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Maximum Marks: **80**  
Time allowed: **3 Hours**

**Instructions:**

- 1) Write in a clear legible handwriting.
  - 2) This question paper has four Sections A, B, C & D and Question Numbers from 1 to 39.
  - 3) All Sections are compulsory. General options are given.
  - 4) The numbers to the right represent the marks of the question.
  - 5) Draw neat diagrams wherever necessary.
  - 6) New sections should be written in a new page. Write the answers in numerical order.
  - 7) Calculator is not allowed.
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**Section A**

- **Answer the following as directed. (1 to 16) (1 mark each)** **[16]**  
**State whether the following statements are true or false.**

1)  $8 \sec^2 \theta - 8 \tan^2 \theta = 8$  **[1]**

**Answer:** True

**Explanation:**

$$\begin{aligned} & 8 \sec^2 \theta - 8 \tan^2 \theta \\ &= 8(\sec^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta) \\ &= 8(1) \\ &= 8 \end{aligned}$$

2)  $7 \times 11 \times 13 + 13$  is a prime number. **[1]**

**Answer:** False

**Explanation:**

$$(7 \times 11 \times 13 + 13) = 13\{(7 \times 11) + 1\} = 13 \times 78 = 1014$$

Since, 1014 is divided by 13, 78 which is other than 1 and the number itself, so it is a composite number.

3)  $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \dots$  is an arithmetic progression. [1]

**Answer:** False

**Explanation:**

$$a_1 = \frac{1}{2}, a_2 = \frac{1}{3}, a_3 = \frac{1}{4}$$

Common difference:

$$d_1 = a_2 - a_1 = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{-1}{6}$$

$$d_2 = a_3 - a_2 = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{-1}{12}$$

$$d_2 \neq d_1$$

Therefore, the given sequence is not an arithmetic progression.

4) If one of the root of quadratic  $x^2 - 4x + m = 0$  is 3 then  $m = 3$ . [1]

**Answer:** True

**Explanation:**

$$\text{If } x = 3,$$

$$\text{Then, } 3^2 - 4(3) + m = 0$$

$$9 - 12 + m = 0$$

$$m = 3$$

5) If H.C.F (12, k) = 6 and L.C.M. (12, k) = 36 then  $k = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ . [1]

**Answer:** 18

**Explanation:**

H.C.F x L.C.M = Product of two numbers

$$6 \times 36 = 12 \times k$$

$$k = \frac{6 \times 36}{12}$$

$$k = 18$$

6) If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are zeros of quadratic polynomial  $3x - x^2 + 8$ , then  $\alpha\beta = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ .  
[1]

**Answer:** -8

**Explanation:**

$3x - x^2 + 8$  can be written as  $-x^2 + 3x + 8$

$a = -1$ ,  $b = 3$  and  $c = 8$

Product of the roots  $\alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{8}{-1} = -8$

7)  $27x + 63y = 45$  and  $63x + 27y = 135$ , then  $x + y = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   
[1]

**Answer:**  $x + y = 2$

**Explanation:**

$$27x + 63y = 45 \dots (i) \quad \div 9$$

$$63x + 27y = 135 \dots (ii) \quad \div 9$$

$$\text{-----}$$

$$3x + 7y = 5 \dots (iii) \quad \times 7$$

$$7x + 3y = 15 \dots (iv) \quad \times 3$$

$$\text{-----}$$

$$21x + 49y = 35 \dots$$

$$21x + 9y = 45 \dots (-)$$

$$\text{-----}$$

$$40y = -10$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{4}$$

Sub  $y$  in (iii),

$$3x + 7\left(-\frac{1}{4}\right) = 5$$

$$3x = 5 + \frac{7}{4}$$

$$3x = \frac{27}{4}$$

$$x = \frac{9}{4}$$

$$x + y = \frac{9}{4} - \frac{1}{4}$$

$$= \frac{8}{4}$$

$$= 2$$

8) Co-ordinates of midpoint M of line segment AB joining the points A (2a-b,b) and B(b, 2a-b) is \_\_\_\_\_. [1]

**Answer:** (a, a)

**Explanation:**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Midpoint of AB} &= \left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2}\right) \\ &= \left(\frac{2a-b+b}{2}, \frac{b+2a-b}{2}\right) = (a, a) \end{aligned}$$

9) Which is the median class for the following frequency distribution? [1]

Class	0 – 10	10 – 20	20 – 30	30 – 40	40 – 50
Frequency	7	15	13	17	10

**Answer:** 20-30

**Explanation:**

To find the median class of a frequency distribution, we first need to calculate the cumulative frequency of each class. We can do this by adding up the frequencies of each class, starting from the first class.

Class	Frequency	Cumulative Frequency
0-10	7	7
10-20	15	22
20-30	13	35
30-40	17	52
40-50	10	62

The total frequency is 62, which is an even number. To find the median class, we need to find the class that contains the middle value. The middle value is the average of the two middle values, which in this case are the 31st and 32nd values.

To find the class that contains the 31st value, we look at the cumulative frequency column and find the first class that has a cumulative frequency greater than or equal to 31. In this case, it is the class 20-30, which has a cumulative frequency of 35.

To find the class that contains the 32nd value, we look at the cumulative frequency column and find the first class that has a cumulative frequency greater than or equal to 32. In this case, it is also the class 20-30.

Therefore, the median class is the class 20-30.

**10)** If  $P(A) - P(\bar{A}) = 0.8$  then find the value of  $P(A)$ .

**[1]**

**Answer:** 0.9

**Explanation:**

We know that the complement of event A is denoted as  $A'$ ,  $\bar{A}$ , or A-bar. The probability of an event and its complement always sum up to 1. Therefore:

$$P(A) + P(\bar{A}) = 1$$

We are given that:

$$P(A) - P(\bar{A}) = 0.8$$

Substituting the value of  $P(\bar{A})$  from the first equation into the second equation, we get:

$$P(A) - (1 - P(A)) = 0.8$$

Simplifying the equation, we get:

$$2P(A) - 1 = 0.8$$

Adding 1 to both sides, we get:

$$2P(A) = 1.8$$

Dividing both sides by 2, we get:

$$P(A) = 0.9$$

Therefore, the value of  $P(A)$  is 0.9.

**11)** Find the diameter of a circle whose circumference and area are equal in number. **[1]**

**Answer:** Diameter = 4 units

**Explanation:**

Given that,

Area of circle = Circumference of circle

$$\pi r^2 = 2\pi r$$

$$r = 2 \text{ units}$$

$$\text{Diameter} = 2 \times \text{Radius}$$

$$\therefore \text{Diameter} = 4 \text{ units}$$

**12)** For what value of an acute angle  $\theta$ ,  $\cot 2\theta \cdot \cot 7\theta = 1$  ?

**[1]**

**Answer:**  $10^\circ$

**Explanation.**

$$\cot 2\theta \times \cot 7\theta = 1$$

Rearranging the above equation

$$\Rightarrow \cot 7\theta = \frac{1}{\cot 2\theta}$$

$$\text{We know that } \tan 2\theta = \frac{1}{\cot 2\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot 7\theta = \tan 2\theta$$

$$\text{Since } \tan \theta = \cot(90 - \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot 7\theta = \cot(90 - 2\theta)$$

$$\therefore 7\theta = 90^\circ - 2\theta \Rightarrow 9\theta = 90^\circ \Rightarrow \theta = 10^\circ$$

**13)** If a sphere of radius  $r$  is divided in four equal parts then the total surface area of each part is? **[1]**

a)  $\pi r^2$

b)  $2\pi r^2$

c)  $3\pi r^2$

d)  $\frac{1}{2}\pi r^2$

**Answer:** (a)  $\pi r^2$

**Explanation:**

$$\text{Total surface area of sphere} = 4\pi r^2$$

So, one fourth of it will be  $\pi r^2$ .

**14)** If the pair of equations  $2x + 2y + 2 = 0$  and  $4x + ky + 8 = 0$  has unique solution then  $k \neq$  \_\_\_\_\_. [1]

- a) 4
- b) 2
- c) -4
- d) 8

**Answer:** (a) 4

**Explanation:**

$$\frac{a_1}{a_2} \neq \frac{b_1}{b_2}$$

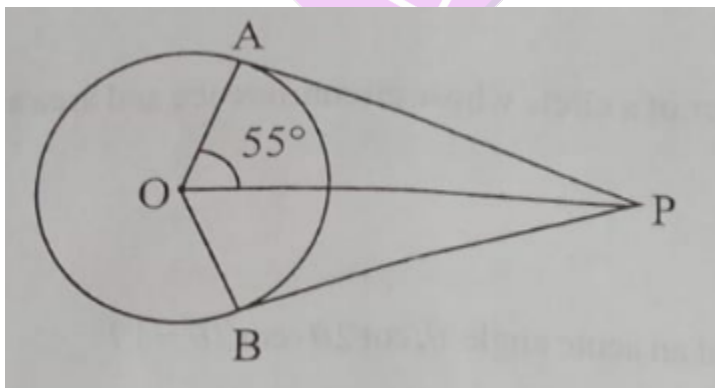
$$\frac{2}{4} \neq \frac{2}{k}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \neq \frac{2}{k}$$

$$k \neq 4$$

**15)** In a figure below, PA and PB are tangents to the circle with centre O,  $\angle AOP = 55^\circ$  then  $\angle APB =$  \_\_\_\_\_.

[1]



- a)  $35^\circ$
- b)  $70^\circ$
- c)  $125^\circ$
- d)  $110^\circ$



**Answer:** (b)  $70^\circ$

**Explanation:**

In  $\triangle OAP$ ,  $\angle A = 90^\circ$ ,

So,  $\angle AOP + \angle OAP + \angle APO = 180^\circ$

$55^\circ + 90^\circ + \angle APO = 180^\circ$

$\angle APO = 35^\circ$

So,  $\angle APB = 2 \angle APO$

$\angle APB = 70^\circ$

**16)** An unbiased coin is tossed thrice. What is the probability of getting at least two heads? [1]

a)  $3/8$

b)  $1/8$

c)  $1/2$

d)  $2/3$

**Answer:** (c)  $1/2$

**Explanation:**

$S = \{HHH, HHT, HTH, HTT, TTT, THH, THT, TTH\}$

At Least 2 heads  $A = \{HHH, HHT, HTH, THH\}$

$P(A) = n(S)/n(A) = 4/8 = 1/2$

### SECTION-B

- Solve the following questions showing calculation. (17 to 26) (2 marks each) [20]

**17)** Prove that  $5 + 2\sqrt{7}$  is irrational. [2]

**Explanation:**

Let,  $5 + 2\sqrt{7}$  be rational.

$$\text{So } 5 + 2\sqrt{7} = \frac{a}{b},$$

where 'a' and 'b' are integers and  $b \neq 0$

$$2\sqrt{7} = \left[\frac{a}{b}\right] - 5$$

$$2\sqrt{7} = \frac{[a-(5b)]}{2b}$$

Since 'a' and 'b' are integers  $a - 5b$  is also an integer.  $\left[\frac{[a-(5b)]}{2b}\right]$  is rational. So

RHS is rational. LHS should be rational. but it is given that  $2\sqrt{7}$  is irrational. Our assumption is wrong.

**18)** Find the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial  $6x^2 - 13x + 6$ . **[2]**

**Answer:**  $\frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{2}$

**Explanation:**

$$6x^2 - 13x + 6 = 0$$

$$6x^2 - 9x - 4x + 6 = 0$$

$$3x(2x - 3) - 2(2x - 3) = 0$$

$$(3x - 2)(2x - 3) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{2}$$

**19)** Verify whether the pair of linear equations:  $\frac{4}{3}x + 2y = 8$  and  $2x + 3y = 12$  is consistent or not. **[2]**

**Explanation:**

$$\frac{4}{3}x + 2y = 8, 2x + 3y = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 6y = 24, 2x + 3y = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 3y = 12, 2x + 3y = 12$$

$$\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{4}{2} = 2 \quad \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{6}{3} = 2$$

$$\frac{c_1}{c_2} = \frac{24}{12} = 2 \quad \therefore \frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{c_1}{c_2}$$

$\therefore$  the linear equations are consistent

$\therefore$  They have infinite solutions.

OR

**19)** Solve the pair of equations by substitution method:

$$x + y = 4 \text{ and } 2x = 8 + 3y.$$

**Answer:**

**Explanation:**

$$x + y = 4 \dots (i) \quad 2x = 8 + 3y \dots (ii)$$

Put  $x = 4 - y$  in equation (ii)

$$2\{4 - y\} = 8 + 3y$$

$$8 - 2y = 8 + 3y$$

$$5y = 0$$

$$y = 0, x = 4$$

**20)** If  $P, Q$  and  $R$  are interior angles of a triangle  $PQR$  then show that

$$\sec\left(\frac{P+Q}{2}\right) = \operatorname{cosec}\frac{R}{2}$$

[2]

**Explanation:**

Given  $P, Q, R$  are the interior angles of  $\triangle PQR$

$$\Rightarrow P + Q + R = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow P + Q = 180^\circ - R$$

Since, we know that,  $P + Q + R = 180^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow P + Q = 180^\circ - R$$

Now,

$$LHS = \sec\left(\frac{P+Q}{2}\right) = \sec\left(\frac{180^\circ - R}{2}\right) = \sec\left(90^\circ - \frac{R}{2}\right) = \operatorname{cosec}\frac{R}{2} = RHS \text{ proved.}$$

21) If  $2\sin\theta + \cos\theta = 2$ , find  $\tan\theta \cdot (\cos\theta \neq 0)$

[2]

Answer:  $\infty$

Explanation:

$$\cos\theta = 2 - 2\sin\theta$$

$$1 - \sin^2\theta = 4 + 4\sin^2\theta - 8\sin\theta$$

$$5\sin^2\theta - 8\sin\theta + 3 = 0$$

$$5\sin^2\theta - 5\sin\theta - 3\sin\theta + 3 = 0$$

$$5\sin\theta(\sin\theta - 1) - 3(\sin\theta - 1) = 0$$

$$(5\sin\theta - 3)(\sin\theta - 1) = 0$$

$$\sin\theta = \frac{3}{5} \text{ or } \sin\theta = 1$$

$$\tan\theta = \frac{3}{4} \text{ or } \tan\theta = \infty$$

OR

21) If  $2\tan^2 45^\circ + x - \sin^2 60^\circ = 2$ , find the value of  $x$ .

[2]

Answer:  $\frac{3}{4}$

Explanation:

$$2\tan^2 45^\circ + x - \sin^2 60^\circ$$

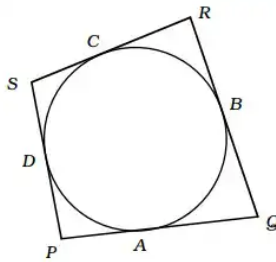
$$= 2 \cdot 2 * 1^2 + x - \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2 = 2$$

$$2 + x - \frac{3}{4} = 2$$

$$x = 2 - 2 + \frac{3}{4}$$

$$x = \frac{3}{4}$$

**22)** As shown in the figure, a quadrilateral  $PQRS$  is drawn to circumscribe a circle. Prove that  $PQ + RS = QR + PS$ . **[2]**



**Explanation:**

Given:

Quadrilateral  $PQRS$  circumscribes a circle

To prove that:

$$PQ + RS = PS + QR$$

Proof:

Lengths of tangents drawn to a circle from an external point are equal.

Hence,  $PA = PD$ .....(i)

$$QA = QB$$
..... (ii)  $RB = RC$ ..... (iii)  $SC = SD$ ..... (iv)

LHS

$$PQ + RS = PA + AQ + RC + CS$$

RHS

$$PS + QR = PD + DS + QB + BR$$

$$= PA + CS + AQ + RC \text{ using equations (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv)}$$

From above, it can be seen LHS = RHS

Hence proved

**OR**

**22)** Two concentric circles are of radii  $29 \text{ cm}$  and  $21 \text{ cm}$ . Find the length of the chord of the larger circle which touches the smaller circle. **[2]**

**Answer:**  $40 \text{ cm}$

**Explanation:**

The length of the chord of the larger circle which touches the smaller circle is  $40 \text{ cm}$ .

Step-by-step explanation:

Let  $PQ$  be the chord of the larger circle which touches the smaller circle at the point  $L$ . Since  $PQ$  is tangent at the point  $L$ . Since  $PQ$  is tangent at the point  $L$  to the smaller circle with center  $O$ . Thus

$$OL = 21 \text{ cm and } OP = 29 \text{ cm}$$

Therefore,  $OL$  is perpendicular to  $PQ$

Since  $PQ$  is a chord of the bigger circle and  $OL$  is perpendicular  $PQ$ .

$$\text{Therefore, } PQ = 2PL$$

In the right angled triangle  $OPL$ .

$$PL = \sqrt{OP^2 - OL^2} = \sqrt{29^2 - 21^2} = \sqrt{400} = 20 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Therefore, chord } PQ = 2PL = 2 \times 20 \text{ cm} = 40 \text{ cm}$$

So, length of the chord  $PQ$  is  $40 \text{ cm}$ .

**23)** For the following grouped frequency distribution, find the mode. **[2]**

Class	10 – 25	25 – 40	40 – 55	55 – 70	70 – 85
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Frequency	2	3	7	6	6
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**Answer:** 52

**Explanation:**

The class having highest frequency is 40 – 55, therefore, it is the modal class

Now lower limit of modal class (1) = 40

Frequency ( $f_1$ ) of modal class = 7

frequency ( $f_0$ ) of preceding the modal class = 3

frequency ( $f_2$ ) of the class succeeding the modal class = 6

Class size = 15

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

$$= 40 + \left( \frac{7-3}{14-3-6} \times 15 \right)$$

$$= 40 + \frac{60}{5}$$

$$= 40 + 12$$

$$= 52$$

**24)** Salma and Mona are friends. What is the probability that both will have

i) different birthdays?

ii) the same birthday in the year 2019?

**[2]**

**Answer:**  $\frac{364}{365}$  &  $\frac{1}{365}$

**Explanation:**

(i) Let  $E$  be the event of both having different birthdays, and (not  $E$ ) be the event same birthdays

If Salma's b'day is different from Mona's b'day, the number of favorable outcomes for her bday is  $365 - 1 = 364$

$$P(E) = (\text{Number of outcomes favorable to } E) / (\text{Total number of outcomes}) = \frac{364}{365}$$

(ii) Probability of Salma and Mona sharing the same b'day in 2019 (which is not a leap year) will be:

$$P(\text{not } E) = 1 - P(E) = 1 - \frac{364}{365} = \frac{1}{365}$$

**25)** Find the roots of the quadratic equation  $5x = 6 + \frac{2}{x}$  by the method of completing the square. **[2]**

**Answer:**  $\frac{3}{5} \pm \frac{\sqrt{19}}{5}$

**Explanation:**

We have, after rearranging the equation,

$$5x^2 - 6x - 2 = 0$$

$$x^2 - \frac{6}{5}x - \frac{2}{5} = 0$$

$$x^2 - \frac{6}{5}x = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$x^2 - 2\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)x + \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2 = \frac{2}{5} + \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2$$

$$\left(x - \frac{3}{5}\right)^2 = \frac{19}{25}$$

$$x - \frac{3}{5} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{19}}{5}$$

$$x = \frac{3}{5} \pm \frac{\sqrt{19}}{5}$$

OR



**25)** Find the roots of quadratic equation  $\sqrt{2}x^2 + 7x + 5\sqrt{2} = 0$  by the method of factorisation. **[2]**

Solution.

$$\sqrt{2}x^2 + 7x + 5\sqrt{2} = 0$$

*Splitting the middle term method* We will factorize by

We need to find two numbers whose *splitting the middle term method*

$$\text{Sum} = 7 \quad \sqrt{2}x^2 + 2x + 5x + 5\sqrt{2} = 0$$

$$\text{Product} = 5\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{2} = 5 \times 2$$

$$= 10 \quad \sqrt{2}x^2 + (\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{2})x + 5x + 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$= 0 \quad \sqrt{2}x(x + \sqrt{2}) + 5(x + \sqrt{2})$$

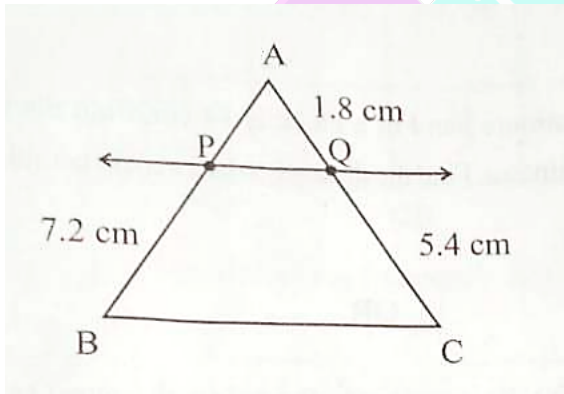
$$= 0 \quad (\sqrt{2}x + 5)(x + \sqrt{2})$$

$$= 0 \quad \sqrt{2}x + 5$$

$$= 0 \mid x + \sqrt{2} = 0$$

$$\sqrt{2}x = -5 \quad x = -\frac{5}{\sqrt{2}}$$

**26)** In the given figure if  $PQ \parallel BC$  then find  $AB$ . **[2]**



**Answer:** 10.6 cm

**Explanation:**

We can apply Basic proportionality theorem here, which will give -

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AP}{PB} = \frac{AQ}{QC} \Rightarrow \frac{AP}{7.2} = \frac{1.8}{5.4}$$

$$\Rightarrow AP = 3.4 \text{ cm}$$

$$AB = AP + PB$$

$$AB = 3.4 + 7.2$$

$$AB = 10.6 \text{ cm}$$

### SECTION-C

Answer the following questions showing calculations. (27 to 34) ( 3 marks each) [24]

**27)** On dividing  $3x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 5$  by a polynomial  $g(x)$ , the quotient and remainder were  $3x - 5$  and  $9x + 10$  respectively. Find  $g(x)$ . [3]

**Answer:**  $x^2 + 2x + 1$

**Explanation:**

If we divide  $f(x) = 3x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 5$  by  $g(x)$  we get  $q(x) = (3x - 5)$  as quotient and  $r(x) = (9x + 10)$  as remainder.  
By using division algorithm,

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \phantom{3x-5} \overline{x^2 + 2x + 1} \\
 3x-5 \overline{) 3x^3 + x^2 - 7x - 5} \\
 \underline{3x^3 - 5x^2} \phantom{- 7x - 5} \\
 (-) (+) \phantom{- 7x - 5} \\
 \phantom{3x-5} \underline{6x^2 - 7x} \phantom{- 5} \\
 \phantom{3x-5} \underline{6x^2 - 10x} \phantom{- 5} \\
 (-) (+) \phantom{- 5} \\
 \phantom{3x-5} \phantom{6x^2 - 10x} \underline{3x - 5} \\
 \phantom{3x-5} \phantom{6x^2 - 10x} \underline{3x - 5} \\
 (-) (+) \\
 \phantom{3x-5} \phantom{6x^2 - 10x} \phantom{3x - 5} \underline{\underline{0}}
 \end{array}$$

$$f(x) = g(x)q(x) + r(x) \Rightarrow 3x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 5$$

$$= g(x)(3x - 5) + (9x + 10)$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = \frac{3x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 5 - 9x - 10}{(3x - 5)}$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = \frac{3x^3 + x^2 - 7x - 5}{(3x - 5)}$$

Hence,  $g(x) = x^2 + 2x + 1$

**28)** Sum of the areas of two squares is  $468 \text{ m}^2$ . If the difference of their perimeters is  $24 \text{ m}$ , find the sides of the two squares. **[3]**

**Answer:** 12 m and 18 m

**Explanation:**

Let the side of the first square be 'a' m and that of the second be 'A' m. Area of the first square =  $a^2 \text{ sq m}$ .

Area of the second square =  $A^2 \text{ sqm}$ .

Their perimeters would be  $4a$  and  $4A$  respectively.

Given  $4A - 4a = 24$

$$A - a = 6 \quad (1) \quad A^2 + a^2 = 468 \quad (2)$$

From (1),  $A = a + 6$

Substituting for A in (2), we get

$$(a + 6)^2 + a^2 = 468$$

$$a^2 + 12a + 36 + a^2 = 468$$

$$2a^2 + 12a + 36 = 468$$

$$a^2 + 6a + 18 = 234$$

$$a^2 + 6a - 21 = 0$$

$$a^2 + 18a - 12a - 216 = 0$$

$$a(a + 18) - 12(a + 18) = 0$$

$$(a - 12)(a + 18) = 0$$

$$a = 12, -18$$

So, the side of the first square is 12 m. and the side of the second square is 18 m

**29)** For what value of  $n$ , are the  $n^{\text{th}}$  terms of two APs : 65, 67, 69, ..... and 10, 17, 24, equal? **[3]**

**Answer:**  $n = 12$

**Explanation:**

for the first A.P.

$$a = 65 \quad d = 2$$

Its  $n^{\text{th}}$  term will be -

$$t_n = a + (n - 1)d \quad t_n = 65 + (n - 1)2$$

for the second A.P.

$$A = 10 \quad d = 7$$

$$t_n = 10 + (n - 1)7$$

$$\text{A.T.Q } 65 + (n - 1)2 = 10 + (n - 1)7$$

$$55 = 7n - 7 - 2n + 2$$

$$55 = 5n - 5$$

$$11 = n - 1$$

$$n = 12$$

So, for  $n = 12$  the  $n^{\text{th}}$  term of both the APs will be same.

OR

**29)** Find the sum of all the terms of the AP:  $-2, -5, -8, \dots, -227$ .

**[3]**

**Answer:**  $-8702$

**Explanation:**

Given -

$$a = -2 \quad d = -3 \quad l = -227$$

Now sum of all terms will be given by -

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} [a + l]$$

We know  $n^{\text{th}}$  term of an A.P. will be-

$$t_n = a + (n - 1)d$$

$$\Rightarrow -227 = -2 + (n - 1)(-3)$$

$$\Rightarrow -225 = (n - 1)(-3)$$

$$\Rightarrow 75 = n - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 76$$

Now -

$$s_n = \frac{n}{2} [a + l]$$

$$s_n = \frac{76}{2} [-2 - 227]$$

$$s_n = 38[-229]$$

$$s_n = -8702$$

**30)** If  $P(2, 3)$ ,  $Q(3, -2)$ ,  $R(-3, -5)$  and  $S(-4, -2)$  are the vertices of a quadrilateral, find the area of the quadrilateral  $PQRS$ .

**[3]**

**Answer:** 28 sq. units

**Explanation:**

Area of quadrilateral  $PQRS = ar\Delta RSQ + ar\Delta PRS$ .

Area  $\Delta RSQ$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [x_1(y_2 - y_3) + x_2(y_3 - y_1) + x_3(y_1 - y_2)]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2} [-4(-2 - (-5)) + 3(-5 - (-2)) + 3(-2 - (-2))] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} [-4 \times 3 + 3 \times -3 + 3 \times 0] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \times (12 + 9) \\
 &= \frac{21}{2} \text{ sq. units}
 \end{aligned}$$

Area of triangle PRS

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2} [-4(-2 - 3) + 3(3 + 2) + 2(-2 + 2)] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} [-4 \times -5 + 3 \times 5 + 0] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \times (20 + 15) \\
 &= \frac{35}{2} \text{ sq. units}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{area } \square PQRS = \frac{21}{2} + \frac{35}{2} = 28 \text{ sq. units}$$

**31)** The length of the minute hand of a clock is 14 cm. Find the area swept by the minute hand in 15 minutes. Find the distance to be swept to complete one revolution. **[3]**

**Explanation:**

Minute hand completes full circle degree in 60 minutes.

Angle swept by minute in 60 minutes =  $360^\circ$

Angle swept by the minute hand in 15 minutes =  $\frac{360^\circ}{60} \times 15 = 90^\circ$

Therefore,

$$\theta = 90^\circ$$

Length of minute hand =  $r = 14 \text{ cm}$

Area swept by minute hand in 15 minutes = Area of sector

As we know that area of sector is given as-

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

Therefore,

$$\text{Area swept by the minute hand in 15 minutes} = \frac{90^\circ}{360^\circ} \times \left( \frac{22}{7} \times (14)^2 \right) = \frac{1}{4} \times$$

$$616 = 154 \text{ cm}^2$$

Hence the area swept by the minute hand in 15 minutes is  $154 \text{ cm}^2$ .

Hence the correct answer is  $154 \text{ cm}^2$ .

(ii) Distance swept in complete one complete revolution

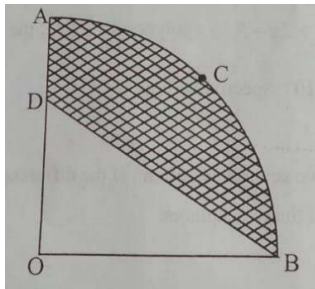
$$= 2\pi r \frac{2 \times 22}{7} \times 14 = 88 \text{ cm}$$

OR

**31)** In the given figure  $OACB$  is quadrant of a circle with centre  $O$  and diameter  $7 \text{ cm}$ . If  $OD = 2 \text{ cm}$ , find the area of the

- i) quadrant  $OACB$
- ii) shaded region

[3]



**Explanation:**

(i) Area of Quadrant  $OACB = \frac{1}{4} \times \pi r^2$  where  $r$  is the radius of circle.

$$= \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{22}{7} \times \frac{7}{2} \times \frac{7}{2} = \frac{77}{8} \text{ cm}^2$$

(ii) Area of Shaded region .

Area of Quadrant  $OACB$  – Area OF  $\triangle ODB = \frac{77}{8} \text{ cm}^2 - \frac{1}{2} \times \text{Base} \times \text{height}$

$$\frac{77}{8} \text{ cm}^2 - \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{7}{2} \times 2 \text{ cm}^2 = \frac{49}{8} \text{ cm}^2$$

**32)** A vessel is in the form of a hollow hemisphere mounted by a hollow cylinder. The diameter of the hemisphere is  $28 \text{ cm}$  and the total height of the vessel is  $26 \text{ cm}$ . Find the inner surface area of the vessel. **[3]**

**Answer:**  $2288 \text{ cm}^2$ .

**Explanation:**

As per the parameters given in the question itself, we have

Diameter of the hemisphere,  $d = 28 \text{ cm}$

Radius of the hemisphere,  $r = 14 \text{ cm} \left[ \because r = \frac{d}{2} \right]$

Height of cylindrical portion,  $h = 26 - 14 = 12 \text{ cm}$

Curved surface area of cylindrical portion can be calculated as follows:

$$= 2\pi rh = 2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times 14 \times 12 = 1056 \text{ cm}^2$$

Curved surface area of hemispherical portion can be calculated as follows:

$$= 2\pi r^2 = 2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times 14^2 = 1232 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$\text{Total inner surface area} = 1056 \text{ cm}^2 + 1232 \text{ cm}^2 = 2288 \text{ cm}^2$$

Hence, the inner surface area of the vessel is  $2288 \text{ cm}^2$ .

**33)** The following frequency distribution shows the ages of 100 persons. Find the median of the data.



Age (years)	20 – 30	30 – 40	40 – 50	50 – 60	60 – 70	70 – 80
No. of persons	15	16	38	15	9	7

**Answer:** 45

**Explanation:**

Class (1)	Frequency (f) (2)	cf (7)
20 – 30	15	15
30 – 40	16	31
40 – 50	38	69
50 – 60	15	84
60 – 70	9	93
70 – 80	7	100
	$n = 100$	

To find Median Class

= value of  $\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)^{th}$  observation

= value of  $\left(\frac{100}{2}\right)^{th}$  observation

= value of  $50^{th}$  observation

From the column of cumulative frequency  $cf$ , we find that the  $50^{th}$  observation lies in the class 40 – 50.

$\therefore$  The median class is 40 – 50.

Now

$\therefore L$  = lower boundary point of median class = 40

$$\therefore n = \text{Total frequency} = 100$$

$$\therefore cf = \text{Cumulative frequency of the class preceding the median class} = 31$$

$$\therefore f = \text{Frequency of the median class} = 38$$

$$\therefore c = \text{class length of median class} = 10$$

$$\text{Median } M = L + \frac{\frac{n}{2} - cf}{f} \cdot c$$

$$= 40 + \frac{50 - 31}{38} \cdot 10$$

$$= 40 + \frac{19}{38} \cdot 10$$

$$= 40 + 5 = 45$$

Therefore, median = 45

OR

**33)** The mean of the following frequency distribution is 18. Find the missing frequency  $f$ . **[3]**

Class	11 - 13	13 - 15	15 - 17	17 - 19	19 - 21	21 - 23	23 - 25
Frequency	7	6	$f$	13	20	5	4

**Answer:** 9

**Explanation:**

Class interval	Mid value $x_i$	Frequency $f_i$	$f_i x_i$
11 - 13	12	7	84
13 - 15	14	6	84

15 - 17	16	f	16f
17 - 19	18	13	234
19 - 21	20	20	400
21 - 23	22	5	110
23 - 25	24	4	96
		$\Sigma f = 55 + f$	$\Sigma f_i x_i = 1008 + 16f$

Given : Mean = 18

We know,  $Mean(\bar{x}) = \frac{\Sigma fx}{\Sigma f}$

$$\Rightarrow 18 = \frac{1008 + 16f}{55 + f}$$

$$\Rightarrow 18(55 + f) = 1008 + 16f$$

$$\Rightarrow 990 + 18f = 1008 + 16f$$

$$\Rightarrow 2f = 1008 - 990 = 18$$

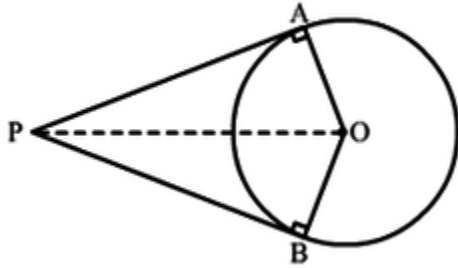
$$\Rightarrow f = \frac{18}{2} = 9$$

OR

**34)** Prove that the lengths of tangents drawn from an external point to a circle are equal. **[3]**

**Explanation:**

Let AP and BP be the two tangents to the circle with centre O.



To Prove:  $AP = BP$

Proof:

In  $\triangle AOP$  and  $\triangle BOP$

$OA = OB$  (radii of the same circle)

$\angle OAP = \angle OBP = 90^\circ$  (since tangent at any point of a circle is perpendicular to the radius through the point of contact)

$OP = OP$  (common)

$\therefore \triangle AOP \cong \triangle BOP$  (by R.H.S. congruence criterion)

$\therefore AP = BP$  (corresponding parts of congruent triangles)

Hence the length of the tangents drawn from an external point to a circle are equal.

#### SECTION-D

- Answer the following questions as required by showing calculations.  
( 35 to 39 )  
(4 marks each)

[20]

35) A boat goes 40 km upstream and 49 km downstream in 15 hours. In the same river it can go 25 km upstream and 35 km downstream in 10 hours. Determine the speed of the stream and that of the boat in still water.

[4]

**Answer:** 1 km/h and 6 km/h

**Explanation:**

Let speed of boat in still water be  $x$  km/h and speed of stream be  $y$  km/h.

Speed Upstream =  $(x - y)$  km/h

Speed downstream =  $(x + y)$  km/h

According to the question,

$$\frac{40}{x-y} + \frac{49}{x+y} = 15$$

$$\text{And } \frac{25}{x-y} + \frac{35}{x+y} = 10$$

$$\text{Let } \frac{1}{x-y} = p \text{ and } \frac{1}{x+y} = q \dots (1)$$

Therefore, the equation becomes

$$40p + 49q = 15 \dots (2)$$

$$25p + 35q = 10 \dots (3)$$

$$\Rightarrow 25p = 10 - 35q$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{10-35q}{25} \dots (4)$$

Substituting the value of  $p$  in (2), we get

$$40\left(\frac{10-35q}{25}\right) + 49q = 15$$

$$\Rightarrow 8\left(\frac{10-35q}{5}\right) + 49q = 15$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{8(10-35q)+5(49q)}{5} = 15$$

$$\Rightarrow 80 - 280q + 245q = 75$$

$$\Rightarrow -35q = 75 - 80 = -5$$

$$\Rightarrow q = \frac{-5}{-35} = \frac{1}{7} \dots (5)$$

Substituting the value of  $q$  in (4), we get

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{10 - 35\left(\frac{1}{7}\right)}{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{10 - 5}{25} = \frac{5}{25} = \frac{1}{5} \dots (6)$$

From (1), (5) and (6), we get  $x - y = 5$  and  $x + y = 7$

Solving both, we get  $x = 6$  and  $y = 1$

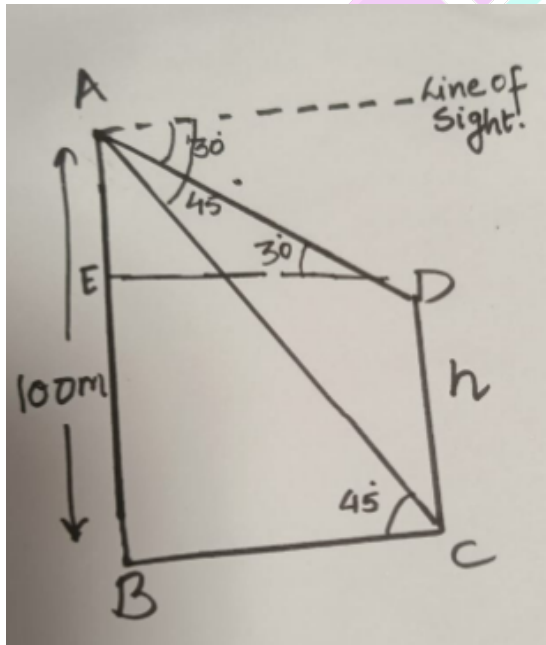
Hence, the speed of the stream and that of the boat in still water is  $1 \text{ km/h}$  and  $6 \text{ km/h}$ , respectively.

**36)** As observed from the top of a  $100 \text{ m}$  high hill the angle of depressions of the top of a tower is  $30^\circ$  and the angle of depressions of the bottom of a tower is  $45^\circ$ . Find the height of the tower and the distance between base of a tower and base of a hill. **[4]**

( Take  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = 0.58$  )

**Answer:**  $74.24 \text{ m}$

**Explanation:**



In  $\triangle ABC$  right angled at  $B$

$$\tan 45^\circ = \frac{AB}{BC} \quad 1 = \frac{AB}{BC} \Rightarrow AB = BC = 100 \text{ m}$$

Since  $DE$  and  $BC$  are equal  $SO \ DE = 100$  metre

In right-angled triangle  $AED$ ,

$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{AE}{ED} \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{100-h}{45}$$

By cross multiplication

$$100\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{3}h = 45$$

$$\sqrt{3}h = 100\sqrt{3} - 45$$

$$\sqrt{3}h = 100 \times 1.73 - 45$$

$$\sqrt{3}h = 173 - 45$$

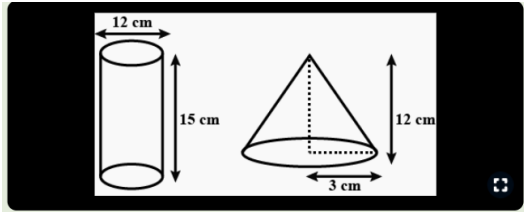
$$h = \frac{173-45}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \times 128$$

$$= 120 \times 0.58$$

$$= 74.24 \text{ m}$$

**37)** A container shaped like a right circular cylinder having radius  $6 \text{ cm}$  and height  $15 \text{ cm}$  is full of ice cream. The ice cream is to be filled into cones of height  $12 \text{ cm}$  and radius  $3 \text{ cm}$ , having a hemispherical shape on the top. Find the number of such cones which can be filled with ice cream. **[4]**



**Answer:** 10

**Explanation:**

Let  $n$  ice-cream cones be filled with ice cream of the container.

Volume of ice cream in the cylinder =  $n$  (Volume of 1 ice-cream cone + Volume of hemispherical shape on the top)

$$\pi r_1^2 h_1 = n \left( \frac{1}{3} \pi r_2^2 h_2 + \frac{2}{3} \pi r_2^3 \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi \times 6^2 \times 15 = n \left( \frac{1}{3} \pi 3^2 \times 12 + \frac{2}{3} \pi 3^3 \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow n = \frac{30 \times 15}{\frac{1}{3} \times 9 \times 12 + \frac{2}{3} \times 27}$$

$$\Rightarrow n = \frac{36 \times 15 \times 3}{108 + 54}$$

$$n = 10$$

**38)** In  $\triangle XYZ$  if  $XY^2 + XZ^2 = YZ^2$ , prove that  $\angle X = 90^\circ$ .

**[4]**

**Explanation:**

We are given that in triangle  $XYZ$ ,  $XY^2 + XZ^2 = YZ^2$ .

We need to prove that angle  $X$  is 90 degrees.

To begin the proof, we will use the Pythagorean theorem, which states that in a right triangle, the sum of the squares of the two shorter sides is equal to the square of the longest side (the hypotenuse).



Let's assume that angle  $X$  is not 90 degrees. Then, either angle  $Y$  or angle  $Z$  must be acute, because the sum of angles in a triangle is always 180 degrees. Without loss of generality, let's assume that angle  $Y$  is acute. Now, we can apply the Law of Cosines, which states that for any triangle with sides  $a, b$ , and  $c$  and angles  $A, B$ , and  $C$  opposite those sides:

$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos(C)$$

In triangle  $XYZ$ , let's label the sides as follows:

$$a = XY, b = XZ, c = YZ$$

Then, we can rewrite the given equation as:

$$XY^2 + XZ^2 = YZ^2$$

Using the Law of Cosines, we can write:

$$YZ^2 = XY^2 + XZ^2 - 2XY \times XZ \cos(Y)$$

Since angle  $Y$  is acute,  $\cos(Y)$  is positive. Therefore, we can rewrite the above equation as:

$$YZ^2 < XY^2 + XZ^2$$

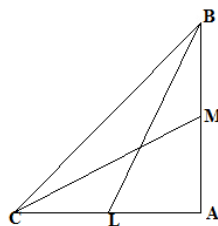
This contradicts the given equation, so our assumption that angle  $X$  is not 90 degrees must be false. Therefore, angle  $X$  is 90 degrees, as required.

OR

**38)**  $BL$  and  $CM$  are medians of a triangle  $ABC$  right angled at  $A$ . Prove that

$$4(BL^2 + CM^2) = 5BC^2$$

**[4]**



**Explanation:**

BL is median

$$= AL = CL = \frac{1}{2}AC \rightarrow (1)$$

CM is median

$$= AM = NB = \frac{1}{2}AB \rightarrow (2)$$

In  $\triangle BAC$

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

In  $\triangle BAC$

$$(BL)^2 = (AB)^2 + \left(\frac{AC}{2}\right)^2 \quad 4BL^2 = 4 \cdot AB^2 + (AC)^2$$

In  $\triangle MAC$ ,

$$(CM)^2 = (AM)^2 + (AC)^2$$

$$(CM)^2 = \left(\frac{AB}{2}\right)^2 + (AC)^2 \quad 4CM^2 = (AB)^2 + (AC)^2$$

$$\text{Now, } (BC)^2 = (AB)^2 + (AC)^2 \rightarrow (1)$$

$$4BC^2 = 4(AB)^2 + (AC)^2 \rightarrow (2) \quad 4M^2 = AB^2 + 4AC^2 \rightarrow (3)$$

ADD (2) & (3)

$$4BC^2 + 4CM^2 = 5AB^2 + 5AC^2$$

$$4(BL^2 + CM^2) = 5$$

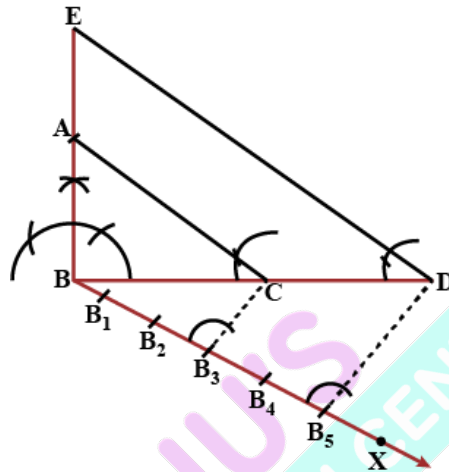
**39)** Draw a right triangle in which the sides (other than hypotenuse) are of lengths 4 cm and 3 cm. Then construct another triangle whose sides are  $\frac{5}{3}$  times the corresponding sides of the given triangle. Write steps of construction. **[4]**

**Explanation:**

Construct  $\triangle ABC$ , the given right angled triangle, as follows:

Step 1: Draw base  $BC$  of length  $4\text{ cm}$ .

Step 2: Draw a right angle at point  $B$ .



Step 3: Draw an arc of radius  $3\text{ cm}$  on the right angle drawn from  $B$  and label that point as  $A$

Step 4: Join  $A - C$ .

$\triangle ABC$  is the given triangle.

To construct  $\triangle EBD \sim \triangle ABC$  :

Step 1: Draw a ray  $BX$  at an acute angle to line  $BC$  on the opposite side of  $A$ .

Step 2: Mark 5 equidistant points  $B_1, B_2, B_3, B_4, B_5$  on ray  $BX$ .

Step 3: Join  $B_3$  and  $C$ .

Step 4: Draw  $B_5D$  parallel to  $B_3C$  and label the intersection on the extension of  $BC$  as  $D$ .

Step 5: Draw  $DE$  parallel to  $BA$  and label the intersection with the extension of  $BA$  as  $E$

$\triangle EBD$  is the required triangle.

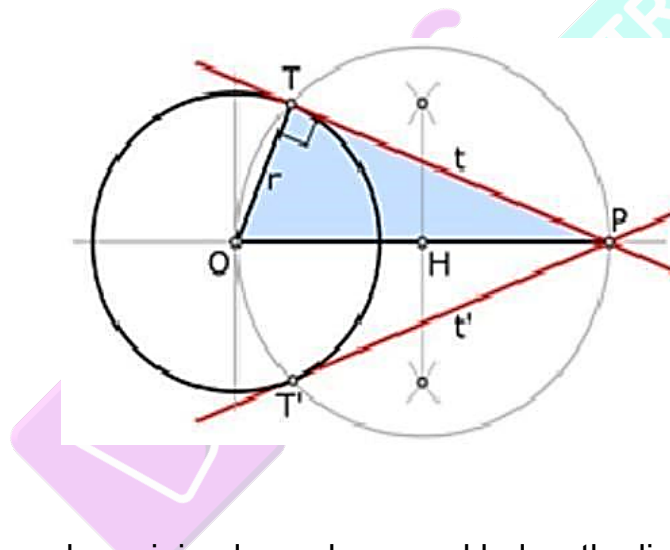
**OR**

**39)** Draw a circle of radius  $4.5\text{ cm}$ . From a point  $7.5\text{ cm}$  away from its centre, construct the pair of tangents to the circle and measure their lengths. Write steps of construction. **[4]**

**Explanation:**

Let's say that we are given a circle with centre  $O$  and a point  $P$  outside it, and we have to construct two tangents from the point  $P$  to the circle without the help of a ruler. Follow the steps of construction as below:

1. Join  $OP$  and bisect it. To bisect  $OP$ , take a compass, and open it slightly more than half of the length of the line segment.



2. From point  $P$ , mark a minimal arc above and below the line segment. Repeat the similar step from point  $O$  keeping the opening of the compass as same as it was from point  $P$ . Two points will be created where the two arcs, produced from point  $O$  and point  $P$ , meet.

3. Join these two points with a line segment using a scale. This line segment bisects the  $OP$ . Let's consider  $H$  as the mid-point of  $PO$ .

4. Taking the point  $H$  as a centre and  $HO$  as a radius, draw a circle. Let it intersect the given circle at the points,  $T$  and  $T'$ .

5. Join  $PT$  and  $PT'$ . Then  $PT$  and  $PT'$  are the required two tangents and after measure the tangents  $PT$  and  $PT'$  using scale will be  $PT = PT' = 6\text{ cm}$