QUANTITATIVE ABILITY - 79 (SOLUTION)

1. (A) C has invested his money for 8 months.

Let ₹ 'x' be C's monthly salary.

Profit = ₹ 2,40,000

Therefore, profit to be shared = ₹ (24000 – 8x)

Ratio of investments by A and B = 2:3 = 4:6

Ratio of investments by B and C = 6:5

Ratio of investments by A, B and C = 4:6:5

Profit will be shared in the ratio (4×12) : (6×12) : $(5 \times 8) = 6$: 9:5

Given, B's share = 90000

ATQ,

$$\frac{9}{20}$$
 × (240000 – 8x) = 90000

240000 - 8x = 200000

8x = 40000

x = ₹ 5000

2. (C) Let the time to catch P for Q = t

3(t + 1) = 4t

t = 3 hours

Distance covered by $P = 3 \times 4 = 12 \text{ km}$

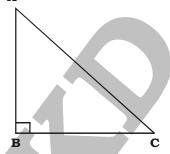
Distance covered by R in 2 hours = 10 km

$$2 = 3t' + 5t'$$

$$t' = \frac{1}{4} \text{ hour} = 15 \text{ min}$$

Time = 5 : 15 O'clock

3. (B) **A**



Let circum radius be = R

And in-centre radius = r

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

$$AC^2 = 24^2 + 10^2$$

$$AC^2 = 676$$

$$AC = 26 \text{ cm}$$

Circumradius =
$$\frac{\text{hypotenuse}}{2} = \frac{26}{2} = 13 \text{ cm}$$



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inradius of a right angle triangle

$$=\frac{P+B-H}{2}=\frac{AB+BC-AC}{2}$$

$$=\frac{(24+10-26)}{2}=4\,cm$$

Distance between incentre and circumcentre = $\sqrt{R^2 - 2Rr}$

$$= \sqrt{13^2 - 2 \times 13 \times 4} = \sqrt{65}$$

4. (D) We know that,

$$\frac{(3!)^{3!}}{12} = \frac{6^6}{12} = 0$$
 (Remainder)

From third term onward every term in the series leaves remainder as 0 when divided by 12.

So, required remainder =
$$\frac{\left(1!\right)^{1!} + \left(2!\right)^{2!} + \left(3!\right)^{3!} + \left(4!\right)^{1!} + \dots + \left(20!\right)^{20!}}{12}$$

$$=\frac{1+4+0+0+...+0}{12}=5$$

5. (C) Here we have $1 - 2 \sin^2 x + a \sin x = 2a - 7$

$$2\sin^2 x - a\sin x + 2a - 8 = 0$$

$$\sin x = \frac{a \pm \sqrt{a^2 - 8(2a - 8)}}{4}$$

$$\sin x = \frac{a \pm \sqrt{\left(a - 8\right)^2}}{4}$$

$$\sin x = \frac{a-4}{2} \text{ or } 2$$

We know that the value of $\sin x$ lies [-1, 1].

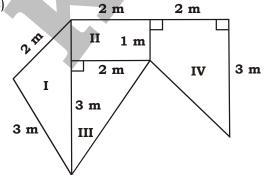
$$-1 \le \frac{a-4}{2} \le 1$$

$$-2 \le a - 4 \le 2$$

$$a = 2, 3, 4, 5, 6$$

Sum of possible integral values = 20

(C) 6.

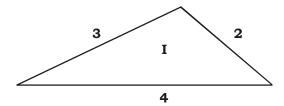




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First of all whole part divides into 4 parts i.e. I, II, III and IV. Part I:



Semi perimeter (S) =
$$\frac{2+3+4}{2} = \frac{9}{2}$$

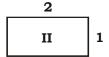
According to Heron's formula,

Area =
$$\sqrt{S(S-a)(S-b)(S-c)}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{9}{2} {\left(\frac{9}{2} - 2\right)} {\left(\frac{9}{2} - 3\right)} {\left(\frac{9}{2} - 4\right)}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{9}{2} \times \frac{5}{2} \times \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{3\sqrt{15}}{4}$$
 sq.meter

Part II:

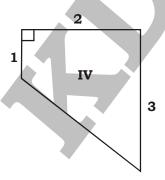


Area of rectangle = $2 \times 1 = 2$ sq. meter Part III:



Area of triangle = $\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 3 = 3$ sq. meter

Part IV:



Area =
$$\frac{1}{2} \times (1+3) \times 2 = 4$$
 sq. meter

Total Area =
$$\frac{3\sqrt{15}}{4} + 2 + 3 + 4 = \frac{3\sqrt{15}}{4} + 9$$
 sq.meter



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7. (C)
$$x = \sqrt{1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} - \sqrt{1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}$$

$$x^2 = 1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + 1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - 2\sqrt{1 - \frac{3}{4}}$$

$$\mathbf{x}^2 = 2 - 2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$$

$$x = \pm 1$$

$$\therefore \quad \sqrt{1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} > \sqrt{1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}$$

$$x = 1$$

$$\frac{\mathbf{x} + \sqrt{2}}{\mathbf{x} - \sqrt{2}} = \frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{1 - \sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\left(1 + \sqrt{2}\right)}{1 + \sqrt{2}}$$

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

8. (B) It is given that:

A car starts from point A with the speed of 70 km/hr.

So, when the car reaches to the middle point:

Distance = 150 m

Relative speed = (70 - 45) = 25 km/hr.

$$Time = \frac{150}{25 \times 5} \times 18 \sec$$

So, the distance covered by car =
$$\frac{150}{25 \times 5} \times 18 \times 70 \times \frac{5}{18} = 420 \text{ m}$$

When it reaches exactly half the distance; distance left to be covered = 150 m

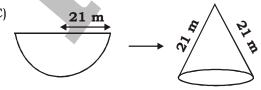
Now, new Relative speed = (65 - 60) = 5 km/hr

Time =
$$\frac{150}{5 \times 5} \times 18 \text{ sec.} = 108 \text{ sec.}$$

Distance covered by car =
$$\frac{(180 \times 65 \times 5)}{18}$$
 = 1950 m

So total distance = 1950 + 420 = 2370 m = 2.37 km

9. (C)



So, from the above image slant height will be equal to radius and curved circumference of semi-circle to the circumference of the base of cone.

Let radius, height and slant height of the cone are r, h and l respectively.



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$$2\pi r = \pi \times (21)$$

$$r = \frac{21}{2}$$
cm

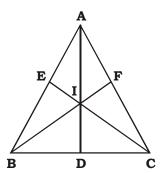
We know that, in a cone

$$1^2 = h^2 + r^2$$

$$21^2 = \left(\frac{21}{2}\right)^2 + h^2$$

$$h = \frac{21}{2}\sqrt{3} = 18.18 \approx 18 \text{ cm}$$

10. (A) In $\triangle ABC$, CF is Angle bisector of $\angle ACB$.



Then,

$$\frac{CA}{CB} = \frac{AF}{FB} = \frac{16}{20}$$

Let
$$AF = 16k$$
, $FB = 20k$

Also,
$$AB = AF + FB$$

$$16k + 20k = AB$$

$$36k = 15$$

$$k = \frac{15}{36}$$

Hence,

AF =
$$16k = 16 \times \left(\frac{15}{36}\right) = \frac{20}{3}$$
 cm

Amount in rupees (C) Number of coins = $\overline{\text{Value of coins in rupees}}$

Number of one rupee coin = x

Number of 50 paise coin =
$$\frac{3x}{\frac{1}{2}}$$
 = 6x

Number of 25 paise coin =
$$\frac{7x}{\frac{1}{4}}$$
 = 28x

$$x + 6x + 28x = 3150$$

$$35x = 3150$$

$$\therefore x = 90$$

Number of one rupee coin = 90

Number of 50 paise coin= 540

Number of 25 Paise coin = 2520

Total value of coins =1 × 90 +
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 × 540 + $\frac{1}{4}$ × 2520

- 12. (B) Let two trains meet after t hours, when the first train from town P leaves at 8 am.
 - \therefore Distance covered in t hours at 50 kmph + Distance covered in (t-3) hours at 100 kmph = 600 kms.

ATQ,

$$50t + 100(t - 3) = 600$$

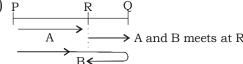
$$50t + 100t - 300 = 600$$

$$150t = 900$$

$$t = \frac{900}{150} = 6 \text{ hours}$$

Hence, the trains will meet at 2 pm.





When B meets A at R, B has walked the distance PQ + QR and A the distance PR That is both of them together have walked twice the distance from P to Q, i.e. 40 km.

Now, rates of A & B are 3:5 and they walked 36 km.

Hence the distance PR travelled by A

$$=\frac{3}{8} \times 40 \text{ km} = 15 \text{ km}$$

14. (C) $(A \cup B \cup C) = n(A) + n(B) + n(C) - n(A \cap B) - n(B \cap C) - n(A \cap C) + n(A \cap B \cap C)$

Percentage of total failed candidates = 25 + 20 + 30 - 10 - 15 - 20 + 7 = 37%

Percentage of total candidates who passed = 100 - 37 = 63%

15. (A) Let the two digit number be = 10x + y

then,
$$y = x^2$$

$$10y + x - (10x + y) = 108$$

$$9y - 9x = 108$$

$$y - x = 12$$

$$x^2 - x - 12 = 0$$

$$(x-4)(x+3)=0$$

$$\therefore$$
 $x = 4$ and $y = 16$

Original number = 46

- 50% of 46 = 23
- 16. (C) Total equivalent capital of P = 5 × 12 + 8 × 12 = ₹ 156

Total equivalent capital of Q = 4 × 24 = ₹ 96

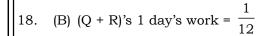
Total equivalent capital of R = 6 × 12 + 3 × 12 = ₹ 108

:. Required ratio = P: Q: R = 156: 96: 108 = 39: 24: 27



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17. (B) Required time = LCM of 20, 22 and 28 seconds = 1540 seconds = 25 min. 48 sec.



...(i)

$$(P + Q)$$
's 1 day's work = $\frac{1}{15}$

...(ii)

$$(P + R)$$
's 1 day's work = $\frac{1}{18}$

...(iii)

On adding all these three equations,

2 (P + Q + R)'s 1 day's work

$$\frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{15} + \frac{1}{18} = \frac{15 + 12 + 10}{180} = \frac{37}{180}$$

$$(P + Q + R)$$
's 1 day's work = $\frac{37}{360}$

- ∴ P, Q and R together can complete the work in $\frac{360}{37}$ = $9\frac{27}{37}$ days
- 19. (A) Given:

$$\left(\frac{x^2 - 3x + 2}{x^3 - 8}\right) \div \left(\frac{x^2 - 9}{x^2 + 7x + 12}\right) \times \left(\frac{x^3 + 2x^2 + 4x}{x^2 + 3x - 4}\right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{x^2 - 3x + 2}{x^3 - 8} \times \frac{x^2 + 7x + 12}{x^2 - 9}\right) \times \frac{x^3 + 2x^2 + 4x}{x^2 + 3x - 4}$$

$$= \frac{(x-1)(x-2)}{(x-2)(x^2+4+2x)} \times \frac{(x+4)(x+3)}{(x-3)(x+3)} \times \frac{x(x^2+2x+4)}{(x-1)(x+4)} = \frac{x}{x-3}$$

20. (D) The distance covered by first train till 12 noon = $40 \times 2 = 80$ km

Now, remaining distance (220 - 80) = 140 km is covered by the train with relative speed of (40 + 30) = 70 km/hr

- \therefore Required time both the train meet each other = $\frac{140}{70}$ = 2 hours after 12 pm = 12 + 2 = 2 pm
- 21. (C) Let the number of students appeared in school A = 100

Number of students qualified in school A = 60

According to question,

Number of students appeared in School B = 130

Number of students qualified in School B = $60 \times \frac{140}{100} = 84$

- $\therefore \text{ Required percentage} = \left[\frac{84 \times 100}{130}\right]\% = 64.61\%$
- 22. (D) Required number of items = $\frac{(3000 + 1000)}{(80 30)} = \frac{4000}{50} = 800$



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23. (D) Let the speed of train Y be x kmph.

Speed of train X relative to Y = (60 - x) kmph

$$= \left[(60 - x) \times \frac{5}{18} \right] \text{ m/sec} = \left(\frac{300 - 5x}{18} \right)$$

Distance covered = 100 + 200 = 300m

$$\frac{300}{\left(\frac{300-5x}{18}\right)} = 180$$

$$300 = \frac{180(300 - 5x)}{18}$$

$$30 = 300 - 5x$$

$$5x = 270$$

$$x = \frac{270}{5} = 54 \text{ km/hr}$$

Hence, the speed of train Y is 54 kmph.

- 24. (B) (1) If one black ball in a box, then number of ways = 6
 - (2) If two black balls in a box, then number of ways = 5
 - (3) If three black balls in a box, then the number of ways = 4
 - (4) If four black balls in a box, then number of ways = 3
 - (5) If five black balls in a box, then number of ways = 2
 - (6) If six black balls in a box, then number of ways = 1
 - \therefore Total number of ways = 6 + 5 + 4 + 3 + 2 + 1 = 21

25. (A)
$$x + y + z = 0$$

$$x + y = -z$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2xy = z^2$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = -2xy$$

Similarly.

$$y^2 + z^2 - x^2 = -2yz$$
 and $z^2 + x^2 - y^2 = -2xz$

Now, we have

$$= \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2 - z^2} + \frac{1}{y^2 + z^2 - x^2} + \frac{1}{z^2 + x^2 - y^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-2xy} + \frac{1}{-2yz} + \frac{1}{-2zx} = \frac{z + x + y}{-2xyz} = 0$$

26. (A) Let both the trains meet after t hours

Now, Distance = Speed × Time

ATQ,

$$75 \times t - 60 \times t = 150$$

$$15t = 150$$

t = 15 hours

 \therefore Distance between A and B = 75t + 60t = 135t

$$= 135 \times 15 = 2025 \text{ km}$$

Short trick:

Distance between A and B =
$$\frac{150}{(75-60)}$$
 × (75 + 60) = 2025 km



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27. (D) Let their monthly income are x and y respectively.

∴ x + y = ₹ 7000

Again, they spend 90% and 80% respectively.

So, they save 10% and 20%.

By question,

(10% of x) : (20% of y) = 2 : 3

$$\frac{\frac{10x}{100}}{\frac{20y}{100}} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\frac{10x}{20y} = \frac{2}{3}$$

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

...(ii

Putting the value of eq. (ii) in eq. (i)

$$\frac{4}{3}y + y = 7000$$

$$\frac{7y}{3} = 7000$$

$$y = \frac{7000 \times 3}{7} = 73000$$

$$x = \frac{4}{3}y = \frac{4}{3} \times 3000 = ₹4000$$

28. (B) Total ages of 5 member family = $25 \times 5 = 125$ years Total age 12 years ago = $120 - 5 \times 12 = 60$ years

$$\therefore$$
 Required average age = $\frac{60}{5}$ = 12 years

29. (B) Let the principal be P and rate of interest be r%. Then, principal (when difference between C.I. and SI is for 2 years) is given by

$$P = \frac{40 \times (100)^2}{r^2} \qquad(i)$$

and difference between CI and SI is for 3 years is given by

$$P = \frac{122 \times 10^2}{r^2 (300 + r)}$$
(ii)

From eqs. (i) and (ii),

$$\frac{40 \times 10^4}{r^2} = \frac{122 \times 10^2}{r^2 (300 + r)}$$

r = 5%

From Eq. (i),
$$P = \frac{40 \times 10^4}{25} = ₹8000$$



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30. (B) Ratio of the profit = Ratio of the equivalent capitals of Mohan and Sohan

∴ Mohan's share in the profit =
$$\frac{5}{13}$$
 × 213200 = ₹ 82,000

31. (A) Ena = 3x years

Akanksha's =
$$2x$$
 years

After 8 years,
$$\frac{3x + 8}{2x + 8} = \frac{11}{8}$$

$$24x + 64 = 22x + 88$$

$$2x = 88 - 64 = 24 \implies x = 12$$

 \therefore Akanksha's age = $2x = 2 \times 12 = 24$ years

$$\therefore$$
 Age of Ena's son = $\frac{1}{2} \times 24 = 12$ years

32. (A) Speed of bus = $\frac{480}{8}$ = 60 km/hr

$$\therefore \text{ Speed of Train} = \frac{60}{3} \times 4 = 80 \text{ km/hr}$$

and speed of car =
$$\frac{80}{16} \times 15 = 75$$
 km/hr

- \therefore A car covered distance in 6 hours = $75 \times 6 = 450 \text{ km}$
- 33. (A) Amount remaining after

1 year = 5000
$$\left(1 + \frac{8}{100}\right)$$
 - 1500 = ₹ 3900

2 years = 3900
$$\left(1 + \frac{8}{100}\right)$$
 - 1500 = ₹ 2712

3 years =
$$2712 \left(1 + \frac{8}{100}\right) - 1500 = ₹ 1428.96$$

34. (B) S.I. =
$$\frac{25000 \times 12 \times 2}{100}$$
 = ₹ 6000

C.I. =
$$18000 \left[\left(1 + \frac{6}{100} \right)^2 - 1 \right]$$

$$= 18000 \left[\left(\frac{53}{50} \right)^2 - 1 \right]$$

$$= 18000 \left[\frac{2809 - 2500}{2500} \right]$$

$$= 18000 \times \frac{309}{2500}$$

35. (A) In first vessel:

Quantity of water =
$$\frac{1}{4}$$
 and milk = $\frac{3}{4}$

In second vessel:

Quantity of water =
$$\frac{2}{7}$$
 and milk = $\frac{5}{7}$

In resultant vessel:

 $\frac{1}{8}$ part of mixture of first vessel is taken and $\frac{7}{8}$ part of mixture of Second vessel is taken So, the ratio of water to milk in the new vessel.

$$\left(\frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{8} + \frac{2}{7} \times \frac{1}{8}\right) : \left(\frac{3}{4} \times \frac{7}{8} + \frac{5}{7} \times \frac{7}{8}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{32} + \frac{1}{28}\right) : \left(\frac{21}{32} + \frac{5}{8}\right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{7+8}{224}\right) : \left(\frac{21+20}{32}\right) = \frac{15}{224} : \frac{41}{32} = 15 : 287$$

36. (C) Given expression:

$$\frac{1+x}{1-x} \times \frac{1+y}{1-y} \times \frac{1+z}{1-z}$$

$$= \frac{1 + \frac{a - b}{a + b}}{1 - \frac{a - b}{a + b}} \cdot \frac{1 - \frac{b - c}{b + c}}{1 - \frac{b - c}{b + c}} \cdot \frac{1 + \frac{c - a}{c + a}}{1 - \frac{c - a}{c + a}} = \frac{a}{b} \times \frac{b}{c} \times \frac{c}{a} = 1$$

37. (A) Let the speed of boat in still water is x km/hr and speed of current is y km/hr.

$$\frac{10}{x+y} = \frac{3}{x-y}$$

$$10x - 10y = 3x + 3y$$

$$7x = 13y$$

$$\frac{x}{u} = \frac{13}{7} = k \text{ (let)}$$

$$x = 13k$$
 and $y = 7k$

Now,

$$\frac{30}{13k + 7k} + \frac{30}{13k - 7k} = 10$$

$$\frac{30}{20k} + \frac{30}{6k} = 10$$

$$\frac{3}{2k} + \frac{10}{2k} = 10$$

$$13 = 20k$$

$$k = \frac{13}{20}$$

$$\therefore$$
 Speed of current = $y = 7k$

$$=7 \times \frac{13}{20} = \frac{91}{20} \text{ km/hr} = 4\frac{11}{20} \text{ km/hr}$$

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- 38. (B) Required ratio = $200 \times \frac{120}{100} : 320 = 240 : 320 = 3 : 4$
- 39. (D) Total number of people travelled by B on Monday and Tuesday = 200 + 170 = 370Total number of people travelled by A on Saturday and Sunday = 350 + 270 = 620
 - \therefore Required difference = 620 370 = 250
- 40. (D) Required average = $\frac{240 + 210 + 140 + 230}{4} = \frac{820}{4} = 210$
- 41. (B) Required % = $\left(\frac{350 210}{350} \times 100\right)$ % = 40%
- 42. (B) Required % = $\left(\frac{580 280}{260} \times 100\right)$ % = 123.07% ≈ 123%
- 43. (B) Let the weight of Mr. Gupta and Mrs. Gupta be $7x \, \text{kg}$ and $8x \, \text{kg}$ respectively. Then, 7x + 8x = 120

$$15x = 120$$

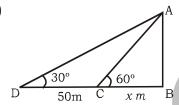
$$x = \frac{120}{15} = 8 \text{ kg}$$

Initially weight of Mr. Gupta = $7x = 7 \times 8 = 56$ kg and initially weight of Mrs. Gupta = $8x = 8 \times 8 = 64$ kg After taking dieting, weight of Mr. Gupta = 56 - 6 = 50 kg

Ratio of their weight =
$$\frac{50}{60}$$
 = 5 : 6

So, Mrs. Gupta reduced weight = 64 - 60 = 4 kg

44. (A)



In the above figure,

AB \rightarrow the tower and DC = 50 m

Let
$$CB = x m$$

Now,
$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{AB}{(50 + x)}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{AB}{(50+x)}$$

$$\sqrt{3} \text{ (AB)} = (50 + x)$$

$$x = \sqrt{3} \text{ (AB)} - 50$$

also,
$$\tan 60^\circ = \frac{AB}{x}$$

$$\sqrt{3} = \frac{AB}{x}$$

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

AB =
$$\sqrt{3} \{ \sqrt{3} \text{ (AB)} - 50 \}$$
 [From (i)]

$$AB = 3AB - 50\sqrt{3}$$

$$2AB = 50\sqrt{3}$$

AB =
$$25\sqrt{3}$$
 metre

(A) Here $\angle CAB = \angle BCD$ (angles in alternate segments)

and $\angle DAB = \angle CDB$ (angles in alternate

$$\angle CAD = \angle CAB + \angle DAB = \angle BCD + \angle CDB$$

$$\angle CAD + \angle CBD = \angle BCD + \angle CDB + \angle CBD = 180^{\circ}$$

(D) Base and height of triangle are 16 and 9cm respectively.

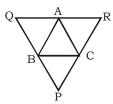
Area of triangle = $\frac{1}{2} \times 16 \times 9 = 72$ cm

∴ Area of equilateral triangle = $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ × 72 = 36 $\sqrt{3}$ cm²

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}\alpha^2 = 36\sqrt{3}$$

$$a = 12 cm$$

47. (C) Q



$$BC = AQ$$

$$BC = AR \Rightarrow AQ = AR$$

$$AQ = AR = \frac{1}{2}QR$$

$$BC = \frac{1}{2}QR$$

Similarly, AB =
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
PR and AC = $\frac{1}{2}$ PQ

$$\therefore$$
 Required ratio = (PQ + QR + RP) : (AB + BC + CA) = 2 : 1

48. (A) Total age of the 4 members of the family, 10 years ago = $24 \times 4 = 96$ years

Total age of the 7 members presently =
$$22 \times 7 = 154$$
 years

Let the age of the one of the twins = x years

Age of the youngest = (x - 3) years

$$2x + (x - 3) = 18$$

$$3x = 21$$

$$x = 7$$



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49. (B) Average of 10 numbers = 40.2

Sum of 10 numbers = $40.2 \times 10 = 402$

As per Question,

Actual Average =
$$\frac{402-18+(31-13)}{10} = \frac{402-18+18}{10} = 40.2$$

50. (A) Let the bank makes a transaction of $\neq x$ crores.

According to question,

$$(20 - 16.5)\%$$
 of $x = 10.5$ crore

$$\frac{3.5}{100} \times x = 10.5$$

$$x = \frac{10.5 \times 100}{3.5} = 300 \text{ crore}$$

51. (D) Let speed of row is 'x'.

Speed of covered is 'y'

Downstream time taken =
$$\frac{12}{x+y}$$

Upstream time taken =
$$\frac{12}{x-y}$$

$$\frac{12}{x-y} - \frac{12}{x+y} = 6 \implies x^2 - y^2 = 4y$$

Now, If speed of row double $\Rightarrow 2x'$

Time is 1 hour less as compared to upstream

$$\frac{12}{2x - y} - \frac{12}{2x + y} = 1$$

$$4x^2 - y^2 = 24y$$

From (i) & (ii) we get,

$$y = \frac{8}{3}$$
 mph. = $2\frac{2}{3}$ mph

52. (A) Let the 4 numbers are A, B, C and D.

According to question,

$$(A + 3) = (B - 3) = (C \times 3) = (D \div 3)$$

Let
$$(A + 3) = (B - 2) = (C \times 3) = (D \div 3) = k$$
(say)

then, A=
$$(k-3)$$
, B = $(k+3)$; C = $\left(\frac{k}{3}\right)$, D = $3k$

Also,

$$A + B + C + D = 64$$

$$(k-3) + (k+3) + \left(\frac{k}{3}\right) + (3k) = 64$$

$$5K + \frac{K}{3} = 64$$

$$16 k = 64 \times 3$$

$$k = 12$$

$$1^{st}$$
 number = $(k-3) = 9 = A$

$$2^{nd}$$
 number = $(k + 3) = 15 = B$

$$3^{\text{rd}}$$
 number = $\left(\frac{k}{3}\right)$ = 4 = C

$$4^{th}$$
 number = $3k = 36 = D$

$$\therefore$$
 Required difference = $36 - 4 = 32$

- 53. (A) Let amount invested in scheme $A = \mathbb{Z} x$ then in $B = \mathbb{Z} (27000 x)$ For scheme A, CI = 16.
- 54. (B) For 1st year

Tax = 20% of interest =
$$\frac{20}{100}$$
 × 250 = ₹ 50

At the end of 1st year = ₹ [5250 – 50] = ₹ 5200 invested Similarly,

$$\left[5200 + \frac{5}{100} \times 5200 - 52\right] = 75408$$

$$\left[5408 \times \frac{105}{100}\right] = 75678.40$$

At the end of 3^{rd} year = ₹ [5678.40 - tax] = ₹ [5678.40 - 54.08] = ₹ 5624.32

Speed of
$$A = 60 \text{ km/hr}$$

Distance travelled in 3 hr =
$$60 \times 3 = 180 \text{ km}$$

Speed of
$$B = 72 \text{ km/hr}$$

Relative velocity =
$$[72 - 60] = 12 \text{ km/hr}$$

Now, Time - gap (meeting) =
$$\frac{180}{12}$$
 = 15 hr after they meet

They will meet at
$$2 pm + 15 hour = 5 am$$

Let the speed of
$$A = u \, \text{km/hr}$$



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Speed of B = v km/hr

As per question,

$$\frac{100}{(u+v)} = 1 \text{ hr}$$

$$(\upsilon + u) = 100$$

..... (i)

Again from question

$$\frac{100}{(u-v)}=5,$$

$$5v - 5u = 100$$

..... (ii)

From equation (i) and (ii)

$$10v = 600$$

$$v = 60 \text{ m/hr}$$

1

4

 1×1.1

25%

SP =

$$5 = 12.1$$

So, Net % profit =
$$\frac{12.1-10}{10} \times 10 = 21\%$$

58. (C) Given that,

57.

Invested ratio of A : B : C = 5 : 7 : 6

After 6-months,

Invested ratio of A: B: C = 60: 84: 54

Now,

Share of profit of C =
$$\frac{9}{33}$$
 × 33000 = ₹ 9000

59. (C) According to question,

 $\therefore \text{ Profit share of Aditya} = \frac{\text{Sohan}}{\text{Sohan} + \text{Mohan}} \times 247000$

$$= \frac{9}{19} \times 247000 = 1,17,000$$

60. (A) 25 men and 15 women complete a piece of work in 12 days.

Work of 8 days =
$$\frac{1}{12} \times 8 = \frac{2}{3}$$

Remaining work =
$$1 - \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$$

Now, $\frac{1}{3}$ piece of work completed by 25 men in 6 days.

1 work can be completed by 25 men in 18 days.

Now

Total work done by women =
$$\frac{1}{12} - \frac{1}{18} = \frac{3-12}{36}$$

=
$$\frac{1}{36}$$
 work and done by in 36 days



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61. (B) 12 men takes 18 days to complete 1 work.

12 men will take 1 day to complete $\frac{1}{18}$ work

1 man will take 1 day to complete $\frac{1}{18 \times 12}$ work

10 men will complete the job in = $\frac{10}{18 \times 12} + \frac{9}{12 \times 24}$

$$= \frac{5}{108} + \frac{4}{144}$$

$$=\frac{20+12}{432}=\frac{32}{432}$$

10 men will take $\frac{432}{32} = \frac{27}{2} = 13\frac{1}{2}$ days to complete a job.

62. (B) Let the Family have both, car and phone = x%



ATQ,

$$20 + 15 + x = 35$$
 [given]

$$x = 5\%$$

Now,

5% comprises 2000 family.

$$100\% = 2000 \times 20 = 40000$$

63. (C) Let number of students of type A = 100

$$\frac{80}{100}$$
 of $\frac{40}{100}$ of $100 = 32$

Percentage of remaining number of boys = (100 – 32)% = 68%

64. (B) Given that,

$$\tan A - \tan B = x$$
, and

$$\cot A - \cot B = y$$
, then $\cot(A - B) = ?$

$$\cot(A - B) = \frac{1}{\tan(A - B)} = \frac{1 + \tan A \tan B}{\tan A - \tan B}$$

$$\cot(A - B) = \frac{1 + \tan A \tan B}{x}$$

.... (i)

Now,
$$\frac{1}{\tan A} + \frac{1}{\tan B} = y$$

$$\frac{\tan A - \tan B}{\tan A \cdot \tan B} = y$$

$$\frac{-x}{\tan A \cdot \tan B} = \frac{y}{1}$$



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 $tanA.tan B = \frac{-x}{y}$

.... (ii)

From (i) and (ii),

$$\cot (A - B) = \frac{1 - \frac{x}{y}}{x}$$

$$\cot (A - B) = \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{y}$$

65. (A) $\sin \alpha + \sin \beta = a$

.... (i)

$$\cos \alpha + \cos \beta = b$$

.... (ii)

Squaring and adding them,

$$a^2 + b^2 = \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + 2\sin \alpha \cdot \sin \beta + \cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + 2\cos \alpha \cos \beta$$

$$a^2 + b^2 = 2 + 2[\sin\alpha\sin\beta + \cos\alpha\cos\beta]$$

$$a^2 + b^2 = 2 + 2 \cos(\alpha + \beta)$$

$$\therefore \cos(\alpha+\beta) = \frac{\alpha^2+b^2-2}{2}$$

Again, squaring and subtracting them [equation (i) and (ii)],

$$b^2 - \alpha^2 = \cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta - \sin^2 \beta + 2[\cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta]$$

$$= \cos 2\alpha + \cos 2\beta + 2\cos(\alpha + \beta)$$

=
$$2\cos(\alpha + \beta)\cos(\alpha - \beta) + 2\cos(\alpha + \beta)$$

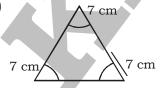
=
$$2\cos(\alpha + \beta)[\cos(\alpha - \beta) + 1]$$

$$= 2\cos{(\alpha+\beta)} \left[\frac{a^2 + b^2 - 2}{2} + 1 \right]$$

$$=2\cos{(\alpha+\beta)}\left[\frac{a^2+b^2}{2}\right]$$

$$\therefore \cos(\alpha+\beta) = \frac{b^2 - a^2}{a^2 + b^2}$$

66. (C



Area of region gazed =
$$\frac{\angle A + \angle B + \angle C}{360^{\circ}} (\pi R^2)$$

$$=\frac{180^{\circ}}{360^{\circ}}\left[\frac{22}{7}\times7\times7\right] = 77 \text{ sq. units}$$



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67. (C) Side of the cube = $\sqrt[3]{343}$ = 7 cm

Height of the cone = 7 cm

radius =
$$\frac{7}{2}$$
 cm

Volume of the cone = $\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times \frac{7}{2} \times \frac{7}{2} \times 7$

$$=\frac{539}{6}$$
 = 89.8 $\frac{1}{3}$ cm = 90 cm² (approx.)

68. (A) Required average = $\frac{3297 + 2523 + 2860 + 2660 + 2770 + 2665 + 2899}{7}$

$$=\frac{19674}{7}$$
 = \$ 2810.57 million \approx \$ 2811 million

69. (B) Required average value = $\frac{3034 + 3210 + 3106 + 3200 + 2984}{5}$

$$=\frac{15534}{5}$$
 = \$ 3106.8 million

- 70. (D) Required % = $\frac{(2860 2523)}{2523} \times 100\% = 13.35\%$
- 71. (B) Required change in trade gap = $\frac{(2770 2665)}{2770} \times 100\% = 3.79\%$ decrease
- 72. (A) Required difference = (3464 + 3034 + 3210) (3106 + 3200 + 2984) = 418
- 73. (B) Let the total number of workers = x According to question,

20% of 75% of x + 80% of 25% of x = 126

$$\frac{20 \times 75 \times x}{100 \times 100} + \frac{80 \times 25 \times x}{10 \times 100} = 126$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{126 \times 100 \times 100}{(1500 + 2000)} = 360$$

Return ticket =
$$\frac{5x}{4}$$

ATO.

105% of
$$\frac{5x}{4}$$
 = 84

$$x = \frac{84 \times 4 \times 100}{5 \times 105} = \text{ } 64$$

75. (C) Volume = Area of trapezium × height

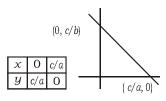
Area of Trapezium = $\frac{1}{2}$ × (sum of parallel sides)× height

$$=\frac{1}{2} \times 22 \times 8 = 88 \text{ cm}^2$$

Volume = Area of base × Height

Height =
$$\frac{1056}{88}$$
 = 12 cm

76. (C)



Area =
$$\frac{1}{2} \times b \times h$$

$$=\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{c}{b} \times \frac{c}{a} = \frac{c^2}{2ab}$$
 sq. units

77. (D)
$$3y - x = 6$$
 (×3) $5y + 3x = 38$ $9y + 5y = 18 + 38$

$$14y = 56$$

$$x = 6, y = 4$$

Required co-ordinate = (6, 4)

78. (B)
$$\frac{(7+\sqrt{5})^2 - (7-\sqrt{5})^2}{49-5}$$

$$= \frac{49 + 5 + 14\sqrt{5} - 49 - 5 + 14\sqrt{5}}{44}$$

$$= \frac{7}{11}\sqrt{5} = a + \frac{7}{11}\sqrt{5}b$$

$$a = 0$$
 $b = 1$

79. (A) Area =
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 × sum of || sides × height

$$35 = \frac{1}{2} \times 14 \times h$$

Height =
$$5 \text{ cm}$$

$$DC^2 = DF^2 + FC^2$$

$$DC^2 = 5^2 + 2^2$$

$$DC^2 = 29$$

$$\therefore$$
 DC = $\sqrt{29}$ cm

80. (B) We know that,
$$AM \ge GM$$

$$\sqrt{a} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{a}} \ge 2$$

Here,
$$\sqrt{x^2 - x + 1} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - x + 1}} \ge 2$$

$$2 - x^2 \ge 2$$

$$x^2 \leq 0$$

$$x = 0$$

Hence, the given equation has only one solution.



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81. (D) Given
$$x + \frac{a}{x} = 1$$

$$x^2 + a = x$$

$$x^2 - x = -a$$

Now,
$$\frac{x^2 + x + a}{x^3 - x^2} = \frac{x + 1 + \frac{a}{x}}{x^2 - x} = \frac{-2}{a}$$

82. (B) Let total number of men =
$$x$$
 and total number of women = y

$$\therefore \text{ Number of married men} = \frac{45x}{100}$$

and number of married women = $\frac{25y}{100}$

ATQ,

$$\frac{45x}{100} = \frac{25y}{100} \Rightarrow y = \frac{9x}{5}$$

also,

Total number of married adults =
$$\frac{45x}{100} + \frac{25y}{100}$$

$$= \frac{9x}{20} + \frac{9x}{20} = \frac{9x}{10}$$

[from eq.____(i)]

and total population in city = x + y

$$=x+\frac{9x}{5}=\frac{14x}{5}$$

[from eq.____(ii)]

∴ Required percentage =
$$\frac{\frac{9x}{100}}{\frac{14x}{5}} \times 100 = 32.14\%$$

83. (A) Let the total number of candidates =
$$x$$

Number of candidates who answered all the 5 questions = $\frac{5x}{100}$

also, Number of candidates who answered not a single question = $\frac{5x}{100}$

Remaining students =
$$x - \left(\frac{5x}{100} + \frac{5x}{100}\right) = \frac{9x}{10}$$

Number of candidates who answered only one question =
$$\frac{9x}{10} \times \frac{25}{100} = \frac{9x}{40}$$

Number of candidates who answered four questions =
$$\frac{9x}{10} \times \frac{20}{100} = \frac{9x}{50}$$

ATQ,

$$x - \left(\frac{5x}{100} + \frac{5x}{100} + \frac{9x}{40} + \frac{9x}{50}\right) = 396$$

$$x - \left(\frac{10 + 10 + 45 + 36}{200}\right) x = 396$$

$$x\left(\frac{200-101}{200}\right) = 396$$

$$x = \frac{396 \times 200}{99} = 800$$

84. (D) Required area of the 4 walls where wall paper is to be used = Area of four walls - Area of

both windows =
$$2h (1 + b) - \left(\frac{3}{2} \times 1 + 2 \times \frac{3}{2}\right)$$

$$= 2 \times 3(8+6) - \left(\frac{3}{2} + 3\right) = 6 \times 14 - \frac{9}{2}$$

$$= 84 - \frac{9}{2} = \frac{159}{2} \text{m}^2$$

Area of 1 piece of wall paper = $0.5 \times 1 = 0.50$ m²

Cost of wall paper =
$$\frac{159}{20.50} \times \frac{25}{100} = \frac{159}{2} \times \frac{1}{4}$$

$$=$$
 ₹ $\frac{159}{4}$ = ₹39.75 = ₹39 (Approx)

85. (C) Let the original student be n

After 20 days for n students food last for 10 days more.

: for (n+500) students food last for 5 days

ATQ,

$$10n = 5(n + 500)$$

$$10n - 5n = 2500$$

$$n = 500$$

86. (B) $\stackrel{?}{=} x \rightarrow$ fixed expense (say) & $\stackrel{?}{=} y \rightarrow$ Expense per student (say)

$$x + 200y = 1300$$

$$x + 250y = 1600$$

$$50 y = 300$$

$$y = 6$$

Put the value of y = 6 in equation (i),

$$x + 200 y = 1300$$

$$x + 200 \times 6 = 1300$$

$$x = 100$$

Expense for 300 students = $x + 300 \times 6$

(A) Part of the tank filled = $\frac{1}{5}$

capacity of = x l (Say)

quantity of water in the tank = $\frac{1}{5}x l$

ATQ,

$$\frac{1}{5}x - 8 = \frac{1}{6}x$$

$$\frac{1}{5}x - \frac{1}{6}x = 8$$

$$\frac{6x-5x}{30} = 8$$

x = 240 litres

88. (C)
$$\frac{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}}$$

(on rationalising the denominator)

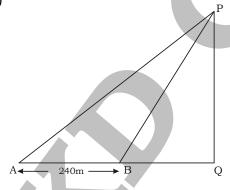
$$=\frac{\left(\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{2}\right)^2}{\left(\sqrt{3}\right)^2-\left(\sqrt{2}\right)^2}=\frac{3+2+2\sqrt{3}\times\sqrt{2}}{3-2}=5+2\sqrt{6}$$

$$= a + b\sqrt{6}$$

on comparing a + b $\sqrt{6}$ with 5 + 2 $\sqrt{6}$,

We get,

$$a = 5 \text{ and } b = 2$$



$$\tan A = \frac{5}{12}$$

$$\tan B = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\frac{5}{12} = \frac{PQ}{AQ}$$

$$\frac{5}{12} = \frac{PQ}{240 + BQ}$$

.....(i)

$$\frac{3}{4} = \frac{PQ}{BQ}$$

..... (ii)

Divide (i) by (ii),

$$\frac{\frac{12}{5}}{\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{\frac{PQ}{240 + BQ}}{\frac{PQ}{BQ}}$$

$$\frac{5}{12} \times \frac{4}{3} = \frac{BQ}{240 + BQ}$$

$$\frac{5}{9} = \frac{BQ}{240 + BQ}$$

$$9BQ - 5BQ = 240 \times 5$$

$$BQ = \frac{240 \times 5}{4} = 300$$

$$\frac{PQ}{BQ} = \frac{3}{4}$$

90. (D) 2Q + P + R = 59

$$PQ = \frac{3}{4} \times 300 = 225 \text{ m}$$

$$Q + R + 3P = 68$$

$$P + 3Q + 3R = 108$$

..... (iii)

$$3Q + 3R + 9P = 204$$

$$P + 3Q + 3R = 108$$

$$8P = 96$$

$$\therefore$$
 P = 12 years

91. (A) Let any proper fraction be
$$\frac{1}{2}$$

New fraction =
$$\frac{1+2}{2+2} = \frac{3}{4}$$

Now,
$$\frac{3}{4} > \frac{1}{2}$$
.

92. (C)
$$x^2 - 3x + 2 = (x - 1)(x - 2)$$

Hence (x-1) and (x-2) are both factors of the polynomial.

By factor theorem,

$$f(1) = 0$$

$$1 - 5 + A - B + 4 - 40 = 0$$

$$A - B = 40$$

.....(i)

and also,

$$f(2) = 0$$

$$2^5 - 5 \cdot 2^4 + A \cdot 2^3 - B \cdot 2^2 + 4(2) - 40 = 0$$

$$2A - B = 20$$

.....(ii)

Solving (i) and (iii), we get,

$$A = -20$$

$$B = -60$$

93. (A)



$$a + b = 48 - 20 = 28$$

$$a^2 + b^2 = 20^2 = 400$$

$$(a + b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$$

$$(28)^2 = 400 + 2ab$$

$$2ab = 384$$

$$(a-b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$$

$$(a-b)^2 = 400 - 384 = 16$$

$$(a-b)=4$$

$$a = 16 \text{ cm}, b = 12 \text{ cm}$$

94. (C)
$$10 = \frac{85 \times R \times 3}{100}$$

Interest =
$$102 \times \frac{200}{51} \times \frac{5}{100} = ₹20$$

95. (B)
$$r^{75} > r^{90}$$
 is possible only when $0 < r < 1$

96. (B)
$$\frac{K}{6} \neq \frac{1}{2}$$
; $K \neq 3$

98. (B) Average Demand of all companies =
$$\frac{3000 + 600 + 2500 + 1200 + 3300}{5}$$
 = 2120

Average production of all companies =
$$\frac{1500 + 1800 + 1000 + 2700 + 2200}{5}$$
 = 1840

99. (C) Production of company
$$D = 2700$$

Production of company
$$A = 1500$$

$$\therefore \text{ Required answer} = \frac{2700}{1500} = 1.80 \text{ times}$$

100. (A) Required% =
$$\frac{600}{2500} \times 100 = 24\%$$



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| 1. | (A) | 26. (A) | 51. (D) | 76. (C |
|------------|-----|---------|---------|--------|
| 2. | (C) | 27. (D) | 52. (A) | 77. (D |
| 3. | (B) | 28. (B) | 53. (A) | 78. (B |
| 4. | (D) | 29. (B) | 54. (B) | 79. (A |
| 5. | (C) | 30. (B) | 55. (D) | 80. (B |
| 6. | (C) | 31. (A) | 56. (A) | 81. (D |
| 7 . | (C) | 32. (A) | 57. (A) | 82. (B |
| 8. | (B) | 33. (A) | 58. (C) | 83. (A |
| 9. | (C) | 34. (B) | 59. (C) | 84. (D |
| 10. | (A) | 35. (A) | 60. (A) | 85. (C |
| 11. | (C) | 36. (C) | 61. (B) | 86. (B |
| 12. | (B) | 37. (A) | 62. (B) | 87. (A |
| 13. | (A) | 38. (B) | 63. (C) | 88. (C |
| 14. | (C) | 39. (D) | 64. (B) | 89. (C |
| 15. | (A) | 40. (D) | 65. (A) | 90. (D |
| 16. | (C) | 41. (B) | 66. (C) | 91. (A |
| 17. | (B) | 42. (B) | 67. (C) | 92. (C |
| 18. | (B) | 43. (B) | 68. (A) | 93. (A |
| 19. | (A) | 44. (A) | 69. (B) | 94. (C |
| 20. | (D) | 45. (A) | 70. (D) | 95. (B |
| 21. | (C) | 46. (D) | 71. (B) | 96. (B |
| 22. | (D) | 47. (C) | 72. (A) | 97. (A |
| 23. | (D) | 48. (A) | 73. (B) | 98. (B |
| 24. | (B) | 49. (B) | 74. (D) | 99. (C |
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100.(A)

50. (A) 75. (C)