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[d] What is the probability of both the selected students being boys?

**Solution:**

Class	XA	XB
Boys	20	30
Girls	30	20
Total	50	50

Given the probability of boys in XA =  $2 / 5$

Given the probability of boys in XB =  $3 / 5$

[a] Number of boys in XA

$$= 20 \times [5 / 2]$$

$$= 50$$

[b] Probability of girl from XA

$$= 1 - [2 / 5]$$

$$= [5 - 2] / 5$$

$$= 3 / 5$$

[c] Number of boys in X B

$$= 50 \times [3 / 5]$$

$$= 10 \times 3$$

$$= 30$$

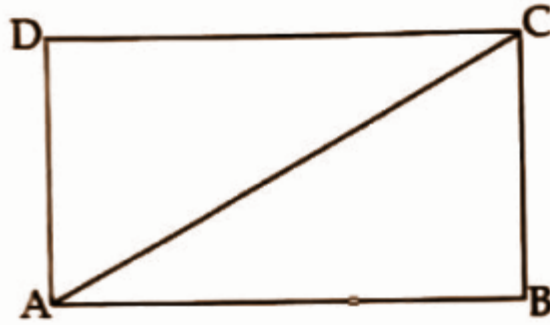
[d] Both being boys

$$= [2 / 5] \times [3 / 5]$$

$$= 6 / 25$$

**Question 15: Perimeter of the rectangle in the figure is**

**36cm. AC =  $\sqrt{164}$  cm.**



[a] What is  $AB + BC$ ?

[b] Find the length of  $AB$ .

**Solution:**

Given the perimeter = 36cm

$$AC = \sqrt{164} \text{ cm}$$

$$[a] 2(1 + b) = 36$$

$$\therefore AB + BC = 36 / 2$$

$$= 18\text{cm}$$

$$[b] \text{ Let } AB = x, BC = 18 - x$$

Since  $\triangle ABC$  is right-angled, according to Pythagoras theorem,

$$AC^2 = AB^2 + BC^2$$

$$164 = x^2 + (18 - x)^2$$

$$x^2 + 324 - 36x + x^2 = 164$$

$$2x^2 - 36x = 164 - 324 = -160$$

Dividing by 2

$$x^2 - 18x = -80 \text{ [ square completion method]}$$

$$x^2 - 18x + 81 = -80 + 81$$

$$(x - 9)^2 = 1$$

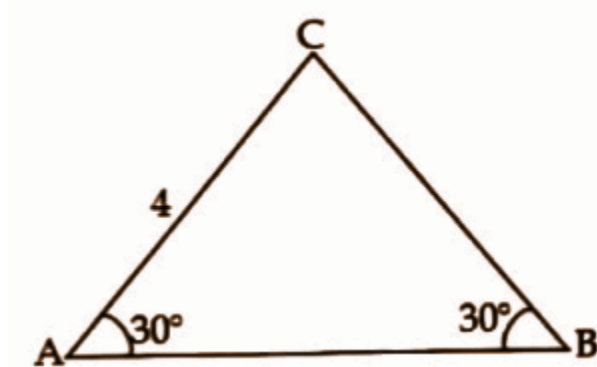
$$x - 9 = \pm 1$$

$$x - 9 = 1 \text{ or } x - 9 = -1$$

$$x = 10 \text{ or } = 8$$

So,  $AB = 10 \text{ cm}$ .

Question 16: In triangle ABC,  $\angle A = \angle B = 30^\circ$ ,  $AC = 4\text{cm}$ .



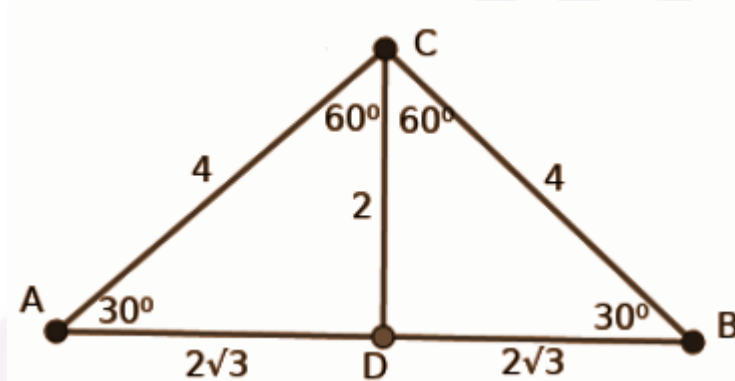
[a] What is the length of BC?

[b] Find the length of AB.

[c] In triangle PQR,  $PQ = 4\sqrt{3}\text{ cm}$ ,  $\angle P = \angle Q = 30^\circ$ .

Draw the triangle.

Solution:



Given ,

$$\angle A = \angle B = 30^\circ$$

$$AC = 4\text{cm}$$

Draw  $CD \perp AB$ .

In right  $\triangle ADC$ ,

$$30^\circ : 60^\circ : 90^\circ$$

$$1 : \sqrt{3} : 2$$

$$DC : AD : AC$$

$$x : x\sqrt{3} : 2x$$

$$2 : 2\sqrt{3} : 4$$

$$DC = 2$$

$$AD = 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$AC = 4$$

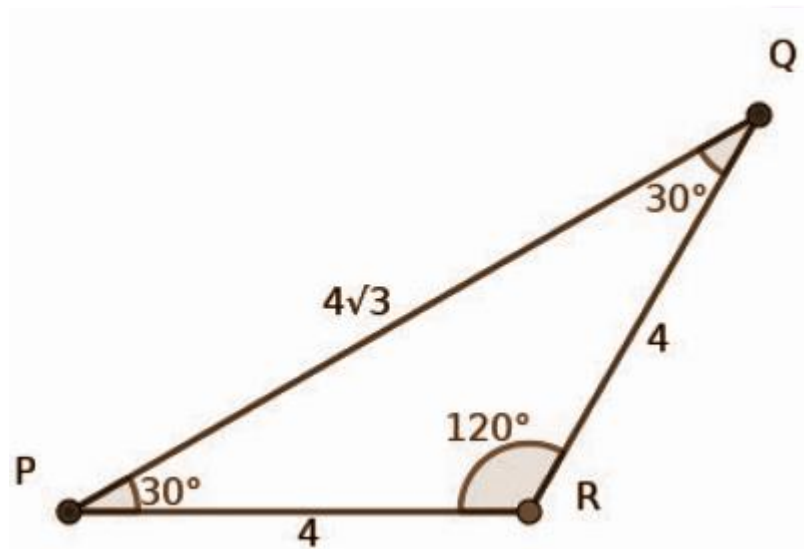
[a] Length of  $BC = AC = 4\text{cm}$

[b] Length of  $AB = AD + DB$

$$= 2\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$= 4\sqrt{3}\text{cm}$$

[c] Draw  $PR = 4\text{cm}$  and make  $R$  be  $120^\circ$  and join  $PQ$ .  $\triangle PRQ$  is the required triangle.



**Question 17:**

[a] If  $p(x) = x^2 - 7x + 13$ , what is  $p(3)$ ?

[b] Write the polynomial  $p(x) - p(3)$  as the product of two first degree polynomials.

[c] Find the solutions of the equation  $p(x) - p(3) = 0$ .

**Solution:**

[a] Given polynomial

$$p(x) = x^2 - 7x + 13$$

$$p(3) = 3^2 - 7 \times 3 + 13$$

$$= 9 - 21 + 13$$

$$= 1$$

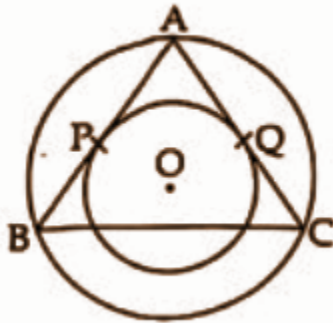
$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{[b] } p(x) - p(3) &= x^2 - 7x + 13 - 1 \\
 &= x^2 - 7x + 12 \\
 &= (x - 3)(x - 4)
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence the product two first degree polynomial =  $(x - 3)(x - 4)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{[c] } p(x) - p(3) &= 0 \\
 x^2 - 7x + 12 &= 0 \\
 \Rightarrow (x - 3)(x - 4) &= 0 \\
 \Rightarrow (x - 3) = 0 \text{ or } (x - 4) &= 0 \\
 \text{ie., } x &= 3 \text{ or } x = 4.
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence the solution is  $x = 3$  and  $4$ .

**Question 18:** In the figure,  $O$  is the centre of both circles.  $AB$  and  $AC$  touch the small circle at  $P$  and  $Q$ .  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are points on the larger circle.



**[a]** If  $AP = 5\text{cm}$ , then what is the length of  $AQ$ ?

**[b]** Prove that  $AB = AC$ .

**[c]** If  $AP = 5\text{cm}$  and  $\angle A = 90^\circ$ , then what is the radius of the small circle?

**Solution:**

**[a]** Given  $AP = 5\text{ cm}$

Hence the length of  $AQ = 5\text{cm}$ . [ $\because$  Same tangents from  $A$ ]

**[b]**  $AB$  and  $AC$  are tangents

$OP \perp AB$  and  $OQ \perp AC$  [ $\because$  Chord bisector theorem]

$AP = BP$  and  $AQ = QC$

$AB = AC$

[c] Given  $\angle A = 90^\circ$

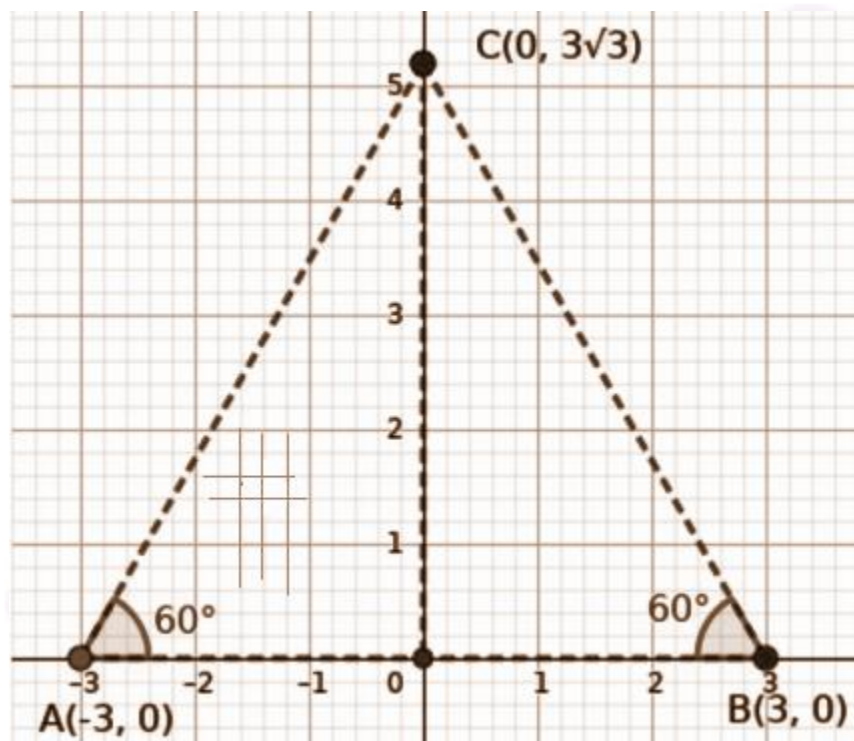
So it can be seen that APOQ is a square.

[  $\because$  OP and OQ be radii  $\therefore \angle APO = \angle AQO = 90^\circ$ . ie.,  $\angle POQ = 90^\circ$  ]

Hence the radius of the small circle = 5cm.

**Question 19:** Draw the coordinate axes and mark the points A (-3, 0), B (3, 0), C (0,  $3\sqrt{3}$ ).

**Solution:**



**Question 20:** A sector of radius 12cm and the central angle  $120^\circ$  is rolled up to a cone.

[a] What is the slant height of the cone?

[b] Find the radius and height of the cone.

[c] What is the central angle of the sector to be used to make a cone of base radius  $\sqrt{2}$  cm and height 4cm?



**Solution:**

[a] The radius of the sector = 12cm [The radius of the sector to be the slant height of the cone ]

$$[b] r / l = x^{\circ} / 360^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow r / 12 = 120 / 360$$

$$\Rightarrow 360r = 12 \times 120$$

$$\Rightarrow r = [12 \times 120] / 360$$

$$\therefore r = 4\text{cm}$$

$$\text{Radius} = 4\text{cm}$$

$$h = \sqrt{l^2 - r^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{12^2 - 4^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{144 - 16}$$

$$= \sqrt{128}$$

$$= 8\sqrt{2} \text{ cm}$$

$$[c] r / l = x^{\circ} / 360^{\circ}$$

$$\text{Central angle } (x^{\circ}) = [360 \times r] / l$$

To find 'l'

$$l = \sqrt{h^2 + r^2}$$

$$r = \sqrt{2}, h = 4\text{cm}$$

$$\therefore l = \sqrt{4^2 + \sqrt{2}^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{16 + 2}$$

$$= \sqrt{18}$$

$$= 3\sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{Center angle } (x^{\circ}) = 360 \times r / l$$

$$= [360 \times \sqrt{2}] / [3\sqrt{2}]$$

$$= 120^{\circ}$$

**Question 21:**

[a] What is the slope of the line passing through the points (5, 0) and (3, 2)?

Write the equation of the line.

[b] The x coordinate of a point on the line  $x - y = 5$  is 5. What is the y coordinate of that point?

[c] Write the coordinates of the point of intersection of the lines  $x + y = 5$  and  $x - y = 5$ .

**Solution:**

[a] Given points are (5, 0) and (3, 2).

$$\text{Slope} = [y_2 - y_1] / [x_2 - x_1]$$

$$= [2 - 0] / [3 - 5]$$

$$= 2 / -2$$

$$= -1$$

Equation of the line is

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$= y - 0$$

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

$$y = -x + 5$$

$x + y - 5 = 0$  is the equation.

[b] If  $x = 5$ , then

$$5 - y = 5$$

$$-y = 5 - 5$$

$$= 0$$

The y coordinate of that point is 0.

[c] Given  $x + y = 5$  and  $x - y = 0$ .

$$x + y = 5 \rightarrow (1)$$

$$x - y = 0 \rightarrow (2)$$

Solve (1) and (2),

$x$  and  $y = 5$ , and 0

So the coordinates = (5, 0).

**Answer any five questions from 22 to 28. Each question carries 5 scores. [5 \* 5 = 25]**

**Question 22: Sum of the first four terms of an arithmetic sequence is 72. Sum of first n terms is also 72.**

[a] What is the 5<sup>th</sup> term of the sequence?

[b] Find the sum of the first five terms.

[c] Write the sequence.

**Solution:**

Given sum of the first 4 terms = 72

Sum of the first 9 terms = 72

[a] 5<sup>th</sup> term ( $x_5$ ) =  $(S_9) / 9$

$$= 72 / 9$$

$$= 8$$

[b] Sum of the first 5 terms ( $S_5$ )

$$= S_4 + x_5$$

$$= 72 + 8$$

$$= 80$$

[c]  $X_3 = (S_5) / 5$

$$= 80 / 5$$

$$= 16$$

$$X_3 + 2d = X_5$$

$$16 + 2d = 8$$

$$2d = -8$$

$$d = -4$$

$$X_1 = X_3 - 2d$$

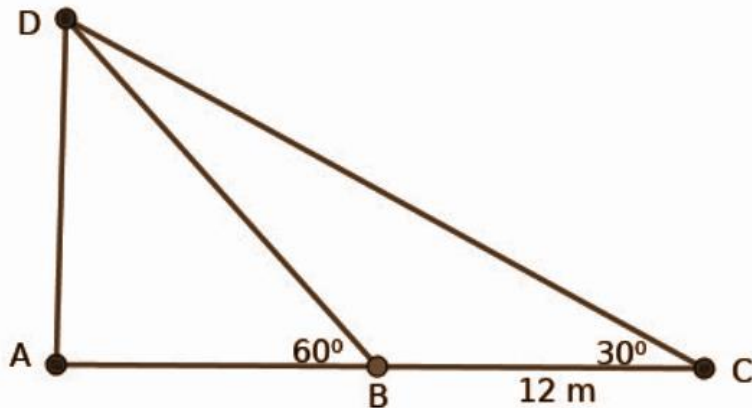
$$= 16 - [2 \times -4]$$

$$= 24$$

The sequence = 24, 20, 16, 12, 8,.....

**Question 23:** A boy standing at the edge of a canal sees the top of a tree on the other edge at an elevation of 60°. Stepping 12m back, he sees it at an elevation of 30°. Find the height of the tree.

**Solution:**



Let AB be the height of the tree.

B be the first position of the boy.

C be the second position of the boy.

$$BC = 12$$

$$\angle C = 30^\circ$$

$$\angle BPA = 60^\circ$$

$$\angle PBA = 30^\circ$$

$$\angle A = 90^\circ$$

$\triangle CBD$  is an isosceles triangle.

$$\therefore BC = BD = 12$$

From right  $\triangle BAP$ ,

$$30^\circ; 60^\circ; 90^\circ$$

$$1 : \sqrt{3} : 2$$

$$\Rightarrow AD : AB : BD$$

$$\Rightarrow x : x\sqrt{3} : 2x$$

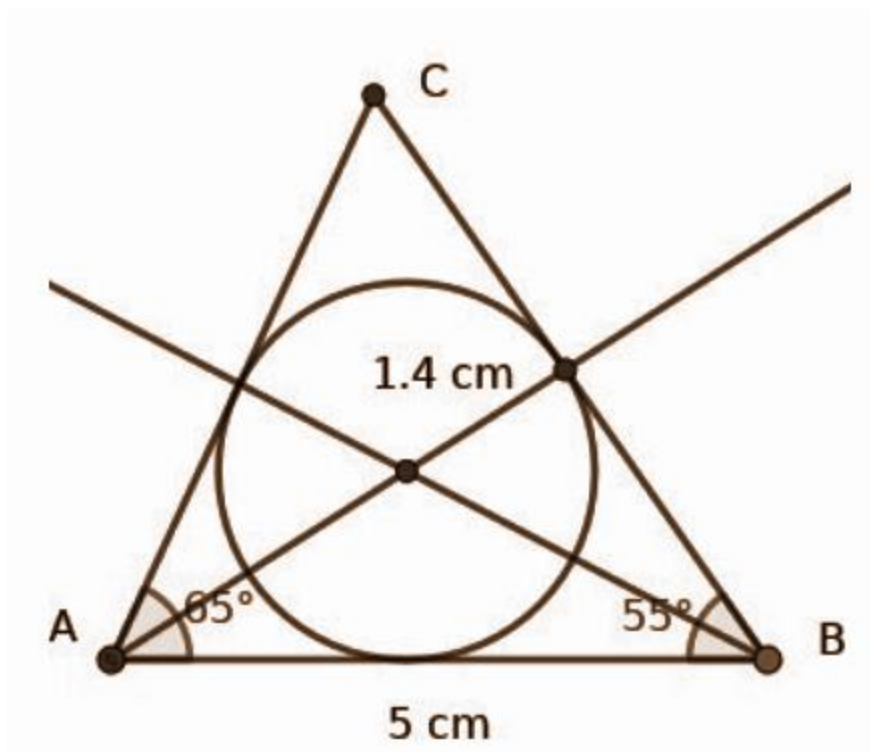
$$\Rightarrow 6 : 6\sqrt{3} : 12$$

$$\therefore AB = 6\sqrt{3}$$

Hence the height of the tree =  $6\sqrt{3}$ m.

**Question 24:** In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $AB = 5$ cm,  $\angle A = 65^\circ$ ,  $\angle B = 55^\circ$ . Draw the triangle ABC and the incircle. Measure the radius of the incircle.

**Solution:**



**Question 25:** A circle is drawn with  $(5, 3)$  as a centre.  $(5, 6)$  is a point on the circle.

[a] What is the radius of the circle?

[b] Write the equation of the circle.

[c] What is the distance from the centre of the circle to the x-axis?

[d] What is the length of the tangents from the origin to the circle?

**Solution:**

[a] Radius of the circle =  $6 - 3 = 3$  units

[b] Equation of the circle

$$= (x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = r^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 5)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 3^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 10x + 25 + y^2 - 6y + 9 = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 10x - 6y + 25 = 0$$

[c] The distance from the centre of the circle to the x-axis is the radius of the circle = 3 units.

[d] The length of the tangents from the origin to the circle = 5 units. [The x-axis being itself a tangent.]

**Question 26:**

**[a] The radius of a solid sphere is 6cm. Find its volume and surface area.**

**[b] It is cut into two equal halves. What is the total surface area of each hemisphere? What is the volume of a hemisphere?**

**Solution:**

[a] Given radius = 6cm;

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Volume} &= \left[ \frac{4}{3} \right] \pi r^3 \\ &= \left[ \frac{4}{3} \right] \pi 6^3 \\ &= 288\pi \text{ cm}^3\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Total Surface Area} &= 4\pi r^2 \\ &= 4\pi \times 6^2 \\ &= 144\pi \text{ cm}^2\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{[b] Total Surface Area of hemisphere} &= 3\pi r^2 \\ &= 3\pi \times 6^2 \\ &= 108\pi \text{ cm}^2\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{The volume of hemisphere} &= \left[ \frac{2}{3} \right] \pi r^3 \\ &= \left[ \frac{2}{3} \right] \pi 6^3 \\ &= 144\pi \text{ cm}^3\end{aligned}$$

**Question 27: The table below shows, children of a class sorted according to their marks in the examination.**

Marks	Number of Children
0-10	4
10-20	7
20-30	10
30-40	12
40-50	8
	41

[a] If we arrange the children from the one with the least mark to the one with the greatest, then what will be the assumed mark of the 12<sup>th</sup> student?

[b] Compute the median mark.

**Solution:**

Class	Frequency	Marks	Cumulative Frequency
0 - 10	4	<10	4
10 - 20	7	<20	11
20 - 30	10	<30	21
30 - 40	12	<40	33
40 - 50	8	<50	41
<b>Total</b>	<b>41</b>		

[a] Assumed mark of the 12<sup>th</sup> student

$$= 20 + [30 - 20] / [10 \times 2]$$

$$= 20 + 1 / 2$$

$$= 20.5$$

[b]  $N / 2 = 41 / 2 = 20.5$

Median class = 20 - 30

$$l = 20$$

$$F = 11$$

$$f = 10$$

$$\text{Median} = l + [(N/2 - F) / f] / c$$

$$= 20 + [(20.5 - 11) / 10] \times 10$$

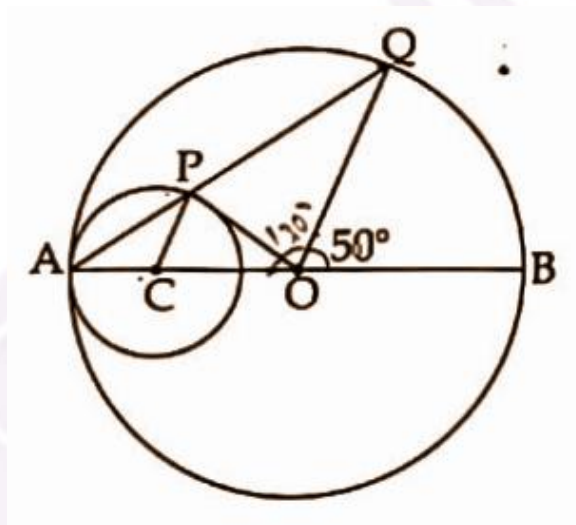
$$= 20 + [9.5 / 10] \times 10$$

$$= 20 + 9.5$$

$$= 29.5$$

$\therefore$  Median mark = 29.5

**Question 28:** In the figure, O is the centre of the large circle. The centre of the small circle is C. OP is a tangent to the small circle.  $\angle BOQ = 50^\circ$ .



[a]  $\angle OAQ = ?$

[b]  $\angle OCP = ?$

[c]  $\angle APO = ?$

[d]  $\angle POQ = ?$

**Solution:**

Given  $\angle BOQ = 50^\circ$

[a] Since  $\triangle AOQ$  is isosceles, their base angles are equal.



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{AOQ} &= 180 - 50 = 130 \\
 \angle A &= \angle Q = [180 - 130] / 2 \\
 &= 50 / 2 \\
 &= 25^\circ \\
 \therefore \angle \text{OAQ} &= 25^\circ
 \end{aligned}$$

$$[\text{b}] \angle \text{OCP} = 25^\circ \times 2 = 50^\circ$$

$$[\text{c}] \angle \text{APO} = 25^\circ + 90^\circ = 115^\circ$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 [\text{d}] \angle \text{POQ} &= 180^\circ - (50 + \angle \text{AOP}) \\
 &= 180^\circ - 50^\circ - 40^\circ \\
 &= 90^\circ
 \end{aligned}$$

**Question 29: Read the following passage. Understand the mathematical concept in it and answer the questions that follow. Each question carries 1 score. [6 \* 1 = 6]**

The common difference of the arithmetic sequence 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10 ..... is  $14 - 15 = -1$ . The first term of the sequence is 15 and the 15<sup>th</sup> term is  $15 + 14 * -1 = 15 - 14 = 1$ . Similarly, the 4<sup>th</sup> term is 12 and the 12<sup>th</sup> term is 4. Its 16<sup>th</sup> term is  $x_{16} = 15 + 15 * -1 = 15 - 15 = 0$ . So, the sum of the first 31 terms is also 0. That is if the n<sup>th</sup> term of an arithmetic sequence with common difference -1 is m, then the m<sup>th</sup> term is n and the (m + n)<sup>th</sup> term is 0.

[a] 7<sup>th</sup> term of an arithmetic sequence is 10 and the 10<sup>th</sup> term is 7. What is the common difference?

[b] What is the 21<sup>st</sup> term of the arithmetic sequence 21, 20, 19....

[c] 5<sup>th</sup> term of an arithmetic sequence is 17 and the 17<sup>th</sup> term is 5. Which term of the sequence is 0?

[d] 5<sup>th</sup> term of an arithmetic sequence is 17 and the 17<sup>th</sup> term is 5. What is the 44<sup>th</sup> term?

[e] 1<sup>st</sup> term of an arithmetic sequence is n and the n<sup>th</sup> term is 1. What is the (n + 1)<sup>th</sup> term?

**[f] The 1<sup>st</sup> term of an arithmetic sequence is  $n$  and the  $n^{\text{th}}$  term is 1. Sum of how many terms, starting from the first term, of this sequence is 0?**

**Solution:**

[a] The common difference  $d = -1$

[b] 21<sup>st</sup> term becomes 1.

[c] 22<sup>nd</sup> term becomes 0.

[d] 44<sup>th</sup> term =  $0 - 22 = -22$

[e] The  $(n + 1)^{\text{th}}$  term is 0.

[f] 0 is the sum of  $(2n + 1)^{\text{th}}$  term.

