

CBSE Class 10 Maths Solutions

30/2/1

QUESTION PAPER CODE 30/2/1 EXPECTED ANSWER/VALUE POINTS

SECTION A

1. LCM (336, 54) = $\frac{336 \times 54}{6}$ $\frac{1}{2}$

$$= 336 \times 9 = 3024 $\frac{1}{2}$$$

2. $\frac{3-a}{3a} - \frac{1}{a} = \frac{3-a-3}{3a} = -\frac{1}{3}$ $\frac{1}{2}$

3. $2x^2 - 4x + 3 = 0 \Rightarrow D = 16 - 24 = -8$ $\frac{1}{2}$

\therefore Equation has NO real roots $\frac{1}{2}$

4. $\sin^2 60^\circ + 2 \tan 45^\circ - \cos^2 30 = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2 + 2(1) - \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2$ [For any two correct values] $\frac{1}{2}$

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

OR

$$\sin A = \frac{3}{4} \Rightarrow \cos A = \sqrt{1 - \frac{9}{16}} = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{4} $\frac{1}{2}$$$

$$\sec A = \frac{4}{\sqrt{7}} $\frac{1}{2}$$$

5. Point on x-axis is (2, 0) $\frac{1}{2}$

6. ΔABC : Isosceles $\Delta \Rightarrow AC = BC = 4$ cm. $\frac{1}{2}$

$$AB = \sqrt{4^2 + 4^2} = 4\sqrt{2} \text{ cm} $\frac{1}{2}$$$

OR

$$\frac{AD}{BD} = \frac{AE}{CE} \Rightarrow \frac{AD}{7.2} = \frac{1.8}{5.4} $\frac{1}{2}$$$

$$\therefore AD = \frac{7.2 \times 1.8}{5.4} = 2.4 \text{ cm.} $\frac{1}{2}$$$

SECTION B

7. Smallest number divisible by 306 and 657 = LCM (306, 657) 1

$$\text{LCM (306, 657)} = 22338 \quad 1$$

8. A, B, C are collinear \Rightarrow ar. (ΔABC) = 0 $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2}[x(6-3)-4(3-y)-2(y-6)] = 0 \quad 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + 2y = 0 \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

OR

$$\text{Area of triangle} = \frac{1}{2}[1(6+5)-4(-5+1)-3(-1-6)] \quad 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}[11+16+21] = \frac{48}{2} = 24 \text{ sq. units.} \quad 1$$

9. $P(\text{blue marble}) = \frac{1}{5}$, $P(\text{black marble}) = \frac{1}{4}$

$$\therefore P(\text{green marble}) = 1 - \left(\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{4}\right) = \frac{11}{20} \quad 1$$

Let total number of marbles be x

$$\text{then } \frac{11}{20} \times x = 11 \Rightarrow x = 20 \quad 1$$

10. For unique solution $\frac{1}{3} \neq \frac{2}{k}$ 1

$$\Rightarrow k \neq 6 \quad 1$$

11. Let larger angle be x°

$$\therefore \text{Smaller angle} = 180^\circ - x^\circ \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore (x) - (180 - x) = 18 \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2x = 180 + 18 = 198 \Rightarrow x = 99 \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{The two angles are } 99^\circ, 81^\circ \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

OR

Let Son's present age be x years

Then Sumit's present age = $3x$ years.

 $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\therefore \text{5 Years later, we have, } 3x + 5 = \frac{5}{2}(x + 5)$$

 $\frac{1}{2}$

$$6x + 10 = 5x + 25 \Rightarrow x = 15$$

 $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\therefore \text{Sumit's present age} = 45 \text{ years}$$

 $\frac{1}{2}$

12. Maximum frequency = 50, class (modal) = 35 – 40.

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$$\text{Mode} = L + \left(\frac{f_1 - f_0}{2f_1 - f_0 - f_2} \right) \times h$$

$$= 35 + \frac{50 - 34}{100 - 34 - 42} \times 5$$

 $\frac{1}{2}$

$$= 35 + \frac{16}{24} \times 5 = 38.33$$

 $\frac{1}{2}$

SECTION C

13. Let $2 + 5\sqrt{3} = a$, where 'a' is a rational number.

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$$\text{then } \sqrt{3} = \frac{a - 2}{5}$$

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Which is a contradiction as LHS is irrational and RHS is rational

 $\frac{1}{2}$

$\therefore 2 + 5\sqrt{3}$ can not be rational

 $\frac{1}{2}$

Hence $2 + 5\sqrt{3}$ is irrational.

Alternate method:

Let $2 + 5\sqrt{3}$ be rational

 $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\therefore 2 + 5\sqrt{3} = \frac{p}{q}, p, q \text{ are integers, } q \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3} = \left(\frac{p}{q} - 2 \right) \div 5 = \frac{p-2q}{5q} \quad 1$$

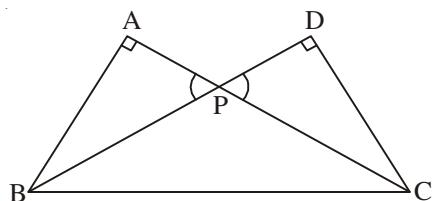
LHS is irrational and RHS is rational
which is a contradiction. 1

$\therefore 2 + 5\sqrt{3}$ is irrational. $\frac{1}{2}$

OR

$$\begin{aligned} 2048 &= 960 \times 2 + 128 \\ 960 &= 128 \times 7 + 64 \\ 128 &= 64 \times 2 + 0 \\ \therefore \text{HCF (2048, 960)} &= 64 \end{aligned} \quad 1 \quad 2$$

14.



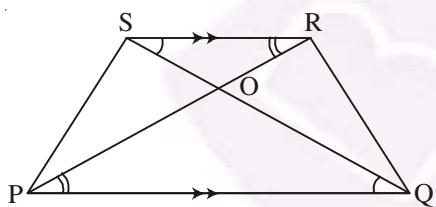
Correct Figure $\frac{1}{2}$

$\Delta APB \sim \Delta DPC$ [AA similarity] 1

$$\frac{AP}{DP} = \frac{BP}{PC} \quad 1$$

$$\Rightarrow AP \times PC = BP \times DP \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

OR



Correct Figure $\frac{1}{2}$

In ΔPOQ and ΔROS 1

$$\begin{cases} \angle P = \angle R \\ \angle Q = \angle S \end{cases} \text{ alt. } \angle s$$

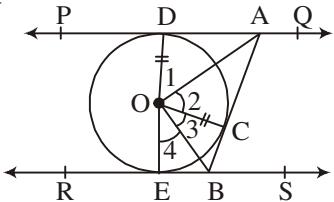
$\therefore \Delta POQ \sim \Delta ROS$ [AA similarity] 1

$$\therefore \frac{\text{ar}(\Delta POQ)}{\text{ar}(\Delta ROS)} = \left(\frac{PQ}{RS} \right)^2 \quad 1$$

$$= \left(\frac{3}{1} \right)^2 = \frac{9}{1} \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{ar}(\Delta POQ) : \text{ar}(\Delta ROS) = 9 : 1$$

15.



Correct Figure

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$$\Delta AOD \cong \Delta AOC \text{ [SAS]}$$

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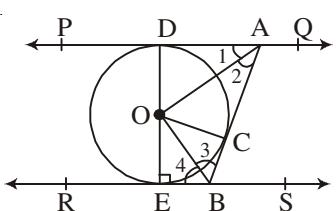
$$\Rightarrow \angle 1 = \angle 2$$

 $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\text{Similarly } \angle 4 = \angle 3$$

 $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \angle 1 + \angle 4 = \angle 2 + \angle 3 = \frac{1}{2}(180^\circ)$$

 $\frac{1}{2}$ **Alternate method:**

Correct Figure

 $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\Delta OAD \cong \Delta AOC \text{ [SAS]}$$

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$$\Rightarrow \angle 1 = \angle 2$$

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$$\text{Similarly } \angle 4 = \angle 3$$

$$\text{But } \angle 1 + \angle 2 + \angle 3 + \angle 4 = 180^\circ \quad [\because PQ \parallel RS]$$

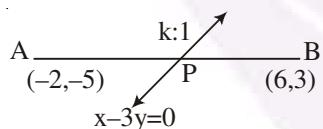
$$\Rightarrow \angle 2 + \angle 3 = \angle 1 + \angle 4 = \frac{1}{2}(180^\circ) = 90^\circ$$

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$$\therefore \text{In } \Delta AOB, \angle AOB = 180^\circ - (\angle 2 + \angle 3) = 90^\circ$$

 $\frac{1}{2}$

16.

Let the line $x - 3y = 0$ intersect the segmentjoining A(-2, -5) and B(6, 3) in the ratio $k : 1$ $\frac{1}{2}$

\therefore Coordinates of P are $\left(\frac{6k - 2}{k + 1}, \frac{3k - 5}{k + 1} \right)$

1

$$\text{P lies on } x - 3y = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{6k - 2}{k + 1} = 3\left(\frac{3k - 5}{k + 1}\right) \Rightarrow k = \frac{13}{3}$$

\therefore Ratio is 13 : 3

1

$$\Rightarrow \text{Coordinates of P are } \left(\frac{9}{2}, \frac{3}{2} \right)$$

 $\frac{1}{2}$

17.
$$\begin{aligned} & \left(\frac{3 \sin 43^\circ}{\cos 47^\circ} \right)^2 - \frac{\cos 37^\circ \operatorname{cosec} 53^\circ}{\tan 5^\circ \tan 25^\circ \tan 45^\circ \tan 65^\circ \tan 85^\circ} \\ &= \left(\frac{3 \sin 43^\circ}{\cos (90^\circ - 43^\circ)} \right)^2 - \frac{\cos 37^\circ \cdot \operatorname{cosec} (90^\circ - 37^\circ)}{\tan 5^\circ \tan 25^\circ (1) \tan (90^\circ - 25^\circ) \tan (90^\circ - 5^\circ)} \quad 1 \\ &= \left(\frac{3 \sin 43^\circ}{\sin 43^\circ} \right)^2 - \frac{\cos 37^\circ \cdot \sec 37^\circ}{\tan 5^\circ \cdot \tan 25^\circ (1) \cot 25^\circ \cot 5^\circ} \quad 1 \\ &= 9 - \frac{1}{1} = 8 \quad 1 \end{aligned}$$

18. Radius of quadrant = OB = $\sqrt{15^2 + 15^2} = 15\sqrt{2}$ cm. 1

Shaded area = Area of quadrant – Area of square $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{4}(3.14)[(15\sqrt{2})^2 - (15)^2] \quad 1 \\ &= (15)^2 (1.57 - 1) = 128.25 \text{ cm}^2 \quad \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

OR

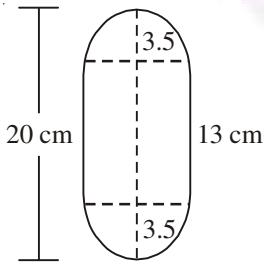
$$BD = \sqrt{(2\sqrt{2})^2 + (2\sqrt{2})^2} = \sqrt{16} = 4 \text{ cm} \quad 1$$

\therefore Radius of circle = 2 cm $\frac{1}{2}$

\therefore Shaded area = Area of circle – Area of square $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 3.14 \times 2^2 - (2\sqrt{2})^2 \quad 1 \\ &= 12.56 - 8 = 4.56 \text{ cm}^2 \quad 1 \end{aligned}$$

19. Height of cylinder = $20 - 7 = 13$ cm. 1



$$\text{Total volume} = \pi \left(\frac{7}{2} \right)^2 \cdot 13 + \frac{4}{3} \pi \left(\frac{7}{2} \right)^3 \text{ cm}^3 \quad 1$$

$$= \frac{22}{7} \times \frac{49}{4} \left(13 + \frac{4}{3} \cdot \frac{7}{2} \right) \text{ cm}^3$$

$$= \frac{77 \times 53}{6} = 680.17 \text{ cm}^3 \quad 1$$

20. $x_i : 32.5 \ 37.5 \ 42.5 \ 47.5 \ 52.5 \ 57.5 \ 62.5$ $\frac{1}{2}$

$f_i : 14 \ 16 \ 28 \ 23 \ 18 \ 8 \ 3$ $\sum f_i = 110$ $\frac{1}{2}$

$u_i : -3 \ -2 \ -1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3$

$f_i u_i : -42 \ -32 \ -28 \ 0 \ 18 \ 16 \ 9$, $\sum f_i u_i = -59$ 1

$$\text{Mean} = 47.5 - \frac{59 \times 5}{110} = 47.5 - 2.68 = 44.82$$
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Note: If N is taken as 100, Ans. 44.55

Accept.

If some one write, data is wrong, give full 3 marks.

21.
$$\begin{array}{r} 3x^2 - 5 \\ \overline{)3x^4 - 9x^3 + x^2 + 15x + k} \\ 3x^4 \quad - 5x^2 \\ \hline - \quad + \\ -9x^3 + 6x^2 + 15x + k \\ -9x^3 \quad + 15x \\ \hline + \quad - \\ 6x^2 + k \\ 6x^2 - 10 \\ \hline - \quad + \\ k + 10 \end{array}$$

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$\therefore k + 10 = 0 \Rightarrow k = -10$

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OR

$$p(y) = 7y^2 - \frac{11}{3}y - \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{3}(21y^2 - 11y - 2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}[(7y+1)(3y-2)]$$

\therefore Zeroes are $2/3, -1/7$

$\frac{1}{2}$

Sum of zeroes = $\frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{7} = \frac{11}{21}$

$$\frac{-b}{a} = \frac{11}{21} \therefore \text{sum of zeroes} = \frac{-b}{a}$$

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Product of zeroes = $\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{7}\right) = -\frac{2}{21}$

$$\frac{c}{a} = -\frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{1}{7} \right) = -\frac{2}{21} \therefore \text{Product} = \frac{c}{a}$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

22. $x^2 + px + 16 = 0$ have equal roots if $D = p^2 - 4(16)(1) = 0$

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$$p^2 = 64 \Rightarrow p = \pm 8$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

$$\therefore x^2 \pm 8x + 16 = 0 \Rightarrow (x \pm 4)^2 = 0$$

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$$x \pm 4 = 0$$

$$\therefore \text{Roots are } x = -4 \text{ and } x = 4$$

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SECTION D

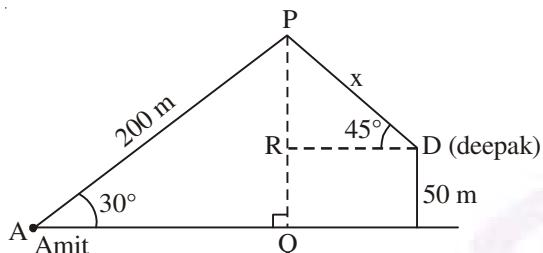
23. For correct, given, to prove, construction and figure

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

For correct proof.

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24. Correct Figure 1



In $\triangle APQ$

$$\frac{PQ}{AP} = \sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

$$PQ = (200) \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) = 100 \text{ m}$$

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$$PR = 100 - 50 = 50 \text{ m}$$

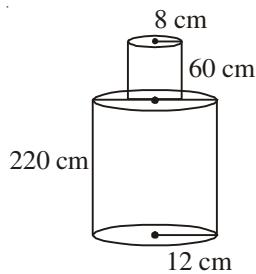
$\frac{1}{2}$

$$\text{In } \triangle PRD, \frac{PR}{PD} = \sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$PD = (PR)(\sqrt{2}) = 50\sqrt{2} \text{ m}$$

1

25. Total volume = $3.14 (12)^2 (220) + 3.14(8)^2(60)$ cm 3 1



$$= 99475.2 + 12057.6 = 111532.8 \text{ cm}^3$$

1

$$\text{Mass} = \frac{111532.8 \times 8}{1000} \text{ kg}$$

1

$$= 892.262 \text{ kg}$$

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26. Constructing an equilateral triangle of side 5 cm 1

Constructing another similar Δ with scale factor $\frac{2}{3}$ 3

OR

Constructing two concentric circle of radii 2 cm and 5 cm 1

Drawing two tangents PA and PB 2

PA = 4.5 cm (approx) 1

27. Less than 40 less than 50 less than 60 less than 70 less than 80 less than 90 less than 100 $\frac{1}{2}$

cf. 7 12 20 30 36 42 50 1

Plotting of points (40, 7), (50, 12), (60, 20), (70, 30), (80, 36), (90, 42) and (100, 50) $1\frac{1}{2}$

Joining the points to get the curve 1

$$28. \text{ LHS} = \frac{\tan \theta}{1 - \frac{1}{\tan \theta}} + \frac{1}{1 - \tan \theta} = \frac{\tan^2 \theta}{\tan \theta - 1} - \frac{1}{\tan \theta (\tan \theta - 1)} \quad 1$$

$$= \frac{\tan^3 \theta - 1}{\tan \theta (\tan \theta - 1)} = \frac{(\tan \theta - 1)(\tan^2 \theta + \tan \theta + 1)}{\tan \theta (\tan \theta - 1)} \quad 1$$

$$= \tan \theta + 1 + \cot \theta = 1 + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = 1 + \frac{\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} \quad 1$$

$$= 1 + \frac{1}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} = 1 + \csc \theta \sec \theta = \text{RHS} \quad 1$$

OR

Consider

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{\csc \theta + \cot \theta} - \frac{\sin \theta}{\cot \theta - \csc \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\csc \theta + \cot \theta} + \frac{\sin \theta}{\csc \theta - \cot \theta} \quad 1+1$$

$$= \frac{\sin \theta [\csc \theta - \cot \theta + \csc \theta + \cot \theta]}{\csc^2 \theta - \cot^2 \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta (2 \csc \theta)}{1} = 2 \quad 1\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Hence } \frac{\sin \theta}{\csc \theta + \cot \theta} = 2 + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cot \theta - \csc \theta} \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

29. Let $-82 = a_n \therefore -82 = -7 + (n - 1)(-5)$ 1

$$\Rightarrow 15 = n - 1 \text{ or } n = 16 \quad 1$$

Again $-100 = a_m = -7 + (m - 1)(-5)$

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$$\Rightarrow (m - 1)(-5) = -93$$

$$m - 1 = \frac{93}{5} \text{ or } m = \frac{93}{5} + 1 \notin \mathbb{N}$$

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$\therefore -100$ is not a term of the AP.

OR

$$S_n = 180 = \frac{n}{2} \cdot [90 + (n - 1)(-6)]$$

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$$360 = 90n - 6n^2 + 6n \Rightarrow 6n^2 - 96n + 360 = 0$$

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$$\Rightarrow 6[(n - 6)(n - 10)] = 0 \Rightarrow n = 6, n = 10$$

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$$\text{Sum of } a_7, a_8, a_9, a_{10} = 0 \therefore n = 6 \text{ or } n = 10$$

1

30. Let marks in Hindi be x

Then marks in Eng = $30 - x$

 $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\therefore (x + 2)(30 - x - 3) = 210$$

1

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 25x + 156 = 0 \text{ or } (x - 13)(x - 12) = 0$$

1

$$\Rightarrow x = 13 \text{ or } x = 12$$

$$\therefore 30 - 13 = 17 \text{ or } 30 - 12 = 18$$

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\therefore Marks in Hindi & English are

$$(13, 17) \text{ or } (12, 18)$$

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