

CBSE Class 10 Maths Solutions

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EXPECTED ANSWER/VALUE POINTS

SECTION A

1. $(x + 5)^2 = 2(5x - 3) \Rightarrow x^2 + 31 = 10$

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$$D = -124$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

2. $\frac{27}{2^3 \cdot 5^4 \cdot 3^2} = \frac{3}{2^3 \cdot 5^4}$

$\frac{1}{2}$

It will terminate after 4 decimal places

$\frac{1}{2}$

OR

$$429 = 3 \times 11 \times 13$$

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3. $S_{10} = \frac{10}{2}[2 \times 6 + 9 \times 6]$

$\frac{1}{2}$

$$= 330$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

4. $AB = 5$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{(x-0)^2 + (-4-0)^2} = 5$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

$$x^2 + 16 = 25$$

$$x = \pm 3$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

5. Length of chord = $2\sqrt{a^2 - b^2}$

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6. $PQ = 5$ cm

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$$\tan \theta = \frac{PQ}{PR} = \frac{5}{9}$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

OR

$$\sec \alpha = \sqrt{1 + \tan^2 \alpha}$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

$$= \sqrt{1 + \frac{25}{81}} = \frac{10}{9}$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

SECTION B

7. Diagonals of parallelogram bisect each other

$$\therefore \left(\frac{3+a}{2}, \frac{1+b}{2} \right) = \left(\frac{5+4}{2}, \frac{1+3}{2} \right)$$

$$3 + a = 9, 1 + b = 4$$

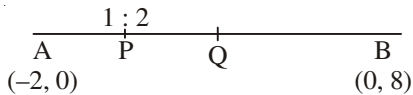
$$\text{So } a = 6, b = 3$$

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

OR

P divides AB in the ratio 1 : 2



$$\therefore \text{Coordinates of P are } \left(\frac{0-4}{3}, \frac{8+0}{2} \right) = \left(\frac{-4}{3}, \frac{8}{3} \right)$$

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Q divides AB in the ratio 2 : 1

$$\therefore \text{Coordinates of Q are } \left(\frac{0-2}{3}, \frac{16+0}{3} \right) = \left(\frac{-2}{3}, \frac{16}{3} \right)$$

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8. $3x - 5y = 4$

...(1)

$9x - 2y = 7$

$9x - 15y = 12$

$9x - 2y = 7$

$$\begin{array}{r} - \\ + \\ - \end{array}$$

$$\underline{\underline{-13y = 5 \Rightarrow y = -5/13}}$$

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$$\text{From (1), } x = 9/13 \therefore \text{ solution is } \left(\frac{9}{13}, \frac{-5}{13} \right)$$

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9. HCF (65, 117) = 13

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$13 = 65n - 117$

 $\frac{1}{2}$

Solving, we get, $n = 2$

 $\frac{1}{2}$

OR

Required minimum distance = LCM (30, 36, 40) 1

$$30 = 2 \times 3 \times 5 = 2^3 \times 3^2 \times 5$$

$$36 = 2^2 \times 3^2 = 360 \text{ cm} \quad 1$$

$$40 = 2^3 \times 5$$

10. Composite numbers on a die are 4 and 6

$$\therefore P(\text{composite number}) = \frac{2}{6} \text{ or } \frac{1}{3} \quad 1$$

Prime numbers are 2, 3 and 5

$$\therefore P(\text{prime number}) = \frac{3}{6} \text{ or } \frac{1}{2} \quad 1$$

11. $x^2 - 8x + 18 = 0$

$$x^2 - 8x + 16 + 2 = 0 \quad 1$$

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

Square of a number can't be negative

$$\therefore \text{The equation has no solution.} \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

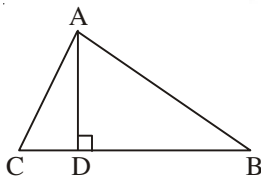
12. Total number of possible outcomes = 34 1

Favourable number of outcomes is (7, 14, 21, 28 and 35) = 5 1

$$P(\text{multiple of 7}) = \frac{5}{34} \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

SECTION C

13. $AB^2 = AD^2 + BD^2$ Correct Figure $\frac{1}{2}$



$$AC^2 = AD^2 + CD^2 \quad 1$$

$$AB^2 - AC^2 = BD^2 - CD^2$$

$$= (3CD)^2 - CD^2$$

$$= 8 CD^2 \quad 1$$

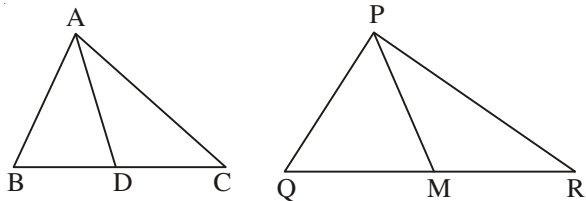
$$= 8 \times \left(\frac{1}{4}BC\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2AB^2 - 2AC^2 = BC^2$$

$$\text{or } 2AB^2 = 2AC^2 + BC^2$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

OR



Correct Figure

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$\Delta ABC \sim \Delta PQR$

$$\therefore \frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{BC}{QR} = \frac{AC}{PR}$$

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$$\frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{2BD}{2QM} \text{ or } \frac{BD}{QM}$$

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Also $\angle B = \angle Q$

$\therefore \Delta ABD \sim \Delta PQM$

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$$\text{So } \frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{AD}{PM}$$

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14.

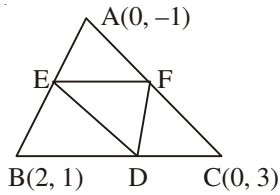
$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^3 - 3x + 1 \overline{) x^5 - 4x^3 + x^2 + 3x + 1} \quad (x^2 - 1) \\
 \underline{-x^5 + 3x^3 + x^2} \\
 -x^3 + 3x + 1 \\
 \underline{-x^3 + 3x - 1} \\
 + 2
 \end{array}$$

$2\frac{1}{2}$

Since remainder $\neq 0 \therefore g(x)$ is not a factor of $p(x)$

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15.



Coordinates of mid points are

D(1, 2)

E (1, 0)

F(0 ,1)

$1\frac{1}{2}$

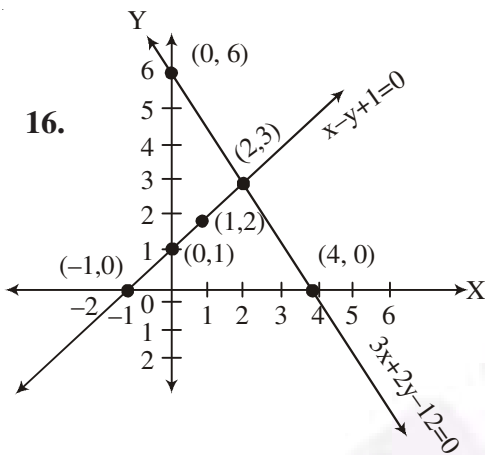
$$\text{Area of } \triangle DEF = \frac{1}{2}[1(0 - 1) + 1(1 - 2) + 0]$$

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$$= \frac{1}{2}(-2) = 1 \text{ sq. unit}$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

16.



Correct graph

2

Solution is

$$x = 2, y = 3$$

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

17. Let us assume that $\sqrt{3}$ be a rational number

$$\sqrt{3} = \frac{p}{q} \text{ where } p \text{ and } q \text{ are co-primes and } q \neq 0$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 = 3q^2 \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\therefore 3 \text{ divides } p^2$$

$$\text{i.e., } 3 \text{ divides } p \text{ also} \quad \dots(2)$$

Let $p = 3m$, for some integer m

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$$\text{From (1), } 9m^2 = 3q^2$$

$$\Rightarrow q^2 = 3m^2$$

$$\therefore 3 \text{ divides } q^2 \text{ i.e., } 3 \text{ divides } q \text{ also} \quad \dots(3)$$

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From (2) and (3), we get that 3 divides p and q both which is a contradiction to the fact that p and q are co-primes. 1/2

Hence our assumption is wrong

$\therefore \sqrt{3}$ is irrational

OR

$$1251 - 1 = 1250, 9377 - 2 = 9375, 15628 - 3 = 15625 \quad 1$$

Required largest number = HCF (1250, 9375, 15625)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} 1250 &= 2 \times 5^4 \\ 9375 &= 3 \times 5^4 \\ 6250 &= 2 \times 5^5 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

1/2

$$\therefore \text{HCF} (1250, 9375, 15625) = 5^4 = 625 \quad 1/2$$

18. A, B, C are interior angles of ΔABC

$$\therefore A + B + C = 180^\circ \quad 1/2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \quad \sin\left(\frac{B+C}{2}\right) &= \sin\left(\frac{180^\circ - A}{2}\right) \\ &= \sin\left(90^\circ - \frac{A}{2}\right) \\ &= \cos \frac{A}{2} \end{aligned}$$

1/2

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(ii)} \quad \tan\left(\frac{B+C}{2}\right) &= \tan\left(\frac{90^\circ}{2}\right) \quad (\because \angle A = 90^\circ) \\ &= \tan 45^\circ \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

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OR

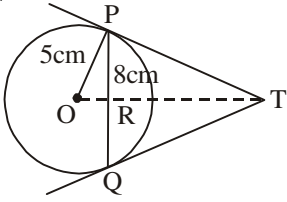
$$\tan (A + B) = 1 \therefore A + B = 45^\circ \quad 1$$

$$\tan (A - B) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \therefore A - B = 30^\circ \quad 1$$

Solving, we get $\angle A = 37\frac{1}{2}^\circ$ or 37.5° 1/2

$$\angle B = 7\frac{1}{2}^\circ \text{ or } 7.5^\circ \quad 1/2$$

19.



Let TR be x cm and TP be y cm

OT is \perp bisector of PQ

So PR = 4 cm

In ΔOPR , $OP^2 = PR^2 + OR^2$

$\therefore OR = 3$ cm

In ΔPRT , $y^2 = x^2 + 4^2$... (1)

In ΔOPT , $(x + 3)^2 = 5^2 + y^2$

$\therefore (x + 3)^2 = 5^2 + x^2 + 16$ [using (1)]

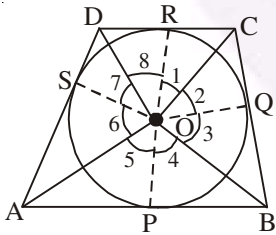
Solving we get $x = \frac{16}{3}$ cm

From (1), $y^2 = \frac{256}{9} + 16 = \frac{400}{9}$
 So $y = \frac{20}{3}$ cm

OR

$\Delta ROC \cong \Delta QOC$

$\therefore \angle 1 = \angle 2$
 Similarly $\angle 4 = \angle 3$
 $\angle 5 = \angle 6$
 $\angle 8 = \angle 7$



$\angle ROQ + \angle QOP + \angle POS + \angle SOR = 360^\circ$

$\therefore 2\angle 1 + 2\angle 4 + 2\angle 5 + 2\angle 8 = 360$

$\Rightarrow \angle 1 + \angle 4 + \angle 5 + \angle 8 = 180^\circ$

$$\text{So, } \angle \text{DOC} + \angle \text{AOB} = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{and } \angle \text{AOD} + \angle \text{BOC} = 180^\circ.$$

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20. Volume of water flowing through canal in 30 minutes

$$= 5000 \times 6 \times 1.5 = 45000 \text{ m}^3$$

 $1\frac{1}{2}$

$$\text{Area} = 45000 \div \frac{8}{100}$$

$$= 562500 \text{ m}^2$$

 $1\frac{1}{2}$

21.

Number of days	Number of students (fi)	x_i	$f_i x_i$
0-6	10	3	30
6-12	11	9	99
12-18	7	15	105
18-24	4	21	84
24-30	4	27	108
30-36	3	33	99
36-42	1	39	39
Total	40		564

Correct Table 2

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum f_i x_i}{\sum f_i} = \frac{564}{40}$$

$$= 14.1$$

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22. Total area cleaned = $2 \times$ Area of sector

$$= 2 \times \frac{\pi r^2 \theta}{360^\circ}$$

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$$= 2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times 21 \times 21 \times \frac{120^\circ}{360^\circ}$$

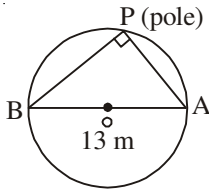
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$$= 924 \text{ cm}^2$$

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SECTION D

23.



Correct Figure

$$PB - PA = 7 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{Let AP be } x \text{ m} \quad \therefore PB = (x + 7) \text{ m}$$

$$AB^2 = PB^2 + AP^2$$

$$\therefore 13^2 = (x + 7)^2 + x^2$$

$$x^2 + 7x - 60 = 0$$

$$= (x + 12)(x - 5) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 5, -12 \text{ Rejected}$$

\therefore Situation is possible

\therefore Distance of pole from gate A = 5 m

and distance of pole from gate B = 12 m.

$$24. \quad ma_m = na_n$$

$$\Rightarrow ma + m(m - 1)d = na + n(n - 1)d$$

$$\Rightarrow (m - n)a + (m^2 - m - n^2 + n)d = 0$$

$$(m - n)a + [(m - n)(m + n) - (m - n)d] = 0$$

Dividing by $(m - n)$

$$\text{So, } a + (m + n - 1)d = 0$$

$$\text{or } a_{m+n} = 0$$

OR

Let first three terms be $a - d$, a and $a + d$

$$a - d + a + a + d = 18$$

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

$$(a - d)(a + d) = 5d$$

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$$\Rightarrow 6^2 - d^2 = 5d \quad 1$$

$$\text{or } d^2 + 5d - 36 = 0$$

$$(d + 9)(d - 4) = 0$$

$$\text{so } d = -9 \text{ or } 4 \quad 1$$

For $d = -9$ three numbers are 15, 6 and -3 $\frac{1}{2}$

For $d = 4$ three numbers are 2, 6 and 10 $\frac{1}{2}$

25. Correct construction of ΔABC 2

Correct construction of triangle similar to ΔABC 2

26. (a) Total surface area of block 1

= TSA of cube + CSA of hemisphere – Base area of hemisphere 1

$$= 6a^2 + 2\pi r^2 - \pi r^2$$

$$= 6a^2 + \pi r^2$$

$$= \left(6 \times 6^2 + \frac{22}{7} \times 2.1 \times 2.1 \right) \text{cm}^2 \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= (216 + 13.86) \text{cm}^2$$

$$= 229.86 \text{cm}^2 \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

(b) Volume of block

$$= 6^3 + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times (2.1)^3 \quad 1$$

$$= (216 + 19.40) \text{cm}^3$$

$$= 235.40 \text{cm}^3 \quad 1$$

OR

Volume of frustum = 12308.8cm^3

$$\therefore \frac{1}{3} \pi h (r_1^2 + r_2^2 + r_1 r_2) = 12308.8$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} \times 3.14 \times h (20^2 + 12^2 + 20 \times 12) = 12308.8 \quad 1$$

$$h = \frac{12308.8 \times 3}{784 \times 3.14}$$

$$h = 15 \text{cm} \quad 1$$

$$l = \sqrt{15^2 + (20 - 12)^2} = 17 \text{ cm.} \quad 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of metal sheet used} &= \pi l (r_1 + r_2) + \pi r_2^2 \\ &= 3.14[17 \times 32 + 12^2] \\ &= 3.14 \times 688 \text{ cm}^2 \\ &= 2160.32 \text{ cm}^2 \quad 1 \end{aligned}$$

27. Correct figure, given, to prove and construction $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$

Correct proof. 2

OR

Correct figure, given, to prove and construction $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$

Correct proof. 2

28. $1 + \sin^2 \theta = 3 \sin \theta \cos \theta$

Dividing by $\cos^2 \theta$

$$\sec^2 \theta + \tan^2 \theta = 3 \tan \theta \quad 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \tan^2 \theta + \tan^2 \theta = 3 \tan \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \tan^2 \theta - 3 \tan \theta + 1 = 0 \quad 1$$

$$(\tan \theta - 1)(2 \tan \theta - 1) = 0 \quad 1$$

$$\text{So } \tan \theta = 1 \text{ or } \frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$$

Alternate method

$$1 + \sin^2 \theta = 3 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta - 3 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 0 \quad 1$$

Dividing by $\cos^2 \theta$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \tan^2 \theta - 3 \tan \theta + 1 = 0 \quad 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (\tan \theta - 1)(2 \tan \theta - 1) = 0 \quad 1$$

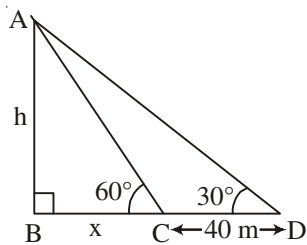
$$\text{So } \tan \theta = 1 \text{ or } \frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$$

29. Class interval	Cumulative Frequency
More than or equal to 20	100
More than or equal to 30	90
More than or equal to 40	82
More than or equal to 50	70
More than or equal to 60	46
More than or equal to 70	40
More than or equal to 80	15

Correct Table $1\frac{1}{2}$ Plotting of points (20, 100), (30, 90), (40, 82), (50, 70), (60, 46), (70, 40) and (80, 15) $1\frac{1}{2}$

Joining the points to get a curve 1

30. Correct Figure 1

Let $AB = h$ be the height of tower

$$\text{In } \triangle ABC, \frac{h}{x} = \tan 60^\circ$$

$$h = x\sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{In } \triangle ABD, \frac{h}{x+40} = \tan 30^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow h\sqrt{3} = x + 40$$

$$3x = x + 40$$

$$\therefore x = 20$$

$$\text{So, height of tower} = h = 20\sqrt{3} \text{ m}$$

$$= 20 \times 1.732 \text{ m}$$

$$= 34.64 \text{ m}$$