Question 1: The following table shows the daily production of T.V. sets in an industry for 7 days of a week.

| Day | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Number <br> of tv sets | 300 | 400 | 150 | 250 | 100 | 350 | 200 |

Represent the above information by a pictograph.

## Solution:

The given information can be represented using a pictograph as below:

| Day | Number of T.V. Sets |
| :--- | :--- |
| Monday | Tuesday |
| Wednesday |  |
| Thursday |  |
| Friday |  |
| Saturday |  |
| Sunday |  |



Question 2: The following table shows the number of Maruti cars sold by five dealers in a particular month:

| Dealer | saya | Bagaa links | DD motors | Bhasin Motors | competent |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| cars sold | 60 | 40 | 20 | 15 | 10 |

Represent the above information by a pictograph.

## Solution:

The given information can be represented using a pictograph as below:

| Dealer | Number of Maruthi cars sold |
| :--- | :--- |
| Saya | Bagga links |
| D.D Motors |  |
| Bhasin motors |  |
| Competent |  |

## $=10$ cars

Question 3: The population of Delhi State in different census years is as given below:

| Census year | 1961 | 1971 | 1981 | 1991 | 2001 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Population in lakhs | 30 | 55 | 70 | 110 | 150 |

Represent the above information with the help of a bar graph.

## Solutions:

Let us consider the horizontal and vertical axes represent the years and population in lakhs, respectively.
The heights of the rectangles are proportional to the population in lakhs.
Bar Graph:


Question 4: Read the bar graph shown below and answer the following questions:
(i) What is the information given by the bar graph?
(ii) How many tickets from Assam State Lottery were sold by the agent?
(iii) Of which state was the maximum number of tickets sold?
(iv) State whether true or false.

The maximum number of tickets sold is three times the minimum number of tickets sold.
(v) Of which state was the minimum number of tickets sold?


## Solution:

(i) Bar graph represents the number of tickets of different state lotteries sold by an agent on a day.
(ii) Number of tickets of Assam State Lottery were sold by the agent $=40$.
(iii) The maximum number of tickets were sold is 100 in the state of Haryana.
(iv) The maximum number of tickets were sold is 100 in the state of Haryana. The minimum number of tickets were sold is 20 in the state of Rajasthan.

It is clear that 100 is equal to 5 times of 20.

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Hence, the statement is false.
(v) The minimum number of tickets were sold is 20 in the state of Rajasthan.

Question 5: Study the bar graph representing the number of persons in various age groups in a town shown in the figure. Observe the bar graph and answer the following questions:
(i) What is the percentage of the youngest age-group persons over those in the oldest age group?
(ii) What is the total population of the town?
(iii) What is the number of persons in the age-group 60-65?
(iv) How many persons are more in the age-group 10-15 than in the age group 30-35?
(v) What is the age-group of exactly $\mathbf{1 2 0 0}$ persons living in the town?
(vi) What is the total number of persons living in the town in the age-group 50-55?
(vii) What is the total number of persons living in the town in the age-groups 10-15 and 60-65?
(vii) Whether the population in general increases, decreases or remains constant with the increase in the agegroup.


## Solution:

(i) Youngest age-group is 10-15 years

The number of persons belonging to this group $=1400$

The oldest age-group is 70-75 years and
The number of persons belonging to this group $=300$
Now,
The percentage of youngest age-group persons over those in the oldest group is as below:
$1400 / 300 \times 100=1400 / 3$
(ii) Population of the town $=300+800+900+1000+1100+1200+1400=6700$
(iii) Number of persons in the age group $60-65=800$.
(iv) Number of persons in the age group $10-15=1400$

The number of persons in the age group $30-35=1100$.
Hence the number of more persons in the age group $10-15$ than the group $30-35$ is $1400-1100=300$.
(v) Age group of 1200 persons living in the town is $20-25$.
(vi) The total number of persons living in the town in the age-group $50-55$ is 900 .
(vii) The total number of persons living in the town in the age-groups $10-15$ and $60-65$ is $1400+800=2200$.
(viii) We have observed that the height of the bars decreases as the age-group increases. Hence, the population decreases with the increases in the age-group.

## EXERCISE 23.2

Question 1: Explain the reading and interpretation of bar graphs.
Solution: A bar graph consists of a sequence of vertical or horizontal bar lines or rectangles. Bar lines may be either horizontal or vertical. We can easily collect the information and conclude various observations from a given bar graph which is referred to as the interpretation of the bar graph.

Question 2: Read the following bar graph and answer the following questions:
(i) What information is given by the bar graph?
(ii) In which year is the export minimum?
(iii) In which year is the import maximum?
(iv) In which year the difference between the values of export and import is maximum?


Solution:
(i) The bar graph represents the import and export (in 100 Crores of rupees) from 1982-83 to 1986-87.
(ii) 1982-83
(iii) 1986-87
(iv) 1986-87

Question 3: The following bar graph shows the results of an annual examination in a secondary school. Read the bar graph given below, and choose the correct alternative in each of the following:

(i)The pair of classes in which the results of boys and girls are inversely proportional are:
(a) VI, VIII (b) VI, IX (c) VII, IX (d) VIII, X
(ii) The class having the lowest failure rate of girls is:
(a) VI (b) X (c) IX (d) VIII
(iii) The class having the lowest pass rate of students is:
(a) VI (b) VII (c) VIII (d) IX

## Solution:

(i) Option (b) is correct.
(ii) Option (a) is correct.
(iii) Option (b) is correct.

The sum of the heights of the bars for boys and girls in class VII $=95+40=135$ (which is minimum)
Question 4: The following data gives the number (in thousands) of applicants registered with an Employment Exchange during 1995-2000:

| Year | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Number of <br> applicants <br> registered(in <br> thousands) | 18 | 20 | 24 | 28 | 30 | 34 |

Construct a bar graph to represent the above data.

## Solution:

Let us consider that the horizontal and vertical axes represent the years and the number of applicants registered in thousands, respectively.

Bar Graph:

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Question 5: The production of saleable steel in some of the steel plants of our country during 1999 is given below:

| Plant | Bhilai | Durgapur | Rourkela | Bokaro |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Production(in <br> thousands | 160 | 80 | 200 | 150 |

Construct a bar graph to represent the above data on a graph paper by using the scale $\mathbf{1}$ big division $=\mathbf{2 0}$ thousand tonnes.

## Solution:

Let us consider that the horizontal and vertical axes represent the plants and the production in thousand tonnes, respectively.


Question 6: The following table gives the route length (in thousand kilometres) of the Indian Railways in some of the years:

| Year | $1960-61$ | $1970-71$ | $1980-81$ | $1990-91$ | 2000-2001 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Route <br> length(in <br> thousand km) | 56 | 60 | 61 | 74 | 98 |

Represent the above data with the help of a bar graph.

## Solution:

Let us consider that the horizontal and vertical axes represent the years and the route lengths in thousand km , respectively.

Bar Graph:


## EXERCISE 23.3

Question 1: Construct a histogram for the following data:

| Monthly school <br> Fee (in Rs.) | $30-60$ | $60-90$ | $90-120$ | $120-150$ | $150-180$ | $180-210$ | $210-240$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| No. of schools | 5 | 12 | 14 | 18 | 10 | 9 | 4 |

## Solution:

Let us consider that the horizontal and vertical axes represent the monthly school fees and the number of schools, respectively. Construct rectangles with class-intervals as bases and respective frequencies as heights as below.

Histogram:


Question 2: The distribution of heights (in cm ) of 96 children is given below. Construct a histogram and a frequency polygon on the same axes.

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Height <br> (in cm) | 124 <br> to <br> 128 | 128 <br> to <br> 132 | 132 <br> to <br> 136 | 136 <br> to <br> 140 | 140 <br> to <br> 144 | 144 <br> to <br> 148 | 148 <br> to <br> 152 | 152 <br> to <br> 156 | 156 <br> to <br> 160 | 160 <br> to <br> 164 |
| No. Of <br> Children | 5 | 8 | 17 | 24 | 16 | 12 | 6 | 4 | 3 | 1 |

## Solution:

Let us consider that the horizontal and vertical axes represent the height (in cm ) and the number of children, respectively. Construct rectangles with class-intervals as bases and respective frequencies as heights as below.

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Question 3: The time taken in seconds to solve a problem by each of $\mathbf{2 5}$ pupils is as follows:
$16,20,26,27,28,30,33,37,38,40,42,43,46,46,46,48,49,50,53,58,59,60,64,52,20$
(a) Construct a frequency distribution for these data using a class interval of $\mathbf{1 0}$ seconds.
(b) Draw a histogram to represent the frequency distribution.

Solution:
Arrange raw data into ascending order:
$16,20,20,26,27,28,30,33,37,38,40,42,43,46,46,46,48,49,50,52,53,58,59,60,64$
(a) Frequency distribution for the given data, using a class interval of 10 seconds.

| Class Interval |  | Frequency |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $10-20$ | 16 | 1 |
| $20-30$ | $20,20,26,27,28$ | 5 |


| $30-40$ | $30,33,37,38$ | 4 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $40-50$ | $40,42,43,46,46,46,48,49$ | 8 |
| $50-60$ | $50,52,53,58,59$ | 5 |
| $60-70$ | 60,64 | 2 |

(b)

Consider horizontal and vertical axes represent the seconds and frequency, respectively. Frequencies are the heights of rectangles.


Question 4: Draw, in the same diagram, a histogram and a frequency polygon to represent the following data which shows the monthly cost of living index of a city in a period of 2 years:

| Cost of <br> living <br> index: | $440-$ <br> 460 | $460-$ <br> 480 | 489- <br> 500 | $500-$ | 520 | $540-$ | $540-$ | $560-$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 560 | 580 | $580-$ <br> 500 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| No. of <br> months: | 2 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 4 |

## Solution:

Consider the horizontal axis as the cost of living (in Rs.), and the vertical axis represents the number of months.
Histogram and a frequency polygon:


