

Sample Question Paper - 17
Mathematics-Standard (041)
Class- X, Session: 2021-22
TERM II

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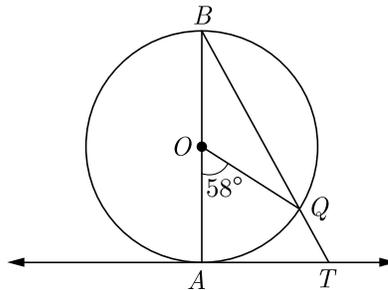
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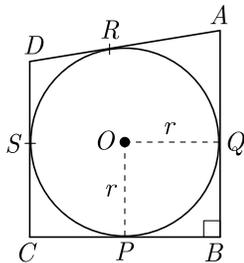
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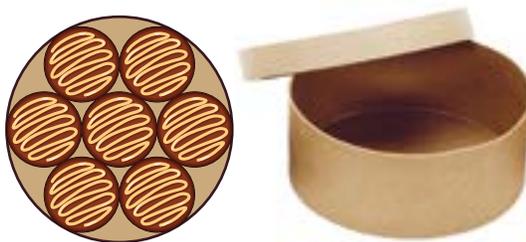
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Squaring both sides we get

$$6x+7 = (2x-7)^2$$

$$6x+7 = 4x^2 - 28x + 49$$

$$4x^2 - 34x + 42 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 17x + 21 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 14x - 3x + 21 = 0$$

$$2x(x-7) - 3(x-7) = 0$$

$$(x-7)(2x-3) = 0$$

Thus $x = 7$ and $x = \frac{3}{2}$.

OR

For what values of k , the equation $9x^2 + 6kx + 4 = 0$ has equal roots?

Ans :

We have, $9x^2 + 6kx + 4 = 0$

For equal roots, $D = 0$,

$$b^2 - 4ac = 0$$

$$(6k)^2 - 4(a)(4) = 0$$

$$36k^2 - 144 = 0$$

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$$k^2 = 4$$

$$k = \pm 2$$

2. The n^{th} term of an AP is given by $(-4n + 15)$. Find the sum of first 20 terms of this AP.

Ans :

Let the first term be a , common difference be d , n th term be a_n and sum of n term be S_n .

We have $a_n = -4n + 15$

$$a_1 = -4 \times 1 + 15 = 11$$

$$a_2 = -4 \times 2 + 15 = 7$$

$$a_3 = -4 \times 3 + 15 = 3$$

$$d = a_2 - a_1 = 7 - 11 = -4$$

Now, we have $a = 11$, $d = -4$

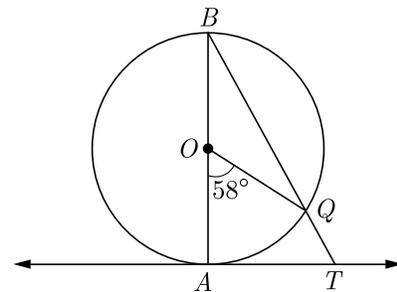
$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}[2a + (n-1)d]$$

$$S_{20} = \frac{20}{2}[2 \times 11 + (20-1) \times (-4)]$$

$$= 10[22 - 76] = 10 \times (-54) = -540$$

Thus $S_{20} = -540$.

3. In given figure, AB is the diameter of a circle with centre O and AT is a tangent. If $\angle AOQ = 58^\circ$, find $\angle ATQ$.



Ans :

We have $\angle AOQ = 58^\circ$

Since angle $\angle ABQ$ and $\angle AOQ$ are the angle on the circumference of the circle by the same arc,

$$\begin{aligned}\angle ABQ &= \frac{1}{2} \angle AOQ \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 58^\circ = 29^\circ\end{aligned}$$

Here OA is perpendicular to TA because OA is radius and TA is tangent at A .

Thus $\angle BAT = 90^\circ$
 $\angle ABQ = \angle ABT$

Now in $\triangle BAT$,

$$\begin{aligned}\angle ATB &= 90^\circ - \angle ABT \\ &= 90^\circ - 29^\circ = 61^\circ\end{aligned}$$

Thus $\angle ATQ = \angle ATB = 61^\circ$

4. A 5 m wide cloth is used to make a conical tent of base diameter 14 m and height 24 m. Find the cost of cloth used at the rate of Rs.25 per meter.

Ans :

We have radius $r = 7$ m and height $h = 24$ m

Slant height of tent,

$$\begin{aligned}l &= \sqrt{r^2 + h^2} = \sqrt{7^2 + 24^2} \\ &= \sqrt{625} = 25 \text{ m.}\end{aligned}$$

Curved surface area of cone,

$$\pi r l = \frac{22}{7} \times 7 \times 25 = 550 \text{ m}^2$$

Curves surface area of tent will be required area of cloth. Let x meter of cloth is required

$$5x = 550 \text{ or, } x = \frac{550}{5} = 110 \text{ m.}$$

Thus 110 m of cloth is required.

$$\text{Cost of cloth} = 25 \times 110 = \text{Rs.}2750.$$

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Ans :

From the cumulative frequency distribution,

$$15 + x = 28 \Rightarrow x = 28 - 15 = 13$$

and $43 + 18 = y \Rightarrow y = 61$

Hence, $x = 13$ and $y = 61$

6. The frequency distribution of agricultural holdings in a village below :

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Ans :

Class 5-7 has the maximum frequency 80, therefore this is modal class.

Here $l = 5, f_1 = 80, f_0 = 45, h = 2, f_2 = 55$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Mode, } M_o &= l + \frac{(f_1 - f_0)}{2f_1 - f_0 - f_2} \times h \\ &= 5 + \frac{80 - 45}{160 - 45 - 55} \times 2 \\ &= 5 + \frac{35 \times 2}{60} \\ &= 6.17\end{aligned}$$

OR

Find median of the data, using an empirical relation when it is given that Mode = 12.4 and Mean = 10.5

Ans :

Mode, $M_o = 12.4$

Mean, $M = 10.5$

Median, M_d

$$\begin{aligned}&= \frac{1}{3}M + \frac{2}{3}M_o \\ &= \frac{1}{3}(12.4) + \frac{2}{3}(10.5) = \frac{12.4}{3} + \frac{21}{3} \\ &= \frac{12.4 + 21}{3} = \frac{33.4}{3} = 11.13\end{aligned}$$

Section B

7. Solve the following quadratic equation for x :

$$x^2 + \left(\frac{a}{a+b} + \frac{a+b}{a}\right)x + 1 = 0$$

Ans :

We have $x^2 + \left(\frac{a}{a+b} + \frac{a+b}{a}\right)x + 1 = 0$

$$x^2 + \frac{a}{a+b}x + \frac{a+b}{a}x + 1 = 0$$

$$x\left(x + \frac{a}{a+b}\right) + \frac{a+b}{a}\left(x + \frac{a}{a+b}\right) = 0$$

$$\left(x + \frac{a}{a+b}\right)\left(x + \frac{a+b}{a}\right) = 0$$

Thus
$$x = \frac{-a}{a+b}, \frac{-(a+b)}{a}$$

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Ans :

Let the first term be a , common difference be d , n th term be a_n and sum of n term be S_n .

We have $S_1 = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n$

$$S_2 = 1 + 3 + 5 + \dots \text{ up to } n \text{ terms}$$

$$S_3 = 1 + 4 + 7 + \dots \text{ upto } n \text{ terms}$$

Now
$$S_n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$S_2 = \frac{n}{2}[2 + (n-1)2] = \frac{n}{2}[2n] = n^2$$

and
$$S_3 = \frac{n}{2}[2 + (n-1)3] = \frac{n(3n-1)}{2}$$

Now,
$$S_1 + S_3 = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} + \frac{n(3n-1)}{2}$$

$$= \frac{n[n+1+3n-1]}{2} = \frac{n[4n]}{2}$$

$$= 2n^2 = 2S_2 \quad \text{Hence Proved}$$

9. The angles of depression of the top and bottom of a building 50 meters high as observed from the top of a tower are 30° and 60° respectively. Find the height of the tower, and also the horizontal distance between the building and the tower.

Ans :

Let AB be the building of height 50 m and CD be tower of height h . Angle of depressions of top and bottom are given 30° and 60° respectively. As per given in question we have drawn figure below.

Let, $AE = BD = x$

Now, $DE = AB = 50$ m

$$CE = CD - DE = (h - 50) \text{ m}$$

Again, we have

$$\angle CAE = 30^\circ \text{ and } \angle CBD = 60^\circ$$

In ΔAEC , $\tan 30^\circ = \frac{CE}{AE}$

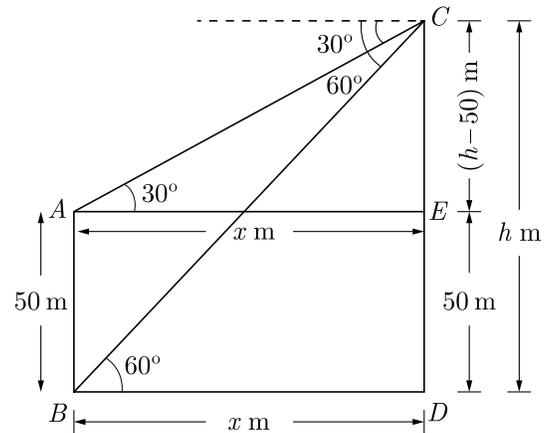
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{h-50}{x}$$

$$x = \sqrt{3}(h-50) \quad \dots(1)$$

In ΔBDC , $\tan 60^\circ = \frac{CD}{BD}$

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

$$x = \frac{h}{\sqrt{3}} \quad \dots(2)$$



From equation (1) and equation (2), we have

$$\sqrt{3}(h-50) = \frac{h}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$3(h-50) = h$$

$$3h - 150 = h$$

$$2h = 150 \Rightarrow h = 75$$

Substituting $h = 75$ in equation (2), we get

$$x = \frac{h}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{75}{\sqrt{3}} = 25\sqrt{3}$$

$$= 25 \times 1.73 = 43.2 \text{ m}$$

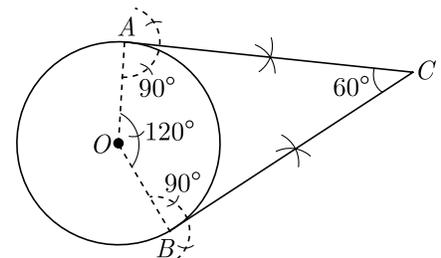
Hence, height of the tower is 75 m and distance between the building and the tower is 43.2 m.

10. Draw a pair of tangents to a circle of radius 5 cm which are inclined to each other at an angle of 60° .

Ans :

Steps of Construction :

1. Draw a circle of radius 5 cm with centre O .
2. Taking a point A on the circle draw $\angle AOB = 120^\circ$.



3. Draw a perpendicular on OA at A .
4. Draw another perpendicular on OB at B .
5. Let the two perpendiculars meet at C .
Thus, CA and CB are the two required tangents to the given circle which are inclined to each other at 60° .

Justification :

In a quadrilateral $OACB$, using angle sum property, we

$$\begin{aligned}
 120^\circ + 90^\circ + 90^\circ + \angle ACB &= 360^\circ \\
 300^\circ + \angle ACB &= 360^\circ \\
 \angle ACB &= 360^\circ - 300^\circ \\
 &= 60^\circ.
 \end{aligned}$$

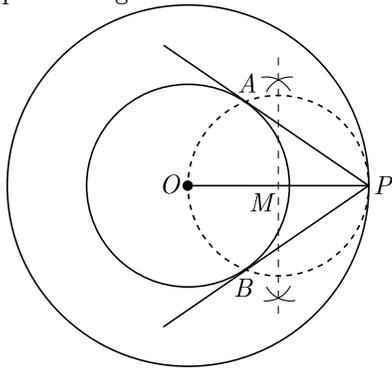
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3. Take a point P on outer circle and join OP .
4. Draw perpendicular bisector of OP which intersect OP at M .
5. Draw a circle with centre M which intersects inner circle at points A and B .
6. Join AP and BP . Thus AP and BP are required tangents.

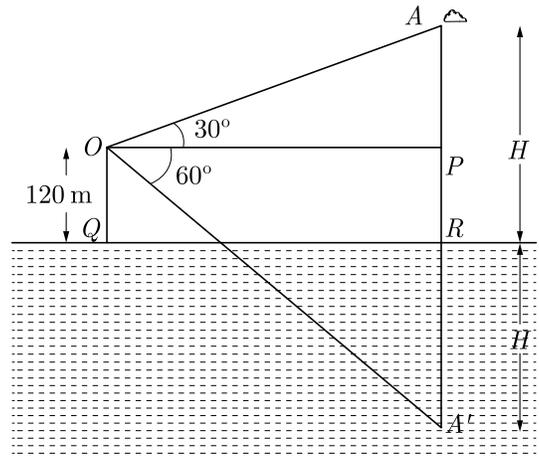


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Ans :

As per given in question we have drawn figure below.



Here A is cloud and A' is reflection of cloud.

In right $\triangle AOP$ we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \tan 30^\circ &= \frac{PA}{OP} \\
 \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} &= \frac{H-120}{OP} \\
 OP &= (H-120)\sqrt{3} \quad \dots(1)
 \end{aligned}$$

In right $\triangle OPA'$ we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \tan 60^\circ &= \frac{PA'}{OP} \\
 \sqrt{3} &= \frac{H+120}{OP} \\
 OP &= \frac{H+120}{\sqrt{3}} \quad \dots(2)
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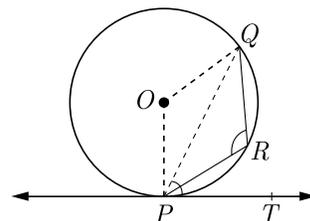
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$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{H+120}{\sqrt{3}} &= \sqrt{3}(H-120) \\
 H+120 &= 3(H-120) \\
 H+120 &= 3H-360 \\
 2H &= 480 \Rightarrow H = 240
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus height of cloud is 240 m.

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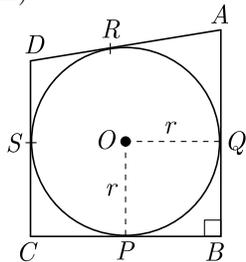
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } \angle OPQ &= \angle OQP \\ &= \angle OPT - \angle QTP \\ &= 90^\circ - 60^\circ = 30^\circ \\ \angle POQ &= 180^\circ - (\angle OPQ + \angle OQP) \\ &= 180^\circ - (30^\circ + 30^\circ) \\ &= 180^\circ - 60^\circ = 120^\circ \end{aligned}$$

Now Reflex $\angle POQ = 360^\circ - 120^\circ = 240^\circ$

$$\begin{aligned} \angle PRQ &= \frac{1}{2} \text{ Reflex } \angle POQ \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 240^\circ = 120^\circ \end{aligned}$$

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Ans :

Since length of tangents from an external point to a circle are equal,

$$DR = DS = 5 \text{ cm}$$

$$AR = AQ$$

$$BQ = BP$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } AR &= AD - DR \\ &= 23 - 5 = 18 \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

$$AQ = AR = 18 \text{ cm}$$

$$QB = AB - AQ = 29 - 18 = 11 \text{ cm}$$

$$PB = QB = 11$$

Now $\angle OQB = \angle OPB = 90^\circ$ because radius is always perpendicular to tangent.

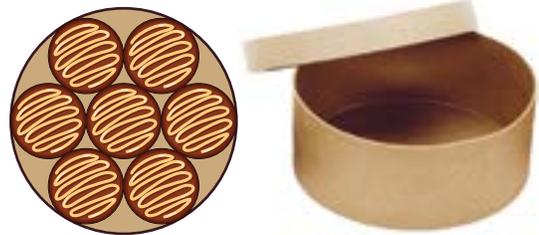
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So, $POQB$ is a square. Hence, $r = OP = PB = 11$ cm

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Ans :

- Volume of the biscuit,

$$= \pi r^2 h = \frac{22}{7} \times 3^2 \times 0.7 = 19.8 \text{ cu cm}$$

Volume of air trap

$$= \text{Volume of biscuit} - \text{Volume of sphere}$$

$$= 19.8 - 18 = 1.8 \text{ cu cm}$$

- From figure it is clear that radius of box is 3

times of biscuit radius i.e. $3 \times 3 = 9$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume of box} &= \pi R^2 H \\ &= \frac{22}{7} \times 9 \times 9 \times 14 \\ &= 22 \times 9 \times 9 \times 2 \\ &= 3564 \text{ cm}^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume of biscuits} &= \pi r^2 h \times 140 \\ &= 19.8 \times 140 \\ &= 2772 \text{ cm}^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Vacant volume} = 3564 - 2772 = 792 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$h = 20$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mode, } M_o &= l + h \left(\frac{f_i - f_j}{2f_i - f_j - f_k} \right) \\ &= 60 + \frac{29 - 21}{2 \times 29 - 21 - 17} \times 20 \\ &= 60 + \frac{8}{58 - 38} \times 20 = 60 + 8 = 68 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(ii) Now } 3M_d &= M_o + 2M = 68 + 2 \times 53 \\ M_d &= \frac{174}{3} = 58 \end{aligned}$$

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