# SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (SAT) PAPER: Maharashtra - 2016-17

- 1. The work done in moving 10 lithium nuclei (Atomic number of Li = 3) through a potential difference of 10 V is (charge on an electron is 1.6 x 10<sup>-19</sup>C)
  - $(1) 4.8 \times 10^{-16} \text{ J}$
- (2) 4.8 x 10<sup>-19</sup>J
- (3) 4.8 x 10<sup>-18</sup>J
- (D) 4.8 x 10<sup>-17</sup>J

(4)1.

$$W = QV = neV = 10 \times 3 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 10$$

$$=48 \times 10^{-17} \text{ J}$$

2. Choose the correct alternative which matches second and third column with first column

	Column I
Ή	Magnetic

Column II (A) right hand thumb rule Column III

(I) Magnetic field is produced near current carrying

conductor

(a) Michael Faraday

(II) Electric current is generated in a conductor moving in

Fleming's right (B) hand rule

Hans (b) Oersted

- a magnetic field
- (2) (I) (A) (b), (II) (B) (b)
- (1) (I) (B) (a), (II) (B) (b)(3) (I) - (B) - (b), (II) - (A) - (a)
- (4) (I) (A) (b), (II) (B) (a)

- 2. (4)
- 3. M.R.I is based on ......
  - (1) Magnetic effect of electric current
  - (2) Heating effect of electric current
  - (3) Chemical effect of electric current
  - (4) Conduction of electric current
- (1) 3.
- 4. For refraction of light form air to rock salt, water and diamond if:
  - V Velocity of light in air
  - V<sub>1</sub> Velocity of light in rock salt
  - V<sub>2</sub> Velocity of light in water
  - V<sub>3</sub> Velocity of light in diamond, then

Choose the correct alternative

(1)  $V_3 > V_1 > V_2 > V$ 

(2)  $V > V_2 > V_1 > V_3$ 

(3)  $V > V_1 > V_2 > V_3$ 

(4)  $V_1 > V > V_3 > V_2$ 

4.

$$\mu_a = 1$$

$$\mu_{Rs} = 1.54$$



$$\mu_{w} = 1.33$$

$$\mu_D=2.4\,$$

$$\because V \propto \frac{1}{\mu}$$

$$V > V_2 > V_1 > V_3$$

- 5. When white light is passed through and upside down (inverted) prism then
  - (1) White light is obtained
  - (2) Spectrum is obtained with violet colour undergoing maximum deviation and red colour undergoing minimum deviation.
  - (3) Spectrum is obtained with red colour undergoing maximum deviation and violet colour undergoing minimum deviation.
  - (4) light gets blocked
- 5. (2)

Since 
$$\mu \propto \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

and 
$$\lambda_V < \lambda_I < \lambda_B < \lambda_G < \lambda_Y < \lambda_O < \lambda_R$$

$$\therefore \qquad \mu_{V} > \mu_{I} > \mu_{B} > \mu_{G} > \mu_{Y} > \mu_{O} > \mu_{R}$$

Hence Violet undergo maximum deviation and Red minimum

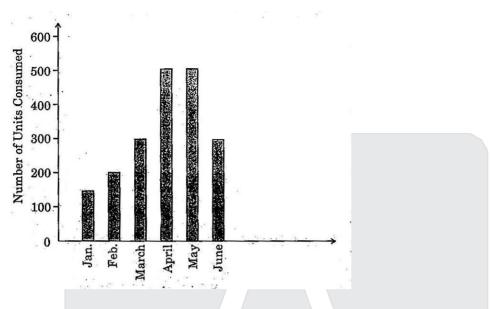
- 6. Select the correct sequences of light entering the different parts of human eye "
  - (1) cornea, lens, iris, pupil, retina
  - (2) pupil, cornea, iris, lens, retina
  - (3) cornea, pupil, iris, lens, retina
  - (4) cornea, iris, pupil, lens, retina
- 6. (4)



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7. Graph shows the numbers of units consumed by a family for six months. Find the cost of energy of four months form march to June if M.S.E.B increased its unit rate from Rs. 3.50 to Rs..4.50 for april and may and again decreased by Rs.2 for June.



- (1) Rs. 6000
- (2) Rs.6030
- (3) Rs.6300
- (4) Rs.6200

7. (3)

Total cost of March =  $300 \times 3.5 = 1050$ 

Total cost of April =  $500 \times 4.5 = 2250$ 

Total cost of May =  $500 \times 4.5 = 2250$ 

Total cost of June =  $300 \times 2.5 = 750$ 

Total = 6300

- 8. Object placed ..... of lens or mirror give infinite magnification
  - (1) at focus

- (2) at infinite distance
- (3) between F<sub>1</sub> and 2F<sub>1</sub>
- (4) at 2F<sub>1</sub>

- 8. (1)
- 9. If a 3 cm tall object places perpendicular to principle axis of a convex lens of focal length 15 cm produces a real in inverted image of height 15 cm. then its object distance (u) is ..... and image distance (v) is .....
  - (1) u = -18m, v = +90 m
- (2) u = + 18 cm, v = -90 cm
- (3) u = -18cm, v = +90 cm
- (4) u = = + 18 cm, v = + 90 cm

9. (3)

 $f = +15 \text{ cm}, h_1 = 3\text{cm}, h_2 = -15 \text{ cm}$ 

$$m = \frac{h_2}{h_1} = \frac{-15}{3} = -5$$



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$$m = \frac{v}{u} = -5$$

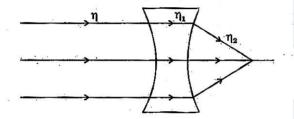
$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{v} - \frac{1}{u}$$

$$\frac{1}{15} = -\frac{1}{5u} - \frac{1}{u}$$

$$u = -18 \text{ cm}$$

$$v = 90 \text{ cm}$$

10. If the path of parallel light through a concave lens is as shown in the figure where  $\eta$ ,  $\eta_1$  and  $\eta_2$  are refractive indices, then



(1) 
$$\eta > \eta_1 = \eta_2$$

(2) 
$$\eta = \eta_1 < \eta_2$$

(3) 
$$\eta = \eta_1 > \eta_2$$

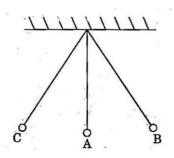
(4) 
$$\eta < \eta_1 = \eta_2$$

- 11. Distance covered by an object thrown upward in the last second .....
  - (1) depends on initial velocity
- (2) depends on mass

(3) depends on air velocity

(4) is always same

- 11. (1)
- 12 In motion of a simple pendulum acceleration and kinetic energy are maximum ......



(1) C, B, A

(2) A, B, C

(3) A only

(4) B, C only

12. (1)



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Resonance **NATIONAL TALENT SEARCH EXAMIN**ATION-2016-2017 13. A washing machine rate 300 W is operated one and half an hour / day. If the cost of unit is Rs.3.50, find the cost of energy to operate a washing machine for the month of September (1) Rs.27.90 (2) Rs.35.25 (3) Rs.47.25 (4) Rs.55.90 13. (3) $300W \times 1.5 \text{ hr} \times 30 \text{ [for full month]}$ = 13.5 kwhrCost =  $13.5 \times 3.5 = 47.25$ 14. Elements A, B, C, D have atomic numbers as 35, 19, 17, 9 respectively. Choose the odd element. (1) A (2) B(3) C(4)D 15. The elements P, Q, R, S belong to the group number 14, 15, 16, 17 respectively. Select the elements in increasing order of their electronegativity (1) P < Q < R < S(2) P > Q > R > S(3) R < Q < P < S(4) Q < P < S < R16. For the following reaction which statement is true?  $2H_2S(g) + SO_2(g) \rightarrow 3S(s) + 2H_2O(l)$ (b) SO<sub>2</sub> is oxidised (a) H<sub>2</sub>S is reduced (c) H<sub>2</sub>S is reducing agent (d) SO<sub>2</sub> is oxidising agent (1) (a) and (c) (2) (b) and (c) (3) (a) and (b) (4) (c) and (d) 17. A science teacher wrote 3 statement about rancidity (i) When fats and oils are reduced, they become rancid (ii) in chips packet, rancidity is prevented by oxygen (iii) rancidity is prevented by adding antioxidants Select the correct option: (1) (i) (2) (ii) and (iii) (3) (iii) (4) (i), (ii) and (iii) 18. The gas evolved during the reaction of CuCl<sub>2</sub> and conc. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> is ......... (1) Neutral (2) basic (3) Highly basic (4) Acidic

19. Which of the following substance has the lowest pH – Value?

(1) Tomato Juice(2) Vinegar(3) Washing soda(4) Human blood

20. Which of the following is most reactive metal?

(1) Fe (2) Zn (3) Ca (4) Al

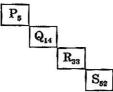


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21. In the given square P, Q, R, S with atomic number is written are metalloids. About this the 4 statements are given below. Select the correct option of the true statements:



- (a) Element after square P is a non-metal
- (b) Square R represents metalloid
- (c) Element just before square R is a metalloid
- (d) Element just before square S is a non-metal
- (1) (a), (b) and (c)
- (2) (a), (b) and (d)
- (3) (b) and (c)
- (4) (a), (b), (c) and (d)
- In the following structural formulae one IUPAC name is incorrect. Identify it: 22.
  - $-CH_s$ -Butanone
- (2) CH<sub>3</sub>—CH<sub>2</sub>—C=O-Propanal
- -OH-Ethanoic acid
- (4) CH3-CH2-CH2-CH2-OH-Butanol
- 23. Select a compound which gives effervescence with NaHCO<sub>3</sub> solution :
  - (1)  $C_{2}H_{6}O$
- (2)  $C_2H_4O_2$
- (4) C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>8</sub>O<sub>2</sub>
- 24. What is the IUPAC name of the following compounds?

- (1) 4-Ethyl-3, 3-dichloro heptane
- (2) 4-Ethyl-3, 3-dichloro hexane
- (3) 4-Ethyl-3-chlorohexane
- (4) 3, 3-dichloro-4-butyl heptane
- 25. X and Y are the two atomic species:

	Х	Y
Number of Proton	8 .	8
Number of Neutron	.8	10

Select the correct statement about X and Y:

- (1) X and Y are isobars
- (2) X and Y have different chemical properties
- (3) X and Y have different physical properties
- (4) X and Y are the atoms of different elements
- 26. How many electrons are present in M-shell of an element with Atomic number 20?
  - (1) 8

(2)6

- (3)18
- (4) 2



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- Which of the following harmful products is not produced in the biochemical reactions of the cell of living organisms?
  - (1) Urea
- (2) Uric acid
- (3) Ammonia
- (4) Lymph
- 28. Match the following components of Column 'A' with the components of Column 'B':

#### Column 'A'

#### Column 'B'

- (1) Venus flytrap
- (A) A trap which looks and smells like a flower to catch the insects.

(2) Balsam

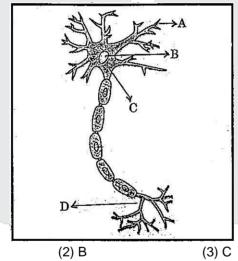
(B) Flower opens in the morning.

(3) Drosera

(C) Fruit bursts open to scatter the seeds

(4) Lotus

- (D) Tentacles on the leaves to trap the insects
- (1) (1) (A), (2) (C), (3) (D), (4) (B)
- (2) (1) (A), (2) (C), (3) (B), (4) (D)
- (3) (1) (D), (2) (C), (3) (A), (4) (B)
- (4) (1) (D), (2) (B), (3) (A), (4) (C)
- 29. Select the correct sequence of the steps of human nutrition :-
  - (1) Ingestion  $\rightarrow$  Digestion  $\rightarrow$  Absorption  $\rightarrow$  Assimilation  $\rightarrow$  Egestion
  - (2) Ingestion → Digestion → Assimilation → Absorption → Egestion
  - (3) Ingestion  $\rightarrow$  Assimilation  $\rightarrow$  Digestion  $\rightarrow$  Absorption  $\rightarrow$  Egestion
  - (4) Ingestion → Absorption → Digestion → Assimilation → Egestion
- 30. Where the environmental information is picked in the neuron?



(1) A

(1) Auxins

31.

- Which plant hormone is found in greater concentration in fruits and seeds? (2) Gibberellins
  - (3) Cytokinins
- (4) Abscisic acid

- 32. Identify the wrong pair from the following:
  - (1) Euglena Binary fission
- (2) Yeast Budding
- (3) Spirogyra Fragmentation
- (4) Hydra Multiple fission
- 33. How many male gametes are essential to form 25 seeds in Angiospermic plants?
  - (1)25
- (2)50
- (3)75
- (4) 100

(4) D

- A basic process in reproduction is the creation of a ...... copy. 34.
  - (1) RNA
- (2) DNA
- (3) Nucleus
- (4) Mitochondria



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- **35.** Identify a fish who breathes air through its lungs :
  - (1) Lungfish
- (2) Rohu
- (3) Dogfish
- (4) Sting Ray
- **36.** A pea plant with yellow and round seeds (YYRR) is crossed with a pea plant having green and wrinkled (yyrr) seeds, then in F<sub>2</sub> generation of this dihybrid cross 320 plants are produced. Out of which 180 plants have same phenotypic characters. Identify this phenotype.
  - (1) Yellow and wrinkled seeds
  - (2) Yellow and round seeds
  - (3) Green and round seeds
  - (4) Green and wrinkled seeds
- 37. Which gas emits on burning of rice straw?
  - (1) SO,
- (2) NH<sub>a</sub>
- (3) O<sub>3</sub>
- (4) H<sub>2</sub>S
- 38. If biomedical waste not handled properly, then which disease is a potent source in human being?
  - (1) Cancer
- (2) Heart diseases
- (3) AIDS
- (4) Leprosy
- **39.** Which category lies in between the genus and order in the classification of plants?
  - (1) Species
- (2) Class
- (3) Family
- (4) Kingdom
- **40.** Earthworm, a friend of farmer belongs to ...... phylum.
  - (1) Arthropoda
- (2) Echinodermata
- (3) Mollusca
- (4) Annelida

- 41. Identify incorrect sentence related to Asian continent:
  - (1) This continent is the biggest of all from the perspectives of area and population
  - (2) The continent got the name from the word 'Aasu'
  - (3) The renaissance era was started from this continent
  - (4) The emergence of old religion and culture from this continent
- 42 Which one of the following atomic reactors is not present in Atomic Research City' at Mumbai?
  - (1) Apsara
- (2) Narora
- (3) Zarlina
- (4) Purnima

Who was the painter of this famous immortal picture?



(1) Michaelangelo

(2) Lenonardo - da - Vinci

(3) Raphael

(4) Donato



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44.		wing was not navigator?				
	(1) John cabot	(2) John Key	(3) Amerigo Vespucci	(D) Christopher Columbus		
45.	Arrange the following	Arrange the following events in chronological sequence:				
	(I) Hitler adopted 4 <sup>th</sup>	year plan				
	(II) Hitler assumed t	he post of prime Minister				
	(III) Hitler brought o	ut an agreement with Italy	and Japan			
	(IV) Hitler captured	the Rhineland				
	(1) (II), (I), (IV), (III)	(2) (III), (IV), (II), (I)	(3) (I), (III), (II), (IV)	(4) (IV), (II), (I), (III)		
46.	Choose the inappro	priate pair:				
	(1) Business conces	ssions took from king Zam	norin -	Vasco – da – Gama		
	(2) Request to the J	apanese Government for	-	Commodore Perry		
	business concessio	n				
	(3) The book writter	by him which was create	ed among the -	Bartholomew Dias		
	European people					
	(4) Motivated the na	avigators	-	King Henry		
47.	Which one of the fo	llowing is not computer's	input device?			
	(1) Keyboard	(2) Scanner	(3) Mouse	(4) Printer		
48.		archaic scripture of the A				
	(1) Yajurveda	(2) Samveda	(3) Atharvaveda	(4) Rigveda		
49.		ker Karl Marx belongs to				
	(1) Russia	(2) France	(3) Germany	(4) Turkistan		
50	'UNO' was founded		(0) 0 5 .	(A) <b>T</b>		
	(1) New York	(2) Washington	(3) San Francisco	(4) The Hague		
51.	Due to which action	of Japan the Asian Cont	inent was engulfed into the	international conflict?		
J 1.		een China and Japan	_	ny into Indo-china region		
	(3) Japan attacked	•	(4) The rise of Militarisi			
	(5) Capan attached		( .) 1100 of Miniation			
52.	Tipu Sultan was def	ected due to collaboration	n with which rulers?			
	(1) British – Maratha		(2) Nizam – Nawab of	Karnataka – British		
	• •	n – Karnataka Nawab	(4) King of Travancore			



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53.	Who has written the bo	ook 'Rights of Man'?			
	(1) Thomas Jefferson	(2) Thomas Penn	(3) George Washingto	on (4) Rousseau	
54.	Atomic energy plant ha	as not been erected at			
	(1) Talcher	(2) Jadugad	(3) Tuticorin	(4) Nangal	
55.	Which nation is not inc	luded in the committee	, an executive body of the	e League of Nations?	
	(1) France	(2) Italy	(3) Soviet Russia	(4) Germany	
56.	Harl-ke-Pattan Nationa	al Wetland is situated in	state.		
	(1) West Bengal	(2) Assam	(3) Punjab	(5) Haryana	
57.	<ul> <li>(1) Chota Nagpur → B</li> <li>(2) Baghelkhand → B</li> <li>(3) Bundelkhand → M</li> </ul>	aghelkhand → Bundel undelkhand → Malwa lalwa Plateau→ Chota	Peninsular Plateau Regio khand → Malwa Plateau Plateau → Chota Nagpu a Nagpur → Baghelkhand elkhand → Bundelkhand	ır S	
58.	Western Ghats known	as 'Mukta Maidan?		lowing region is situated to the east of	
	(1) Palkonda Hills	(2) Biligiri Hills	(3) Nallamalla Hills	(4) Velikonda Hills	
59.	Which of the following	is not included in the D	eccan Plateau?		
	(1) Satpuda – Mahade		(2) Karnataka – Telar	ngana Plateau	
	(3) Malwa Plateau		(4) Maharashtra Plate	eau	
60.	Vegetal cover is thin in	Rajasthan Plain Regio	on due to:		
	(1) Winds blow with high	gh velocity	(2) Very high tempera	atures	
	(3) Dry climate		(4) Scanty rainfall		
61.	Along the shore of the Dal Lake Kashmir is cultivated.				
	(1) Apple	(2) Cherry	(3) Pears	(4) Grapes	

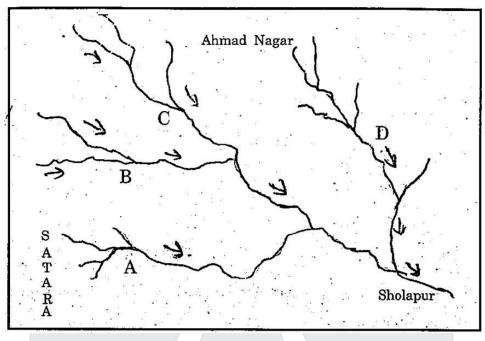


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62. In the figure given below, which river is indicated by alphabet 'A'?



- (1) Man River
- (2) Bhima River
- (3) Sina River
- (4) Nira River

- 63. Find the wrong pair having place and industry
  - (1) Durgapur Iron and Steel Industry
  - (2) Kanpur Ship building Industry
  - (3) Varanasi Silk Sari
  - (4) Barauni Oil Refinery
- 64. If the countries sharing land border with India are arranged in ascending order of percentage, which country will be in the middle?

Pakistan, China, Bhutan, Afghanistan, Nepal

- (1) Bhutan
- (2) Nepal
- (3) Pakistan
- (4) Afghanistan
- The eastern district of Maharashtra ...... districts have more number of tanks and lakes. 65.
  - (1) Bhandara and Gondia

(2) Wardha and Nagpur

(3) Chandrapur and Gadchiroli

- (4) Bhandara and Chandrapur
- 66. Which of the following regions is described as 'Cold Desert'?
  - (1) Sikkim Himalaya
- (2) Karakoram Ranges (3) Ladakh Range
- (4) Kailas Range



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- 67. Which of the following is known as 'Canebrakes'?
  - (1) Thick stands of tall grass

- (2) Forests with thick and tall trees
- (3) Region affected by tropical cyclones
- (4) Region affected by floods
- 68. 'Shilong' belongs to which Subdivision of the Himalaya?
  - (1) The Central Himalaya

(2) The Kailas Range

(3) The Ladakh Range

- (4) The Eastern Himalaya
- 69. The region of older alluvium of the Ganga plain is known as ........
  - (1) Khadar
- (2) Bhabar
- (3) Bangar
- (4) Tarai
- 70. 'Bundelkhand' is situated in which direction in relation to Malwa Plateau?
  - (1) South-east
- (2) South
- (3) West
- (4) North-east

- 71. Identify the correct pair of the following
  - (i) Indian National Congress
- (A) Established in 1980
- (ii) Bharatiya Janata Party
- (B) Established in 1885
- (iii) Communist Party of India
- (C) Established in 1999
- (iv) Nationalist Congress Party
- (D) Established in 1964
- (1) (i) (D), (ii) (C), (iii) (B), (iv) (A)
- (2) (i) (C), (ii) (B), (iii) (A), (iv) (D)
- (3) (i) (D), (ii) (A), (iii) (C), (iv) (B)
- (4) (i) (B), (ii) (A), (iii) (D), (iv) (C)
- 72. Which of the following is not applicable for the Parlimentary Democracy?
  - (1) Two chief executive
  - (2) Power vested in Parliament
  - (3) Executive chief cannot be removed before the end of his tenure
  - (4) In England and India, Parliament democracy is in existence
- 73. Who worked as the Chairperson of the Advisory Committee on fundamental rights of the Constituent Assembly?
  - (1) Vallabhbhai Patel

(2) Pandit Jawaharlal Nehu

(3) Dr. Rajendra Prasad

- (4) Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar
- 74. Who has written a book called 'Street-purush Tulana' Published in 1882?
  - (1) Mahatma Phule
- (2) Shahu Maharaj
- (3) Tarabai Shinde
- (4) Savitribai Phule



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- 75. People tend to migrate to more developed regions is an example of which inequality?
  - (1) Political
- (2) Regional
- (3) Social
- (4) Linguistic
- 76. .....refers to various activities related to the production, distribution and consumption of goods and services in a certain Geographical region.
  - (1) Political Sovereignty

(2) Sectoral Distribution

(3) An Economy

- (3) Natural Resources
- 77. Which day of the following is celebrated as Worlds Consumer Day?
  - (1) 15<sup>th</sup> March
- (2) 24<sup>th</sup> December
- (3) 10<sup>th</sup> December
- (4) 8<sup>th</sup> April
- 78. "Economic is a science to study human well-being/welfare. "Who has defined it?
  - (1) Prof. Adam Smith
- (2) Leonnel Robins
- (3) Prof. Kemmerer
- (4) Prof. Alfred Marshall
- 79. On which factor of the following the decision regarding "How much to produce" does not depend upon?

  - (1) Population growth (2) Level of production (3) Size of market
- (4) Availability of resources
- Which is not a fiscal measure of the following to control inflation? 80.

  - (1) Increase in taxation (2) Public Borrowings (3) Overvaluation
- (4) Increase in Bank rate
- 81. In an A.P. the sum of 'n' terms is  $5n^2 - 5n$ . Find the 10th term of the A.P.?
  - (1)80
- (2)90
- (3) 100
- (4) 110

81. (2)

$$S_n = 5n^2 - 5n$$

$$T_{10} = S_{10} - S_9$$

$$= \left\lceil 5(10)^2 - 5(10) \right\rceil - \left\lceil 5(9)^2 - 5 \times 9 \right\rceil$$

$$= [500-50]-[405-45]$$

$$=450-360=90$$

- If  $\frac{a}{x+y} = \frac{b}{y+z} = \frac{c}{z-x}$ , then which of the following equations is true? 82.
  - (1) a = b + c
- (2) c = a + b
- (3)  $b = a \times c$
- (4) b = a + c

82. (4)

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



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$$ay + az = bx + by$$

$$az - ax = cx + cy$$

...(2)

Subtract (2) from (1)

$$ay + ax = bx + by - cx - cy$$

$$a(x+y) = b(x+y) - c(x+y)$$

$$b = a + c$$

83. The difference between the two roots of a quadratic equation is 2 and the difference between the cubes of the roots is 98, then which of the following is that quadratic equation?

(1) 
$$x^2 - 8x + 15 = 0$$

(2) 
$$x^2 + 8x - 15 = 0$$

(3) 
$$x^2 + 5x + 15 = 0$$

(4) 
$$x^2 - 5x - 15 = 0$$

Let the roots of quadratic equation is  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ 

$$\alpha - \beta = 2$$

$$\alpha^3 - \beta^3 = 98$$

$$(\alpha - \beta)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \alpha\beta) = 98$$

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \alpha\beta = 49$$

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \alpha\beta = 49$$
  $(\alpha - \beta)^2 + 3\alpha\beta = 49$ 

$$3\alpha\beta = 45$$

$$\rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\alpha\beta = 15$ 

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 = 34$$

$$(\alpha + \beta)^2 = 34 + 30 = 64$$

$$\alpha + \beta = +8$$

$$x^2 - 8x + 15 = 0$$

- 84. From a pack of 52 playing cards, face club cards are removed. The remaining cards are well shuffled and a card is drawn at random. Find the probability that the card drawn is a Heart card.
  - $(1) \frac{1}{4}$
- (2)  $\frac{13}{49}$
- (3)  $\frac{3}{52}$

84. (2)

Remaining cards = 52 - 3 = 49

Heart card remaining = 13

$$P(E) = \frac{13}{49}$$



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- 85. A boat takes 7 hours to travel 30 km upstream and 28 km downstream. It takes 5 hours to travel 21 km upstream and to return back. Find the speed of the boat in still water.
  - (1) 10 km/hr
- (2) 20 km/hr
- (3) 14 km/hr
- (4) 6 km/hr

85. (1)

Let speed of boat in still water = x km/hr

Speed of stream = u km/hr

Speed of boat in downstream = (x + y) km/hr

Speed of boat in upstream = (x - y) km/hr

$$\frac{30}{x-y} + \frac{28}{x+y} = 7$$

$$\frac{21}{x-y} + \frac{21}{x+y} = 5$$

Let 
$$\frac{1}{x-y} = a$$
  $\frac{1}{x+y} = b$ 

$$\frac{1}{x+v} = b$$

$$21 \times (30a + 28b = 7)$$

$$30 \times (21a + 21b = 5)$$

$$6309 + 588b = 147$$

$$6309 + 630b = 150$$

$$42b = 3$$

$$b = \frac{1}{14}$$
  $a = \frac{1}{6}$ 

$$x - y = 14, x + y = 6$$

$$2x = 20$$

$$x = 10$$

Speed of boat is still water = 10 km/hr

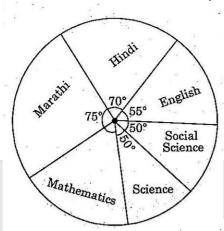


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**86.** The marks scored by a student in an examination of 600 marks is shown in the following pie diagram. If he has scored 60 marks in Mathematics, then find the percentage of marks that he secured in the examination.



(1) 60%

(1)

(2) 50%

(3) 75%

(4) 55%

86.

Total marks = 600

Mathematics =  $(360^{\circ} - 300) = 60^{\circ}$ 

 $60^{\circ} \longrightarrow 60^{\circ}$  marks

1°——→1 marks

360° -----→ 360 marks

$$\% = \frac{360}{600} \times 100 = 60\%$$

87.  $\sqrt{m^4n^4} \times \sqrt[6]{m^2n^2} \times \sqrt[3]{m^2n^2} = (mn)^k$ , then find the value of k.

(1)6

(2) 3

(3) 2

(4) 1

87. (2)

$$\sqrt{m^4n^4} \times \sqrt[6]{m^2n^2} \times \sqrt[3]{m^2n^2} = \left(mn\right)^k$$

$$m^2n^2\times (mn)^{\frac{1}{3}}\times (mn)^{\frac{2}{3}}=(mn)^k$$

$$(mn)^{2+\frac{1}{3}+\frac{2}{3}} = (mn)^k$$

$$(mn)^3 = (mn)^k$$

k = 3



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- **88.** The cost of 20 guavas and 5 apples is same as that of 12 guavas and 7 apples, then how many times the cost of an apple is to that of a guava?
  - (1) two times
- (2) half times
- (3) four times
- (4) five times

88. (3)

$$20G + 5A = 12G + 7A$$

$$A = 4G$$

- ∴ Four times
- 89. In a group of students, 10% students scored marks less than 20, 20% students scored marks between 20 to 40, 35% students scored marks between 40 to 60 and 20% students scored marks between 60 to 80. Remaining 30 students scored marks between 80 to 100. Find the mode of marks.
  - (1) 30
- (2)50
- (3)60
- (4)70

89. (2)

Total number of students is x

$$= x - \left(\frac{x}{10} + \frac{x}{5} + \frac{7x}{20} + \frac{x}{5}\right) = 30$$

$$x-\frac{17x}{20}=30$$

$$\frac{3x}{20} = 30$$

$$X = 200$$

Remaining student  $\% = (30/200) \times 100 = 15\%$ 

C.I	f
0-20	10
20-40	20
40-60	35
60-80	20
80-100	15

Modal class = 40 - 60

$$I = 40$$

$$f_0 = 20$$

$$f_1 = 35$$



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Mode = 
$$40 + \frac{(35-20)}{(70-20-20)} \times 20 = 50$$

- **90.** One of the root of a quadratic equation is  $(3-\sqrt{2})$ , then which of the following is that equation?
  - (1)  $(x^2 6x 7) = 0$

(2) 
$$(x^2 + 6x - 7) = 0$$

(3)  $(x^2 + 6x + 7) = 0$ 

(4) 
$$(x^2 - 6x + 7) = 0$$

90. (4

One root is 
$$3-\sqrt{2}$$

Then other will be 
$$3 + \sqrt{2}$$

Sum of roots = 
$$3 - \sqrt{2} + 3 + \sqrt{2} = 6$$

Product of roots = 
$$3^2 - (\sqrt{2})^2 = 9 - 2 = 7$$

$$\therefore \left(x^2 - 6x + 7\right) = 0$$

- 91. In  $\triangle$  ABC, m $\angle$ B = 90°, AB =  $4\sqrt{5}$ . BD  $\perp$  AC, AD = 4, then A( $\triangle$ ABC) = ?
  - (1) 96 sq. units
- (2) 80 sq. units
- (3) 120 sq. units
- (4) 160 sq. units

91. (2)

$$\therefore \frac{\operatorname{ar}(\Delta ADB)}{\operatorname{ar}(\Delta ABC)} = \left(\frac{AD}{AB}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{4}{4\sqrt{5}}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\therefore \operatorname{ar}(\Delta \mathsf{ABC}) = \operatorname{5ar}(\Delta \mathsf{ADB})$$

$$=5\times\frac{1}{2}\times4\times84$$

$$=5\times4\times4$$



- **92.** Side of a cube is increased by 50%, then what percent increase will be in the area of the vertical faces of the cube?
  - (1) 125%
- (2) 150%
- (3) 100%
- (4) 50%

92. (1)

Original side  $\Rightarrow x$ 

Increased value  $\Rightarrow \frac{150}{100} x = \frac{3x}{2}$ 

% increase = 
$$\left(\frac{\frac{9x^2}{4} - x^2}{x^2}\right) \times 100$$

- = 125 %
- 93.  $\sin x = \frac{6 \sin 30^{\circ} 8 \cos 60^{\circ} + 2 \tan 45^{\circ}}{2 \left( \sin^{2} 30^{\circ} + \cos^{2} 60^{\circ} \right)}, \text{ then } x = \text{how much?}$ 
  - (1) 30°
- (2) 45°
- $(3) 60^{\circ}$
- $(4) 90^{\circ}$

93. (4)

$$\sin x = \frac{6 \times \frac{1}{2} - 8 \times \frac{1}{2} + 2 \times 1}{2(2\sin^2 30^\circ)}$$

$$=\frac{3-4+2}{4\times\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\sin x = 1$$

$$\sin x = \sin 90^{\circ}$$

$$x = 90^{\circ}$$

- **94.** P = (1, -9), Q = (2,5) and R = (6,7) are the co-ordinates of the vertices of  $\triangle PQR$ , then find the co-ordinates of the centroid from the following alternatives given :
  - $(1)\left(\frac{10}{3},\frac{-17}{3}\right)$
- (2) (1, 3)
- (3) (3, 1)
- (4) (-3, 1)

94. (3)

$$P(1,-9), Q(2,5), R(6,7)$$

$$x \Rightarrow \left(\frac{1+2+6}{3}\right) = \frac{9}{3} = 3$$

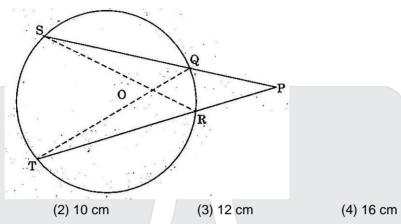


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$$y \Rightarrow \left(\frac{-9+5+7}{3}\right) = \frac{3}{3} = 1$$

95. In the following figure secants QS and TR intersect each other at point P, which is outside the circle. O is the point of intersection of chords SR and TQ. If OS = 5 cm, OT = 10 cm, TR = 12 cm, PR = 8 cm, then find  $\ell(PQ)$ .



95.

$$\therefore \frac{SO}{TO} = \frac{SQ}{TR}$$

$$\therefore \frac{5}{10} = \frac{SQ}{12}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\mathsf{SP}}{\mathsf{TP}} = \frac{\mathsf{PR}}{\mathsf{PQ}} = \frac{\mathsf{SR}}{\mathsf{TQ}}$$

$$\frac{6+x}{20} = \frac{8}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \qquad 6x + x^2 = 160$$

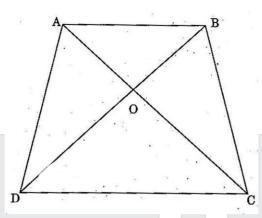
$$x^2 + 6x - 160 = 0$$

$$(x+16)(x-10)=0$$

$$x = -16$$
 or  $x = 10$ 

96. In the following figure, seg AB ||segCD . Diagonals AC and BD intersect at point O. If AO : OC = 1 : 3, then

$$\frac{A(\Delta AOB)}{A(\Delta ABD)} = ?$$



$$(1) \frac{1}{4}$$

(2) 
$$\frac{1}{9}$$

$$\frac{SO}{OC} = \frac{1}{3}$$

So, 
$$\frac{BO}{OD} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\frac{\text{Area} (\Delta AOB)}{\text{Area} (\Delta COD)} = \left(\frac{x}{3x}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{9}$$

Area (
$$\triangle AOB$$
) = y

Area 
$$(\Delta COD) =$$

Area 
$$(\Delta AOD)$$
 = Area  $(\Delta BOC)$  = Zz

$$zxz = y \times py$$

$$z = 3y$$

$$\frac{\text{Area} (\Delta AOB)}{\text{Area} (\Delta ABD)} = \frac{y}{y + 3y} = \frac{1}{4}$$

97. In ΔABC points P and Q trisect side AB, points T and U trisect side AC and points R and S trisect side BC. Then perimeter of hexagon PQRSTU is how many times of the perimeter of ΔABC?

(1) 
$$\frac{1}{3}$$
 times

(2) 
$$\frac{2}{3}$$
 times

(3) 
$$\frac{1}{6}$$
 times

(4) 
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 times



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Perimeter of  $\triangle ABC = 3(x + y + z)$ 

Perimeter of Hexagon (PQRSTU) = 2(x+y+z) (By BPT)

 $\therefore$  Perimeter of Hexagon =  $\frac{2}{3}$  times the perimeter of  $\triangle ABC$ 

98. 
$$\frac{\sin^4 \theta - \cos^4 \theta}{1 - \sin^2 \theta} = \text{how much?}$$

- (1)  $1 \cot^2 \theta$
- (2)  $1 \tan^2 \theta$
- (3)  $\tan^2 \theta 1$
- (4)  $\cot^2 \theta 1$

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

$$=\frac{\sin^2\theta-\cos^2\theta}{\cos^2\theta}$$

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

- The radius of a cylindrical vessel is 7 cm and its height is 12 cm.  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the vessel is filled with water. A sphere 99. having radius 6 cm is dropped into the water. Find the volume of the water that will come out of the vessel.
  - (1) 196  $\pi$  cm<sup>3</sup>
- (2) 92 π cm<sup>3</sup>
- (3) 288  $\pi$  cm<sup>3</sup>
- (4) 588 π cm<sup>3</sup>

Volume of water = 
$$\left(\pi(7)^2 \times 12\right) \times \frac{2}{3} = 392 \pi$$

Volume of sphere 
$$=\frac{4}{3} \times \pi \times 6 \times 6 \times 6 = 288 \pi$$

Volume of cylindrical vessel =  $\pi \times (7)^2 \times 12 = 588 \pi$ 

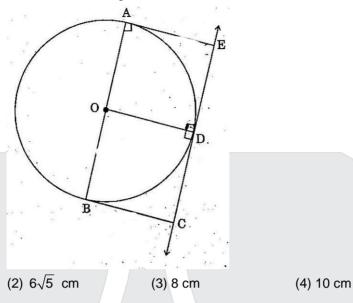
Volume of water that comes out =  $392\pi - (588\pi - 288\pi) = 92\pi$ 



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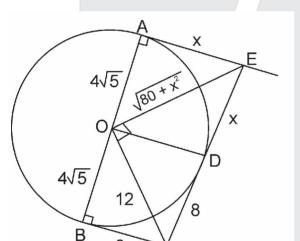
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Radius of a circle with centre 'O' is  $4\sqrt{5}$  cm. AB is the diameter of the circle AE || BC = 8 cm . Line EC is 100. tangent to the circle at point D. Find the length of DE.



(1)  $4\sqrt{5}$  cm

100. (4)



$$(12)^2 + (\sqrt{80 + x^2})^2 = (x + 8)^2$$

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