

**NATIONAL TALENT SEARCH EXAMINATION  
NTSE STAGE-II (2015)  
CLASS-X [SAT]**

**HINTS & SOLUTIONS**

**ANSWER KEY**

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

15. On compressing the gas, no. of collision of molecules at per unit area of the wall of the cylinder increases. Average Kinetic energy of the molecules remains constant as the temperature is constant.

16. Solubility of S = 28.6% at 50° C  
Amount of solute in 50 ml of saturated solution = 14.3g at 50° C  
at 40° C amount of S separates out = 2.4g in 50 ml  
remaining solute = 11.9g in 50 ml

$$\text{solubility of S at } 40^\circ \text{ C} = \frac{11.9}{50} \times 100 = 23.8\%$$

m/v

17. Given,  
amount of C = 6g  
amount of oxygen = 32g

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \text{C} & + & \text{O}_2 & \rightarrow & \text{CO}_2 & & \\ 12\text{g} & & 32\text{g} & & 44\text{g} & & \end{array}$$

∴ 12g of C gives the amount of CO<sub>2</sub> = 44g

$$\therefore 1\text{g of C gives the amount gm of CO}_2 = \frac{44}{12} \text{ g}$$

$$\therefore 6\text{g of C gives the amount gm of CO}_2$$

$$= \frac{44}{12} \times 6 = 22\text{g CO}_2$$

18. Law of conservation of mass is only valid for chemical reactions and not for nuclear reactions.

19. α-particle is doubly positive helium ion  ${}^4_2\text{He}^{++}$

$$\text{No. of proton} = Z = 2$$

$$\text{No. of neutrons} = A - Z = 4 - 2 = 2$$

$$\text{No. of electron} = \text{zero}$$

20.  $m_1 = 69$  for isotope  ${}^{69}\text{Z}$

$$m_2 = 71 \text{ for isotope } {}^{71}\text{Z}$$

$$x_1 = \text{abundance of } {}^{69}\text{Z} = 60\%$$

$$x_2 = \text{abundance of } {}^{71}\text{Z} = 40\%$$

$$\text{Relative atomis mass} = \frac{m_1x_1 + m_2x_2}{100}$$

$$= \frac{69 \times 60 + 40 \times 71}{100} = 69.8$$



30.  $g = \frac{4}{3} \pi \rho R g$

$$= \frac{g_A}{g_B} = \frac{\rho_A}{\rho_B} \times \frac{R_A}{R_B}$$

$$= 3 \times 2 = 6$$

31. In all case displacement is perpendicular to force.  
 $W_1 = W_2 = W_3 = 0$

33.  $f_{\text{disc}} = \frac{360}{60} = 6 \frac{\text{rev}}{\text{sec}}$   
 $f_{\text{sound}} = 60 \times f_{\text{disc}} = 360 \text{ Hz}$

35.  $R_{\text{eq}} = \frac{R}{2} + \frac{R}{3} + \frac{R}{2} = \frac{4R}{3}$   
 $I = \frac{V}{R_{\text{eq}}} = \frac{3V}{4R}$

36. Bulbs are connected in parallel so V is same  
 Heat produced by first bulb  $H_1 = 12 \times 10 = 120 \text{ J}$   
 Similarly,  $H_2 = 2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ J}$   
 $H_3 = 6 \times 10 = 60 \text{ J}$

37. Magnetic field is produced by moving charge

### MATHEMATICS

41. LCM 90

42.  $x = 5n + 2$   
 $y = 5m + 4$   
 $x + y = 5(m + n) + 6$

$$\frac{x+y}{5} \text{ Remainder} = 1$$

$$\therefore z = 1$$

$$\frac{2z-5}{3} = -1$$

43.  $\alpha = a - d$   
 $\beta = a$   
 $\gamma = a + d$

$$3a = \frac{144}{64}$$

$$a = \frac{144}{64} = \frac{6}{8} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$(a - d) \cdot 1 \cdot (a + d) = \frac{15}{64}$$

$$(a^2 - d^2) \cdot 1 = \frac{15}{64}$$

$$\left( \frac{9}{16} - d^2 \right) = \frac{15}{64} \times \frac{4}{3} = \frac{5}{16}$$

$$d^2 = \frac{9}{16} - \frac{5}{16}$$

$$= \frac{4}{16} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$d = \pm \frac{1}{2}$$

$$(a + d) - (a - d) = a + d - a + d$$

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

$$= 1$$

$$2x + y = 10$$

$$(x + y) + x = 10$$

$$x + y \text{ is max when } x = 0$$

$$\therefore (x + y)_{\text{max}} = 10$$

$$2x + y = 10$$

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

$$\therefore x + y \text{ is min } y = 0$$

$$(x + y)_{\text{min}} = \frac{10}{2} = 5$$

$$\therefore (x + y)_{\text{max}} + (x + y)_{\text{min}} = 10 + 5 = 15$$

45.  $y + \frac{1}{y} = x$

$$y^2 + \frac{1}{y^2} = x^2 - 2$$

$$7x - 2(x^2 - 2) = 9$$

$$7x - 2x^2 + 4 = 9$$

$$2x^2 - 7x + 5 = 0$$

$$2x(x - 1) - 5(x - 1) = 0$$

$$(2x - 5)(x - 1) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{5}{2} \quad x = 1$$

$$y + \frac{1}{y} = 1 \quad (\text{Not possible})$$

$$y + \frac{1}{y} = \frac{5}{2}$$

on solving we get

$$y = 2, \frac{1}{2}$$

so only one integral solution possible.

46. A, B, A + B are in AP  
 $\therefore 2B = A + A + B$   
 $2B = 2A + B$   
 $B = 2A$   
 $\therefore$  Area of bigger circle = A + B = 3A  
 $3A = \pi R^2$

$$A = \frac{\pi R^2}{3}$$

$$\pi r^2 = \frac{\pi R^2}{3}$$

$$r^2 = \frac{4^2}{3}$$

$$r^2 = \frac{16}{3}$$

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{16}{3}} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

47.  $c = a + b - 8 \Rightarrow a + b - c = 8$   
 $a = b + c - 8 \Rightarrow b + c - a = 8$   
 $b = a + b - 8$   
 $(a + b + c) = 2(a + b + c) - 24$   
 $a + b + c = 24$   
 $a + b - c = 8$   
 $2c = 16$   
 $c = 8$   
 $c = a = b = 8$

$$\text{area} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} 8^2 = 16\sqrt{3}$$

48.  $\frac{1 - \cos x}{\sin x} = \frac{1}{3}$

$$3(1 - \cos x) = \sin x$$

$$9(1 + \cos^2 x - 2\cos x) = 1 - \cos^2 x$$

$$9 + 9\cos^2 x - 18\cos x = 1 - \cos^2 x$$

$$8 + 10\cos^2 x - 18\cos x = 0$$

$$5\cos^2 x - 9\cos x + 4 = 0$$

$$5\cos^2 x - 5\cos x - 4\cos x + 4 = 0$$

$$5\cos x (\cos x - 1) - 4(\cos x - 1) = 0$$

$$\cos x = 1$$

$$\cos x = 4/5$$

$$\sin x = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 x - \sin^2 x$$

$$= \frac{16}{25} - \frac{9}{25} = \frac{7}{25}$$

49.  $\Delta = \frac{abc}{4R}$

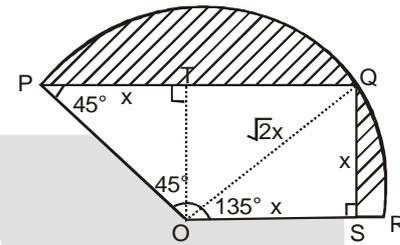
$$R = \frac{abc}{4\Delta}$$

$$= \frac{2.7.7.14 \sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}{4.49 \sin \theta}$$

$$= \frac{7 \sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}{2 \sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)} = \frac{7}{2} \sec\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$\pi R^2 = \frac{22}{7} \times \frac{49}{4} \sec^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{77}{2} \sec^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$



50.

$$\sqrt{2} x = 12$$

$$x = 6\sqrt{2}$$

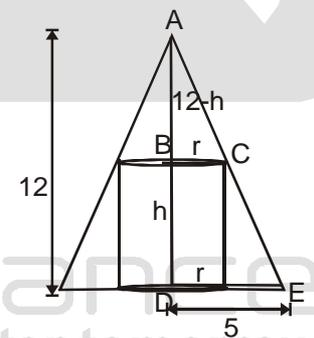
$$\text{Then area} = \frac{135\pi}{360} \times 12^2 - \frac{1}{2} \times 3x \times x$$

$$= \frac{54 \times 22}{7} - 108$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1188 - 756}{7} = \frac{432}{7}$$

$$= 61 \frac{5}{7}$$

51. % Change =  $\frac{6\pi r^2}{4\pi r^2} \times 100 = 150\%$



52.

$$\Delta ABC \sim \Delta ADE$$

$$\frac{12 - 2r}{r} = \frac{12}{5}$$

$$r = \frac{30}{11}$$

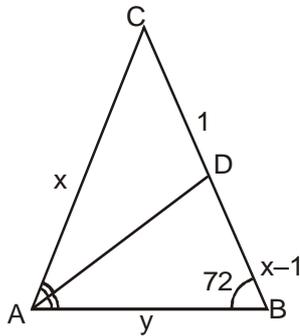
$$\text{Vol. of cylinder} = \pi r^2 h$$

$$= \pi r^2 (2r)$$

$$= 2\pi r^3$$

$$= 127.39$$

54.



$$\frac{x}{y} = \frac{1}{x-1}$$

$$x^2 - x = y$$

$$\cos 72^\circ = \frac{x^2 + y^2 - x^2}{2xy}$$

$$x^2 - x = 2x \cos 72^\circ$$

$$x - 1 = 2 \cos 72^\circ$$

$$x = 1 + 2 \cos 72^\circ$$

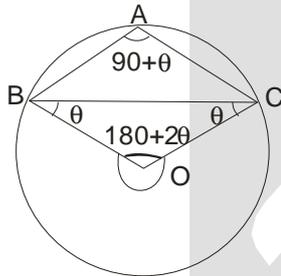
$$= 1 + 2 \left( \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2} \right)$$

$$= 1 + \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{2}$$

$$\therefore BD = x - 1$$

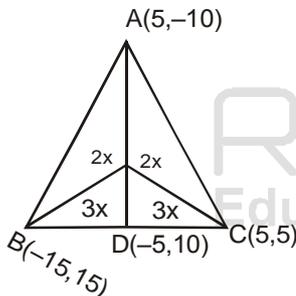
$$= \frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{2} - 1 = \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}$$

55.



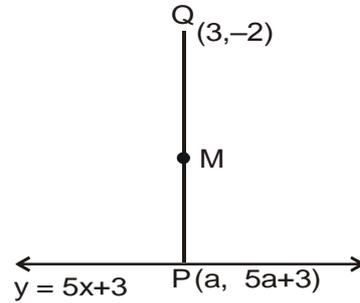
$$\begin{aligned} \angle BAC - \angle OBC &= 90 + \theta - \theta \\ &= 90 \end{aligned}$$

57.



$$\frac{\text{area} \Delta PBC}{\text{area} \Delta ABC} = \frac{6x}{10x} = \frac{3}{5}$$

58.



$$M \left( \frac{3+a}{2}, \frac{5a+1}{2} \right)$$

these coordinates of M satisfy only 2. option.

59.

$$\text{Three digit} = 3 \times 3 \times 2 = 18$$

$$\text{Div. by 5} = 2 \times 2 \times 1 + 3 \times 2 = 10$$

$$\text{Req. Probability} = \frac{10}{18} = \frac{5}{9}$$

60.

$$1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6 + 7 + 8 + 9 + 10 + 11 + 12 + 13 + a + b = 13 \times 15$$

$$91 + a + b = 195$$

$$a + b = 195 - 91$$

$$= 104$$

Now according to option

$$51 + 53 = 104$$

$\therefore$  2<sup>nd</sup> larger value is 51

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