

## Class 10 Maths Chapter 9 Some Applications of Trigonometry MCQs For Practice

- 1. A tower stands vertically on the ground. From a point on the ground, which is 15 m away from the foot of the tower, the angle of elevation of the top of the tower is found to be  $60^\circ$ . The height of the tower is**
  - (a)  $15\sqrt{3}$  m
  - (b)  $12\sqrt{3}$  m
  - (c)  $15/\sqrt{3}$  m
  - (d)  $5\sqrt{3}$  m
- 2. An observer 1.5 m tall is 20.5 m away from a tower 22 m high. The angle of elevation of the top of the tower from the eye of the observer is**
  - (a)  $30^\circ$
  - (b)  $60^\circ$
  - (c)  $45^\circ$
  - (d)  $15^\circ$
- 3. The angle of elevation of the top of a 18 m high tower at a point 18 m away from the base of tower is**
  - (a)  $30^\circ$
  - (b)  $60^\circ$
  - (c)  $15^\circ$
  - (d)  $45^\circ$
- 4. At some time of the day, the length of the shadow of a building is equal to its height. Then, the Sun's altitude at that time is equal to**
  - (a)  $30^\circ$
  - (b)  $45^\circ$
  - (c)  $60^\circ$
  - (d)  $75^\circ$
- 5. If at some time, the length of the shadow of a tower is  $1/\sqrt{3}$  times its height, then the angle of elevation of the Sun, at that time is**
  - (a)  $15^\circ$
  - (b)  $30^\circ$
  - (c)  $45^\circ$
  - (d)  $60^\circ$
- 6. A man standing at a height 6 m observes the top of a tower and the foot of tower at angles of  $45^\circ$  and  $30^\circ$  of elevation and depression respectively. The height of tower is**
  - (a)  $6\sqrt{3}$  m
  - (b) 12 m
  - (c)  $6(\sqrt{3} - 1)$
  - (d)  $6(\sqrt{3} + 1)$  m
- 7. Two poles are 25 m and 15 m high and the line joining their tops makes an angle of  $45^\circ$  with the horizontal. The distance between these poles is**
  - (a) 5 m

- (b) 10 m
- (c) 15 m
- (d) 12 m

**8. If the angles of elevation of the top of a tower from two points at the distance of 9 m and 4 m from the base of tower and in the same straight line with it are complementary, then the height of the tower (in m) is**

- (a) 8
- (b) 7
- (c) 6
- (d) 10

**9. A 1.6 m tall girl stands at a distance of 3.2 m from a lamp post and casts a shadow of 4.8 m on the ground. The height of the lamp post is**

- (a)  $8/3$  m
- (b) 4.5 m
- (c) 2.4 m
- (d)  $10/3$  m

**10. An observer 1.5 m tall is 28.5 m away from a chimney. The angle of elevation of the top of the chimney from her eyes is  $45^\circ$ . The height of the chimney is**

- (a) 15 m
- (b) 30 m
- (c) 25 m
- (d) 40 m

\*\*\*\*\* ANSWER KEY \*\*\*\*\*

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| 1 - (a) | 2 - (c) | 3 - (d) | 4 - (b) | 5 - (d)  |
| 6 - (d) | 7 - (b) | 8 - (c) | 9 - (a) | 10 - (b) |