

**CLASS X (2019-20)**  
**MATHEMATICS STANDARD(041)**  
**SAMPLE PAPER-2**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Maximum Marks : 80**

**General Instructions :**

- (i) All questions are compulsory.
  - (ii) The questions paper consists of 40 questions divided into 4 sections A, B, C and D.
  - (iii) Section A comprises of 20 questions of 1 mark each. Section B comprises of 6 questions of 2 marks each. Section C comprises of 8 questions of 3 marks each. Section D comprises of 6 questions of 4 marks each.
  - (iv) There is no overall choice. However, an internal choices have been provided in two questions of 1 mark each, two questions of 2 marks each, three questions of 3 marks each, and three questions of 4 marks each. You have to attempt only one of the alternatives in all such questions.
  - (v) Use of calculators is not permitted.
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**SECTION A**

**Q.1-Q.10 are multiple choice questions. Select the most appropriate answer from the given options.**

- Q1. The number  $3^{13} - 3^{10}$  is divisible by [1]  
(a) 2 and 3 (b) 3 and 10  
(c) 2, 3 and 10 (d) 2, 3 and 13
- Q2. A can do a piece of work in 24 days. If B is 60% more efficient than A, then the number of days required by B to do the twice as large as the earlier work is [1]  
(a) 24 (b) 36  
(c) 15 (d) 30
- Q3. Value (s) of  $k$  for which the quadratic equation  $2x^2 - kx + k = 0$  has equal roots is/are [1]  
(a) 0 (b) 4  
(c) 8 (d) 0, 8
- Q4. An AP starts with a positive fraction and every alternate term is an integer. If the sum of the first 11 terms is 33, then the fourth term is [1]  
(a) 2 (b) 3  
(c) 5 (d) 6
- Q5. The areas of two similar triangles  $ABC$  and  $PQR$  are in the ratio 9:16. If  $BC = 4.5$  cm, then the length of  $QR$  is [1]  
(a) 4 cm (b) 4.5 cm  
(c) 3 cm (d) 6 cm
- Q6. If the points  $A(4, 3)$  and  $B(x, 5)$  are on the circle with centre  $O(2, 3)$ , then the value of  $x$  is [1]  
(a) 0 (b) 1  
(c) 2 (d) 3
- Q7. If  $\sec 5A = \operatorname{cosec}(A + 30^\circ)$ , where  $5A$  is an acute angle, then the value of  $A$  is [1]  
(a)  $15^\circ$  (b)  $5^\circ$   
(c)  $20^\circ$  (d)  $10^\circ$
- Q8. If a regular hexagon is inscribed in a circle of radius  $r$ , then its perimeter is [1]  
(a)  $3r$  (b)  $6r$   
(c)  $9r$  (d)  $12r$
- Q9. The sides of a triangle (in cm) are given below. In which case, the construction of triangle is not possible. [1]

- (a) 8, 7, 3
- (b) 8, 6, 4
- (c) 8, 4, 4
- (d) 7, 6, 5

- Q10. Ratio of lateral surface areas of two cylinders with equal height is [1]  
 (a) 1 : 2 (b)  $H : h$   
 (c)  $R : r$  (d) None of these

**(Q.11-Q.15) Fill in the blanks.**

- Q11. Numbers having non-terminating, non-repeating decimal expansion are known as ..... [1]  
 Q12. A quadratic polynomial can have at most 2 zeroes and a cubic polynomial can have at most ..... zeroes. [1]

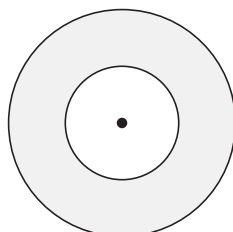
**OR**

If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are the zeroes of the cubic polynomial  $ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d = 0$ , then  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = -b/.....$

- Q13. If radius of a circle is 14 cm the area of the circle is ..... [1]  
 Q14. If the heights of two cylinders are equal and their radii are in the ratio of 7 : 5, then the ratio of their volumes is ..... [1]  
 Q15. If  $P(E) = 0.05$ , the probability of 'not E' is ..... [1]

**(Q.16-Q.20) Answer the following**

- Q16. If one root of the quadratic equation  $6x^2 - x - k = 0$  is  $\frac{2}{3}$ , then find the value of  $k$ . [1]  
 Q17. Two coins of diameter 2 cm and 4 cm respectively are kept one over the other as shown in the figure, find the area of the shaded ring shaped region in square cm. [1]



- Q18. What is the ratio of the total surface area of the solid hemisphere to the square of its radius. [1]

**OR**

If the area of three adjacent faces of a cuboid are  $X, Y,$  and  $Z$  respectively, then find the volume of cuboid.

- Q19. Find median of the data, using an empirical relation when it is given that Mode = 12.4 and Mean = 10.5. [1]  
 Q20. A game of chance consists of spinning an arrow which comes to rest pointing at one of the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and these are equally likely outcomes. Find the probability that the arrow will point at any factor of 8 ? [1]

**SECTION B**

- Q21. In the figure given below,  $ABCD$  is a rectangle. Find the values of  $x$  and  $y$ . [2]  
 Q22. In  $\Delta ABC, AD \perp BC$ , such that  $AD^2 = BD \times CD$ . Prove that  $\Delta ABC$  is right angled at  $A$ . [2]  
 Q23. Prove that the point  $(3, 0), (6, 4)$  and  $(-1, 3)$  are the vertices of a right angled isosceles triangle. [2]

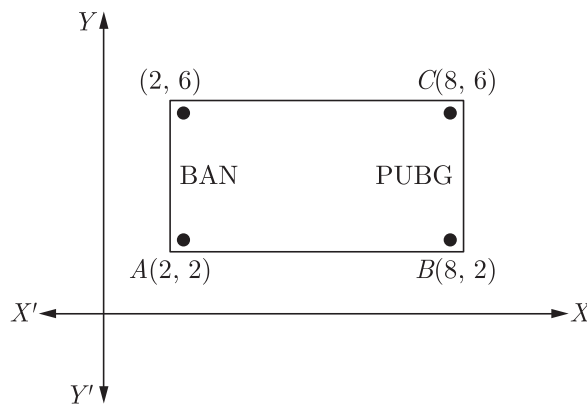
**OR**

Find the relation between  $x$  and  $y$ , if the point  $A(x, y), B(-5, 7)$  and  $C(-4, 5)$  are collinear.

- Q24. One tends to become lazy. Also, starting at your mobile screen for long hours can affect you eyesight and give you headaches. Those who are addicted to playing PUBG can get easily stressed out or face anxiety issues in public due to lack of social interaction.  
 To raise social awareness about ill effects of playing PUBG, a school decided to start "BAN PUBG: campaign, students are asked

to prepare campaign board in the shape of rectangle (as shown in the figure).

[2]



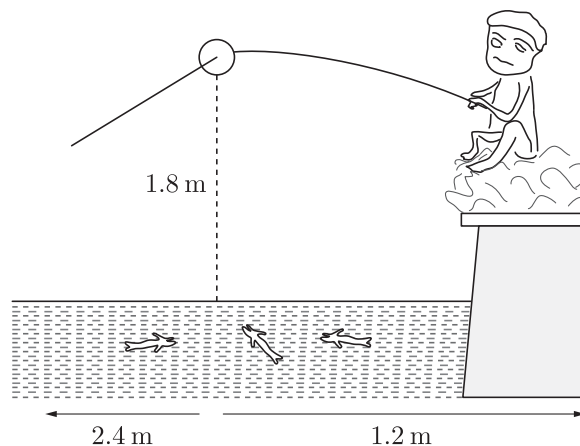
- (i) Find the area of the board.
- (ii) It cost of  $1 \text{ cm}^2$  of board is ₹8, then find the cost of board.

Q25. The mean and median of 100 observation are 50 and 52 respectively. The value of the largest observation is 100. It was later found that it is 110. Find the true mean and median. [2]

**OR**

There are 30 cards of the same size in a bag in which the numbers 1 to 30 are written. One card is taken out of the bag at random. Find the probability that the number on the selected card is not divisible by 3.

Q26. Pawan is fly fishing in a stream as shown in the figure. The tip of her fishing rod is 1.8 m above the surface of the water and the fly at the end of the string rests on the water 3.6 m away and 2.4 m from a point directly under the tip of the rod. [2]



Assuming that her string (from the tip of her rod to the fly) is taut, how much string does she have out?

### SECTION C

Q27. If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the zeroes of the polynomial  $6y^2 - 7y + 2$ , find a quadratic polynomial whose zeroes are  $\frac{1}{\alpha}$  and  $\frac{1}{\beta}$ . [3]

**OR**

If  $\alpha, \beta$  and  $\gamma$  are zeroes of the polynomial  $6x^3 + 3x^2 - 5x + 1$ , then find the value of  $\alpha^{-1} + \beta^{-1} + \gamma^{-1}$ .

Q28. A part of monthly hostel charge is fixed and the remaining depends on the number of days one has taken food in the mess. When Swati takes food for 20 days, she has to pay Rs. 3,000 as hostel charges whereas Mansi who takes food for 25 days Rs. 3,500 as hostel charges. Find the fixed charges and the cost of food per day. [3]

Q29. Divide 56 in four parts in A.P. such that the ratio of the product of their extremes ( $1^{st}$  and  $4^{th}$ ) to the product of means ( $2^{nd}$  and  $3^{rd}$ ) is 5:6. [3]

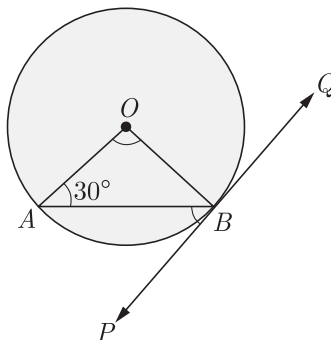
**OR**

If the sum of the first  $n$  terms of an A.P. is  $\frac{1}{2}[3n^2 + 7n]$ , then find its  $n^{th}$  term. Hence write its  $20^{th}$  term.

Q30.  $\Delta ABC$  is right angled at  $C$ . If  $p$  is the length of the perpendicular from  $C$  to  $AB$  and  $a, b, c$  are the lengths of the sides opposite  $\angle A, \angle B$  and  $\angle C$  respectively, then prove that  $\frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}$ . [3]

Q31. From her elevated observation post 300 m away, a naturalist spots a troop of baboons high up in a tree. Using the small transit attached to her telescope, she finds the angle of depression to the bottom of this tree is  $30^\circ$ , while the angle of elevation to the top of the tree is  $60^\circ$ . The angle of elevation to the troop of baboons is  $45^\circ$ . Use this information to find (a) the height of the observation post, (b) the height of the baboons' tree, and (c) the height of the baboons above ground. [3]

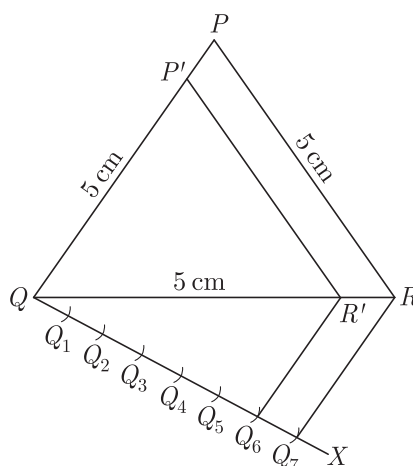
Q32. In the figure,  $PQ$  is a tangent to a circle with center  $O$ . If  $\angle OAB = 30^\circ$ , find  $\angle ABP$  and  $\angle AOB$ . [3]



**OR**

A circle is inscribed in a  $\Delta ABC$ , with sides  $AC, AB$  and  $BC$  as 8 cm, 10 cm and 12 cm respectively. Find the length of  $AD, BE$  and  $CF$ .

Q33. Construct a triangle similar to a given equilateral  $\Delta PQR$  with side 5cm such that each of its side is  $\frac{6}{7}$  of the corresponding sides of  $\Delta PQR$ . [3]



Q34. A boy, 1.4 metre tall standing at the edge of a river bank sees the top of a tree on the edge of the other bank at an elevation of  $55^\circ$ . Standing back by 3 metre, he sees it at elevation of  $45^\circ$ . [3]

- (a) Draw a rough figure showing these facts.
  - (b) How wide is the river and how tall is the tree?
- [ $\sin 55^\circ = 0.8192, \cos 55^\circ = 0.5736, \tan 55^\circ = 1.4281$ ]

### SECTION D

Q35. Find HCF of 81 and 237 and express it as a linear combination of 81 and 237 i.e.  $\text{HCF}(81, 237) = 81x + 237y$  for some  $x$  and  $y$ . [4]

**OR**

Show that there is no positive integer  $n$ , for which  $\sqrt{n-1} + \sqrt{n-1}$  is rational.

Q36. Find  $x$  in terms of  $a, b$  and  $c$  : [4]

$$\frac{a}{x-a} + \frac{b}{x-b} = \frac{2c}{x-c}, x \neq a, b, c$$

Q37. If  $P(-5, -3), Q(-4, -6), R(2, -3)$  and  $S(1, 2)$  are the vertices of a quadrilateral  $PQRS$ , find its area. [4]

**OR**

If  $P(9a - 2, -b)$  divides the line segment joining  $A(3a + 1, -3)$  and  $B(8x, 5)$  in the ratio 3:1. Find the values of  $a$  and  $b$ .

- Q38. The angle of elevation of the top  $Q$  of a vertical tower  $PQ$  from a point  $X$  on the ground is  $60^\circ$ . From a point  $Y$  40 m vertically above  $X$ , the angle of elevation of the top  $Q$  of tower is  $45^\circ$ . Find the height of the  $PQ$  and the distance  $PX$ . (Use  $\sqrt{3} = 1.73$ ) [4]

**OR**

The tops of two towers of height  $x$  and  $y$ , standing on level ground, subtend angles of  $30^\circ$  and  $60^\circ$  respectively at the centre of the line joining their feet, then find  $x : y$ .

- Q39. Prove that opposite sides of a quadrilateral circumscribing a circle subtend supplementary angles at the centre of the circle. [4]
- Q40. On the sports day of a school, 300 students participated. Their ages are given in the following distribution :

<b>Age (in years)</b>	5-7	7-9	9-11	11-13	13-15	15-17	17-19
<b>Number of students</b>	67	33	41	95	36	13	15

Find the mean and mode of the data.

[4]

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