - 10 \square 1 \text{ unit}$

$60 \times \frac{1}{4} = 15$

$7 \text{ am} + 15 \text{ hrs} = 10 \text{ pm}$

46. (D) $\square 1 \text{ Rs} : 50\text{P}$

Value $13x : 11x$

Coins $\boxed{13x : 22x}$

$13x + 22x = 210$

$x = 6 = 13 \times 6 = ₹ 78$

47. (A)

$32.2\% \quad -28$

$45\% \quad +36$

$\text{diff} @ 12.8\% = 64 \text{ marks}$

$1\% \longrightarrow \frac{64}{12.8} = 5 \text{ marks}$

Passing % = $32.2 + \frac{28}{5} = 37.8\%$

48. (B) $\square P \xrightarrow{4 \text{ year}} 7000$

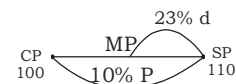
$P \xrightarrow{8 \text{ year}} 10000$

$\frac{A_2}{A_1} = \frac{10}{7}$

$= P \times \frac{10}{7} = 7000$

$P = 4900$

49. (B) Let CP = 100



$10\% \text{ ————— } 56$

$100\% \text{ ————— } 560$

$\text{SP ————— } 560 \times \frac{110}{100} = 610$

$\text{MP ————— } 610 \times \frac{100}{77} = ₹ 800$

50. (D) $x + y = \frac{D}{T} \dots\dots$ (i)

$x - y = \frac{D}{2T} \dots\dots$ (ii)

$2x = \frac{D}{T} + \frac{D}{2T}$

$x = \frac{3D}{4T}$

$y = \frac{D}{4T}$

Ratio = 3 : 1

51. (B)

$$\frac{AB}{BC} = \frac{2}{1}$$

$$AB = 2x$$

$$BC = x$$

$$\therefore AC = 2x + x^2$$

$$\sin A + \cot C = \frac{x}{\sqrt{5}x} + \frac{x}{2x} = \frac{2 + \sqrt{5}}{2\sqrt{5}}$$

52. (D) Cost of rasgulla = $15 \times \frac{3}{5} = 9$ kg

(Flour) 3x	(Sugar) 7x
9	
7x - 9	9 - 3x

$$\frac{9 - 3x}{7x - 9} = \frac{3}{5} \Rightarrow x = 2$$

Price of sugar = $7x = ₹ 14$

53. (C)

Rice	Wheat
$\frac{25}{x}$	$\frac{9}{5x}$
$\frac{25x}{25x}$	$\frac{45x}{45x}$

$$70x = 350$$

$$x = 5$$

Then price of rice = 5 kg
Price of wheat = 25 kg

$$\text{Increase} = 25 \times \frac{120}{100} = 30 \text{ kg}$$

New price of wheat = 30 kg
Then, = $9 \times 30 = 270$

Let price of rice = y
 $5 \times y + 9 \times 30 = 350$
y = 16

Hence decrease % of rice

$$\frac{25 - 16}{25} \times 100 = 36\%$$

54. (D) r = 21 cm
h = 20 cm
 $l = \sqrt{h^2 + r^2} = 29$ cm

Area of sheet = total surface area of the cone

$$4\sqrt{12}rl + 4\sqrt{12}r^2$$

$$= 4\sqrt{12}r(l + r)$$

$$= \frac{22}{7} \times 21 (29 + 21) = 3300 \text{ cm}^2$$

55. (B) $1 + x = 1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ (adding both side 1)

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

$$1 + x = \frac{4 + 2\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

$$(1 + x) = \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2}$$

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

56. (C) $a^m \square a^n = a^{mn}$
 $a^{m+n} = a^{mn}$
 $m + n = mn$
 $\therefore m(n - 2) + n(m - 2)$
 $mn - 2m + nm - 2n$
 $= (m + n) - 2m + (m + n) - 2n$
 $= 2m + 2n - 2m - 2n = 0$

57. (C) The unit digit of $(316)^{3^{4n}}$ is always 6 so
the unit digit of $(316)^{3^{4n}} + 1$ will be 7

58. (C) $\frac{20}{100\% - 20\%} \times \frac{240}{6} = ₹ 10$

59. (A) Let speed of Bolt = x
Let speed of Suraj = y

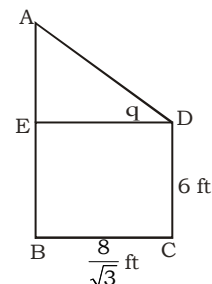
$$\frac{x}{y} = \frac{\frac{800}{t+20}}{\frac{600}{t}} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$t = 20 \text{ seconds}$$

$$\text{speed of Bolt} = \frac{800}{40} = 20 \text{ m/sec}$$

$$\text{speed of Suraj} = \frac{600}{20} = 30 \text{ km/sec}$$

60. (C) AB = Three = $\frac{26}{3}$ feet



$$BE = CD = 6 \text{ feet}$$

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$$AE = AB - DE = \frac{26}{3} - 6$$

$$\frac{28 - 18}{3} = \frac{8}{3} \text{ feet}$$

from $\triangle AED$

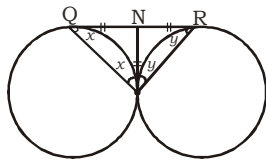
$$\tan 63^\circ = \frac{AE}{ED} = \frac{\frac{8}{3}}{\frac{8}{\sqrt{3}}}$$

$$\tan 63^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$63^\circ = 30^\circ$$

61. (C)

QR is common tangent and no is also common tangent
 $\therefore QN = NP = NR$



In $\triangle QPN$

$$\angle NQP = \angle NPR$$

$$\angle DP + \angle DQ + \angle DR = 180^\circ$$

$$x + y + x + y = 180^\circ$$

$$x + y = 90^\circ$$

62. (D) $(5x)^2 - (4x)^2 = 81$

$$x^2 = 9$$

$$x = 3$$

Value of A = $4 \times 3 = 12$

63. (C) P = 16000

R = 20%

Time = 9 months

$$\text{Time} = \frac{9}{12} \times 4 = 3$$

$$\text{Rate} = \frac{20}{4} = 5\% = \frac{1}{20}$$

P	A
20	21
20	21
20	21
8000	9261

800 — 1600

1 — 2

$2 \times 1261 = ₹ 2522$

64. (A) $\frac{36+n}{50+n} = \frac{3}{4}$

$$144 + 4n = 150 + 3n$$

$$n = 6$$

65. (D) Let the number of men = x

$$25 \times 40 = 1000 \text{ works}$$

$$1000 = 25 \times 24 \times \frac{1}{3} + 12 \times \frac{2}{3} \times x$$

$$1000 = 200 + 8x$$

$$x = 100$$

$$\text{Extra men} = 100 - 25 = 75 \text{ men}$$

66. (B) $= \frac{154}{100} \times \frac{5}{7} \times \frac{5}{4} \times 960 = ₹ 1320$

67. (D) Let ₹ x be deposited into elder son's account and ₹ y in younger one.

ATQ,

$$x \left(\frac{1}{100} \right)^1 + \frac{4}{100} \left(\frac{1}{100} \right)^3 = y \left(\frac{1}{100} \right)^1 + \frac{4}{100} \left(\frac{1}{100} \right)^5$$

$$\square \quad \frac{x}{y} = \frac{676}{625}$$

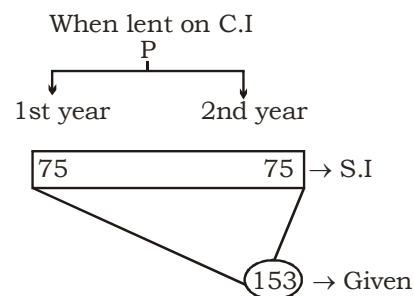
$$\text{Total } 676 + 625 = 1301$$

$$= ₹ 390300$$

$$\text{Required answer} = 676 \times 300 = ₹ 202800$$

$$\text{and } 625 \times 300 = ₹ 187500$$

68. (B) S. I for one year = $\frac{225}{3} = ₹ 75$



So, C.I for the second year

$$= 150 - (75 + 75) = ₹ 3$$

$$\text{Required rate} = \frac{3}{75} \times 100 = 4\%$$

69. (A) $\frac{1}{2} \times 4\sqrt{2}r^2 = 4\sqrt{2}(r-n)^2$

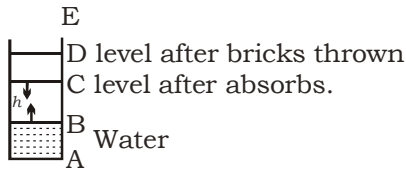
$$\square \quad r = \sqrt{2}(r-n)$$

$$\square \quad r = \sqrt{2}r - \sqrt{2}n$$

$$\square \quad r(\sqrt{2}-1) = \sqrt{2}n$$

$$\square \quad r = \frac{\sqrt{2}n}{\sqrt{2}-1}$$

70.(D) Volume of each bricks = $10 \times 5 \times 4 = 200 \text{ cm}^3$
Total volume of 500 bricks = $500 \times 200 = 1000000 \text{ cm}^3$



Volume of water = $1000000 \times \frac{80}{100}$

$800 \times 500 \times h = 800000 \text{ cm}^3$

$h = \frac{800000}{800 \times 500}$

$= 2 \text{ cm}$

AC = AB + BC
 $= 2 \times 100 + 2$
 $= 202 \text{ cm}$

Required height = $400 - 202 = 198 \text{ cm}$
or 1.98 m

71.(B) $\frac{2x^4 - 162}{(x^2 + 9)(2x - 6)}$

$\frac{2(x^4 - 81)}{2(x^2 + 9)(x - 3)} = \frac{(x^2 + 9)(x^2 - 9)}{(x^2 + 9)(x - 3)}$

$\frac{x^2 - 9}{x - 3} = \frac{(x + 3)(x - 3)}{(x - 3)}$

$x + 3$

72.(B) $[\sin^{6\sqrt{39}} + \cos^{6\sqrt{39}}]^2 = \frac{é b ù}{è a ù}$

$\sin^{2 \cdot 6\sqrt{39}} + \cos^{2 \cdot 6\sqrt{39}} + 2 \sin^{6\sqrt{39}} \cdot \cos^{6\sqrt{39}} = \frac{b^2}{a^2}$

$1 + 2 \times \frac{c}{a} = \frac{b^2}{a^2}$

$\frac{a + 2c}{a} = \frac{b^2}{a^2}$

$a^2 - b^2 + 2ac = 0$

73.(C) Radius of outer circle = $\frac{1}{2} \times 2.4 \text{ cm}$

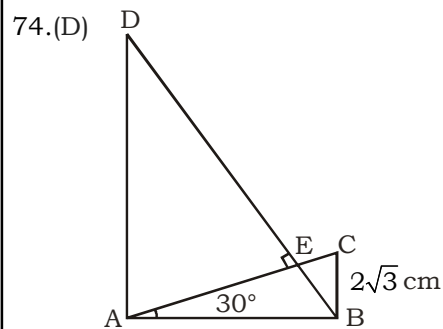
Radius of inner circle = $1.2 \text{ cm} - 0.2 \text{ cm}$

Area of the circular circle = $4\sqrt{12} (R^2 - r^2)$
 $= 4\sqrt{12} (R + r) (R - r)$

$= \frac{22}{7} \times 2.2 \times 0.2$

$= \frac{9.68}{7} \text{ cm}^2$

Weight of lead = $\frac{9.68 \times 3.5 \times 11.4 \times 100}{7 \times 1000} \text{ kg}$
 $= 5.5 \text{ kg}$



In $\triangle ABC$,

$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{AB}$

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

AB = 6 cm

In $\triangle BAD$,

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

$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{1} = \frac{AD}{AB}$

AD = $6\sqrt{3} \text{ cm}$

75.(A) $4ab (a^2 + b^2) = 2 \times ab \times 2 (a^2 + b^2)$

$= 2 \times \left\{ \frac{(a+b)^2 - (a-b)^2}{4} \right\} \times \{(a+b)^2 + (a-b)^2\}$

$= 2 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}^2 - \sqrt{2}^2}{4} \times (\sqrt{3}^2 + \sqrt{2}^2)$

$= 2 \times \frac{1}{4} \times 5 = \frac{5}{2}$

76.(A) $\sin \theta + \cos \theta = 1$

On squaring both sides, we get

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

$1 + 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 1$

$\Rightarrow 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 0$

$\Rightarrow \sin \theta \cos \theta = 0$

77.(C) as AE is an exterior angle bisector

Let CE = x, BE = BC + EC = 12 + x

$\Rightarrow \frac{12+x}{x} = \frac{10}{6}$

$\Rightarrow (12+x) 6 = 10x$

$$\Rightarrow 72 + 6x = 10x$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 72$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 18\text{cm}$$

78.(C) Given $AB = AC$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB = \angle ABC = 50^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle BAC = 180^\circ - (50 + 50) = 80^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle BDC = \angle BAC = 80^\circ \text{ (angles in the same segment)}$$

79. (B) Let x be a +ve integer.

Now, for $x = 1$

$$(A) \quad \frac{x}{x} = 1,$$

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

$$(C) \quad \frac{x}{x+1} = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5$$

$$\text{and (D) } \frac{x+2}{x+3} = \frac{3}{4} = 0.75$$

\therefore (B) $\frac{x+1}{x}$ has the greatest value. Ans.

80. (A) Let x represents number of students & y represents the number of rows.

Then,

$$\text{No. of students in each row} = \frac{x}{y}$$

Case : (I)

$$\left(\frac{x}{y} + 4\right) \times (y - 2) = x$$

$$2y^2 - 4y = x \quad \dots (i)$$

Case : (II)

$$\left(\frac{x}{y} - 4\right) \times (y + 4) = x$$

$$y^2 + 4y = x \quad \dots (ii)$$

From eqn (i) & (ii)

$$2y^2 - 4y = y^2 + 4y$$

$$y(y - 8) = 0$$

$$y = 8$$

Total no. of students

$$x = 2(8)^2 - 4 \times 8$$

$$= 128 - 32$$

\Rightarrow

$$x = 96 \text{ Ans.}$$

$$81. (B) \quad \text{Number of men} = \frac{2}{5} \times 25 = 10$$

$$\text{Number of women} = \frac{3}{5} \times 25 = 15$$

Amount distributed among men and women

$$= 275 \times 80\%$$

$$= ₹ 220$$

Let the wages paid to a man be ₹ $5x$ and to a woman be ₹ $4x$, then

$$\Rightarrow 10 \times 5x + 15 \times 4x = 220$$

$$\Rightarrow 50x + 60x = 220$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2$$

\therefore Wages received by a woman

$$= 2 \times 4 = ₹ 8$$

$$82. (C) \quad x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} + 2 = 3$$

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

$$\Rightarrow x^4 + 1 = x^2$$

$$\therefore x^4 - x^2 + 1 = 0$$

Now, $x^{206} + x^{200} + x^{90} + x^{84} + x^{18} + x^{12} + x^6 + 1$

$$= x^{200}(x^6 + 1) + x^{84}(x^6 + 1) + x^{12}(x^6 + 1) + 1(x^6 + 1)$$

$$= (x^6 + 1)(x^{200} + x^{84} + x^{12} + 1)$$

$$= (x^2 + 1)(x^4 - x^2 + 1)(x^{200} + x^{84} + x^{12} + 1)$$

\therefore 0 Ans.

83. (A) If $\frac{x^2}{y^2} + tx + \frac{y^2}{4}$ is a perfect square

It must be equal to

$$\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{2}\right)^2 \pm 2 \times \frac{x}{y} \times \frac{y}{2}$$

$$= \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{2}\right)^2 \pm x$$

On comparing, we have

$$tx = \pm x$$

$$t = \pm 1 \text{ Ans.}$$

$$84. (C) \quad a = \frac{1}{100}, b = \frac{1}{5}, c = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$\text{or } a = 0.01, b = 0.2, c = 0.1$$

$$\therefore b > c > a$$

$$85. (A) \quad \frac{\frac{1}{2} \div \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times \frac{1}{2}}{\frac{3}{2}} = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{4}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

86. (A) Part of the cistern filled in 3 min

$$= \frac{3}{12} + \frac{3}{16} = \frac{21}{48} = \frac{7}{16}$$

Let remaining $\frac{9}{16}$ part was filled in x min

Then, $\frac{x}{12} \times \frac{7}{8} + \frac{x}{16} \times \frac{5}{6} = \frac{9}{16}$

$\Rightarrow x \left(\frac{7+5}{96} \right) = \frac{9}{16}$

$\Rightarrow x = \frac{9}{16} \times \frac{96}{12} = 4.5 \text{ min}$

87. (A) Length of train = $12 \times 15 = 180 \text{ m}$
Time = 18 s

Speed = $\frac{180}{18} = 10 \text{ m/s}$

New distance = $15 \times 10 = 150 \text{ m}$

\therefore Required time = $\frac{150}{10} = 15 \text{ s}$

88. (B) $\frac{a^{1/2} + a^{-1/2}}{1-a} + \frac{(1-a^{-1/2})}{1+\sqrt{a}}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{(1-\sqrt{a})(1+\sqrt{a})} + \frac{1-a^{-1/2}}{(1+\sqrt{a})}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{2+(1-\sqrt{a})(1-a^{-1/2})}{1-a}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{2+1-a^{-1/2}-a^{-1/2}+1}{1-a}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{2+2-(a^{-1/2}+a^{1/2})}{1-a}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{2+2-2}{1-a} = \frac{2}{1-a}$

89. (C) $(1 - \sin^2 A) = \frac{0.8}{\sec A}$

$\Rightarrow \cos^2 A \cdot \sec A = 0.8$

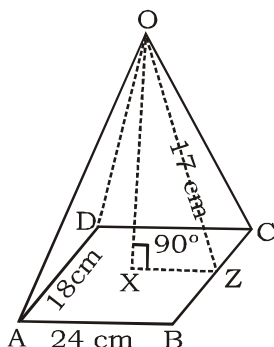
$\Rightarrow \cos A = 0.8 = \frac{4}{5}$

$\Rightarrow \sin A = \frac{3}{5}$

$\Rightarrow \tan A = \frac{3}{4}$

So, $\tan A + \frac{1}{\cos A} = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{5}{4} = \frac{8}{4} = 2$

90. (C)



Let OABCD be the right pyramid whose
AB = DC = 24 cm

BC = AD = 18 cm

If Z is the mid point of side BC, then OZ =
slant height = $l = 17 \text{ cm}$

In $\triangle OXZ$, $\angle X = 90^\circ$

$\Rightarrow OX = \text{height} = \sqrt{OZ^2 - XZ^2}$

$\Rightarrow h = \sqrt{17^2 - \left(\frac{DC}{2}\right)^2}$

$\Rightarrow h = \sqrt{17^2 - 12^2}$

$\Rightarrow h = 12.04 \text{ cm}$

Now,

Volume = $\frac{1}{3}$ area \times height

= $\frac{1}{3} \times 24 \times 18 \times 12.04$

= 1733.76 cm^3

= 1733.5 cm^3 (approx.)

91. (D) 8B2 is divisible by 3 so B may be 2, 5 and 8.

ATQ,

$$\begin{array}{r} 335 \\ +5A7 \\ \hline 8B2 \end{array}$$

So, $3 < B \leq 9$

Value of A are $(8 - 1 - 3)$ or $(5 - 1 - 3)$
i.e. 4 or 1

Largest possible value of A = 4.

92. (A) S.P. of piano

= $15000 \times \frac{80}{100} \times \frac{90}{100} \times \frac{90}{100}$

= ₹ 9720

93. (C) New average is = $120 - 5 \times 11 = 65$

94. (B) Area of equilateral triangle = $9\sqrt{3} \text{ m}^2$

Side of triangle = $\sqrt{\frac{9\sqrt{3}}{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}}} = 6 \text{ m}$

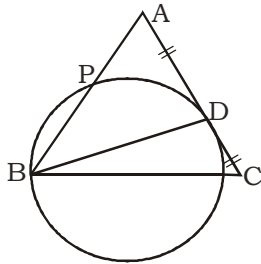
Length of median = $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \text{side}$

= $3\sqrt{3} \text{ m}$

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95.(C) $AB = BC$ and $AD = CD$



$$AB = 2 AD$$

Now, AD is a tangent

$$AD^2 = AP \times AB$$

$$\frac{AB}{2} \cdot \frac{AB}{2} = AP \times AB$$

$$AB = 4AP$$

96.(C)

97.(B)

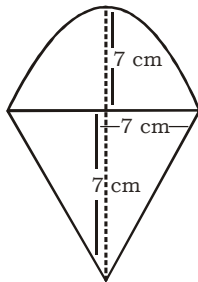
98. (B) Volume of frustum = $\frac{1}{3} \sqrt{h} (r^2 + Rr + R^2)$

Where $\sqrt{h} = \frac{22}{7}$, $h = 6$, $R = 4$, $r = 2$

$$\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times 6 (4 + 8 + 16)$$

$$\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times 6 \times 28 = 176 \text{ m}^3$$

99.(A)



Height of hemispherical part = 7 cm
= radius of hemispherical part
ATQ,

Radius of hemispherical part = height of the
cone = 7 cm

□ Volume of ice cream
= Volume of cone + hemispherical part

$$= \frac{1}{3} \sqrt{h} r^2 + \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{h} r^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \sqrt{h} r^2 (h + 2r)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times 7 (7 + 2 \times 7)$$

$$\approx \frac{22 \times 7}{3} \times 21 = 21 \times 7 \times 7 = 1078 \text{ cm}^3$$

100.(B) $a = b \times \frac{20}{100}$ (i)

$$b = c \times \frac{20}{100}$$
 (ii)

$$c = d + \frac{d}{3}$$
 (iii)

$$a : b \Rightarrow 1 : 5 : 5 : 5$$

$$b : c \Rightarrow 6 : 6 : 5 : 5$$

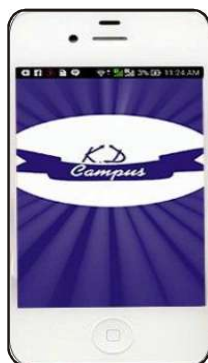
$$c : d \Rightarrow 4 : 4 : 4 : 3$$

$$a : d : c : d \Rightarrow 24 : 120 : 100 : 75$$

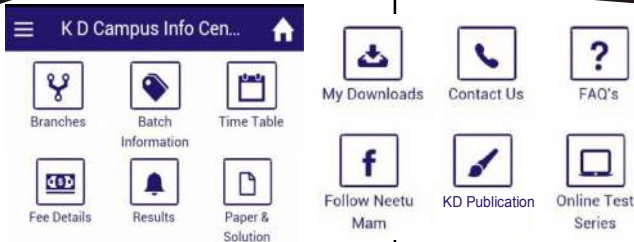
Let $a = 24k$, $b = 120k$, $c = 100k$

$$= \frac{2a}{b+c} \times \frac{200}{100} = \frac{2 \times 24k}{120k + 100k} \times \frac{20}{100}$$

$$= \frac{48k}{220k} \times \frac{1}{5} = \frac{12}{275}$$



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