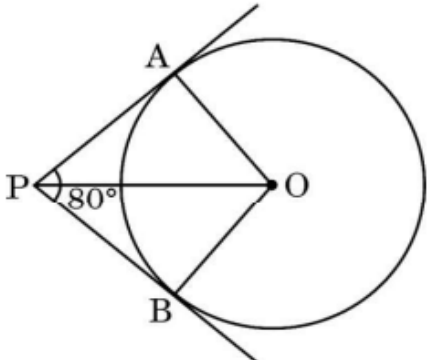


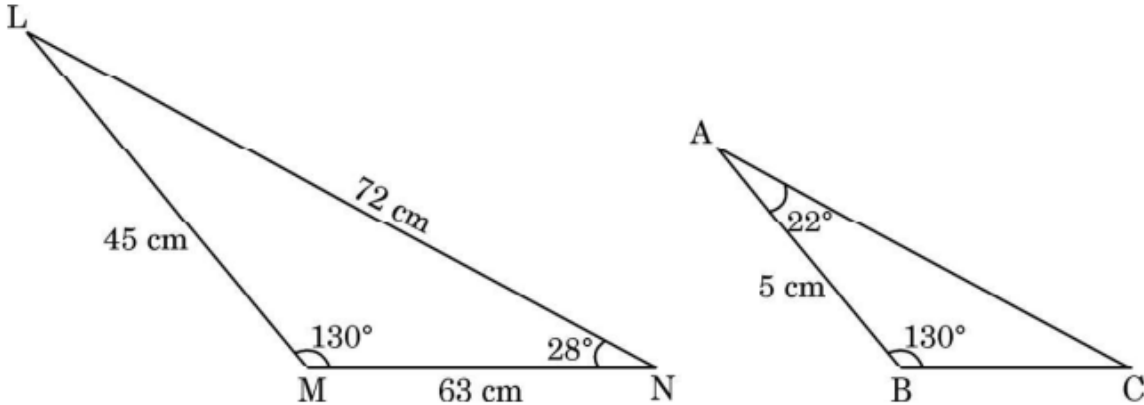
<p style="text-align: center;">Marking Scheme Strictly Confidential (For Internal and Restricted use only) Secondary School Examination, 2025 MATHEMATICS (Standard) (Q.P. CODE 30/3/1)</p>	
<u>General Instructions: -</u>	
1.	You are aware that evaluation is the most important process in the actual and correct assessment of the candidates. A small mistake in evaluation may lead to serious problems which may affect the future of the candidates, education system and teaching profession. To avoid mistakes, it is requested that before starting evaluation, you must read and understand the spot evaluation guidelines carefully.
2.	“Evaluation policy is a confidential policy as it is related to the confidentiality of the examinations conducted, Evaluation done and several other aspects. It’s leakage to public in any manner could lead to derailment of the examination system and affect the life and future of millions of candidates. Sharing this policy/document to anyone, publishing in any magazine and printing in News Paper/Website etc. may invite action under various rules of the Board and IPC.”
3.	Evaluation is to be done as per instructions provided in the Marking Scheme. It should not be done according to one’s own interpretation or any other consideration. Marking Scheme should be strictly adhered to and religiously followed. However, while evaluating, answers which are based on latest information or knowledge and/or are innovative, they may be assessed for their correctness otherwise and due marks be awarded to them. In class-X, while evaluating the competency-based questions, please try to understand given answer and even if reply is not from Marking Scheme but correct competency is enumerated by the candidate, due marks should be awarded.
4.	The Marking scheme carries only suggested value points for the answers. These are in the nature of Guidelines only and do not constitute the complete answer. The students can have their own expression and if the expression is correct, the due marks should be awarded accordingly.
5.	The Head-Examiner must go through the first five answer books evaluated by each evaluator on the first day, to ensure that evaluation has been carried out as per the instructions given in the Marking Scheme. If there is any variation, the same should be zero after deliberation and discussion. The remaining answer books meant for evaluation shall be given only after ensuring that there is no significant variation in the marking of individual evaluators.
6.	Evaluators will mark (✓) wherever answer is correct. For wrong answer CROSS ‘X’ be marked. Evaluators will not put right (✓) while evaluating which gives an impression that answer is correct and no marks are awarded. This is most common mistake which evaluators are committing.
7.	If a question has parts, please award marks on the right-hand side for each part. Marks awarded for different parts of the question should then be totalled up and written on the left-hand margin and encircled. This may be followed strictly.

8.	If a question does not have any parts, marks must be awarded on the left-hand margin and encircled. This may also be followed strictly.
9.	If a student has attempted an extra question, answer of the question deserving more marks should be retained and the other answer scored out with a note “Extra Question”.
10.	No marks to be deducted for the cumulative effect of an error. It should be penalized only once.
11.	A full scale of marks ____ 80 ____ (example 0 to 80/70/60/50/40/30 marks as given in Question Paper) has to be used. Please do not hesitate to award full marks if the answer deserves it.
12.	Every examiner has to necessarily do evaluation work for full working hours i.e., 8 hours every day and evaluate 20 answer books per day in main subjects and 25 answer books per day in other subjects (Details are given in Spot Guidelines). This is in view of the reduced syllabus and number of questions in question paper.
13.	<p>Ensure that you do not make the following common types of errors committed by the Examiner in the past: -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leaving answer or part thereof unassessed in an answer book. • Giving more marks for an answer than assigned to it. • Wrong totalling of marks awarded to an answer. • Wrong transfer of marks from the inside pages of the answer book to the title page. • Wrong question wise totalling on the title page. • Wrong totalling of marks of the two columns on the title page. • Wrong grand total. • Marks in words and figures not tallying/not same. • Wrong transfer of marks from the answer book to online award list. • Answers marked as correct, but marks not awarded. (Ensure that the right tick mark is correctly and clearly indicated. It should merely be a line. Same is with the X for incorrect answer.) <p>Half or a part of answer marked correct and the rest as wrong, but no marks awarded.</p>
14.	While evaluating the answer books if the answer is found to be totally incorrect, it should be marked as cross (X) and awarded zero (0) Marks.
15.	Any un assessed portion, non-carrying over of marks to the title page, or totaling error detected by the candidate shall damage the prestige of all the personnel engaged in the evaluation work as also of the Board. Hence, in order to uphold the prestige of all concerned, it is again reiterated that the instructions be followed meticulously and judiciously.
16.	The Examiners should acquaint themselves with the guidelines given in the “ Guidelines for spot Evaluation ” before starting the actual evaluation.
17.	Every Examiner shall also ensure that all the answers are evaluated, marks carried over to the title page, correctly totalled and written in figures and words.
18.	The candidates are entitled to obtain photocopy of the Answer Book on request on payment of the prescribed processing fee. All Examiners/Additional Head Examiners/Head Examiners are once again reminded that they must ensure that evaluation is carried out strictly as per value points for each answer as given in the Marking Scheme.

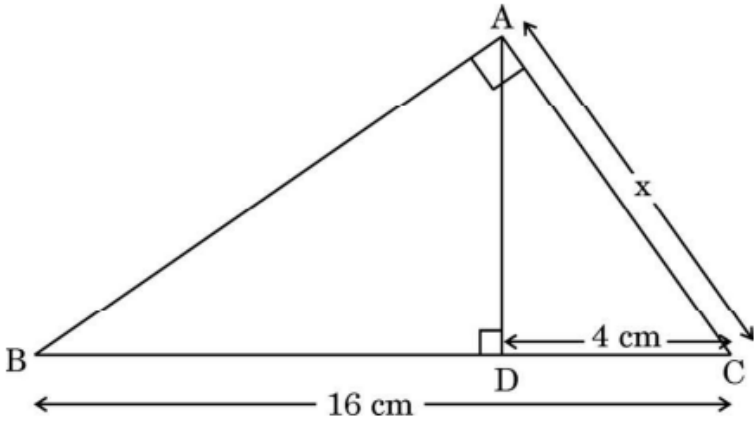
MARKING SCHEME
MATHEMATICS (Subject Code–041)
(PAPER CODE: 30/3/1)

Q. No.	EXPECTED OUTCOMES/VALUE POINTS	Marks
SECTION A		
This section has 20 Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) carrying 1 mark each.		
1.	<p>If $\tan 3\theta = \sqrt{3}$, then $\frac{\theta}{2}$ equals :</p> <p>(A) 60° (B) 30° (C) 20° (D) 10°</p>	
Sol.	(D) 10°	1
2.	<p>If x is the LCM of 4, 6, 8 and y is the LCM of 3, 5, 7 and p is the LCM of x and y, then which of the following is true ?</p> <p>(A) $p = 35x$ (B) $p = 4y$ (C) $p = 8x$ (D) $p = 16y$</p>	
Sol.	(A) $p = 35x$	1
3.	<p>The value of 'k' for which the system of linear equations $6x + y = 3k$ and $36x + 6y = 3$ have infinitely many solutions is :</p> <p>(A) 6 (B) $\frac{1}{6}$ (C) $\frac{1}{2}$ (D) $\frac{1}{3}$</p>	
Sol.	(B) $\frac{1}{6}$	1
4.	<p>If α and β are the zeroes of the polynomial $p(x) = x^2 - ax - b$, then the value of $(\alpha + \beta + \alpha\beta)$ is equal to :</p> <p>(A) $a + b$ (B) $-a - b$ (C) $a - b$ (D) $-a + b$</p>	
Sol.	(C) $a - b$	1

5.	<p>If $\frac{x}{12} - \frac{3}{x} = 0$, then the values of x are :</p> <p>(A) ± 6 (B) ± 4 (C) ± 12 (D) ± 3</p>	
Sol.	(A) ± 6	1
6.	<p>The line represented by $\frac{x}{4} + \frac{y}{6} = 1$, intersects x-axis and y-axis respectively at P and Q. The coordinates of the mid-point of line segment PQ are :</p> <p>(A) (2, 3) (B) (3, 2) (C) (2, 0) (D) (0, 3)</p>	
Sol.	(A) (2, 3)	1
7.	<p>Two of the vertices of ΔPQR are P(-1, 5) and Q(5, 2). The coordinates of a point which divides PQ in the ratio 2 : 1 are :</p> <p>(A) (3, -3) (B) (5, 5) (C) (3, 3) (D) (5, 1)</p>	
Sol.	(C) (3, 3)	1
8.	<p>If tangents PA and PB drawn from an external point P to the circle with centre O are inclined to each other at an angle of 80° as shown in the given figure, then the measure of $\angle POA$ is :</p>  <p>(A) 40° (B) 50° (C) 60° (D) 80°</p>	
Sol.	(B) 50°	1

9.	(cot θ + tan θ) equals : (A) cosec θ sec θ (B) sin θ sec θ (C) cos θ tan θ (D) sin θ cos θ	
Sol.	(A) cosec θ sec θ	1
10.	If in two triangles $\triangle DEF$ and $\triangle PQR$, $\angle D = \angle Q$ and $\angle R = \angle E$, then which of the following is not true ? (A) $\frac{DE}{QR} = \frac{DF}{PQ}$ (B) $\frac{EF}{PR} = \frac{DF}{PQ}$ (C) $\frac{EF}{RP} = \frac{DE}{QR}$ (D) $\frac{DE}{PQ} = \frac{EF}{RP}$	
Sol.	(D) $\frac{DE}{PQ} = \frac{EF}{RP}$	1
11.	The measurements of $\triangle LMN$ and $\triangle ABC$ are shown in the figure given below. The length of side AC is :  <p>(A) 16 cm (B) 7 cm (C) 8 cm (D) 4 cm</p>	
Sol.	(C) 8 cm	1
12.	If the volumes of two cubes are in the ratio 8 : 125, then the ratio of their surface areas is : (A) 8 : 125 (B) 4 : 25 (C) 2 : 5 (D) 16 : 25	
Sol.	(B) 4:25	1

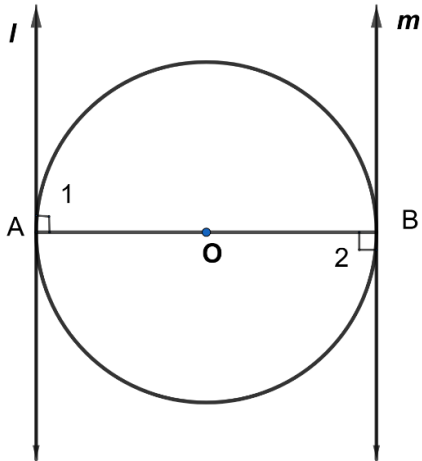
13.	<p>If the area of a sector of circle of radius 36 cm is $54\pi \text{ cm}^2$, then the length of the corresponding arc of the sector is :</p> <p>(A) $8\pi \text{ cm}$ (B) $6\pi \text{ cm}$ (C) $4\pi \text{ cm}$ (D) $3\pi \text{ cm}$</p>	
Sol.	(D) $3\pi \text{ cm}$	1
14.	<p>A die is thrown once. The probability of getting a number which is not a factor of 36, is :</p> <p>(A) $\frac{1}{2}$ (B) $\frac{2}{3}$ (C) $\frac{1}{6}$ (D) $\frac{5}{6}$</p>	
Sol.	(C) $\frac{1}{6}$	1
15.	<p>If the mean of 2, 9, $x+6$, $2x+3$, 5, 10, 5 is 7, then the value of x is :</p> <p>(A) 9 (B) 6 (C) 5 (D) 3</p>	
Sol.	(D) 3	1
16.	<p>AOBC is a rectangle whose three vertices are A(0, 2), O(0, 0) and B(4, 0). The square of the length of its diagonal is equal to :</p> <p>(A) 36 (B) 20 (C) 16 (D) 4</p>	
Sol.	(B) 20	1
17.	<p>Zeroes of the polynomial $p(x) = x^2 - 3\sqrt{2}x + 4$ are :</p> <p>(A) 2, $\sqrt{2}$ (B) $2\sqrt{2}$, $\sqrt{2}$ (C) $4\sqrt{2}$, $-\sqrt{2}$ (D) $\sqrt{2}$, 2</p>	
Sol.	(B) $2\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}$	1

18.	<p>In the given figure, in $\triangle ABC$, $AD \perp BC$ and $\angle BAC = 90^\circ$. If $BC = 16$ cm and $DC = 4$ cm, then the value of x is :</p>  <p>(A) 4 cm (B) 5 cm (C) 8 cm (D) 3 cm</p>	
Sol.	(C) 8 cm	1
	<p><i>Questions number 19 and 20 are Assertion and Reason based questions. Two statements are given, one labelled as Assertion (A) and the other is labelled as Reason (R). Select the correct answer to these questions from the codes (A), (B), (C) and (D) as given below.</i></p> <p>(A) Both Assertion (A) and Reason (R) are true and Reason (R) is the correct explanation of the Assertion (A). (B) Both Assertion (A) and Reason (R) are true, but Reason (R) is not the correct explanation of the Assertion (A). (C) Assertion (A) is true, but Reason (R) is false. (D) Assertion (A) is false, but Reason (R) is true.</p>	
19.	<p>Assertion (A) : A ladder leaning against a wall, stands at a horizontal distance of 6 m from the wall. If the height of the wall up to which the ladder reaches is 8 m, then the length of the ladder is 10 m.</p> <p>Reason (R): The ladder makes an angle of 60° with the ground.</p>	
Sol.	(C) Assertion (A) is true, but Reason (R) is false.	1
20.	<p>Assertion (A) : If two tangents are drawn to a circle from an external point, then they subtend equal angles at the centre of the circle.</p> <p>Reason (R): A parallelogram circumscribing a circle is a rhombus.</p>	
Sol.	(B) Both Assertion (A) and Reason (R) are true, but Reason (R) is not the correct explanation of the Assertion (A).	1

SECTION B

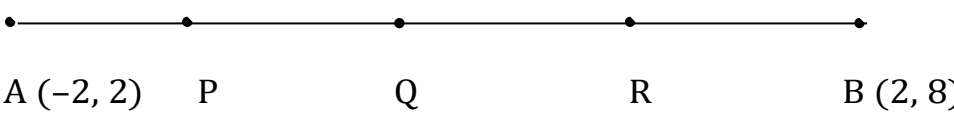
This section has 5 Very Short Answer (VSA) type questions carrying 2 marks each.

21.	If $4k = \tan^2 60^\circ - 2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 30^\circ - 2 \tan^2 30^\circ$, then find the value of k.	
Sol.	$4k = (\sqrt{3})^2 - 2(2)^2 - 2\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2$ $= -\frac{17}{3}$ $k = -\frac{17}{12}$	<p>1 ½</p> <p>½</p>
22.	The probability of guessing the correct answer of a certain test question is $\frac{x}{12}$. If the probability of not guessing the correct answer is $\frac{5}{6}$, then find the value of x.	
Sol.	$\frac{x}{12} + \frac{5}{6} = 1$ $x = 2$	<p>1</p> <p>1</p>
23. (a)	Find the smallest number which is divisible by both 644 and 462.	
Sol.	$462 = 2 \times 3 \times 7 \times 11$ $644 = 2^2 \times 7 \times 23$ $\text{LCM}(462, 644) = 2^2 \times 3 \times 7 \times 11 \times 23 = 21252$ $\therefore \text{Smallest number which is divisible by both 462 and 644 is 21252}$	<p>½</p> <p>½</p> <p>1</p>
OR		
23. (b)	Two numbers are in the ratio 4 : 5 and their HCF is 11. Find the LCM of these numbers.	
Sol.	<p>Let the two numbers be 4x and 5x where x is common factor</p> <p>Now HCF = 11</p> <p>$\therefore x = 11$</p> <p>Numbers are 44 and 55</p> $\text{LCM}(44, 55) = \frac{44 \times 55}{11} = 220$	<p>½</p> <p>1</p> <p>½</p>

24. (a)	Find the value(s) of 'k' so that the quadratic equation $4x^2 + kx + 1 = 0$ has real and equal roots.	
Sol.	For real and equal roots, $D = 0$ $k^2 - 16 = 0$ $k = \pm 4$	$\frac{1}{2}$ 1 $\frac{1}{2}$
OR		
24. (b)	If ' α ' and ' β ' are the zeroes of the polynomial $p(y) = y^2 - 5y + 3$, then find the value of $\alpha^4\beta^3 + \alpha^3\beta^4$.	
Sol.	$\alpha + \beta = 5$ $\alpha\beta = 3$ $\alpha^4\beta^3 + \alpha^3\beta^4 = (\alpha\beta)^3(\alpha + \beta)$ $= 27 \times 5 = 135$	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$
25.	Prove that the tangents drawn at the ends of a diameter of a circle are parallel.	
Sol.	 <p>Tangents l and m are drawn at the end points A and B of the diameter AB of the circle</p> <p>$\angle 1 = 90^\circ, \angle 2 = 90^\circ$</p> <p>$\therefore \angle 1 = \angle 2$</p> <p>But these are alternate interior angles.</p> <p>$\therefore l \parallel m$</p>	<p>Correct figure</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>Mark</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p>

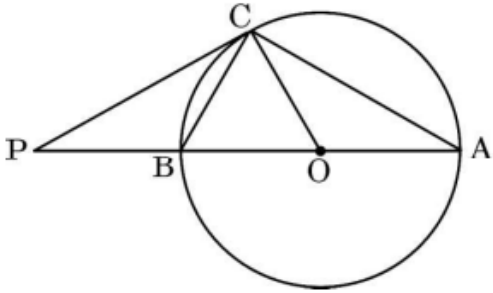
SECTION C

This section has 6 Short Answer (SA) type questions carrying 3 marks each.

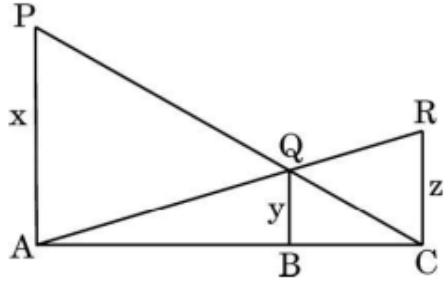
26. (a)	If the mid-point of the line segment joining the points A(3, 4) and B(k, 6) is P(x, y) and $x + y - 10 = 0$, find the value of k.	
Sol.	<p>P(x, y) is the mid – point</p> $\therefore (x, y) = \left(\frac{3 + k}{2}, \frac{4 + 6}{2} \right)$ $x = \frac{3 + k}{2}, y = 5$ $x + y - 10 = 0$ $\frac{3 + k}{2} + 5 - 10 = 0$ $k = 7$	<p style="text-align: center;">1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1</p>
OR		
26. (b)	Find the coordinates of the points which divide the line segment joining A(– 2, 2) and B(2, 8) into four equal parts.	
Sol.	<div style="text-align: center;"> $1 \quad : \quad 1 \quad : \quad 1 \quad : \quad 1$ </div>  <p style="text-align: center;">A (–2, 2) P Q R B (2, 8)</p> <p>Coordinates of mid – point Q of AB = (0, 5)</p> <p>Coordinates of mid – point P of AQ = $\left(-1, \frac{7}{2}\right)$</p> <p>Coordinates of mid – point R of BQ = $\left(1, \frac{13}{2}\right)$</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1</p>
27.	Prove that $\left(5\sqrt{3} + \frac{2}{3}\right)$ is an irrational number given that $\sqrt{3}$ is an irrational number.	
Sol.	<p>Let $5\sqrt{3} + \frac{2}{3}$ be a rational number.</p> $\therefore 5\sqrt{3} + \frac{2}{3} = \frac{a}{b} \text{ where } a \text{ and } b \text{ are integers and } b \neq 0.$	1

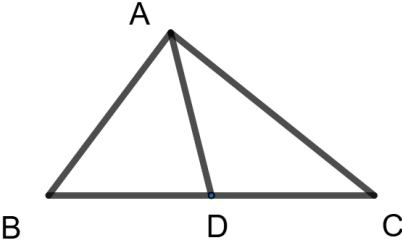
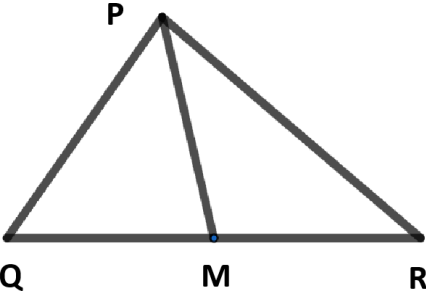
	$5\sqrt{3} = \frac{a}{b} - \frac{2}{3}$ $\sqrt{3} = \frac{3a - 2b}{15b}$ <p>$3a - 2b$ and $15b$ are integers.</p> <p>\therefore RHS is rational.</p> <p>But LHS = $\sqrt{3}$ is an irrational number which is contradiction to our supposition.</p> <p>Hence $5\sqrt{3} + \frac{2}{3}$ is an irrational number.</p>	<p>1</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p>
28. (a)	Prove that : $\sqrt{\frac{\sec A - 1}{\sec A + 1}} + \sqrt{\frac{\sec A + 1}{\sec A - 1}} = 2 \operatorname{cosec} A$	
Sol.	$\text{LHS} = \frac{\sec A - 1 + \sec A + 1}{\sqrt{\sec^2 A - 1}}$ $= \frac{2\sec A}{\tan A}$ $= 2\operatorname{cosec} A = \text{RHS}$	<p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>
OR		
28. (b)	Prove that : $\left(\frac{1}{\cos A} - \cos A\right)\left(\frac{1}{\sin A} - \sin A\right) = \frac{1}{\tan A + \cot A}$	
Sol.	$\text{LHS} = \left(\frac{1 - \cos^2 A}{\cos A}\right)\left(\frac{1 - \sin^2 A}{\sin A}\right)$ $= \frac{\sin^2 A}{\cos A} \cdot \frac{\cos^2 A}{\sin A}$ $= \sin A \cdot \cos A$ $\text{RHS} = \frac{\sin A \cdot \cos A}{\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A}$ $= \sin A \cdot \cos A$ $\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$	<p>1</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p>

29.	<p>A chord of a circle of radius 10 cm subtends a right angle at the centre of the circle. Find the area of the corresponding minor segment. [Use $\pi = 3.14$]</p>	
Sol.	<div data-bbox="268 398 746 898" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>Area of minor segment ACB = Area of sector OACB – Area of right ΔOAB</p> <p>Area of sector OACB = $\frac{90}{360} \times 3.14 \times 10 \times 10$</p> <p>= 78.5 cm^2</p> <p>Area of right ΔOAB = $\frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 10$</p> <p>= 50 cm^2</p> <p>Area of minor segment ACB = $(78.5 - 50)$</p> <p>= 28.5 cm^2</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p>
30.	<p>Three unbiased coins are tossed simultaneously. Find the probability of getting :</p> <p>(a) exactly two tails</p> <p>(b) at least one head</p> <p>(c) at most two heads</p>	
Sol.	<p>Possible outcomes are HHH, HHT, HTH, HTT, THH, THT, TTH, TTT</p>	

	(a) $P(\text{exactly two tails}) = \frac{3}{8}$	1
	(b) $P(\text{atleast one head}) = \frac{7}{8}$	1
	(c) $P(\text{atmost two heads}) = \frac{7}{8}$	1
31.	<p>In the given figure, PC is a tangent to the circle at C. AOB is the diameter which when extended meets the tangent at P. Find $\angle CBA$ and $\angle BCO$, if $\angle PCA = 110^\circ$.</p> 	
Sol.	$\angle ACB = \angle OCB + \angle OCA = 90^\circ$ $\angle PCB + \angle OCB + \angle OCA = 110^\circ$ $\angle PCB = 110^\circ - 90^\circ = 20^\circ$ $\angle PCB + \angle OCB = 90^\circ$ $\angle OCB = 90^\circ - 20^\circ = 70^\circ$ As $OB = OC \Rightarrow \angle OBC = \angle OCB$ $\angle OBC = \angle OCB = 70^\circ$	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$
SECTION D		
This section has 4 Long Answer (LA) type questions carrying 5 marks each.		
32.	The perimeter of an isosceles triangle is 32 cm. If each equal side is $\frac{5}{6}$ th of the base, find the area of the triangle.	
Sol.	<p>Let each equal side of triangle be x and base be y</p> <p>ATQ, $x + x + y = 32$</p> <p>$2x + y = 32$</p> <p>Also, $x = \frac{5}{6}y$</p>	 1 1

	<p>On solving these equations, we get $x = 10$ and $y = 12$</p> <p>\therefore sides of the triangle are 10 cm, 10 cm, 12 cm</p> <p>Semi – perimeter of the triangle = 16 cm</p> <p>Area of the triangle = $\sqrt{16 \times 6 \times 6 \times 4}$</p> <p>= 48 cm²</p>	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ 1 $\frac{1}{2}$
33. (a)	The sum of the third term and the seventh term of an AP is 6 and their product is 8. Find the sum of the first sixteen terms of the AP.	
Sol.	<p>Let first term = a and common difference = d</p> <p>ATQ, $(a + 2d) + (a + 6d) = 6$</p> <p>$a + 4d = 3$</p> <p>$a = 3 - 4d$</p> <p>Also, $(a + 2d)(a + 6d) = 8$</p> <p>$(3 - 4d + 2d)(3 - 4d + 6d) = 8$</p> <p>$9 - 4d^2 = 8$</p> <p>$d = \pm \frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>When $d = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow a = 1$</p> <p>$S_{16} = \frac{16}{2} \left[2 \times 1 + 15 \times \frac{1}{2} \right]$</p> <p>= 76</p> <p>When $d = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow a = 5$</p> <p>$S_{16} = \frac{16}{2} \left[2 \times 5 + 15 \times \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) \right]$</p> <p>= 20</p>	 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$
OR		

33. (b)	The minimum age of children eligible to participate in a painting competition is 8 years. It is observed that the age of the youngest boy was 8 years and the ages of the participants, when seated in order of age, have a common difference of 4 months. If the sum of the ages of all the participants is 168 years, find the age of the eldest participant in the painting competition.	
Sol.	<p>The ages of the participants form the following AP</p> $8, 8\frac{1}{3}, 8\frac{2}{3}, 9, \dots$ <p>where first term = 8 and common difference = $\frac{1}{3}$</p> <p>Let the number of participants be n</p> $S_n = \frac{n}{2} \left[2 \times 8 + (n-1) \frac{1}{3} \right] = 168$ $n^2 + 47n - 1008 = 0$ $\Rightarrow n = 16$ $\therefore \text{the age of the eldest participant} = 8 + 15 \times \frac{1}{3} = 13 \text{ years}$	<p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>
34. (a)	<p>In the given figure, PA, QB and RC are perpendicular to AC. If PA = x units, QB = y units and RC = z units, prove that $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{y}$.</p> 	
Sol.	<p>$\triangle ABQ \sim \triangle ACR$</p> $\frac{AB}{AC} = \frac{QB}{RC} = \frac{y}{z} \dots\dots\dots (i)$ <p>Similarly, $\triangle CBQ \sim \triangle CAP$</p> $\frac{BC}{AC} = \frac{QB}{PA} = \frac{y}{x} \dots\dots\dots (ii)$ <p>On adding (i) & (ii), we get</p>	<p>1</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p>

	$\frac{AB}{AC} + \frac{BC}{AC} = \frac{y}{z} + \frac{y}{x}$ $\frac{AB + BC}{AC} = y \left(\frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{x} \right)$ $\frac{AC}{AC} = y \left(\frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{x} \right)$ $\therefore \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{y}$	<p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>½</p>
OR		
34. (b)	Sides AB and BC and median AD of triangle ABC are respectively proportional to sides PQ and QR and median PM of Δ PQR. Show that $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta PQR$.	
Sol.	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;">   </div> <p>In ΔABD and ΔPQM</p> $\frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{BC}{QR} = \frac{AD}{PM} \text{ (given)}$ $\frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{2BD}{2QM} = \frac{AD}{PM}$ $\frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{BD}{QM} = \frac{AD}{PM}$ $\therefore \Delta ABD \sim \Delta PQM$ $\therefore \angle B = \angle Q$ <p>In ΔABC and ΔPQR</p> $\frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{BC}{QR} \text{ and } \angle B = \angle Q$ $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta PQR$	<p>Correct figure 1 mark</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>½</p> <p>1</p> <p>½</p>

35.	A vessel is in the form of an inverted cone. Its height is 8 cm and the radius of its top, which is open, is 5 cm. It is filled with water up to the brim. When lead shots, each of which is a sphere of radius 0.5 cm, are dropped into the vessel, one-fourth of the water flows out. Find the number of lead shots dropped in the vessel.	
Sol.	<p>Radius of cone = 5 cm, height of cone = 8 cm</p> <p>Volume of water in the cone = $\frac{1}{3}\pi \times (5)^2 \times 8$</p> <p>$= \frac{200\pi}{3} \text{ cm}^3$</p> <p>Volume of water flows out = $\frac{1}{4}$ (Volume of water in the cone)</p> <p>$= \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{200\pi}{3} = \frac{50\pi}{3} \text{ cm}^3$</p> <p>Radius of sphere (lead shot) = $0.5 = \frac{1}{2} \text{ cm}$</p> <p>Volume of one lead shot = $\frac{4}{3}\pi \times \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3$</p> <p>$= \frac{\pi}{6} \text{ cm}^3$</p> <p>Number of lead shots = $\frac{\frac{50\pi}{3}}{\frac{\pi}{6}} = 100$</p>	<p>1</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>1</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>1</p>

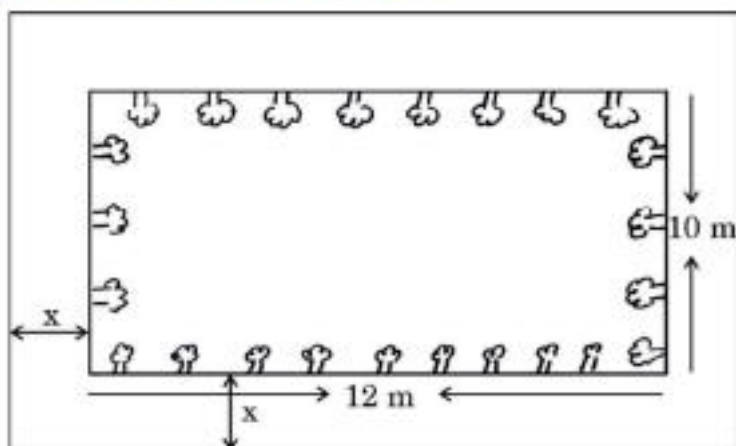
SECTION E

This section has 3 Case Study based questions carrying 4 marks each.

36.

Case Study – 1

A garden designer is planning a rectangular lawn that is to be surrounded by a uniform walkway.



The total area of the lawn and the walkway is 360 square metres. The width of the walkway is same on all sides. The dimensions of the lawn itself are 12 metres by 10 metres.

Based on the information given above, answer the following questions :

- (i) Formulate the quadratic equation representing the total area of the lawn and the walkway, taking width of walkway = x m.
- (ii) (a) Solve the quadratic equation to find the width of the walkway ' x '.

OR

- (b) If the cost of paving the walkway at the rate of ₹ 50 per square metre is ₹ 12,000, calculate the area of the walkway.
- (iii) Find the perimeter of the lawn.

Sol.

$$(i) (12 + 2x)(10 + 2x) = 360$$

$$4x^2 + 44x - 240 = 0 \text{ or } x^2 + 11x - 60 = 0$$

$$(ii)(a) (x + 15)(x - 4) = 0$$

$$x = 4$$


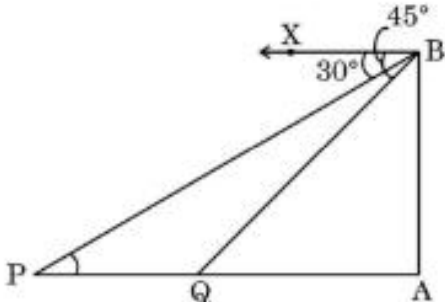
$$\therefore \text{width of the walkway} = 4 \text{ m}$$


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	<p>OR</p> <p>(ii)(b) Area of the walkway = $\frac{12000}{50}$</p> <p>= 240 m²</p> <p>(iii) Perimeter of the lawn = 2(12 + 10) = 44 m</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>
37.	<p style="text-align: center;">Case Study – 2</p> <p>A lighthouse stands tall on a cliff by the sea, watching over ships that pass by. One day a ship is seen approaching the shore and from the top of the lighthouse, the angles of depression of the ship are observed to be 30° and 45° as it moves from point P to point Q. The height of the lighthouse is 50 metres.</p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">   </div> <p>Based on the information given above, answer the following questions :</p> <p>(i) Find the distance of the ship from the base of the lighthouse when it is at point Q, where the angle of depression is 45°.</p> <p>(ii) Find the measures of ∠PBA and ∠QBA.</p> <p>(iii) (a) Find the distance travelled by the ship between points P and Q.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>(b) If the ship continues moving towards the shore and takes 10 minutes to travel from Q to A, calculate the speed of the ship in km/h, from Q to A.</p>	
Sol.	<p>(i) ∠AQB = ∠QBX = 45° and ∠APB = ∠PBX = 30°</p> <p>In ΔAQB, $\tan 45^\circ = \frac{50}{AQ}$</p>	<p>½</p>

	<p>AQ = 50 m</p> <p>(ii) $\angle PBA = 60^\circ$</p> <p>$\angle QBA = 45^\circ$</p> <p>(iii)(a) In $\triangle APB$, $\tan 30^\circ = \frac{50}{AP}$</p> <p>AP = $50\sqrt{3}$ m</p> <p>Distance travelled by the ship = PQ = $50\sqrt{3} - 50 = 50(\sqrt{3} - 1)$ m</p> <p>or 36.5 m</p> <p>OR</p> <p>(iii)(b) Speed of the ship = $\frac{50 \text{ metres}}{10 \text{ minutes}}$</p> <p>= 0.3 km/h</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>
38.	<p style="text-align: center;">Case Study – 3</p> <p>The India Meteorological Department observes seasonal and annual rainfall every year in different sub-divisions of our country. It helps them to compare and analyse the results.</p> 	

The table below shows sub-divisions wise seasonal (monsoon) rainfall (in mm) in 2023.

<i>Rainfall (mm)</i>	<i>No. of Sub-divisions</i>
200 – 400	3
400 – 600	4
600 – 800	7
800 – 1000	4
1000 – 1200	3
1200 – 1400	3

Based on the information given above, answer the following questions :

(i) Write the modal class.

(ii) (a) Find the median of the given data.

OR

(b) Find the mean rainfall in the season.

(iii) If a sub-division having at least 800 mm rainfall during monsoon season is considered a good rainfall sub-division, then how many sub-divisions had good rainfall ?

Sol. (i) Modal Class = 600 – 800

(ii)(a)

Rainfall (mm)	No. of Sub-divisions (f_i)	cf
200–400	3	3
400–600	4	7
600–800	7	14
800–1000	4	18
1000–1200	3	21
1200–1400	3	24

$$N = 24$$

$$\text{Median Class} = 600 - 800$$

$$\text{Median} = 600 + \frac{12 - 7}{7} \times 200$$

$$= \frac{5200}{7} \text{ or } 742.8 \text{ mm (approx.)}$$

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OR

(ii)(b)

Rainfall (mm)	No. of Sub-divisions (f_i)	x_i	$f_i x_i$
200–400	3	300	900
400–600	4	500	2000
600–800	7	700	4900
800–1000	4	900	3600
1000–1200	3	1100	3300
1200–1400	3	1300	3900
	$\sum f_i = 24$		$\sum f_i x_i = 18600$

$$\text{Mean} = \frac{18600}{24} = 775$$

\therefore Mean rainfall = 775 mm

(iii) Required number of sub – divisions = $4 + 3 + 3 = 10$

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