# **Plane Geometry**

## SECTION 1 LINES AND ANGLES

**Line** A geometrical straight line is a set of points that extends endlessly in both the directions.

Axiom-1 A line contains infinitely many points.

**Axiom-2** Through a given point, infinitely many lines pass.

**Axiom-3** Given two distinct points A and B, there is one and only one line that contains both the points.

**Parallel Lines** If two lines have no point in common, they are said to be *parallel lines* 

**Intersecting Lines** If two lines have a point in common, they are said to be *intersecting lines*. Two lines can intersect at the most at one point.

**Line Segment and Ray** A part (or portion) of a line with two end points is called a *line segment* and a part of a line with one end point is called a *ray*. A line segment  $\overline{AB}$  and its length is denoted as AB. Ray AB (i.e., A towards B) is

denoted as  $\overrightarrow{AB}$  and ray BA (i.e., B towards A) is denoted as  $\overrightarrow{BA}$ .

**Collinear Points** Three or more than three points are said to be *collinear* if there is a line which contains them all.

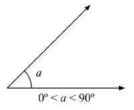
**Concurrent Lines** Three or more than three lines are said to be *concurrent* if there is a point which lies on all of them.

**Angle** An *angle* is a figure formed by two rays with a common initial point. The two rays forming an angle are called *arms* of the angle and the common initial point is called *vertex* of the angle.

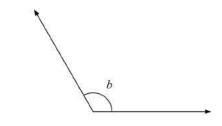
#### Types of Angles

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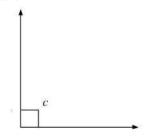
(i) Acute, if a < 90°.



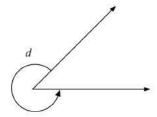
(ii) Obtuse, if 90° < b < 180°.



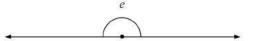
(iii) Right angle, if  $c = 90^{\circ}$ 



(iv) Reflex angle, if  $180^{\circ} < d < 360^{\circ}$ 



(v) Straight angle, if  $e = 180^{\circ}$ 



(vi) Complete angle: An angle whose measure is 360°, is called a *complete angle*.

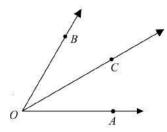
**Complementary Angles** Two angles, the sum of whose measures is 90°, are called *complementary angles*, e.g. 50° and 40° is a pair of complementary angles.

**Supplementary Angles** Two angles, the sum of whose measures is 180°, are called *supplementary angles*, e.g. 72° and 108° is a pair of supplementary angles.

Adjacent Angles Two angles are called adjacent angles if

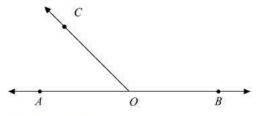
- (i) they have the same vertex.
- (ii) they have a common arm.
- (iii) uncommon arms are on either side of the common arm.

E.g.  $\angle AOC$  and  $\angle BOC$  are adjacent angles.



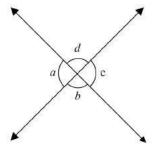
**Linear Pair:** Two adjacent angles are said to form a linear pair of angles if their non-common arms are two opposite rays.

E.g.  $\angle AOC$  and  $\angle BOC$  form a linear pair.



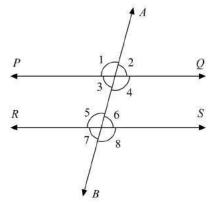
**Linear Pair Axiom:** If a ray stands on a line, then the sum of the two adjacent angles so formed is 180°. Conversely, if the sum of two adjacent angles is 180°; then the non-common arms of the angles are two opposite rays.

**Vertically Opposite Angles:** When two lines intersect, four angles are formed. The angles opposite to each other are called *vertically opposite angles*.



a and c are vertically opposite angles,  $\angle a = \angle c$ . b and d are vertically opposite angles,  $\angle b = \angle d$ .

Angles made by a transversal\* with two parallel lines Suppose  $PQ \parallel RS$  and a transversal AB cuts them, then



- (a) Pair of corresponding angles are (1 and  $\angle$ 5), ( $\angle$ 2 and  $\angle$ 6), ( $\angle$ 4 and  $\angle$ 8) and ( $\angle$ 3 and  $\angle$ 7)
- (b) Pair of alternate angles are  $(\angle 3 \text{ and } \angle 6) \text{ and } (\angle 4 \text{ and } \angle 5)$
- (c) Pair of interior angles (consecutive interior angles or cointerior angles) on the same side of the transversal are

 $(\angle 3 \text{ and } \angle 5) \text{ and } (\angle 4 \text{ and } \angle 6)$ 

# KEY RESULTS TO REMEMBER

If two parallel lines are intersected by a transversal, then

- (i) each pair of corresponding angles are equal.
- (ii) each pair of alternate angles are equal.
- (iii) interior angles on the same side of the transversal are supplementary.

<sup>\*</sup>A line which intersects two or more lines at distinct points is called a transversal of the given lines.

## Section 2 Triangles

**Triangle** A plane figure bounded by three lines in a plane is called a *triangle*.

#### Types of Triangles (On the basis of sides)

**Scalene triangle** A triangle two of whose sides are equal is called a *scalene triangle*.

**Isosceles triangle** A triangle two of whose sides are equal in length is called an *isosceles triangle*.

**Equilateral triangle** A triangle all of whose sides are equal is called an *equilateral triangle*.

## Types of Triangles (On the basis of angles)

**Acute triangle** A triangle, each of whose angle is acute, is called an *acute triangle* or *acute-angled triangle*.

**Right triangle** A triangle with one right angle is called a *right triangle* or a *right-angled triangle*.

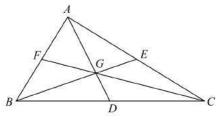
**Obtuse triangle** A triangle with one angle an obtuse angle, is known as *obtuse triangle* or *obtuse-angled triangle*.

#### Some Important Terms Related to a Triangle

 Median The median of a triangle corresponding to any side is the line segment joining the midpoint of that side with the opposite vertex.

In the figure given below, AD, BE and CF are the medians.

The medians of a triangle are concurrent i.e., they intersect each other at the same point.

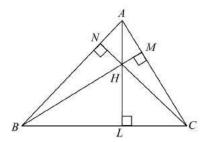


**2. Centroid** The point of intersection of all the three medians of a triangle is called its *centroid*.

In the above figure G is the centroid of  $\triangle ABC$ .

Note: The centroid divides a median in the ratio 2:1.

Altitudes The altitude of a triangle corresponding to any side is the length of perpendicular drawn from the opposite vertex to that side.



In the figure given above, AL, BM and CN are the altitudes.

Note: The altitudes of a triangle are concurrent.

**4. Orthocentre** The point of intersection of all the three altitudes of a triangle is called its *orthocentre*.

In the figure given above H is the orthocentre of  $\triangle ABC$ .

*Note:* The orthocentre of a right-angled lies at the vertex containing the right angle.

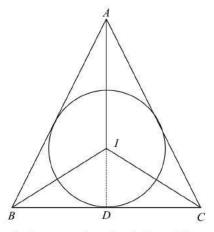
Incentre of a triangle The point of intersection of the internal bisectors of the angles of a triangle is called its incentre.

In the figure given below, the internal bisectors of the angles of  $\triangle ABC$  intersect at *I*.

∴ I is the Incentre of ΔABC.

Let, 
$$ID \perp BC$$

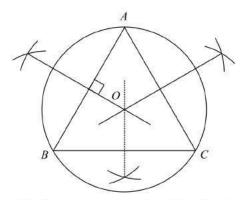
Then, a circle with centre I and radius ID is called the *incircle* of  $\triangle ABC$ .



*Note:* The incentre of a triangle is equidistant from its sides.

6. Circumcentre of a triangle The point of intersection of the perpendicular bisectors of the sides of a triangle is called its circumcentre.

In the figure given below, the right bisectors of the sides of  $\triangle ABC$  intersect at O.



 $\therefore$  O is the *circumcentre* of  $\triangle ABC$  with O as centre and radius equal to OA = OB = OC. We draw a circle passing through the vertices of the given  $\triangle$ .

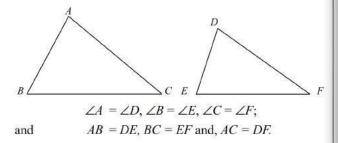
This circle is called the *circumcircle* of  $\triangle ABC$ .

**Note:** The circumcentre of a triangle is *equidistant* from its *vertices*.

#### **CONGRUENT TRIANGLES**

Two triangles are *congruent* if and only if one of them can be superposed on the other, so as to cover it exactly.

Thus, congruent triangles are exactly identical For example, If  $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DEF$  then we have



#### Similar Triangles

**Congruent figures** Two geometric figures having the same shape and size are known as *congruent figures*.

**Similar figures** Two figures (plane or solid) are said to be *similar* if they have the same shape irrespective of their sizes

*Note:* Two similar figures may not be congruent as their size may be different.

For examples,

- 1. Any two lines segments are similar.
- 2. Any two equilateral triangles are similar.
- 3. Any two squares are similar.
- 4. Any two circles are similar.
- 5. Any two rectangles are similar.

Similar triangles Two triangles are similar if

- (a) their corresponding angles are equal.
- (b) their corresponding sides are proportional.

## KEY RESULTS TO REMEMBER

- The sum of all the angles round a point is equal to 360°.
- Two lines parallel to the same line are parallel to each other.
- 3. The sum of three angles of a triangle is 180°.
- 4. If a side of a triangle is produced, the exterior angle so formed is equal to the sum of the two interior opposite angles. (Exterior Angle Theorem)
- **5.** If two sides of a triangle are unequal, the longer side has greater angle opposite to it.
- In a triangle, the greater angle has the longer side opposite to it.
- 7. The sum of any two sides of a triangle is greater than the third side.
- **8.** If a, b, c denote the sides of a triangle then
  - (i) If  $c^2 < a^2 + b^2$ , triangle is acute angled.
  - (ii) If  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$ , triangle is right angled.
  - (iii) If  $c^2 > a^2 + b^2$ , triangle is obtuse angled.
- 9. Two triangles are congruent if:
  - (i) Any two sides and the included angle of one triangle are equal to any two sides and the included angle of the other triangle.

(SAS congruence theorem)

(ii) Two angles and the included side of one triangle are equal to the corresponding two angles and the included side of the other triangle.

(ASA congruence theorem)

(iii) The three sides of one triangle are equal to the corresponding three sides of the other triangle.

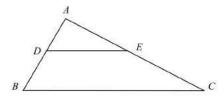
(SSS congruence theorem)

**Note:** Two right triangles are congruent if the hypotenuse and one side of one triangle are respectively equal to the hypotenuse and the corresponding side of the other triangle.

(RHS Congruence theorem)

- 10. The line segments joining the mid-points of any two sides of a triangle is parallel to the third side and equal to half of it.
- 11. Basic Proportionality Theorem If a line is drawn parallel to one side of a triangle, to intersect the other two sides in distinct points, the other two sides are divided in the same ratio.

In the figure given below, In a  $\triangle ABC$ 



If 
$$DE \parallel BC$$

Then, 
$$\frac{AD}{DB} = \frac{AE}{EC}$$

**Illustration 1** In the figure given above, D and E are the points on the AB and AC respectively such that  $DE \parallel BC$ . If AD = 8 cm, AB = 12 cm and AE = 12 cm. Find CE

**Solution:** In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $DE \parallel BC$ 

$$\frac{AD}{DB} = \frac{AE}{EC} \text{ (Basic Proportionality Theorem)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{8}{12-8} = \frac{12}{EC}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{8}{4} = \frac{12}{EC}$$

or EC = 6 cm

**12.** If a line divides any two sides of a triangle in the same ratio, the line is parallel to the third side.

**Explanation** In the above figure (given in point 11). In  $\triangle ABC$ 

if 
$$\frac{AD}{DB} = \frac{AE}{EC}$$
, then  $DE \parallel BC$ 

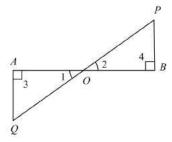
## Similarity Theorems

AAA Similarity If in two triangles, corresponding angles are equal, then the triangles are similar.

**Corollary** (AA-similarity): If two angles of one triangle are respectively equal to two angles of another triangle then the two triangles are similar.

**Illustration 2** In the figure given below, QA and PB are perpendiculars to AB. If AO = 15 cm, BO = 9 cm, PB = 12 cm, find AQ.

#### Solution:



In  $\Delta s$  AOO and BOP

$$\angle 1 = \angle 2$$
 [vertically opposite angles]

$$\angle 3 = \angle 4$$
 [each 90°]

.: Δ AOQ ~ ΔBOP [AA Similarity Criterion]

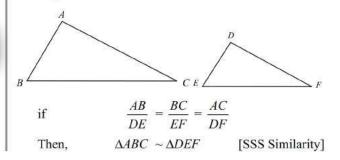
$$\therefore \frac{AO}{BO} = \frac{AQ}{BP} \text{ (corresponding sides of } \sim \Delta s)$$

or 
$$\frac{15}{9} = \frac{AQ}{12}$$

or 
$$\frac{5}{1} = \frac{AQ}{4} \Rightarrow AQ = 20 \text{ cm}$$

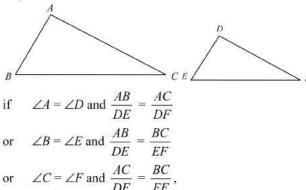
**14.SSS-Similarity** If the corresponding sides of two triangles are proportional then they are similar.

## **Explanation** In $\Delta s$ ABC and DEF,



15. SAS-Similarity If in two triangles, one pair of corresponding sides are proportional and the included angles are equal, then the two triangles are similar.

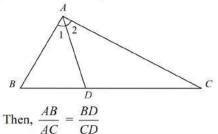
# Explanation In $\Delta s$ ABC and DEF,



then,  $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$  [SAS-Similarity]

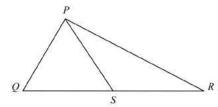
16. Internal Bisector Property The internal bisector of an angle of a triangle divides the opposite side in the ratio of the sides containing the angle.

# **Explanation** In $\triangle ABC$ , if $\angle 1 = \angle 2$



17. If a line segment drawn from the vertex of an angle of a triangle to its opposite side divides it in the ratio of the sides containing the angle, then the line segment bisects the angle.

**Illustration 3** In  $\triangle PQR$ , PQ = 6 cm, PR = 8 cm, **Solution:** QS = 1.5 cm, RS = 2 cm



$$\therefore \frac{PQ}{PR} = \frac{6}{8} = \frac{3}{4} \text{ and } \frac{QS}{RS} = \frac{1.5}{2} = \frac{3}{4}$$

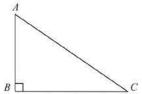
Thus, 
$$\frac{PQ}{PR} = \frac{QS}{RS}$$

 $\therefore$  PS is the bisector of  $\angle P$ 

**18. Pythagoras Theorem** In a right triangle, the square of the hypotenuse is equal to the sum of the squares of the other two sides.

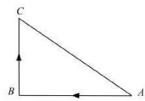
**Explanation** In a right  $\triangle ABC$ , right angled at B

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



**Illustration 4** A man goes 15 m west and then 8 m due north. How far is he from the starting point.

**Solution:** Let the initial position of the man be A.



Let, AB = 15 m and BC = 8 m

$$AC^2 = AB^2 + BC^2 \text{ (Pythagoras Theorem)}$$

$$= (15)^2 + (8)^2$$

$$= 225 + 64$$

$$= 289$$

$$AC = \sqrt{289}$$

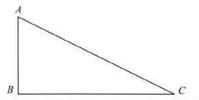
$$= 17 \text{ m}$$

Hence, the man is 17 m away from the starting point.

19. Converse of Pythagoras Theorem. In a triangle, if the square of one side is equal to the sum of the squares of the other two sides, then the angle opposite the first side is a right angle.

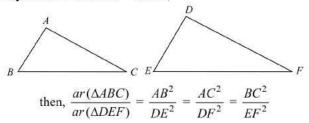
**Explanation** In a  $\triangle ABC$  if  $AB^2 + BC^2 = AC^2$ 

Then,  $\angle ABC = 90^{\circ}$ 



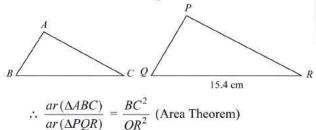
**20.** Area Theorem The ratio of the areas of two similar  $\Delta$ s is equal to the ratio of the squares of any two corresponding sides

**Explanation** If  $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$ ,



**Illustration 5** The areas of two similar  $\Delta s$  *ABC* and *PQR* are 64 cm<sup>2</sup> and 121 cm<sup>2</sup>, respectively. If *QR* = 15.4 cm, find *BC*.

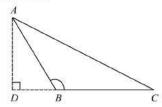
**Solution:** Since  $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle PQR$ 



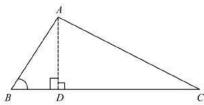
i.e., 
$$\frac{64}{121} = \frac{BC^2}{(15.4)^2} \Rightarrow \frac{8}{11} = \frac{BC}{15.4}$$

- $\therefore BC = 11.2 \text{ cm}$
- The ratio of the areas of two similar triangles is equal to the
  - (i) ratio of the squares of the corresponding medians
  - (ii) ratio of the squares of the corresponding altitudes
  - (iii) ratio of the squares of the corresponding angle bisector segments
- 22. If two similar triangles have equal areas, then the Δs are congruent.

- **23.** In two similar triangles, the ratio of two corresponding sides is same as the ratio of their perimeters.
- **24.** Obtuse Angle Property In a  $\triangle ABC$ , if  $\angle B$  is obtuse then,  $AC^2 = AB^2 + BC^2 + 2 BC \times BD$  where  $AD \perp BC$



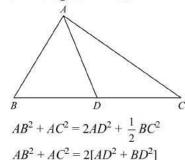
**25.** Acute Angle Property In a  $\triangle ABC$ , if  $\angle C$  is acute, then,  $AB^2 = AC^2 + BC^2 - 2BC \times CD$  where  $AD \perp BC$ 



26. Apollonius Theorem The sum of the squares on any two sides of a triangle is equal to the sum of twice the square of the median, which bisects the third side and half the square of the third side.

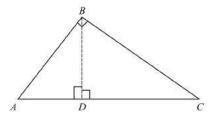
**Explanation** In the given  $\triangle ABC$ ,

or



27. If a perpendicular is drawn from the vertex of the right angle of a right triangle to the hypotenuse, the triangles on each side of the perpendicular are similar to the whole triangle and to each other. Also the square of the perpendicular is equal to the product of the lengths of the two parts of the hypotenuse.

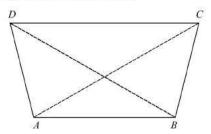
**Explanation** In the figure given below, ABC is a right triangle, right angled at B and  $BD \perp AC$ , then



- (i)  $\triangle ADB \sim \triangle ABC$  (AA Similarity)
- (ii)  $\Delta BDC \sim \Delta ABC$  (AA Similarity)
- (iii)  $\triangle ADB \sim \triangle BDC$  also  $BD^2 = AD \times CD$

# SECTION 3 QUADRILATERALS AND PARALLELOGRAMS

**Quadrilateral** A plane figure bounded by four line segments AB, BC, CD and DA is called a *quadrilateral*, written as quad. ABCD or  $\angle ABCD$ .



Various types of Quadrilaterals

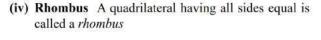


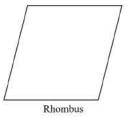
- (i) Parallelogram A quadrilateral in which opposite sides are parallel is called *parallelogram*, written as  $\|_{\rm gm}$ .
- (ii) Rectangle A parallelogram each of whose angles is 90° is called a *rectangle*, written as rect. *ABCD*.



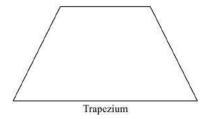
(iii) Square A rectangle having all sides equal is called a square.

Square

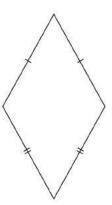




(v) Trapezium A quadrilateral in which two opposite sides are parallel and two opposite sides are nonparallel is called a trapezium.



(vi) Kite A quadrilateral in which pairs of adjacent sides are equal is known as *kite*.



## KEY RESULTS TO REMEMBER

- The sum of all the four angles of a quadrilateral is 360°.
- 2. In a parallelogram
  - (i) opposite sides are equal.
  - (ii) opposite angles are equal.
  - (iii) each diagonal bisects the parallelogram.
  - (iv) the diagonal bisect each other.
- 3. A quadrilateral is a ||gm
  - (i) if both pairs of opposite sides are equal.
- or (ii) if both pairs of opposite angles are equal.
- or (iii) if the diagonals bisect each other.
- or (iv) if a pair of opposite sides are equal and parallel.
- 4. The diagonals of a rectangle are equal.
- 5. If the diagonals of a  $\|_{gm}$  are equal, it is a rectangle.

- Diagonals of a rhombus are perpendicular to each other.
- Diagonals of a square are equal and perpendicular to each other.
- 8. The figure formed by joining the mid-points of the pairs of consecutive sides of a quadrilateral is a ||\_gm.
- **9.** The quadrilateral formed by joining the mid-points of the consecutive sides of a rectangle is a rhombus.
- **10.** The quadrilateral formed by joining the mid-points of the consecutive sides of a rhombus is a rectangle.
- 11. If the diagonals of a quadrilateral are perpendicular to each other, then the quadrilateral formed by joining the mid-points of its sides, is a rectangle.
- **12.** The quadrilateral formed by joining the midpoints of the sides of a square, is also a square.

# SECTION 4 POLYGONS

**Polygon** A closed plane figure bounded by line segments is called a *polygon*.

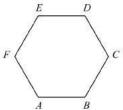
The line segments are called its *sides* and the points of intersection of consecutive sides are called its *vertices*. An angle formed by two consecutive sides of a polygon is called an *interior angle* or simply an *angle* of the polygon.

No. of sides	Name			
3	Triangle			
4	Quadrilateral			
5	Pentagon			
6	Hexagon			
7	Heptagon			
8	Octagon			
9				
10	Decagon			

A polygon is named according to the number of sides, it has.

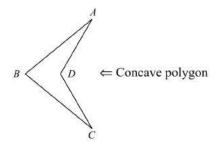
In general, a polygon of n sides is called n-gon. Thus, a polygon having 18 sides is called 18-gon.

**Diagonal of a Polygon** Line segment joining any two nonconsecutive vertices of a polygon is called its *diagonal*. **Convex Polygon** If all the (interior) angles of a polygon are less than 180°, it is called a *convex polygon*. In the figure given below, *ABCDEF* is a convex polygon. In fact, it is a convex hexagon.

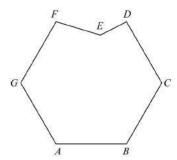


(In other words, a polygon is a convex polygon if the line segment joining any two points inside it lies completely inside the polygon).

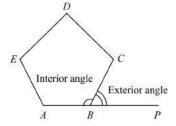
Concave Polygon If one or more of the (interior) angles of a polygon is greater than 180° i.e., reflex, it is called



concave (or re-entrant) polygon In the figure given below, ABCDEFG is a concave polygon. In fact, it is a concave heptagon.



Exterior Angle of Convex Polygon If we produce a side of polygon, the angle it makes with the next side is called an *exterior angle*. In the diagram given below, ABCDE is a pentagon. Its side AB has been produced to P, then  $\angle CBP$  is an exterior angle.



*Note:* Corresponding to each interior angle, there is an exterior angle. Also, as an exterior angle and its adjacent interior angle make a straight line, we have an exterior angle + adjacent interior angle =  $180^{\circ}$ 

**Regular Polygon** A polygon is called regular polygon if all of its sides have equal length and all its angles have equal size.

Thus, in a regular polygon

- (i) all sides are equal in length.
- (ii) all interior angles are equal in size.
- (iii) all exterior angles are equal size.

Note: All regular polygons are convex.

# KEY RESULTS TO REMEMBER

1. (a) If there is a polygon of n sides  $(n \ge 3)$ , we can cut it into (n - 2) triangles with a common vertex and so the sum of the interior angles of a polygon of n sides would be

$$(n-2) \times 180^\circ = (n-2) \times 2$$
 right angles  
=  $(2n-4)$  right angles

(b) If there is a regular polygon of n sides  $(n \ge 3)$ , then its each interior angle is equal to

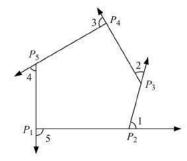
$$\left(\frac{2n-4}{n}\times 90\right)$$

(c) Each exterior angle of a regular polygon of n sides is equal to

$$=\left(\frac{360}{n}\right)^{\circ}$$

2. The sum of all the exterior angles formed by producing the sides of a convex polygon in the same order is equal to four right angles.

**Explanation** If in a convex polygon  $P_1P_2P_3P_4P_5$ , all the sides are produced in order, forming exterior angles  $\angle 1$ ,  $\angle 2$ ,  $\angle 3$ ,  $\angle 4$  and  $\angle 5$ , then  $\angle 1 + \angle 2 + \angle 3 + \angle 4 + \angle 5 = 4$  right angles.



3. If each exterior angle of a regular polygon is  $x^{\circ}$ , then the number of sides in the polygon =  $\frac{360^{\circ}}{x}$ .

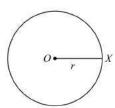
**Note:** Greater the number of sides in a regular polygon, greater is the value of its each interior angle and smaller is the value of each exterior angle.

**4.** If a polygon has *n* sides, then the number of diagonals of the polygon

$$=\frac{n(n-1)}{2}-n.$$

# SECTION 5 CIRCLES AND TANGENTS

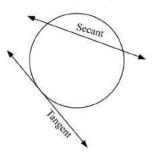
Circle A circle is a set of all those points in a plane, each one of which is at given constant distance from a given fixed point in the plane.



The fixed point is called the *centre* and the given constant distance is called the *radius* of the circle.

A circle with centre O and radius r is usually denoted by C(O, r).

**Tangent** A line meeting a circle in only one point is called a *tangent* to the circle. The point at which the tangent line meets the circle is called the *point of contact*.

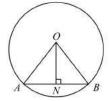


**Secant** A line which intersects a circle in two distinct points is called a *secant line*.

# KEY RESULTS TO REMEMBER

1. The perpendicular from the centre of a circle to a chord bisects the chord.

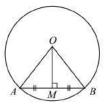
**Explanation** If  $ON \perp AB$ , then AN = NB.



*Note:* The converse of above theorem is true and can be stated as point 2.

2. The line joining the centre of a circle to the midpoint of a chord is perpendicular to the chord.

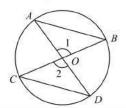
**Explanation** If AM = MB, then  $OM \perp AB$ .



**Cor.** The perpendicular bisectors of two chords of a circle intersect at its centre.

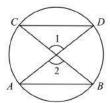
3. Equal chords of a circle subtend equal angles at the centre.

Explanation If AB = CD, then  $\angle 1 = \angle 2$ 



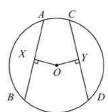
**4.** (Converse of above theorem) If the angles subtended by two chords at the centre of a circle are equal then the chords are equal.

Explanation If  $\angle 1 = \angle 2$ , then AB = CD



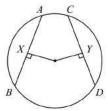
Equal chords of a circle are equidistant from the centre.

**Explanation** If the chords AB and CD of a circle are equal and if  $OX \perp AB$  and  $OY \perp CD$  then OX = OY.



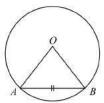
**6.** (Converse above theorem) Chords equidistant from the centre of the circle are equal.

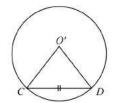
**Explanation** If  $OX \perp AB \ OY \perp CD$  and OX = OY, then chords AB = CD



In equal circles (or in the same circle), equal chords cut of equal arcs.

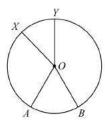
**Explanation** If the chords AB = CD, then arc AB = are CD.

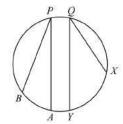




8. In equal circles (or in the same circle) if two arcs subtend equal angles at the centre (or at the circum-ference), the arcs are equal.

**Explanation** If  $\angle BOA = \angle XOY$ , then arc  $AB = \operatorname{arc} XY$  or if  $\angle BPA = \angle XQY$ , then arc  $AB = \operatorname{arc} XY$ .

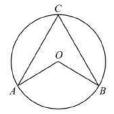




**9.** The angle subtended by an arc of a circle at the centre is double the angle subtended by it at any point on the remaining part of the circle.

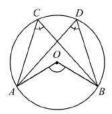
(The theorem is popularly known as Degree Measure Theorem).

**Explanation** A circle, centre O, with  $\angle AOB$  at the centre,  $\angle ACB$  at the circumference, standing on the same arc AB, then  $\angle AOB = 2\angle ACB$ 



10. Angles in the same segment of a circle are equal.

**Explanation** A circle, centre O,  $\angle ACB$  and  $\angle ADB$  are angles at the circumference, standing on the same arc, then

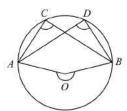


 $\angle ACB = \angle ADB$ 

(angles in same arc)

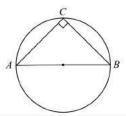
or

(angles in same segment)



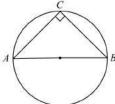
11. The angle in a semicircle is a right angle.

**Explanation** In the figure given below  $\angle ACB = 90^{\circ}$ 

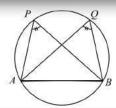


**12.** (Converse of above theorem) The circle drawn with hypotenuse of a right triangle as diameter passes through its opposite vertex.

**Explanation** The circle drawn with the hypotenuse AB of a right triangle ACB as diameter passes through its opposite vertex C.

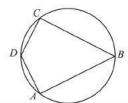


13. If  $\angle APB = \angle AQB$ , and if P, Q are on the same side of AB, then A, B, Q, P are concyclic i.e., lie on the same circle.



**14.** The sum of the either pair of the opposite angles of a cyclic quadrilateral is 180°.

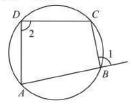
**Explanation** If *ABCD* is a cyclic quadrilateral, then  $\angle A + \angle C = \angle B + \angle D = 180^{\circ}$ 



**15.** (Converse of above theorem) If the two angles of a pair of opposite angles of a quadrilateral are supplementary then the quadrilateral is cyclic.

16. If a side of a cyclic quadrilateral is produced then the exterior angle is equal to the interior opposite angle.

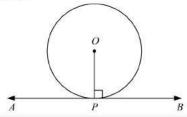
**Explanation** If the side AB of a cyclic quadrilateral ABCD is produced then  $\angle 1 = \angle 2$ .



#### THEOREMS ON TANGENTS

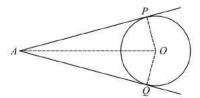
17. A tangent at any point of a circle is perpendicular to the radius through the point of contact.

**Explanation** If AB is a tangent at a point P to a circle C(O, r) then  $PO \perp AB$ 



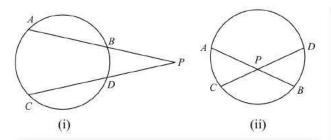
- 18. (Converse of above theorem) A line drawn through the end of a radius and perpendicular to it, is a tangent to the circle.
- **19.** The lengths of two tangents drawn from an external point to a circle are equal.

**Explanation** If two tangents AP and AQ are drawn from a point A to a circle C(O, r), then AP = AQ



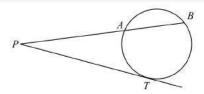
**20.** If two chords *AB* and *CD* intersect internally (ii) or externally (i) at a point *P* then

$$PA \times PB = PC \times PD$$



**21.** If PAB is a secant to a circle intersecting the circle at A and B is a tangent segment then  $PA \times PB = PT^2$  (refer the figure below).

(popularly known as Tangent-Secant theorem)



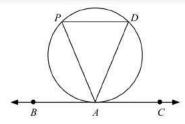
22. Alternate Segment Theorem:

In the figure below, if BAC is the tangent at A to a circle and if AD is any chord, then

$$\angle DAC = \angle APD$$
 and

$$\angle PAB = \angle PDA$$

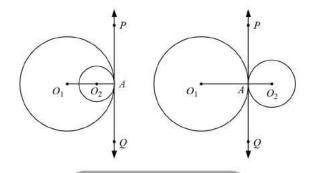
(Angles in alternate segment)



Note: The converse of the above theorem is true.

23. If two circles touch each other internally or externally, the point of contact lies on the line joining their centres.

**Explanation** If two circles with centre  $O_1$  and  $O_2$  which touch each other internally (i) or externally (ii), at a point A then the point A lies on the line  $O_1$   $O_2$ , i.e., three points A,  $O_1$  and  $O_2$  are collinear.

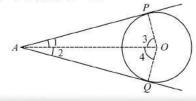


# SOME USEFUL RESULTS

- 1. There is one and only one circle passing through three non-collinear points.
- Two circles are congruent if and only if they have equal radii.
- **3.** Of any two chords of a circle, the one which is greater is nearer to the centre.
- **4.** Of any two chords of a circle, the one which is nearer to the centre is greater.
- If two circles intersect in two points, then the line through the centres is the perpendicular bisector of the common chord.
- Angle in a major segment of a circle is acute and angle in a minor segment is obtuse.
- 7. If two tangents are drawn to a circle from an external point then
  - (i) they subtend equal angles at the centre.
  - (ii) they are equally inclined to the segment, joining the centre to that point.

**Explanation** In a circle C(O,r), A is a point outside it and AP and AQ are the tangents drawn to the circle

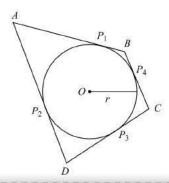
Then, 
$$\angle 1 = \angle 2$$
 and  $\angle 3 = \angle 4$ 



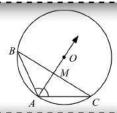
**8.** If a circle touches all the four sides of a quadrilateral then the sum of opposite pair of sides are equal.

**Explanation** If ABCD is a circumscribed quadrilateral.

Then, 
$$AB + CD = AD + BC$$

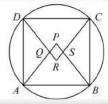


9. If two chords AB and AC of a circle are equal, then the bisector of  $\angle BAC$  passes through the centre O of the circle.



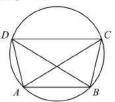
**10.** The quadrilateral formed by angle bisectors of a cyclic quadrilateral is also cyclic.

**Explanation** If ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral in which AP, BP, CR and DR are the bisectors of  $\angle A$ ,  $\angle B$ ,  $\angle C$  and  $\angle D$ , respectively, then quadrilateral PORS is also cyclic.



11. A cyclic trapezium is isoceles and its diagonals are equal.

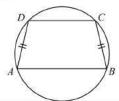
**Explanation** If ABC cyclic trapezium such that  $AB \parallel DC$ , then AD = BC and AC = BD



**12.** If two opposite sides of a cyclic quadrilateral are equal, then the other two sides are parallel.

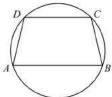
**Explanation** A cyclic quadrilateral ABCD in which AD = BC

Then,  $AB \parallel CD$ 



13. An isoceles trapezium is always cyclic.

**Explanation** A trapezium ABCD in which  $AB \parallel CD$  and AD = BC



Then, ABCD is a cyclic trapezium.

**14.** Any four vertices of a regular pentagon are *concyclic* (lie on the same circle).

# **Practice Exercises**

# DIFFICULTY LEVEL-1 (BASED ON MEMORY)

- The two sides of a right triangle containing the right angle measure 3 cm and 4 cm. The radius of the incircle of the triangle is:
  - (a) 3.5 cm
- (b) 1.75 cm
- (c) 1 cm
- (d) 0.875 cm

[Based on MAT, 2003]

- 2. In a trapezium, one diagonal divides the other in the ratio 1:4. If the smaller of the two parallel sides is of length 3 cm, then the length of the other parallel side is:
  - (a) 9 cm
- (b) 12 cm
- (c) 15 cm
- (d) None of these

- 3. The ratio of the sum of the squares of the sides of a triangle and that of the sum of the squares of its median is:
  - (a) 1:2
- (b) 4:3
- (c) 3:4
- (d) 2:3
- 4. In a triangle ABC, the lengths of the sides AB, AC and BC are 3, 5 and 6 cm, respectively. If a point D on BC is drawn such that the line AD bisects the angle A internally, then what is the length of BD?
  - (a) 2 cm
- (b) 2.25 cm
- (c) 2.5 cm
- (d) 3 cm

[Based on MAT, 2003]

- 5. In a triangle ABC,  $\angle A = x^{\circ}$ ,  $\angle B = y^{\circ}$  and  $\angle C = (y + 20)^{\circ}$ . If 4x - y = 10, then the triangle is:
  - (a) Right angled
- (b) Obtuse angled
- (c) Equilateral
- (d) None of these

[Based on MAT, 2003]

- 6. If one of the diagonals of a rhombus is equal to its side, then the diagonals of the rhombus are in the ratio:
  - (a)  $\sqrt{3}:1$
- (b)  $\sqrt{2}:1$
- (c) 3: 1
- (d) 2:1

[Based on MAT, 2003]

- 7. If P and Q are the mid points of the sides CA and GB respectively of a triangle ABC, right angled at C. Then the value of  $4(AQ^2 + BP^2)$  is equal to:
  - (a)  $4 BC^2$
- (b)  $5 AB^2$
- (c)  $2AC^2$
- (d)  $2 BC^2$

[Based on MAT, 2003]

- 8. In a quadrilateral ABCD,  $\angle B = 90^{\circ}$  and  $AD^2 = AB^2 + BC^2$  $+ CD^2$ , then  $\angle ACD$  is equal to:
  - (a) 90°
- $(c) 30^{\circ}$
- (d) None of these

[Based on MAT, 2003]

- **9.** ABCD is a square, F is mid point of AB and E is a point on BC such that BE is one-third of BC. If area of  $\Delta FBE =$  $108 \text{ m}^2$ , then the length of AC is:
  - (a) 63 m
- (b)  $36\sqrt{2}$  m
- (c)  $63\sqrt{2}$  m
- (d)  $72\sqrt{2}$  m

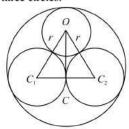
[Based on MAT, 2003]

- 10. Two circles with radii 'a' and 'b' respectively touch each other externally. Let 'c' be the radius of a circle that touches these two circles as well as a common tagent to the two circles. Then:

  - (a)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{b}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{c}}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{b}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{c}}$
  - (c)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{b}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{c}}$  (d) None of these

[Based on MAT, 2002]

11. Two circles of unit radius touch each other and each of them touches internally a circle of radius two as shown in the following figure. The radius of the circle which touches all the three circles:



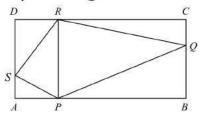
(a) 5

(c)  $\frac{2}{3}$ 

(d) None of these

[Based on MAT, 2002]

12. ABCD is a parallelogram P, Q, R and S are points on sides AB, BC, CD and DA, respectively, such that AP = DR. If the area of the parallelogram ABCD is 16 cm<sup>2</sup>, then the area of the quadrilateral PORS is:



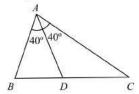
- (a)  $6 \, \text{cm}^2$
- (b)  $6.4 \text{ cm}^2$
- (c)  $4 \text{ cm}^2$
- (d) 8 cm<sup>2</sup>

[Based on MAT, 2002]

- 13. Let ABC be an acute-angled triangle and CD be the altitude through C. If AB = 8 and CD = 6, then the distance between the mid-points of AD and BC is:
  - (a) 36
- (b) 25
- (c) 27
- (d) 5

[Based on MAT, 2002]

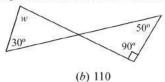
- 14. The perimeters of two similar triangles ABC and PQR are 36 cm and 24 cm respectively. If PQ = 10 cm, the length of AB is:
  - (a) 16 cm
- (b) 12 cm
- (c) 14 cm
- (d) 15 cm
- 15. In the following figure, if BC = 8 cm, AB = 6 cm, AC =9 cm, then DC is equal to:



- (a) 7 cm
- (b) 4.8 cm
- (c) 7.2 cm
- (d) 4.5 cm

[Based on MAT, 2001]

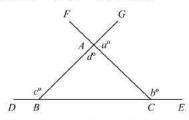
**16.** In the figure given below, what is the value of w?



- (a) 100
- (c) 120
- (d) 130

Note: The diagram is not drawn to scale.

**17.** It is given that  $d^0 = 70^\circ$ ,  $b^0 = 120^\circ$ . Then:



- (a)  $c^{\circ} = 130^{\circ}$
- (b)  $a^{\circ} = 110^{\circ}$
- (c) Both (a) and (b) are correct
- (d) Both (a) and (b) are wrong
- **18.** The sum of the interior angles of a polygon is 1620°. The number of sides of the polygon are:
  - (a) 9

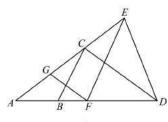
- (b) 11
- (c) 15
- (d) 12

[Based on MAT, 2001]

- 19. How many sides a regular polygon has with its interior angle eight times its exterior angle?
  - (a) 16
- (b) 24
- (c) 18
- (d) 20

[Based on MAT, 2001]

**20.** In the figure below, AB = BC = CD = DE = EF = FG = GA. Then  $\angle DAE$  is approximately:



- (a) 15°
- $(b) 20^{\circ}$
- (c) 30°
- (d) 25°
- 21. Find the distance of a perpendicular from the centre of a circle to the chord if the diameter of the circle is 30 cm and its chord is 24 cm.

- (a) 6 cm
- (b) 7 cm
- (c) 9 cm
- (d) 10 cm

[Based on I.P. Univ., 2002]

- 22. In a cyclic quadrilateral ABCD, ∠A is double its opposite angle and the difference between the other two angles is one-third of ∠A. The minimum difference between any two angles of this quadrilateral is:
  - (a) 30°
- (b) 10°
- (c) 20°
- (d) 40°

[Based on MAT (Sept), 2010]

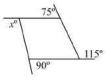
- 23. Rama owns a piece of land in the shape of a right triangle. Its hypotenuse is 3 m more than twice the shortest side. If the perimeter of the piece of land is six times the shortest side, find the dimensions of the piece of land.
  - (a) 6, 15, 12
- (b) 5, 12, 13
- (c) 4, 9, 11
- (d) None of these

[Based on MAT (May), 2010]

- An angle is equal to one-third of its supplement. Find its measure.
  - (a) 60°
- (b)  $80^{\circ}$
- (c) 90°
- (d) 45°

[Based on MAT (Sept), 2007]

25. The sides of a quadrilateral are extended to make the angles as shown below:



What is the value of x?

- (a) 100
- (b) 90
- (c) 80
- (d) 75

[Based on MAT, 1997]

- **26.** The altitude of an equilateral triangle of side *a* is:
  - (a)  $\frac{\sqrt{}}{}$
- (b)  $\frac{2a}{\sqrt{3}}$
- (c)  $\frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}$
- (d)  $a\sqrt{3}$

[Based on MAT, 1998]

- 27. Two isosceles triangles have equal vertical angles and their areas are in the ratio of 9:16. The ratio of their corresponding heights is:
  - (a) 1:2
- (b) 2:3
- (c) 3:4
- (d) 4:5

[Based on MAT, 1998]

28	A circle of 30 cm diame	ter has a 24 cm chord. The distance	25	In a triangle 4Pa	$C$ , $\angle A = 90^{\circ}$ and $D$ is mid-point of $AC$ .				
20.		om the centre to the chord is:	33.	The value of $BC^2 - BD^2$ is equal to:					
	(a) 9 cm	(b) 5 cm		(a) $AD^2$	(b) $2 AD^2$				
	(c) 7 cm	(d) 10 cm		(c) $3 AD^2$	(d) $4 AD^2$				
		[Based on MAT, 1998]			[Based on MAT, 2000]				
29.	circumference to the ne	is tripled, then the ratio of the new ew diameter will be:	<b>36.</b> ABC is a triangle with $\angle BAC = 60^{\circ}$ . A point P lies or one-third of the way from B to C, and AP bisects $\angle BAC \angle APC =$ :						
	(a) $\frac{\pi}{2}$	(b) 9π		(a) 30°	(b) 45°				
	(c) 3π	(d) π		(c) 60°	(d) 90°				
	(6) 31	[Based on MAT, 1998]	533						
30.		ircles, one lying inside another, are the minimum distance between their	37. A wire is in the form of a circle of radius 35 cm. If it is bent into the shape of a rhombus, what is the side of the rhombus?						
		e distance between their centres is:		(a) 32 cm	(b) 70 cm				
	(a) $a-b-c$	(b) a+b-c		(c) 55 cm	(d) 17 cm				
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	$(c) \ \frac{1}{2} (a-b-c)$	(d) $\frac{1}{2}(a-b)-c$ [Based on MAT, 1998]	38.	. <i>ABC</i> is a triangle with $\angle CAB = 15^{\circ}$ and $\angle ABC = 30^{\circ}$ . If <i>M</i> is the midpoint of <i>AB</i> , then $\angle ACM = :$					
21				(a) 15°	(b) 30°				
31.		indow which is 12 m above the the street. Keeping its foot at the		(c) 45°	(d) 60°				
	same point, the ladder	is turned to the other side of the w 9 m high. Find the width of the	39.	39. A triangle with sides 13 cm, 14 cm and 15 cm is in a circle. The radius of the circle inscribed in the t					
	(a) 21 m	(b) 12 m		is:	45 A				
	(c) 9 m	(d) None of these		(a) 2 cm	(b) 3 cm				
		[Based on MAT, 1999]		(c) 4 cm	(d) 5 cm				
32.	deliver a letter. He ther of 50 m for delivering a between the two places	ingliend	(Based on FMS, 2006) 40. Two tangents are drawn to a circle from an exterior poin A; they touch the circle at points B and C, respectively. A third tangent intersects segment AB in P and AC in R, and						
	(a) 70 m	(b) 120 m		triangle APR is:	e at $Q$ . If $AB = 20$ , then the perimeter of				
	(c) 130 m	(d) 170 m		(a) 42					
		[Based on MAT, 1999]		(b) 40.5					
33.		cm, two parallel chords are drawn		(c) 40					
		liameter. The distance between the gth of one chord is 16 cm, then the		(d) not determined by the given information					
	length of the other is:	, 01 0110 01010 10 10 0111, 11101 1110		(13 115 ) 315 15 111111	[Based on FMS, 2010]				
	(a) 15 cm	(b) 23 cm	41	Points P and O	are both in the line segment AB and on				
	(c) 30 cm	(d) 34 cm	41.		its midpoint. $P$ divides $AB$ in the ratio				
24	The sides of a fairness.	[Based on MAT, 1999]			es $AB$ in the ratio 3:4. If $PQ = 2$ , then the				
34.		measure 4 cm, 3.4 cm and 2.2 cm. with centres at A, B and C in such		(a) 70	(b) 75				
		touches the other two. Then the		(c) 80	(d) 85				
	diameters of these circl	es would measure (in cm):			[Based on FMS, 2010]				
	(a) 1.11, 1.7, 5.0	(b) 1.6, 2.8, 5.2	42.	Triangle ABD is	right angled at B. On AD there is a point				
	(c) 1.5, 2.9, 5.2	(d) 1.6, 3.0, 5.0		C for which $AC = CD$ and $AB = BC$ . The magnitude of					
		[Based on MAT, 1999]		angle, DAB, in degrees, is:					

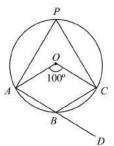
- (a)  $67\frac{1}{2}$
- (b) 60
- (c) 45
- (d) 30

[Based on FMS, 2010]

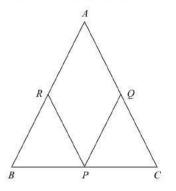
- 43. A circular table is pushed to the corner of a room touching two perpendicular walls. If a point on the edge of the table facing the corner is 8 and 9 cm from the two walls, then the radius of the table (in cm) is:
  - (a) 29
  - (b) 17
  - (c) 5
  - (d) undeterminable from above

[Based on JMET, 2006]

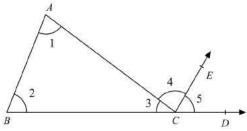
- **44.** AB and CD are two parallel chords of a circle such that AB = 10 cm and CD = 24 cm. If the chords are on opposite sides of the centre and the distance between them is 17 cm, what is the radius of the circle?
  - (a) 14 cm
- (b) 10 cm
- (c) 13 cm
- (d) 15 cm
- 45. In the given figure, O is the centre of the circle. Find  $\angle CBD$ .



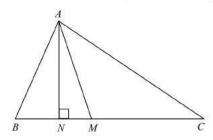
- (a) 140°
- (b) 50°
- (c) 40°
- (d) 130°
- **46.** In a  $\triangle ABC$ , P, Q and R are the mid-points of sides BC, CAand AB, respectively. If AC = 21 cm, BC = 29 cm and AB = 30 cm. The perimeter of the quadrilateral ARPQ is:



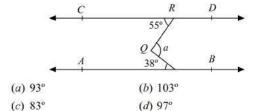
- (a) 91 cm
- (b) 60 cm
- (c) 51 cm
- (d) 70 cm
- **47.** In the given figure, side BC of  $\triangle ABC$  is produced to form ray BD and  $CE \parallel BA$ . Then  $\angle ACD$  is equal to:



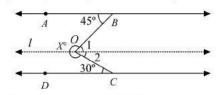
- (a)  $\angle A \angle B$
- (b)  $(\angle A + \angle B)$
- (c)  $\angle A + \angle B$
- (d)  $(\angle A \angle B)$
- **48.** In the given figure, in a  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\angle B = \angle C$ . If AM is the bisector of  $\angle BAC$  and  $AN \perp BC$ , then  $\angle MAN$  is equal to:



- (a)  $\frac{1}{2}(\angle B + \angle C)$  (b)  $\frac{1}{2}(\angle C \angle B)$
- (c)  $\angle B + \angle C$
- $(d) \ \frac{1}{2} (\angle B \angle C)$
- **49.** In figure,  $AB \parallel CD$ ,  $\angle a$  is equal to:



**50.** In the given figure,  $AB \parallel CD$ . Then X is equal to:



- (a) 290°
- (b) 300°
- (c) 280°
- (d) 285°

**51.** In the triangle *ABC*, *MN* is parallel to *AB*. Area of trapezium *ABNM* is twice the area of triangle *CMN*. What is ratio of *CM:AM?* 



- (a)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}+1}$
- (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2}$
- (c)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2}$
- (d) None of these

[Based on SNAP, 2013]

**52.** If *ABCD* is a square and *BCF* is an equilateral triangle, what is the measure of the angle *DEC*?

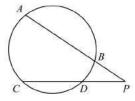


- (a) 15°
- (b) 30°
- (c) 20°
- (d) 45°

[Based on SNAP, 2013]

# DIFFICULTY LEVEL-2 (BASED ON MEMORY)

- **1.** In  $\triangle ABC$ , l(AB) = (AB) = c, l(BC) = a, l(AC) = b. If this triangle is inscribed in a circle, then find the ratio of arc (AB):arc(BC):arc(AC), if  $a:b:c=1:1:\sqrt{3}$ .
  - (a) 1:4:1
- (b)  $\sqrt{3}:1:1$
- (c)  $1:\sqrt{3}:1$
- (d) 4:1:1
- 2. If in the following figure, PA = 8 cm, PD = 4 cm, CD = 3 cm, then AB is:



- (a) 3.0 cm
- (b) 3.5 cm
- (c) 4.0 cm
- (d) 4.5 cm
- 3. With the vertices of a ΔABC as centers, three circles are described, each touching the other two externally. If the sides of the triangle are 4, 6 and 8 cm, respectively, then the sum of the radii of the three circles equals:
  - (a) 10
- (b) 14
- (c) 12
- (d) 9
- 4. The intercepts made by three parallel lines on a transverse line (l<sub>1</sub>) are in the ratio 1:1. A second transverse line (l<sub>2</sub>) making an angle of 30° with (l<sub>1</sub>) is drawn. The corresponding intercepts on (l<sub>2</sub>) are in the ratio:
  - (a) 1:1
- (b) 2:1
- (c) 1:2
- (d) 1:3

- **5.** The degree measure of each of the three angles of a triangle is an integer. Which of the following could not be the ratio of their measures?
  - (a) 2:3:4
- (b) 3:4:5
- (c) 5:6:7
- (d) 6:7:8
- **6.** Three lines are drawn in a plane. Which of the following could not be the total number of points of intersection?
  - (a) 0
  - (b) 1
  - (c) 2
  - (d) All of the above could be the total number of points of intersection

**Directions (Q. 7 to 10):** Use the following information:

ABC forms an equilateral triangle in which B is 2 Km from A. A person starts walking from B in a direction parallel to AC and stops when he reaches a point D directly east of C. He, then, reverses direction and walks till he reaches a point E directly south of C.

- 7. Then *D* is:
  - (a) 3 Km east and 1 Km north of A
  - (b) 3 Km east and  $\sqrt{3}$  Km north of A
  - (c)  $\sqrt{3}$  Km east and 1 Km south of A
  - (d)  $\sqrt{3}$  Km west and 3 Km north of A
- 8. The total distance walked by the person is:
  - (a) 3 Km
- (b) 4 Km
- (c)  $2\sqrt{3}$  Km
- (d) 6 Km
- 9. Consider the five points comprising the vertices of a square and the intersection point of its diagonals. How many triangles can be formed using these points?

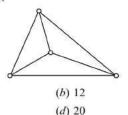
(a) 4

(b) 6

(c) 8

(a) 8 (c) 16

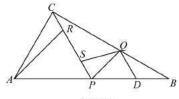
- (d) 10
- 10. Four cities are connected by a road network as shown in the figure. In how many ways can you start from any city and come back to it without travelling on the same road more than once?



Directions (Q. 11 and 12): Answer the questions based on the following information.

Rectangle *PRSU* is divided into two smaller rectangles *PQTU*, and *QRST* by the line TQ. PQ = 10 cm, QR = 5 cm and RS = 10 cm. Points A, B, F are within rectangle *PQTU*, and points C, D, E are within the rectangle *QRST*. The closest pair of points among the pairs (A, C), (A, D), (A, E), (F, C), (F, D), (F, E), (B, C), (B, D), (B, E) are  $10\sqrt{3}$  cm apart.

- 11. Which of the following statements is necessarily true?
  - (a) The closest pair of points among the six given points cannot be (F, C).
  - (b) Distance between A and B is greater than that between F and C.
  - (c) The closest pair of points among the six given points is (C, D), (D, E) or (C, E).
  - (d) None of the above.
- 12. AB > AF > BF; CD > DE > CE; and  $BF = 6\sqrt{5}$ . Which is the closest pair of points among all the six given points?
  - (a) B, F
- (b) C, D
- (c) A, B
- (d) None of these
- 13. In the figure (not drawn to scale) given below, P is a point on AB such that AP:PB = 4:3. PQ is parallel to AC and QD is parallel to CP. In ΔARC, ∠ARC = 90°, and in ΔPQS, ∠PSQ = 90°. The length of QS is 6 cm. What is the ratio AP:PD?

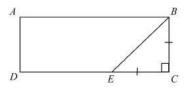


- (a) 10:3
- (b) 2:1
- (c) 7:3
- (d) 8:3
- 14. The radius of the circumcircle of an equilateral triangle of side 12 cm is:

- (a)  $(4/3)\sqrt{3}$
- (b)  $\sqrt{2}$
- (c)  $4\sqrt{3}$
- (d) 4

[Based on HFT, 2003]

**15.** In the diagram below, ABCD is a rectangle. The area of isosceles right triangle BCE is 14, and DE = 3EC. What is the area of ABCD?

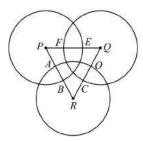


- (a) 112
- (b) 56
- (c) 84

(d)  $3\sqrt{28}$ 

[Based on SCMHRD Ent. Exam., 2003]

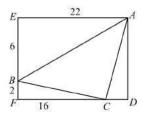
**16.** Below shown are three circles, each of radius 20 and centres at P, Q and R; further AB = 5, CD = 10 and EF = 12. What is the perimeter of the triangle PQR?



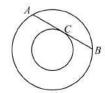
- (a) 120
- (b) 66
- (c) 93
- (d) 87
- 17. There is a circle of radius 1 cm. Each member of sequence of regular polygons  $S_1$  (n), n=4, 5, 6, ..., where n is the number of sides of the polygon, is circumscribing the circle; and each member of the sequence of regular polygons  $S_2$  (n), n=4, 5, 6,..., where n is the number of sides of the polygon, is inscribed in the circle. Let  $L_1$  (n) and  $L_2$  (n) denote the perimeters of the corresponding

polygons of 
$$S_1(n)$$
 and  $S_2(n)$ , then  $\frac{\{L_1(13) + 2\pi\}}{L_2(17)}$  is:

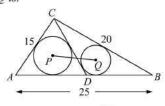
- (a) greater than  $\pi/4$  and less than 1
- (b) greater than 1 and less than 2
- (c) greater than 2
- (d) less than  $\pi/4$
- **18.** In the given figure, EADF is a rectangle and ABC is a triangle whose vertices lie on the sides of EADF AE = 22, BE = 6, CF = 16 and BF = 2. Find the length of the line joining the mid-points of the sides AB and BC.



- (a)  $4\sqrt{2}$
- (b) 5
- (c) 3.5
- (d) None of these
- 19. The line AB is 6 m in length and is tangent to the inner one of the two concentric circle at point C. It is known that the radii of the two circles are integers. The radius of the outer circle is:



- (a) 5 m
- (b) 4 m
- (c) 6 m
- (d) 3 m
- 20. In the given figure, ACB is a right-angled triangle. CD is the altitude. Circles are inscribed within the triangles ACD and BCD, P and Q are the centres of the circles. The distance PO is:

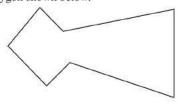


(a) 5

(b)  $\sqrt{50}$ 

(c) 7

- (d) 8
- 21. Find the sum of the degree measures of the internal angles in the polygon shown below.



- (a) 600°
- (b) 720°
- (c) 900°
- (d) 1080°

[Based on SCMHRD, 2002]

22. A semi-circle is drawn with AB as its diameter. From C, a point on AB, a line perpendicular to AB is drawn meeting the circumference of the semi-circle at D. Given that AC = 2 cm and CD = 6 cm, the area of the semi-circle (in cm²) will be:

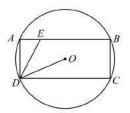
- (a)  $32 \, \text{m cm}^2$
- (b)  $50 \, \pi \, \text{cm}^2$
- (c)  $40.5 \, \pi \, \text{cm}^2$
- (d)  $81 \, \text{m cm}^2$

[Based on CAT, 2006]

- **23.** An equilateral triangle *BPC* is drawn inside a square *ABCD*. What is the value of the angle *APD* in degrees?
  - (a) 75
- (b) 90
- (c) 12
- (d) None of these

[Based on CAT, 2006]

24. In the figure below (not drawn to scale), rectangle ABCD is inscribed in the circle with centre at O. The length of side AB is greater than that of side BC. The ratio of the area of the circle to the area of the rectangle ABCD is  $\pi:\sqrt{3}$ . The line segment DE intersects AB at E such that  $\angle ODC = \angle ADE$ . What is the ratio AE:AD?



- (a)  $1:\sqrt{3}$
- (b)  $1:\sqrt{2}$
- (c)  $1:2\sqrt{3}$
- (d) 1:2
- **25.** Let the radius of each circular park be *r*, and the distance to be traversed by the sprinters *A*, *B* and *C* be *a*, *b* and *c*, respectively. Which of the following is true?

(a) 
$$b-a=c-b=3\sqrt{3} r$$

(b) 
$$b-a=c-b=\sqrt{3} r$$

(c) 
$$b = \frac{a+c}{2} = 2(1+\sqrt{3})r$$

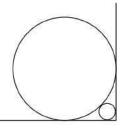
(d) 
$$c = 2b - a = (2 + \sqrt{3})r$$

26. Sprinter A traverses distances  $A_1A_2$ , and  $A_3A_1$  at average speeds of 20, 30 and 15, respectively. B traverses her entire path at a uniform speed of  $\left(10\sqrt{3} + 20\right)$ . C traverses distances  $C_1C_2$ ,  $C_2C_3$  and  $C_3C_1$  at average speeds of  $\frac{40}{3}\left[\sqrt{3}+1\right]$ ,  $\frac{40}{3}\left[\sqrt{3}+1\right]$  and 120, respectively. All

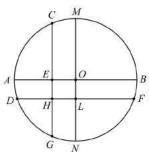
speeds are in the same unit. Where would B and C be respectively, when A finishes her sprint?

- (a)  $B_1, C_1$
- (b)  $B_3, C_3$
- (c)  $B_1, C_3$
- (d)  $B_1$ , somewhere between  $C_3$  and  $C_1$

- 27. Sprinters A, B and C traverse their respective paths at uniform speeds u, v and w respectively. It is known that  $u^2$ ,  $v^2$ ,  $w^2$  is equal to Area A: Area B: Area C, where Area C, Area C and Area C are the areas of triangles C0, C1, C2, C3, respectively. Where would C3 and C4 be when C5 reaches point C3?
  - (a)  $A_2, C_3$
  - (b)  $A_3, C_3$
  - (c)  $A_3, C_2$
  - (d) Somewhere between  $C_3$  and  $C_1$
- **28.** A circle with radius 2 is placed against a right angle. Another smaller circle is also placed as shown in the given figure. What is the radius of the smaller circle?



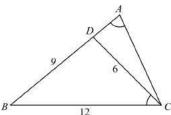
- (a)  $3 2\sqrt{2}$
- (b)  $4-2\sqrt{2}$
- (c)  $7 4\sqrt{2}$
- (d)  $6 4\sqrt{2}$
- **29.** If a parallelogram with area *P*, a rectangle with area *R* and a triangle with area *T* are all constructed on the same base and all have the same altitude, then a false statement is:
  - (a) P = 2T
- (b)  $T = \frac{1}{2}R$
- (c) P = R
- (d) None of these
- 30. In a circle of radius 10 cm, a chord is drawn 6 cm from the centre. If a chord half the length of the original chord was drawn, its distance in centimetres from the centre would be:
  - (a)  $\sqrt{84}$
- (b) 9
- (c) 8
- (d)  $3\pi$
- 31. In the following figure, the diameter of circle is 3 cm. AB and MN are two diameters such that MN is perpendicular to AB. In addition, CG is perpendicular to AB such that AE:EB = 1:2 and DF is perpendicular to MN such that NL:LM = 1:2. The length of DH in cm is:



(a) 
$$2\sqrt{2}-1$$
 (b)  $\frac{(2\sqrt{2}-1)}{2}$ 

(c) 
$$\frac{(3\sqrt{2}-1)}{2}$$
 (d)  $\frac{(2\sqrt{2}-1)}{3}$ 

32. Consider the triangle ABC shown in the following figure where BC = 12 cm, DB = 9 cm, CD = 6 cm and  $\angle BCD = \angle BAC$ .



What is the ratio of 'the perimeter of the triangle *ADC* to that of the triangle *BDC*?

- (a)  $\frac{7}{9}$
- (b)  $\frac{8}{6}$
- (c)  $\frac{6}{9}$

- (d)  $\frac{5}{9}$
- **33.** Three circles *A*, *B* and *C* have a common centre *O*. *A* is the inner circle, *B* middle circle and *C* is outer circle. The radius of the outer circle. *OP* cuts the inner circle at *X* and middle circle at *Y* such that *OX* = *XY* = *YP*. The ratio of the area of the region between the inner and middle circles to the area of the region between and outer circle is:
  - (a)  $\frac{1}{3}$
- (b)  $\frac{2}{5}$
- (c)  $\frac{3}{5}$

- $(d) \frac{1}{5}$
- **34.** Any five points are taken inside or on a square of side 1. Let *a* be the smallest possible number with the property that it is always possible to select one pair of points from these five such that the distance between them is equal to or less than *a*. Then *a* is:
  - (a)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$
- (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$
- (c)  $\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$
- (d) 1

[Based on FMS, 2010]

- 35. The point A, B and C are on a circle O. The tangent line at A and the secant BC intersect at P, B lying between C and P. If  $\overline{BC} = 20$  and  $\overline{PA} = 10\sqrt{3}$ , then  $\overline{PB}$  equals:
  - (a) 5
- (b) 10
- (c)  $10\sqrt{3}$
- (d) 20

[Based on FMS, 2011]

**36.** A rectangle inscribed in a triangle has its base coinciding with the base *b* of the triangle. If the altitude of the triangle

is h, and the altitude x of the rectangle is half the base of the rectangle, then:

$$(a) x = \frac{1}{2}h$$

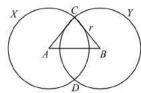
$$(b) x = \frac{bh}{h+b}$$

(c) 
$$x = \frac{bh}{2h + b}$$
 (d)  $x = \sqrt{\frac{hb}{2}}$ 

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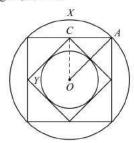
[Based on FMS, 2011]

37. Two circles X and Y with centres A and B intersect at C



Area of circle X is 4 times area of circle Y. Then AB = ?

- (a) 5r
- (b)  $\sqrt{5}r$
- (c) 3r
- (d)  $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}r$
- **38.** In the given figure, OA = R.



What is the ratio of areas of circle X and Y?

- (a) 2:1
- (b) 4:1
- (c) 3:1
- (d) 8:1
- 39. A pole has to be erected on the boundary of a circular park of diameter 13 m in such a way that the difference of its distances from two diametrically opposite fixed gates A and B on the boundary is 7 m. The distance of the pole from one of the gate is
  - (a) 8 m
- (b) 8.25 m
- (c) 5 m
- (d) None of the above

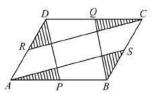
[Based on ITFT, 2008]

- **40.** If D is the mid point of side BC of a  $\triangle ABC$  and AD is the perpendicular to AC, then

  - (a)  $3AC^2 = BC^2 AB^2$  (b)  $3BC^2 = AC^2 3AB^2$
  - (c)  $BC^2 + AC^2 = 5AB^2$
- (d) None of these

[Based on ITFT, 2008]

41. In the parallelogram ABCD, P, Q, R and S are mid-points of the sides AB, CD, DA and BC respectively. AS, BQ, CR and DP are joined. Find the ratio of the area of the shaded region to the area of the parallelogram ABCD.



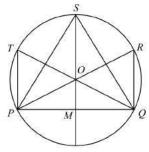
- **42.** ABC is a triangle with  $\angle CAB = 15^{\circ}$  and  $\angle ABC = 30^{\circ}$ . If M is the mid point of AB, then  $\angle ACM =$ 
  - (a) 15°
- (b) 30°
- (c) 45°
- (d) 60°

[Based on XAT, 2007]

- **43.** ABC is a triangle with  $\angle BAC = 60^{\circ}$ . A point P lies on one-third of the way from B to C, and AP bisects  $\angle BAC$ .  $\angle APC =$ 
  - (a) 30°
- (b) 45°
- (c) 60°
- (d) 90°

[Based on XAT, 2007]

**44.** In the adjoining figure, the measure of  $\angle POO$  is equal to 128° and on extension SO is perpendicular to chord PO of the circle with centre O. The measure of  $\angle TPS$  is:



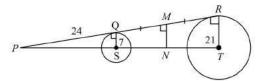
- (a) 36°
- (b) 26°
- (c) 34°
- (d) 32°
- **45.** ABCD is a rectangle with AD = 10. P is a point on BC such that  $\angle APD = 90^{\circ}$ . If DP = 8, then the length of BP is:
  - (a) 3.6
- (b) 6.4
- (c) 5.2
- (d) 4.8

[Based on XAT, 2008]

- **46.** In a triangle ABC, AB = 3, BC = 4 and CA = 5. Point D is the midpoint of AB, point E is on segment AC and point F is on segment BC. If AE = 1.5 and BF = 0.5, then  $\angle DEF =$ 
  - (a) 30°
- (b) 45°
- (c) 60°
- (d) 75°

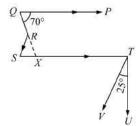
[Based on XAT, 2008]

**47.** In the given figure, PQ = 24. M is the mid-point of QR.



Also,  $MN \perp PR$ , QS = 7 and TR = 21, then SN = ?

- (a)  $\frac{25}{2}$
- (b) 25
- (c) 50
- (d) Cannot be determined
- **48.** In the given figure,  $PQ \parallel ST$ ,  $TV \parallel RS$  and  $TU \perp ST$ . Find  $\angle QRS$ .



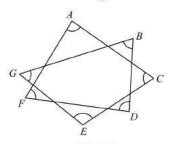
- (a) 120°
- (b) 125°
- (c) 135°
- (d) None of these
- **49.** In a quadrilateral *ABCD*, *BC* = 10, *CD* = 14, *AD* = 12 and  $\angle CBA = \angle BAD = 60^{\circ}$ . If  $AB = a + \sqrt{b}$ , where *a* and *b* are positive integers, then a + b is equal to:
  - (a) 193
- (b) 201
- (c) 204
- (d) 207

[Based on XAT, 2009]

- 50. Two poles, of height 2 m and 3 m, are 5 m apart. The height of the point of intersection of the lines joining the top of each pole to the foot of the opposite pole is
  - (a) 1.2 m
- (b) 1.0 m
- (c) 5.0 m
- (d) 3.0 m

[Based on XAT, 2010]

**51.** All line segments are straight. Find the sum of the angles at the corners marked in the diagram.



- (a) 360°
- (b) 450°
- (c) 540°
- (d) 630°

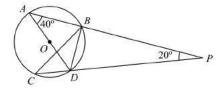
- **52.** A 25 ft long ladder is placed against the wall with its base 7 ft from the wall. The base of the ladder is drawn out so that the top comes down by half the distance that the base is drawn out. This distance is in the range:
  - (a)(2,7)
- (b) (5, 8)
- (c) (9, 10)
- (d)(3,7)

[Based on XAT, 2011]

- 53. Consider a square ABCD of side 60 cm. It contains arcs BD and AC drawn with centres at A and D, respectively. A circle is drawn such that it is tangent to side AB and the arcs BD and AC. What is the radius of the circle?
  - (a) 9 cm
- (b) 10 cm
- (c) 12 cm
- (d) 15 cm

[Based on XAT, 2011]

54. PBA and PDC are two secants. AD is the diameter of the circle with centre at O. ∠A = 40°, ∠P = 20°. Find the measure of ∠DBC.



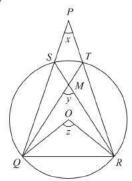
- (a) 30°
- (b) 45°
- (c) 50°
- (d) 40°
- 55. A straight line through point P of a triangle PQR intersects the side QR at the point S and the circum circle of the triangle PQR at the point T. If S is not the centre of the circum circle, then which of the following is true?

(a) 
$$(1/PS) + (1/ST) < 2/\sqrt{(QS)(QR)}$$

- (b) (1/PS) + (1/ST) < 4/QR
- (c)  $(1/PS) + (1/ST) > 1/\sqrt{(QS)(QR)}$
- (d) (1/PS) + (1/ST) > 4/QR

[Based on XAT, 2011]

**56.** In the given figure, *O* is the centre of the circle. Then  $\angle x + \angle y$  is equal to:



- (a) 2∠z
- (b)  $\frac{\angle z}{2}$
- (c) ∠z
- (d) None of these
- **57.** In a right-angled triangle  $\Delta PQR$  with  $\overline{PQ} \neq \overline{QR}$ , M is point on its hypotenuse PR, L and N are feet of the perpendiculars from M on PQ and QR, respectively.  $\overline{LN}$  will be minimized when:
  - (a)  $\Delta POM$  and  $\Delta POR$  are similar
  - (b) M is the mid point of PR
  - (c)  $m\angle POM = m\angle MOR = 45^{\circ}$
  - (d)  $\overline{PM}:\overline{MR}=\overline{PQ}:\overline{QR}$

[Based on JMET, 2006]

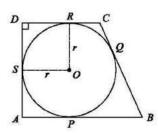
- **58.** In  $\triangle QR$ ,  $\overline{PQ} = \overline{PR}$  and  $m \angle QPR = 20^{\circ}$ , S is a point on PR such that  $m \angle SQR = 60^{\circ}$  and T is a point on PQ such that  $m \angle TRQ = 50^{\circ}$ . Then  $m \angle STR$  equals:
  - (a) 60°
- (b) 70°
- (c) 80°
- (d) 90°

[Based on JMET, 2006]

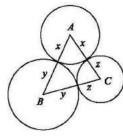
- 59. A city has a park shaped as a right-angled triangle. The length of the longest side of this park is 80 m. The Mayor of the city wants to construct three paths from the corner point opposite to the longest side such that these three paths divide the longest side into four equal segments. Determine the sum of the squares of the lengths of the three paths.
  - (a) 4000 m
- (b) 4800 m
- (c) 5600 m
- (d) 6400 m

[Based on XAT, 2012]

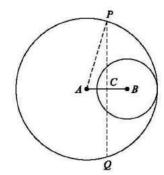
**60.** In the given figure, ABCD is a quadrilateral in which  $\angle O = 90^{\circ}$ . A circle C(0, r) touches the sides AB, BC, CD and DA at P, Q, R, S respectively. If BC = 38 cm, CD = 25 cm and BP = 27 cm, find the value of r.



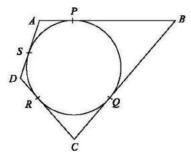
- (a) 14 cm
- (b) 15 cm
- (c) 10 cm
- (d) 16 cm
- 61. With the vertices of a ΔABC as centres, three circles are described, each touching the other two externally. If the sides of the Δ are 9 cm, 7 cm and 6 cm, find the radii of the circles.



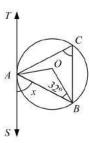
- (a) 4 cm, 7 cm and 3 cm
- (b) 7 cm, 5 cm and 2 cm
- (c) 5 cm, 4 cm and 3 cm
- (d) 4 cm, 5 cm and 2 cm
- 62. In the given figure, two circle with centres A and B of radii 5 cm and 3 cm touch each other internally. If the perpendicular bisector of segment AB meets the bigger circle in P and Q, find the length of PQ.



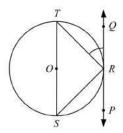
- (a)  $4\sqrt{6}$  cm
- (b)  $\sqrt{24}$
- (c)  $8\sqrt{3}$  cm
- (d)  $4\sqrt{3}$  cm
- 63. In the given figure, a circle touches all the four sides of quadrilateral ABCD whose sides AB = 6 cm, BC = 7 cm and CD = 4 cm. Find AD.



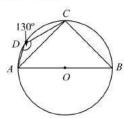
- (a) 5 cm
- (b) 4 cm
- (c) 3 cm
- (d) 2 cm
- **64.** In the given figure, TAS is a tangent to the circle at the point A. If  $\angle OBA = 32^{\circ}$ , what is the value of x?



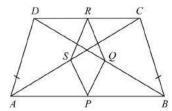
- (a) 64°
- (b) 40°
- (c) 58°
- (d) 50°
- 65. In the given figure, ST is a diameter of the circle with centre O and PQ is the tangent at a point R. If  $\angle TRQ =$  $40^{\circ}$ , what is  $\angle RTS$ .



- (a) 40°
- (b) 50°
- (c) 60°
- (d) 30°
- **66.** In the given figure, ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral whose side AB is a diameter of the circle through A, B and C. If  $\angle ADC = 130^{\circ}$ , find  $\angle CAB$ .

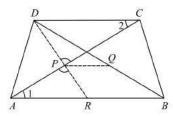


- (a) 40°
- (b) 50°
- (c) 30°
- (d) 130°
- **67.** ABCD is trapezium in which  $AB \parallel DC$  and AD = BC. If P, Q, R, S be respectively the mid-point of BA, BD and CD, CA, then PQRS is a:



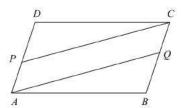
- (a) Rhombus
- (b) Rectangle
- (c) Parallelogram
- (d) Square

68. ABCD is a trapezium and P, Q are the mid-points of the diagonals AC and BD. Then PQ is equal to:

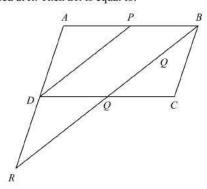


- (a)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (AB) (b)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (CD)
- (c)  $\frac{1}{2} (AB CD)$  (d)  $\frac{1}{2} (AB + CD)$
- 69. ABCD is a parallelogram. P is a point on AD such that  $AP = \frac{1}{3}AD$  and Q is a point on BC such that  $CQ = \frac{1}{3}BC$ .

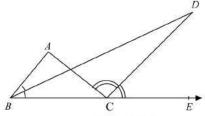
Then AQCP is a:



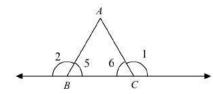
- (a) Parallelogram
- (b) Rhombus
- (c) Rectangle
- (d) Square
- **70.** P is the mid-point of side AB to a parallelogram ABCD. A line through B parallel to PD meets DC at Q and AD produced at R. Then BR is equal to:



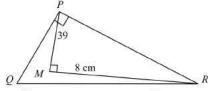
- (a) BQ
- (b)  $\frac{1}{2}$
- (c) 2BQ
- (d) None of these
- 71. In the figure, BD and CD are angle bisectors of  $\angle ABC$  and  $\angle ACE$ , respectively, then  $\angle BDC$  is equal to:



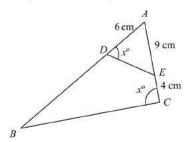
- (a) ∠BAC
- (b) 2 ∠BAC
- (c)  $\frac{1}{2} \angle BAC$
- (d)  $\frac{1}{3} \angle BAC$
- 72. In the given figure, the side BC of a  $\triangle ABC$  is produced on both sides, then  $\angle 1 + \angle 2$  is equal to:



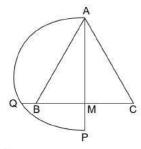
- (a)  $\angle A + 180^{\circ}$
- (b)  $180^{\circ} \angle A$
- (c)  $\frac{1}{2} (\angle A + 180^{\circ})$
- (d)  $\angle A + 90^{\circ}$
- 73. In the given figure  $\angle QPR = 90^{\circ}$ , QR = 26 cm, PM = 6 cm, MR = 8 cm and  $\angle PMR = 90^{\circ}$ , find the area of  $\triangle PQR$ .



- (a)  $180 \text{ cm}^2$
- (b)  $240 \text{ cm}^2$
- (c)  $120 \text{ cm}^2$
- (d)  $150 \, \text{cm}^2$
- 74. In the given figure, find the length of BD.



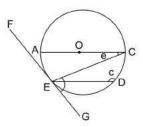
- (a) 13.5 cm
- (b) 12 cm
- (c) 14.5 cm
- (d) 15 cm
- 75. In the figure alongside,  $\triangle ABC$  is an equilateral triangle with area S. M is the mid-point of BC and P is a point on AM extended such that MP = BM. If the semi-circle on AP intersects CB extended at Q and the area of a square with MQ as a side is T, which of the following is true?



- (a)  $T = \sqrt{2}S$
- (b) T = S
- (c)  $T = \sqrt{3}S$
- (d) T = 2S

[Based on CAT, 2011]

**76.** In the figure alongside, O is the centre of the circle and AC is the diameter. The line FEG is tangent to the circle at E. If  $\angle GEC = 52^{\circ}$ , find the value of  $\angle e + \angle c$ .



- (a) 154°
- (b) 156°
- (c) 166°
- (d) 180°

[Based on CAT, 2011]

77. If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the roots of the quadratic equation  $x^2 - 10x + 15 = 0$ , then find the quadratic equation whose roots are

$$\left(\alpha + \frac{\alpha}{\beta}\right)$$
 and  $\left(\beta + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}\right)$ .

- (a)  $15x^2 + 71x + 210 = 0$
- (b)  $5x^2 22x + 56 = 0$
- (c)  $3x^2 44x + 78 = 0$
- (d) Cannot be determined

[Based on CAT, 2012]

- 78. In the given diagram CT is tangent at C, making an angle of 45° with CD. O is the centre of circle, CD = 10 cm. What is the perimeter of the shaded region ( $\triangle AOC$ ) approximately?
  - (a) 25 cm
- (b) 26 cm
- (c) 27 cm
- (d) 28 cm

[Based on CAT, 2013]

79. In the adjoining figure, the diameter of the larger circle is 20 cm and the smaller circle touches internally the larger circle at P and passes through O, the centre of the larger circle. Chord SP cuts the smaller circle at R and OR is equal to 8 cm. What is the length of chord SP?



(a) 9 cm

(b) 6 cm

(c) 12 cm

(d) 14 cm

[Based on CAT, 2013]

**80.** Triangle *ABC* is a right angled triangle. *D* and *E* are mid points of *AB* and *BC* respectively.

I. AE = 19

II. CD = 22

III. Angle B is a right angle.

[Based on XAT, 2014]

Which of the following statements would be sufficient to determine the length of AC?

- (a) Statement I and statement II
- (b) Statement I and statement III
- (c) Statement II and III
- (d) Statement III alone.
- (e) All three statements.
- **81.** There are two circles  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  of radii 3 and 8 units respectively. The common internal tangent, T, touches the circle at points  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  respectively. The line joining the

centers of the circles intersects T at X. The distance of X from the center of the smaller circle is 5 units. What is the length of the line segment  $P_1$   $P_2$ ?

(a) ≤13

(b) >13 and  $\leq 14$ 

(c) >14 and  $\leq 15$ 

 $(d) > 15 \text{ and } \le 16$ 

(e) > 16

[Based on XAT, 2014]

- **82.** In quadrilateral *PQRS*, *PQ* = 5 units, *QR* = 17 units, *RS* = 5 units, and *PS* = 9 units. The length of the diagonal *QS* can be:
  - (a) >10 and <12

(b) > 12 and < 14

(c) > 14 and < 16

(d) > 16 and < 18

(e) Cannot be determined

[Based on XAT, 2014]

- 83. Circle  $C_1$  has a radius of 3 units. The line segment PQ is the only diameter of the circle which is parallel to the X axis. P and Q are points on curves given by the equation  $y = a^x$  and  $y = 2a^x$  respectively, where a < 1. The value of a is:
  - (a)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt[6]{2}}$

 $(b) \ \frac{1}{\sqrt[6]{3}}$ 

(c)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{6}}$ 

(d)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$ 

(e) None of the above

[Based on XAT, 2014]

# **Answer Keys**

# DIFFICULTY LEVEL-1

1. (c)	2. (b)	3. (b)	<b>4.</b> (b)	5. (a)	<b>6.</b> (a)	7. (b)	8. (a)	<b>9.</b> (b)	<b>10.</b> (c)	11. (c)	12. (d)	13. (d)
<b>14.</b> (d)	15. (b)	<b>16.</b> (b)	17. (c)	<b>18.</b> (b)	<b>19.</b> (c)	<b>20.</b> (d)	<b>21.</b> (c)	<b>22.</b> (b)	<b>23.</b> (b)	24. (d)	25. (c)	<b>26.</b> (a)
<b>27.</b> (c)	<b>28.</b> (a)	29. (d)	<b>30.</b> ( <i>d</i> )	<b>31.</b> (a)	<b>32.</b> (c)	<b>33.</b> (c)	<b>34.</b> (b)	<b>35.</b> (c)	<b>36.</b> (c)	<b>37.</b> (c)	38. (c)	<b>39.</b> (c)
<b>40.</b> (c)	<b>41.</b> (a)	<b>42.</b> (b)	43. (d)	44. (c)	45. (d)	46. (c)	47. (c)	48. (d)	<b>49.</b> (a)	50. (d)	51. (c)	<b>52.</b> (a)

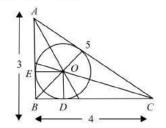
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1. (d)	2. (d)	3. (d)	<b>4.</b> (a)	5. (d)	<b>6.</b> (d)	7. (b)	8. (d)	9. (c)	<b>10.</b> (b)	11. (d)	<b>12.</b> (d)	13. (c)
14. (c)	15. (a)	<b>16.</b> (c)	17. (c)	<b>18.</b> (b)	<b>19.</b> (a)	<b>20.</b> (c)	<b>21.</b> (b)	<b>22.</b> (b)	23. (d)	<b>24.</b> (a)	25. (a)	26. (c)
27. (b)	28. (d)	29. (a, c)	<b>30.</b> (a)	<b>31.</b> (b)	<b>32.</b> (a)	<b>33.</b> (c)	<b>34.</b> (b)	<b>35.</b> (b)	<b>36.</b> (c)	<b>37.</b> (b)	<b>38.</b> (b)	<b>39.</b> (c)
<b>40.</b> (a)	<b>41.</b> (a)	<b>42.</b> (c)	<b>43.</b> (d)	<b>44.</b> (d)	<b>45.</b> (a)	46. (b)	47. (b)	<b>48.</b> (c)	49. (c)	<b>50.</b> (a)	<b>51.</b> (c)	52. (d)
<b>53.</b> (b)	<b>54.</b> (a)	<b>55.</b> ( <i>d</i> )	<b>56.</b> (c)	<b>57.</b> (c)	<b>58.</b> (c)	59. (c)	<b>60.</b> (a)	<b>61</b> . (d)	<b>62.</b> (a)	<b>63.</b> (c)	<b>64.</b> (c)	<b>65.</b> (b)
<b>66.</b> (a)	<b>67.</b> (a)	<b>68.</b> (c)	<b>69.</b> (a)	<b>70.</b> (c)	<b>71.</b> (c)	72. (a)	<b>73.</b> (c)	<b>74.</b> (a)	<b>75.</b> (b)	<b>76.</b> (c)	77. (c)	<b>78.</b> (c)
<b>79.</b> (c)	<b>80.</b> (e)	<b>81.</b> (c)	82. (b)	<b>83.</b> (a)								

# **Explanatory Answers**

# DIFFICULTY LEVEL-1

**1.** (c) If the in circle of a triangle ABC touches BC at D, then |BD - CD| = |AB - AC|



In our case, AC = 5, AB = 3

$$\Rightarrow AC - AB = 2$$

$$\therefore CD - BD = 2$$

In our case, BC = 4

$$\Rightarrow BD + DC = 4 \text{ and } -BD + DC = 22$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $CD = 3$ 

$$\Rightarrow BD = 1$$

= OE =Radius of the incircle.

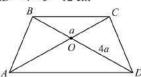
2. (b) Let, BC || AD

 $\triangle AOD$  is similar to  $\triangle BOC$ 

$$\Rightarrow \frac{BC}{AD} = \frac{OB}{OD} = \frac{1}{4}$$

Also, 
$$BC = 3 \text{ cm}$$
 (given)

 $\Rightarrow$   $AD = 4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ cm}$ 



3. (b) Let the medians be  $m_1$ ,  $m_2$  and  $m_3$  and the opposite sides be  $a_1$ ,  $a_2$  and  $a_3$ .

Then, we have

$$m_1^2 + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}a_1\right)^2 = a_2^2 + a_3^2;$$

$$m_2^2 + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}a_2\right)^2 = a_1^2 + a_2^2$$

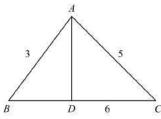
$$m_3^2 + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}a_3\right)^2 = a_1^2 + a_2^2$$

$$\therefore 2m_1^2 + 2m_2^2 + 2m_3^2 + 2 \times \frac{1}{4} (a_1^2 + a_2^2 + a_3^2)$$

$$= 2(a_1^2 + a_2^2 + a_3^2)$$

$$\therefore \frac{a_1^2 + a_2^2 + a_3^2}{m_1^2 + m_2^2 + m_2^2} = \frac{4}{3}.$$

4. (b)



$$BD:DC = 3:5$$

$$\therefore$$
 Divided  $BC = 6$  in the ratio 3:5

$$\Rightarrow$$
 BD = 2.25, CD = 3.75.

5. (a) 
$$x + y + (y + 20) = 5 \Rightarrow x + 2y = 160$$

$$4x - y = 10 \Rightarrow y = 70, x = 20$$

.. The angles of the triangle are 20°, 70°, 90°.

6. (a)

7. (b) 
$$AQ^{2} = AC^{2} + QC^{2}$$

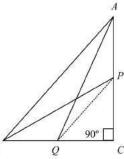
$$BP^{2} = BC^{2} + CP^{2}$$

$$AQ^{2} = BP^{2} = (AC^{2} + BC^{2}) + (QC^{2} + CP^{2})$$

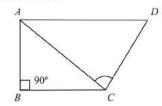
$$= AB^{2} + PQ^{2}$$

$$= AB^{2} + \left(\frac{1}{2}AB\right)^{2} \quad \left[\because PQ = \frac{1}{2}AB\right]$$

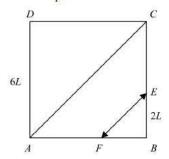
$$= \frac{5}{4}AB^{2} = 4(AQ^{2} + BP^{2}) = 5AB^{2}.$$



8. (a) 
$$AB^2 + BC^2 + CD^2 = AC^2 + CD^2 = AD^2$$
  
 $\Rightarrow \angle ACD = 90^\circ$ .



**9.** (b) Let the side of the square be 6L



Then, 
$$\frac{1}{2} \times 3L \times 2L = 108 \Rightarrow L = 6$$

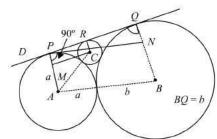
:. Side of the square = 60 m

$$\Rightarrow AC^{2} = AD^{2} + DC^{2}$$
$$= (36)^{2} + (36)^{2} = 2 \times (36)^{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \qquad AC = 36\sqrt{2} \ .$$

**10.** (c) 
$$PR = MC = \sqrt{AC^2 - AM^2}$$

$$\therefore \qquad \sqrt{(a+c)^2 - (a-c)^2} = 2\sqrt{ac}$$



Similarly,  $QR = 2\sqrt{bc}$ 

Now, 
$$PQ = PR + RQ$$
  
=  $2\sqrt{ac} + 2\sqrt{bc}$  (1)

Draw PN Parallel to AB

$$PN = AB = a + b,$$

$$QN = BQ - BN = b - a$$

$$PQ^{2} = PN^{2} - QN^{2}$$

$$= (a+b)^{2} - (a-b)^{2} = 4ab$$

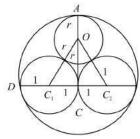
$$\Rightarrow PQ = 2\sqrt{ab} \tag{2}$$

:. From (1) and (2)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{c}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{a}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{b}} .$$

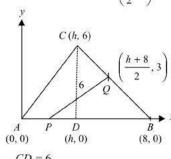
11. (c) 
$$CC_1 = 1, OC_1 = 1 + r$$

$$OC = AC - AO = CD - AO = 2 - r$$
[AC and CD are the radii of the bigger circle]



12. (d) Area of 
$$(\Delta PRS + \Delta PQR)$$
  
=  $\frac{1}{2}AD(AP + PB)$   
=  $\frac{1}{2}AD \times AB = 8 \text{ cm}^2$ .

**13.** (d) Let AD = h coordinates of P are  $\left(\frac{h}{2}, 0\right)$ .



$$PQ = \sqrt{\left(\frac{h}{2} - \left(\frac{h}{2}\right) + (0.3)\right)} = \sqrt{16 + 9} = 5.$$

14. (d)

15. (b) Using the sine formula, we have

$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\sin 40^{\circ}}{BD} = \frac{\sin(40^{\circ} + C)}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin 40^{\circ}}{B - DC} = \frac{\sin[180 - (40 + C)]}{6}$$

$$= \frac{\sin(140 - C)}{6}$$
(1)

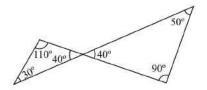
Also 
$$\frac{\sin 40^{\circ}}{DC} = \frac{\sin(140^{\circ} - C)}{9}$$
 (2)

:. From (1) and (2) give

$$\frac{DC}{8-DC}=\frac{9}{6}=\frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 5DC = 24  $\Rightarrow$  DC = 4.8.

16. (b)



17. (c)

**18.** (b) The sum of the interior angles of a polygon of n sides  $= (2n-4) \times \frac{\pi}{2}$ 

$$\therefore (2n+4) \times \frac{\pi}{2} = 1620 \Rightarrow n = 11.$$

**19.** (c) Let n be the number of sides of the polygon.

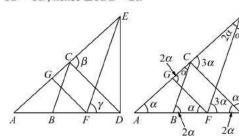
$$\therefore$$
 Interior angle = 8 × Exterior angle.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(2n-4)\times\pi/2}{n} = 8\times\frac{2\pi}{n}$$

 $\Rightarrow$  n-16.

**20.** (d) Let 
$$\angle EAD = \alpha$$
,  $\angle AFG = \alpha$  and also  $\angle ACB = \alpha$ .

Hence,  $\angle CBD = 2\alpha$  (exterior angle to  $\triangle ABC$ ). Since CB = CD, hence  $\angle CDB = 2\alpha$ 



$$\angle FGC = 2\alpha$$
 (exterior angle to  $\triangle AFG$ ).  
 $GF = EF$ ,  $\angle FEG = 2\alpha$ 

Now, 
$$\angle DCE = \angle DEC = \beta(\text{say})$$

Then, 
$$\angle DEF = \beta - 2\alpha$$

Since

Since, 
$$\angle DCB = 180^{\circ} - (\alpha + \beta)$$
.

Therefore, in  $\triangle DCB$ ,  $180^{\circ} - (\alpha + \beta) + 2\alpha + 2\alpha = 180^{\circ}$  or  $\beta = 3\alpha$ . Further,

$$\angle EFD = \angle EDF = \gamma \text{ (say)}$$

Then, 
$$\angle EDC = \gamma - 2d$$
.

If CD and EF meet in P, then

$$\angle FPD = 180^{\circ} - 5\alpha(\beta = 3\alpha)$$

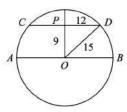
Now in  $\triangle PED$ ,  $180^{\circ} - 5\alpha + \gamma + 2\alpha = 180^{\circ}$  or  $\gamma = 3\alpha$ 

Therefore, in  $\Delta EFD$ ,

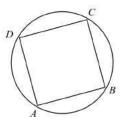
$$\alpha + 2\gamma = 180^{\circ}$$
 or  $\alpha + 6\alpha = 180^{\circ}$   
 $\alpha = 26^{\circ}$  or approximately  $25^{\circ}$ 

**21.** (c) *OP* is perpendicular from the centre of the circle on the chord *CD*.

$$OP^2 = \sqrt{(15)^2 - (12)^2} = 9 \text{ cm}.$$



**22.** (b) Given  $\angle A = 2 \angle C$ 



Also, 
$$\angle A + \angle C = 180^{\circ}$$

and 
$$\angle B + \angle D = 180^{\circ}$$

and 
$$\angle A = 120^{\circ}$$

Now,
$$\angle B - \angle D = \frac{1}{3} \angle A = 40^{\circ}$$

$$\angle B = 110^{\circ}$$

$$\angle D = 70^{\circ}$$

Minimum difference is between  $\angle A$  and  $\angle B$  or  $\angle C$  and  $\angle D$  which is 10°.

**23.** (b) Let the shortest side be x m.

The hypotenuse = 2x + 3

Let third side = 
$$y$$

$$x + y + 2x + 3 = 6x$$

$$\therefore \qquad y = 3x - 3$$

Now, 
$$(x)^2 + (3x - 3)^2 = (2x + 3)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 9x^2 + 9 - 18x = 4x^2 + 9 + 12x$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x^2 - 30x = 0$$

$$\therefore$$
  $x = 5 \text{ m}$ 

:. Three sides are 5, 12 and 13.

**24.** (d) Let the angle be x.

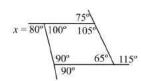
Supplement of this angle = 180 - x

$$\therefore \qquad x = \frac{1}{3} (180 - x)$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 3x = 180 - x

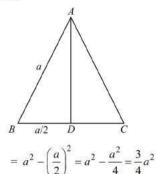
$$\Rightarrow$$
  $x = 45^{\circ}$ .

25. (c)



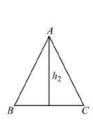
**26.** (a) Let ABC be equilateral triangle of side A. From A draw AD altitude on BC from a right-angle triangle ABD,

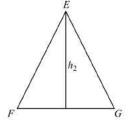
$$AD^2 = AB^2 - BD^2$$



$$\therefore \text{ Altitude, } AD = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}a.$$

27. (c) Let h<sub>1</sub>, h<sub>2</sub> be the heights of two isosceles triangles.
According to the question,





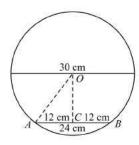
$$\frac{\frac{1}{2} \times BC \times h_1}{\frac{1}{2} \times FG \times h_2} = \frac{9}{16}$$

or 
$$\frac{BC}{FG} \times \frac{h_1}{h_2} = \frac{9}{16}$$

or 
$$\left(\frac{h_1}{h_2}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$\therefore \qquad \frac{h_1}{h_2} = \frac{3}{4}.$$

28. (a)



Let OC be the perpendicular from the centre O on the chord AB.

From right-angled  $\triangle OAC$ ,

$$OA^{2} = AC^{2} + OC^{2}$$
or
$$OC^{2} = OA^{2} - AC^{2} = (15)^{2} - (12)^{2}$$

$$= 225 - 144 = 81$$
∴ 
$$OC = \sqrt{81} = 9 \text{ cm}.$$

**29.** (d) Let radius of circle = x

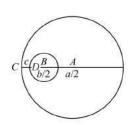
Increased radius = 3x

 $\therefore$  New circumference =  $2\pi(3x) = 6 \pi x$ 

Hence, ratio of new circumference to new diameter

$$=\frac{6\pi x}{2(3x)}=\frac{6\pi x}{6x}=\pi.$$

30. (d)



A and B are the centres of the respective circles.

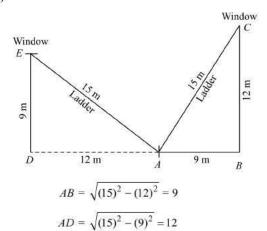
$$BA = AC - BC$$

$$= \frac{a}{2} - (CD + DB)$$

$$= \frac{a}{2} - \left(x + \frac{b}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{a}{2} - c - \frac{b}{2}.$$

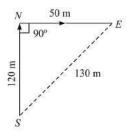
31. (a)



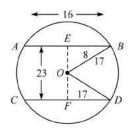
:. Width of the street

$$=AB+DA=21 \text{ m}$$

32. (c)



33. (c)



$$AB = 16 \text{ cm}$$

$$EB = 8 \text{ cm}$$

Now  $\triangle$  *OEB* is a right-angled triangle.

$$OE = \sqrt{17^2 - 8^2} = \sqrt{289 - 64}$$
$$= \sqrt{225} = 15 \text{ cm}$$

$$FE = 23 \text{ cm}$$

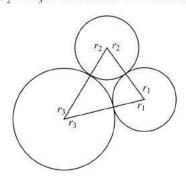
$$\therefore$$
 OF = 23 - 15 = 8 cm

Now,  $\triangle$  *OFD* is a right-angled triangle.

$$\therefore$$
 FD =  $\sqrt{17^2 - 8^2} = 15 \text{ cm}$ 

$$\therefore$$
 Length of the chord  $CD = 2 \times 15 = 30$  cm

## **34.** (b) Let $r_1$ , $r_2$ and $r_3$ be the radius of three circles then



$$r_1 + r_2 = 2.2 \tag{1}$$

$$r_2 + r_3 = 3.4 \tag{2}$$

$$r_1 + r_3 = 4.0 (3)$$

Adding (1), (2) and (3), we have

$$2(r_1 + r_2 + r_3) = 9.6$$

$$\therefore r_1 + r_2 + r_3 = 4.8$$

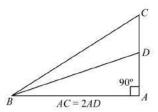
$$\therefore r_3 = (4.8 - 2.2) = 2.6;$$
(4)

$$r_1 = (4.8 - 3.4) = 1.4;$$
  
 $r_2 = (4.8 - 4) = 0.8$ 

:. the diameters are

$$2 \times 1.4 = 2.8$$
;  $2 \times 0.8$   
= 1.6 and  $2 \times 2.6 = 5.2$ 

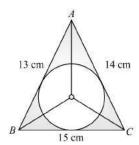
35. (c)



$$BC^{2} - BD^{2} = (AB^{2} + AC^{2}) - (AB^{2} + AD^{2}) = AC^{2} - AD^{2}$$
$$= (AC + AD)(AC - AD)$$
$$= (2AD + AD)(2AD - AD) = 3AD^{2}$$

37. (c) Perimeter of the circle = 
$$2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times 35 = 220$$
 cm

$$\therefore$$
 Side of the rhombus =  $\frac{220}{4}$  = 55 cm.



Here, 
$$s = \frac{13+14+15}{2} = \frac{42}{2} = 21$$
  
 $\therefore A = \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$ 

Putting the value, we get A = 84

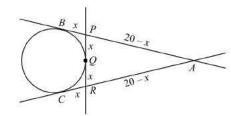
We know

Inscribed triangle area = r s

$$\therefore \qquad 84 = r \times 21$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $r = 4 \text{ cm}$ 

**40.** (c)



Two tangents drawn from a point to a circle are congruent.

$$\therefore$$
  $AB = AC, PB = PQ \text{ and } QR = RC$ 

Also, by symmetry of the figure,

$$PO = PR$$

Let, 
$$PB = PQ = QR = CR = x$$

As 
$$AB = 20, AP = AB - BP = 20 - x$$

$$\therefore AR = 20 - x$$

.. Perimeter of

$$\Delta APR = AP + PR + AR$$
$$= 20 - x + 2x + 20 - x = 40 \text{ units}$$

**41.** (a) P divides AB in the ratio of 2:3, AP = 2x and PB = 3x

$$A \xrightarrow{2X} P B$$

Q divides AB in the ratio 3:4

$$\therefore AQ = 3y \text{ and } QR = 4y$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3y & 4y & \\ Q & B \end{bmatrix}$$

Now, 
$$AB = AP + PB + AQ + QB$$

$$\therefore 2x + 3x = 3y + 4y$$

$$\therefore \qquad 5x = 7y \tag{1}$$

It is given that PQ = 2

$$PQ = AQ - AP$$

$$\therefore \qquad 2 = 3y - 2x \tag{2}$$

From (1) and (2),

$$\therefore 3y - 2\left(\frac{7}{5}y\right) = 2$$

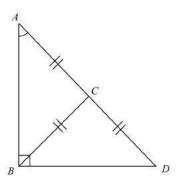
$$\therefore 3y - \frac{14}{5}y = 2$$

$$15y - 14y = 10$$

$$\therefore$$
  $v = 10$ 

So, length of AB = 7y = 70

#### 42. (b)



As C is the mid point of the hypotenuse AD, it is the circumcentre.

$$AC = CD = BC$$

But AB = BC

$$\therefore$$
 In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $AB = AC = BC$ 

∴ ∆BAC is an equilateral triangle,

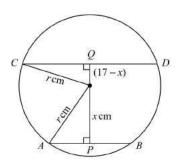
$$\angle DAB = \angle BAC = 60^{\circ}$$

43. (d)



We know that tangents from a point are equidistant from the circle. Hence, they cannot have different values.

**44.** (c)



In right  $\Delta s$  OAP and OQC, we have

$$OA^2 = OP^2 + AP^2$$
 and  $OC^2 = OQ^2 + CQ^2$   
 $r^2 = x^2 + 5^2$  and  $r^2 = (17 - x)^2 + 12^2$   
 $x^2 + 25 = 289 + x^2 - 34x + 144$   
 $34x = 408 \Rightarrow x = 12$  cm

$$r = 13 \text{ cm}$$

**45.** (d) 
$$\angle AOC = 2\angle APC$$

Also, ABCP is a cyclic quadrilateral

 $r^2 = 122 + 52 = 169$ 

$$\angle CBD = 180 - 50 = 130^{\circ}$$

46. (c) ABC is a Δ and P, Q, R are the mid-points of sides BC, CA and AB respectively

and 
$$PQ = \frac{1}{2}AB = \frac{1}{2}(30)$$

= 15 cm

Similarly, 
$$RP \parallel AC$$

and 
$$RP = \frac{1}{2}AC = \frac{1}{2}(21) = 10.5 \text{ cm}$$

$$= (AR + RP + PQ + QA) \text{ cm}$$
  
= (15.0 + 10.5 + 15.0 + 10.5) cm  
= 51 cm

#### **47.** (c) $CE \parallel BA$ and AC is the transversal

$$\therefore \qquad \angle 4 = \angle 1 \qquad \text{(alt. int. } \angle s)$$

Again,  $CE \parallel BA$  and BD is the transversal

$$\therefore$$
  $\angle 5 = \angle 2$  (corr.  $\angle s$ )

$$\therefore$$
  $\angle 4 + \angle 5 = \angle 1 + \angle 2$ 

$$\therefore$$
  $\angle ACD = \angle A + \angle B$ 

#### **48.** (d) Since AM is the bisector of $\angle A$ ,

$$\therefore \quad \angle MAB = \frac{1}{2} \angle A \tag{1}$$

In rt-angled  $\triangle ANB$ , we have:

$$\angle B + \angle NAB = 90^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow \qquad \angle NAB = 90^{\circ} - \angle B \tag{2}$$

$$\angle MAN = \angle MAB - \angle NAB$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \angle A - (90^{\circ} - \angle B)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \angle A - 90^{\circ} + \angle B$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \angle A - \frac{1}{2} (\angle A + \angle B + \angle C) + \angle B$$

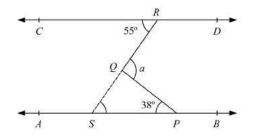
$$\left(\because \frac{1}{2} (\angle A + \angle B + \angle C) = 90^{\circ}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\angle B - \angle C)$$

# **49.** (a) CD || AB (Given)

Produce RQ to meet AB in S

$$\angle CRS = \angle PSR$$
 (at. int.  $\angle s$ )



But 
$$\angle CRS = 55^{\circ}$$

Now in OSP

$$\angle QSP + \angle QPS + \angle PQS = 180^{\circ}$$

$$55^{\circ} + 38^{\circ} + \angle SOP = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\therefore \qquad \angle SQP = 180^{\circ} - 93^{\circ}$$

$$= 87^{\circ}$$

But angle a and  $\angle POS$  are linear

$$\angle a = 93^{\circ}$$

**50.** (d) Through O, draw a line l parallel to both AB and CD. Then

$$\angle 1 = 45^{\circ}$$
 (alt.  $\angle S$ )

and 
$$\angle 2 = 30^{\circ}$$
 (alt.  $\angle S$ )

$$\therefore$$
  $\angle BOC = \angle 1 + \angle 2$ 

$$=45^{\circ}+30^{\circ}=75^{\circ}$$

So, 
$$X = 360^{\circ} - \angle BOC$$

$$=360^{\circ}-75^{\circ}=285^{\circ}$$

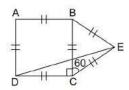
Hence,  $X = 285^{\circ}$ .

**51.** (c) 
$$\frac{ar(\Delta CMN)}{ar(\Delta ABNM)} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{ar(\Delta CMN)}{ar(\Delta CAB)} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{MN}{AB} = \frac{CM}{CA} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{CM}{MA} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3-1}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2} \quad MA = (CA - CM)$$



**52.** (a) In 
$$\triangle DEC$$
,  $\angle DCE = 90^{\circ} + 60^{\circ} = 150^{\circ}$ 

$$\angle CDE = \angle DEC = \frac{180 - 150}{2} = 15^{\circ}$$

# DIFFICULTY LEVEL-2

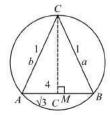
**1.** (d) 
$$a:b:c = 1:1:\sqrt{3}$$

 $\Delta CAB$  is an isosceles triangle with AC = CB

Let M be the mid point of AB

$$\therefore CM \perp AB \text{ and } AM = MB = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{AM}{AC} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \angle A = 30^{\circ}$$



Similarly, 
$$\angle B = 30^{\circ}$$
 and  $\angle C = 120^{\circ}$ 

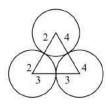
$$\therefore \quad \operatorname{arc}(AB) = 2 \angle C, \operatorname{arc}(AC) = 2 \angle B,$$
$$\operatorname{arc}(BC) = 2 \angle A$$

$$\therefore \operatorname{arc}(AB):\operatorname{arc}(BC):\operatorname{arc}(AC)$$

$$= 2 \times 120:2 \times 30:2 \times 30$$

$$= 4:1:1$$

- 2. (d)
- 3. (d)



Sum of radii = 2 + 3 + 4 = 9 cm.

- 4. (a)
- 5. (d)
- 6. (d)
- 7. (b) Since ABC is an equilateral triangle, then each side of the triangle would be 2 Km each. Required distance would be the altitude of the triangle

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}(2)^2 = \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times \text{Altitude}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 Altitude =  $\sqrt{3}$  km

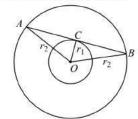
**8.** (d) Since each side of the triangle is 2 Km each, hence required distance is BD + DB + BE = 6 Km

9. (c) To form a triangle, 3 points out of 5 can be chosen in  ${}^5C_2$  ways

$$= \frac{5 \times 4 \times 3}{1 \times 2 \times 3} = 10 \text{ ways}$$

But of these, the 3 points using on the 2 diagonals will be collinear. So (10-2) = 8

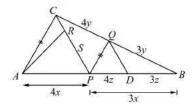
10. (b) Starting from A, the possible roots are



AOBA, ACOBA, ACBA, AOCBA, AOCA, AOBCA, ABOA, ABOCA, ABCA, ABCOA, ACOA, ACBOA.

- 11. (d) Cannot be determined
- 12. (d) Cannot be determined

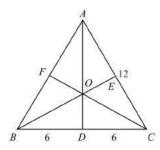
13. (c) 
$$PD = \frac{4z}{7z} \times 3x$$
$$= \frac{12x}{7}$$



$$AP = 4x$$

$$AP:PD = 4x: \frac{12x}{7} = 7:3$$

14. (c) Circumcircle of a triangle is the point of intersection of the perpendicular bisectors of the sides of the triangle.



O is the circumcentre of the  $\triangle ABC$ , whose sides

$$AB = BC = CA = 12$$
 cm

∴ From ∆ADC

$$AC^2 = AD^2 + CD^2$$

$$\Rightarrow AD = \sqrt{(12)^2 - 6^2} = 6\sqrt{3}$$

Since, triangle is equilateral, therefore circumcentre = centroid

i.e., 
$$AO = 4\sqrt{3}$$
,

$$OD = 2\sqrt{3}$$

 $[::AD=6\sqrt{3}]$ 

.. Radius of the circumcircle

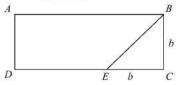
$$=4\sqrt{3}=OA=OB=OC.$$

**15.** (a) Area of 
$$\triangle BCE = \frac{1}{2} \times b \times b$$

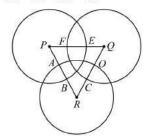
$$\Rightarrow b^2 = 28$$

Area of rectangle

$$ABCD = (DE + EC) \times b = 4EC \times b$$
$$= 4b^{2} = 112.$$



**16.** (c) AR = AB + BR = 20



$$\Rightarrow$$
 5 + BR = 20 or BR = 15

Similarly, PA = 15

Also
$$PE = PF + FE$$
 =  $20 \Rightarrow PF + 12 = 20$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $PF = 8 = EQ$ 

Similarly, we find QO and CR, they will come out to be 10.

- $\therefore$  Perimeter of  $\triangle PQR = 93$
- 17. (c) The perimeter of any polygon circumscribing a circle is always greater than the circumference of the circle and the perimeter of any polygon inscribed in a circle is always less than the circumference of the circle.

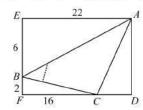
Since, the circle is of radius 1, its circumference will be  $2\pi$ .

Hence,  $L_1$  (13) >  $2\pi$  and  $L_2$  (17) <  $\pi$ 

So, 
$$\{L_1(13) + 2\pi\} > 4$$
 and hence  $\frac{\{L_1(13) + 2\pi\}}{L_2(17)}$  will

be greater than 2.

**18.** (b) 
$$EF = AD = 8$$
 (: EADF is a rectangle)



$$CD = (22 - 16) = 6$$

So in the right-angled triangle ADC, AD = 84 and CD = 6.

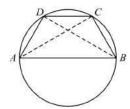
$$\therefore AC = 10$$

:. length of the line joining the mid-points of AB and

$$BC = \frac{1}{2}(10) = 5$$

(: the length of the line joining the mid-point of two sides of triangle is half the 3rd)

19. (a) Perpendicular drawn from the centre bisects the chord, hence AC = BC = 3 m. Using options, we find that if the radius of outer circle is 5 m. only then the radius of inner circle is an integer.



$$r_1^2 = (5)^2 - (3)^2 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $r_1 =$ 

Hence 
$$r_1 = 4m$$
 and  $r_2 = 5m$ 

**20.** (c) In 
$$\triangle CAD$$
,  $CD^2 = (15)^2 - (25 - x)^2$   
=  $225 - 625 - x^2 + 50x$  (1)

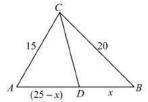
In 
$$\triangle CDB$$
,  $CD^2 = 400 - x^2$  (2)

From (1) and (2),

$$50x - x^2 - 400 = 400 - x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $x = 16 \text{ cm}.$ 

Hence, AD = 9 cm, BD = 16 cm and CD = 12 cm



Now for  $\Delta CAD$ ,

Area = 
$$\frac{1}{2} \times 9 \times 12 = 54$$
 cm

and 
$$s = \frac{15 + 12 + 9}{2} = 18 \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore \quad \text{radius } r_1 = \frac{\text{Area}}{s} = \frac{54}{18} = 3 \text{cm}$$

For  $\Delta CDB$ ,

Area = 
$$\frac{1}{2} \times 16 \times 12 = 96 \text{ cm}$$

and 
$$s = \frac{16 + 12 + 20}{2} = 24 \text{ cm}$$

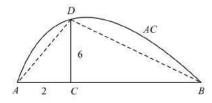
$$\therefore \quad \text{radius } r_2 = \frac{\text{Area}}{s} = \frac{96}{24} = 4$$

Hence, 
$$r_1 + r_2 = 4 + 3 = 7$$
 cm.

# **21.** (b) The sum of the internal angles of a polygon of n sides $= (n-2) \times 180^{\circ}$ .

If n = 7, then the sum of the interior angles of the given polygon =  $(7 - 2) \times 180^{\circ} = 900^{\circ}$ .

#### 22. (b)



$$CD^{2} = AC \times CB$$

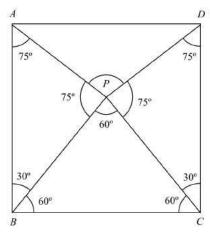
$$(6)^{2} = 2 \times CB$$

$$CB = 18$$

$$AB = AC + CB = 18 + 2 = 20$$

Area of semicircle = 
$$\frac{1}{2}\pi r^2 = \frac{1}{2}\pi \times (10)^2 = 50 \,\pi \text{ cm}^2$$

#### 23. (d) $\triangle BPC$ is an equilateral triangle



Similarly, 
$$< BAP = < BPA = 75^{\circ}$$

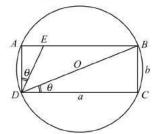
Hence,
$$\langle APD \rangle = 360^{\circ} - (75^{\circ} + 75^{\circ} + 60^{\circ})$$
  
=  $360^{\circ} - 210^{\circ} = 150^{\circ}$ 

24. (a) We have 
$$\frac{\pi R^2}{ab} = \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3}R^2 = ab$$
 (a)

From  $\Delta DBC$ ,

$$\tan \theta = \frac{BC}{DC} = \frac{b}{a} \tag{b}$$



From 
$$\Delta DAE$$
,

$$\tan \theta = \frac{AE}{AD} = \frac{AE}{b} \tag{c}$$

From (b) and (c), we get

$$\frac{AE}{AD} = \frac{b}{a}$$

From triangle *DBC*, 
$$4R^2 = a^2 + b^2$$
$$\Rightarrow 4R^2 = a^2 + \frac{3R^4}{a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a^{4} - 4R^{2}a^{2} + 3R^{4} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a^{4} - 3R^{2}a^{2} - R^{2}a^{2} + 3R^{4} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a^{2}(a^{2} - 3R^{2}) - R^{2}(a^{2} - 3R^{2}) = 0$$

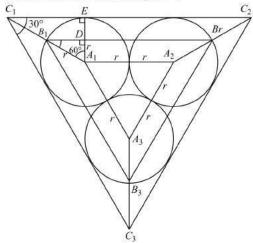
$$\Rightarrow a^{2} = R^{2} \text{ and } a^{2} = 3R^{2}$$

and 
$$a = R$$
 and  $a = \sqrt{3}R$   
and  $b = \sqrt{3}R$ , when  $a = R$ 

$$b = R$$
, when  $a = \sqrt{3}R$ 

Hence, required ratio is  $1:\sqrt{3}$ .

**25.** (a) Given radius of each circular park = r



⇒ Distance travelled by

$$A = a = 3 \times 2r = 6r$$

 $\Delta A_1 B_1 D$  is a 30°, 60°, 90° triangle.

So, 
$$B_1 D = \frac{\sqrt{3}r}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \qquad B_1 B_2 = 2r + \ 2 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} r = r \left( 2 + \sqrt{3} \right)$$

⇒ Distance travelled by B

$$= b = 3 \times r(2 + \sqrt{3}) = 3r(2 + \sqrt{3})$$

 $\Delta A_1 C_1 E$  is a 30°, 60°, 90° triangle.

So, 
$$C_1 E = \sqrt{3}r$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $C_1C_2 = 2r + 2\sqrt{3}r = 2r(1+\sqrt{3})$ 

 $\Rightarrow$  Distance travelled by C = c

$$= 3 \times 2r (1 + \sqrt{3}) = 6r(1 + \sqrt{3})$$

Now,  $b-a = 3\sqrt{3}r \text{ and } c-b = 3\sqrt{3}r$ .

**26.** (c) Time required by A to finish her sprint

$$= \frac{2r}{20} + \frac{2r}{30} + \frac{2r}{15} = \frac{3r}{10}$$

Now, distance travelled by B in this time

$$= \frac{3r}{10} \times (10\sqrt{3} + 20) = s \, 3(r + 2\sqrt{3})$$

So, B will be at B<sub>1</sub>

Now, distance travelled by C in this time

$$= \frac{40}{3}(1+\sqrt{3}) \times \frac{3r}{10} = 4r(1+\sqrt{3})$$

So, C will be on point  $C_3$ .

27. (b) 
$$u^{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times (2r)^{2} \Rightarrow u = 3^{1/4} r$$

$$v^{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times \{r(2 + \sqrt{3})\}^{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \frac{3^{1/4} (2 + \sqrt{3})r}{2}$$

$$w^{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times \{2r(1 + \sqrt{3})\}^{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \qquad w = 3^{1/4} r (1 + \sqrt{3})$$

Time required by B to reach  $B_3$ 

$$=\frac{2r(2+\sqrt{3})\times 2}{3^{1/4}r(2+\sqrt{3})}=\frac{4}{3^{1/4}}$$

Distance covered by A in this time

$$=3^{1/4}.r.\frac{4}{3^{1/4}}=4r$$

So, A will be at A<sub>3</sub>.

Distance covered by C in this time

$$= 3^{1/4} \cdot r \cdot (1 + \sqrt{3}) \times \frac{4}{3^{1/4}}$$
$$= 4r(1 + \sqrt{3})$$

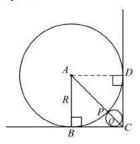
So, C will be at  $C_3$ .

**28.** (*d*) Let the radii of the bigger and smaller circles be *R* and *r*, respectively.

$$\therefore$$
 In the figure,  $AB = AD = R$ 

As 
$$\angle ADC = 90^{\circ}$$
;  $\angle ABC = 90^{\circ}$  and  $\angle DCB = 90^{\circ}$ 

:. ABCD is square.



$$BC = R \text{ and } AC = \sqrt{2}R \text{ and}$$

$$AC = AP + PQ + QC$$

$$= R + r + QC$$

 $(QC = \sqrt{2} \text{ can be proved in the same ways as we proved } AC = \sqrt{2}R$ )

$$\therefore \qquad r = \frac{(\sqrt{2} - 1) R}{\sqrt{2} + 1}$$

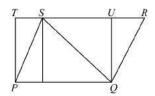
Rationalizing the denominator, we get

$$r = 2(3 - 2\sqrt{2})R$$

Given R = 2, we get

$$r = (3 - 2\sqrt{2})$$
$$= 6 - 4\sqrt{2}.$$

**29.** (a, c) Given



Area of PQRS = P, Area of PQUT = R and Area of PSQ = T

Now, area of  $\Delta = \frac{1}{2}$  Area of parallelogram *PQRS* 

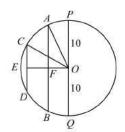
hence option (a) is true. Also, area of parallelogram = Area of rectangle (constructed on the same base)

Hence options (a) and (c) are correct.

#### **30.** (a) OE is the required distance

$$AF = \sqrt{(10)^2 - (6)^2} = 8$$

$$\therefore$$
  $CE = 4$ 

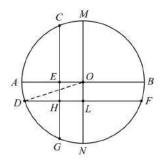


Now, in  $\triangle OCE$ 

$$OE^2 = OC^2 - CE^2$$
$$= 10^2 - 4^2 = 84$$

$$\therefore OE = \sqrt{84}$$

**31.** (b) 
$$HL = OE = \frac{1}{2}$$



$$DL = DH + HL$$

$$DL = DH + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$OB = AO = \text{radius} = 1.5$$

$$DO^2 = OL^2 + DL^2$$

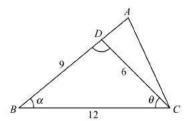
$$\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(DH + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(DH + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow DH = \sqrt{2} - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{2\sqrt{2} - 1}{2}$$

**32.** (a) Here, 
$$\angle ACB = \theta + 180 - (2\theta + \alpha) = 180 - (\theta + \alpha)$$

So, here we can say that  $\triangle BCD$  and  $\triangle ABC$  will be similar.



According to property of similarity

$$\frac{AB}{12} = \frac{12}{9}$$

Hence, 
$$AB = 16$$
,

$$\frac{AC}{6} = \frac{12}{9}$$

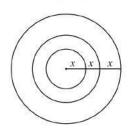
$$\Rightarrow$$
  $AC = 8$ 

Hence, 
$$AD = 7$$
,  $AC = 8$ 

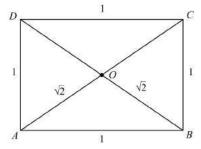
Now, 
$$\frac{\text{Perimeter of } \Delta ADC}{\text{Perimeter of } \Delta BDC} = \frac{6+7+8}{9+6+12}$$
$$= \frac{21}{27} = \frac{7}{9}$$

33. (c) Area of a circle = 
$$\pi r^2$$

$$\therefore \text{ Required ratio} = \frac{\pi(2x^2) - \pi(x^2)}{\pi(3x)^2 - \pi(2x)^2}$$
$$= \frac{\pi x^2 (4-1)}{\pi x^2 (9-4)} = \frac{3}{5}$$



# 34. (b) Two points on or inside the square will be at the maximum distance when they are on two opposite vertices. Let us select 4 points on the vertices of the square. Then, the distance between any two of them is 1 or √2.



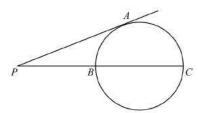
In the square AB = BC = CD = DA = 1

and 
$$AC = BD = \sqrt{2}$$

Now we select the fifth point such that it is at the maximum possible distance from each of the other four points. Such a point lies on the point of intersection of the diagonals and its distance from each of the other four points is  $\sqrt{2}/2$ .

Any other point on or inside the square will be at a distance less than  $\sqrt{2}/2$  from at least one of the other four points.

**35.** (b) 
$$(PB)(PC) = (PA)^2$$



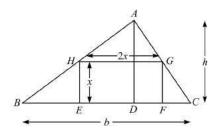
$$x (x + 20) = (10\sqrt{3})^{2}$$

$$x^{2} + 20x - 300 = 0$$

$$(x + 30) (x - 10) = 0$$

$$x = 10$$

#### **36.** (c) $\triangle$ BEH and $\triangle$ BDA are similar



$$\frac{BE}{BD} = \frac{HE}{AD}$$

$$\frac{BE}{BD} = \frac{x}{b}$$
(1)

 $\Delta$  CFG and  $\Delta$  CDA are similar

$$\frac{CF}{CD} = \frac{FG}{DA}$$

$$\frac{CF}{CD} = \frac{x}{h}$$
(2)

From Eqs. (1) and (2),

$$BE = \frac{x}{h} BD \text{ and } CF = \frac{x}{h} CD$$

$$BE + CF = b - 2x$$

$$b - 2x = \frac{x}{h} (BD + CD)$$

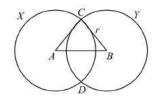
$$= \frac{x}{h} (b)$$

$$bh - 2hx = xb$$

$$x\left(b+2h\right)=bh$$

$$x = \frac{bh}{b + 2h}$$

**37.** (b) 
$$\angle ACB = 90^{\circ}$$



[angle at the point of intersection to the centres of the circles.]

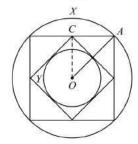
$$BC = r$$
  
 $AC = 2r$  (as area of X = 4 area of Y)

$$\therefore AB = \sqrt{r^2 + 4r^2} = \sqrt{5}r$$

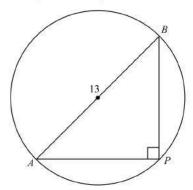
38. (b) 
$$OA = R$$
,  

$$OC = \frac{R}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ and } \therefore OB = \frac{R}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\text{Area of circle } A}{\text{Area of circle } B} = \frac{\pi R^2}{\pi \left(\frac{R}{2}\right)^2} = \frac{4}{1}$$



**39.** (c) Let P be the required location of the pole. Let the distance of the pole from the gate B be x m i.e., BP = x m.



Now the difference of the distance of the pole from the two gates

$$= AP - BP$$

$$= 7 \text{ m. (given)}$$

$$AP = (x + 7) \text{ m}$$

Since  $\angle P$  is an angle in semi-circle

$$\angle P = 90^{\circ}$$

and AB = 13 m

 $\Rightarrow$ 

 $\Rightarrow$ 

(diameter of circle)

∴ In right-angled ∆ ABP

$$AB^{2} = AP^{2} + BP^{2}$$

$$(13)^{2} = (x+7)^{2} + x^{2}$$

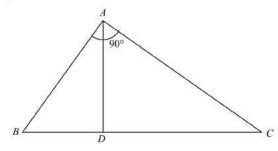
$$169 = x^{2} + 14x + 49 + x^{2}$$

⇒ 
$$2x^2 + 14x + 49 - 169 = 0$$
  
⇒  $2x^2 + 14x - 120 = 0$   
⇒  $x^2 + 7x - 60 = 0$   
⇒  $x^2 + 12x - 5x - 60 = 0$   
⇒  $x(x + 12) - 5(x + 12) = 0$   
⇒  $(x + 12)(x - 5) = 0$   
 $x = 5 \text{ or, } -12$ 

(which is not possible)

:. Required distance be 5 m

40. (a)



 $\triangle$  ABC is a right-angled triangle with  $\angle$  A = 90°

$$\therefore AD^2 = CD^2 = AC^2$$

In  $\triangle$  ABC, according to Apollonius theorem

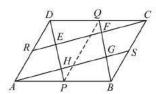
$$= 2 AD^{2} + 2 BD^{2} = AB^{2} + AC^{2}$$
$$= 2(CD^{2} - AC^{2}) + 2BD^{2} = AB^{2} + AC^{2}$$
$$BD = CD$$

$$DD^2 = CD^2 = \frac{BC^2}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow = \frac{BC^2}{2} - 2AC^2 + \frac{BC^2}{2} = AB^2 + AC^2$$
$$\Rightarrow = BC^2 - AB^2 = 3AC^2$$

**41.** (a) Q and P are mid points of DC and AB respectively  $= \text{area of } \Delta ADP = \text{aera of } \Delta DPQ = \text{area of } \Delta PQB$   $= \text{area of } \Delta QBC = \frac{1}{4}$ 

(area of parallelogram ABCD)



In 
$$\triangle ADH$$
,

$$DR = RA, RE \parallel AH \Rightarrow DE = EH$$

In 
$$\triangle ABG$$
,  $AP = PB = \frac{1}{2}AB$ ,  $PH \parallel BG$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $PH = \frac{1}{2}BG$ 

But 
$$BG = DE$$
 (by symmetry)

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $DE = EH = 2.HP$ 

$$\Rightarrow DE = \frac{2}{5}DP$$

In 
$$\triangle ADP$$
,  $DR = \frac{1}{2}DA$ ,  $DE = \frac{2}{5}DP$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
 area of  $\triangle RDE = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{5} \times \text{area of } \triangle ADP$ 

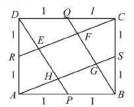
$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{5} \times \frac{1}{4} \times \text{area of parallelogram } ABCD$$

$$= \frac{1}{20} \times \text{area of parallelogram } ABCD$$

Hence, 
$$\frac{\text{area of shaded region}}{\text{parallelogram } ABCD} = 4 \times \frac{1}{20} = 1:5$$

#### Short-cut Method

A square is a parallelogram.



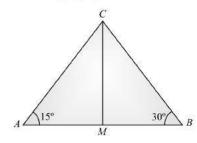
Since all triangles are similar,

$$DE = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$$
 and  $ER = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$ 

area of 
$$\triangle DER = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 area of shaded region =  $4 \times \frac{1}{5} = \frac{4}{5}$ 

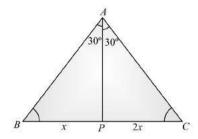
$$\therefore \qquad \text{Ratio} = \frac{\overline{5}}{2 \times 2} = \frac{1}{5}$$



$$\angle C = 180^{\circ} - (15 + 30^{\circ}) = 135^{\circ}$$

Since, M is the mid point,  $\angle ACB$  is divided in the ratio of 30:15 or 2:1. Hence,  $\angle ACM = 45^{\circ}$ .

#### 43. (d) Using Angle bisector theorem



Using sine formula,

$$\frac{AC}{\sin B} = \frac{BA}{\sin C} \Rightarrow \frac{\sin C}{\sin B} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Since, ABC is a triangle.

$$\therefore$$
  $\angle C = 30^{\circ} \text{ and } \angle B = 90^{\circ}$ 

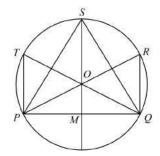
$$\left[ \text{as sin } 30^{\circ} = \frac{1}{2}, \sin 90^{\circ} = 1 \right]$$

So, in  $\triangle APC$ ,

$$\angle APC = 180^{\circ} - (30^{\circ} + 30^{\circ}) = 120^{\circ}$$

**44.** (d) Since 
$$OP = OQ = r$$

$$\therefore \qquad \angle OPQ = \angle OQP = \frac{180^{\circ} - 128^{\circ}}{2} = 26^{\circ}$$



Again 
$$SO \perp PO$$
, so  $\angle OMO = 90^{\circ}$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\angle MOQ = 180^{\circ} - 90^{\circ} - 26^{\circ} = 64^{\circ}$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\angle QOS = 180^{\circ} - 64^{\circ} = 116^{\circ}$ 

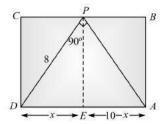
$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\angle OOS = \angle OSO$ 

$$=\frac{180^{\circ}-116^{\circ}}{2}=32$$

[Since 
$$OQ = OS = r$$
]

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\angle TPS = \angle OQS = 32^{\circ}$ 

(Angles by same arc).



In 
$$\triangle PDA$$
,  $AP^2 = 10^2 - 8^2 = 36$   
 $\Rightarrow AP = 6$ 

In  $\triangle DPE$  and  $\triangle PEA$ ,

$$(PE)^{2} = 8^{2} - x^{2} \text{ and } (PE)^{2}$$

$$= 6^{2} - (10 - x)^{2}$$

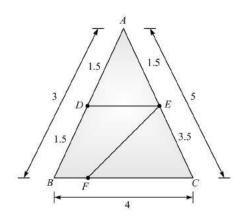
$$64 - x^{2} = 36 - (10 - x)^{2}$$
⇒ 
$$x = 6.4 = PE$$

$$PB = E - A = 10 - x$$

$$PB = 10 - 6.4 = 3.6$$

PB = 3.6

## **46.** (b)



In the given  $\triangle ABC$ 

$$AB = 3, BC = 4$$
  
and  $CA = 5, AD = BD = 1.5$   
 $AE = 1.5$   
∴  $CE = 5 - 1.5 = 3.5, BC = 4$ 

$$\therefore \angle DEF = (90^{\circ} + 45^{\circ}) \frac{1}{3} = 135 \times \frac{1}{3} = 45^{\circ}$$

**47.** (b)  $\Delta PQS \sim \Delta PMN \sim \Delta PRT$ 

∴ N is the mid-point of ST. Also, in ΔPQS,

$$(PS)^2 = (PQ)^2 + (QS)^2 =$$
∴ 
$$PS^2 = 576 + 49 = 625$$

$$\therefore PS = 25$$

As  $\triangle PQS \sim \triangle PRT$ ,

$$\Rightarrow \frac{QS}{RT} = \frac{PQ}{PR} = \frac{PS}{PT} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore PR = 3 \times PQ = 72$$

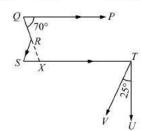
and 
$$PT = 3 \times PS = 75$$

$$\therefore ST = PT - PS = 50$$

$$SN = \frac{50}{2} = 25$$

# 48. (c) Join RX

$$\angle RXS = \angle PQR = 70^{\circ}$$
 (Alternative angles)  
Also,  $\angle STV = \angle RSX$  (Alternative angles)



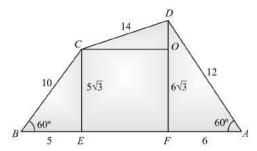
But 
$$\angle STV = 90^{\circ} - 25^{\circ} = 65^{\circ}$$

$$\angle RSX = 65^{\circ}$$

$$\angle QRS = \angle RSX + \angle RXS$$

$$= 70^{\circ} + 65^{\circ} = 135^{\circ}$$

## 49. (c)



In 
$$\triangle ADF$$
,  $\sin 60^{\circ} = \frac{DF}{AD}$ 

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{DF}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $DF = 6\sqrt{3}$ 

Similarly, in  $\triangle$  BCE

$$CE = 5\sqrt{3}$$

:. In quadrilateral COEF

$$\therefore OF = 5\sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore$$
 In  $\triangle$  COD, OD =  $\sqrt{3}$ 

$$OC = \sqrt{196 - 3}$$
$$= \sqrt{193}$$

$$EF = \sqrt{193}$$

By using trigonometry we know BE = 5 and AF = 6

$$AB = EF + AF + BE$$

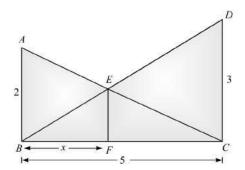
$$= \sqrt{193} + 6 + 5 = 11 + \sqrt{193}$$

$$= a + \sqrt{b}$$
 (given)

$$a = 11, \sqrt{b} = 193$$

$$a+b=11+193=204$$

**50.** (a)



$$\frac{AB}{EF} = \frac{BC}{CF} \Rightarrow \frac{2}{EF} = \frac{5}{5 - x}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5EF = 10 - 2x \tag{1}$$

$$\frac{CD}{EF} = \frac{BC}{BF} \Rightarrow \frac{3}{EF} = \frac{5}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5EF = 3x \tag{2}$$

On equating (1) and (2), we get BF = 2

Now, 
$$\frac{AB}{EF} = \frac{5}{3} \Rightarrow EF$$
$$= 6/5 = 1.2 \text{ metres}$$

**51.** (c) Sum of the angles of the seven triangles

$$= 180^{\circ} \times 7$$
  
=  $1260^{\circ}$ 

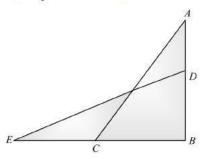
The base angles of the triangles are the exterior angles of the seven-sided polygon.

Their sum = 
$$2 \times 360^{\circ}$$
  
=  $720^{\circ}$ 

:. The sum of the angles at the vertices marked
$$= 1260^{\circ} - 720^{\circ}$$

$$= 540^{\circ}$$

**52.** (d) Let the initial position of the ladder = AC.



The base C is drawn out, by 2x to E. As a result the top A comes down by x to D.

$$BC = 7$$
,  $AC = 25$ , so  $AB = 24$ 

In  $\Delta DBE$ ,

$$DB^{2} + BE^{2} = DE^{2}$$

$$(24 - x)^{2} + (7 + 2x)^{2} = 25^{2}$$

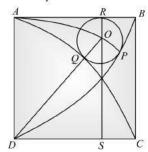
$$24^{2} - 48x + x^{2} + 7^{2} + 28x + 4x^{2} = 25^{2}$$

$$5x^2 = 20x$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 4 \quad (as x \neq 0))$$
So, 
$$EC = 8$$

The interval (5, 8) does not include 8. So, we have to select option (d).

**53.** (b) Let the side of the square = 1



Let the radius of the circle = x

and 
$$AO = AP - OP = 1 - x$$
  
 $OR = x$   
 $DO = DQ + QO = 1 + x$   
and  $OS = 1 - x$   
 $So_{1}(1-x)^{2} - x^{2} = (1+x)^{2} - (1-x)^{2}$   
 $1 = 6x \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{x}$ 

As 
$$AB = 60, OR = \frac{1}{6} \times 60 = 10$$

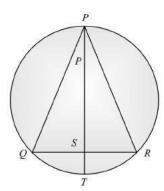
54. (a) In  $\triangle ADP$ 

Ext 
$$\angle ADC = \text{Interior} (\angle A + \angle P)$$
  
=  $40^{\circ} + 20^{\circ} = 60^{\circ}$   
 $\therefore \angle ABC = \angle ADC = 60$   
Since  $AD$  is the diameter

$$⇒ ∠ABD = 90°$$

$$∴ ∠DBC = ∠ABD - ∠ABC$$

**55.** (d) 
$$(PS)(ST) = (QS)(SR)$$
  
 $AM > GM$ 



 $=90^{\circ}-60^{\circ}=30^{\circ}$ 

$$\frac{\frac{1}{PS} + \frac{1}{ST}}{2} \ge \frac{1}{\sqrt{(PS)(ST)}}$$

$$\frac{1}{PS} + \frac{1}{ST} \ge \frac{2}{\sqrt{(PS)(ST)}}$$

$$\frac{1}{PS} + \frac{1}{ST} \ge \frac{2}{\sqrt{(QS)(SR)}}$$

Again 
$$\frac{(QS) + (SR)}{2} \ge \sqrt{(QS) + (SR)}$$

$$\frac{QR}{2} \ge \sqrt{(QS) + (SR)}$$

$$\frac{1}{PS} + \frac{1}{ST} > \frac{2}{QR}$$
 (:: S is not the centre)

$$\frac{1}{PS} + \frac{1}{ST} \ge \frac{4}{QR}$$

**56.** (c) 
$$\angle QSR = \angle QTR = \frac{z}{2}$$

$$\therefore \angle PSM = \angle PTM = 180^{\circ} - \frac{z}{2}$$

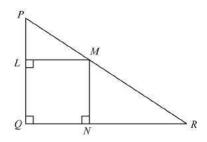
Also,  $\angle SMR = y$ 

:. In quadrilateral PSMT

$$180 - \frac{z}{2} + 180 - \frac{z}{2} + y + x = 360.$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y = z$$

57. (c)

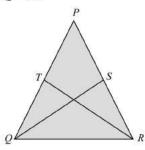


LN will be minimum only when LM = MN

 $\Rightarrow$  QLMN is a square.

$$\Rightarrow$$
 In  $\triangle LMN$ ,  $m\angle PQM = m\angle MQR = 45^{\circ}$ 

**58.** (c) Sine, 
$$PQ = PR$$



$$\angle TQS = 80^{\circ} - 60^{\circ} = 20^{\circ},$$

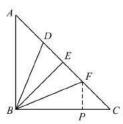
$$\angle TRS = 80^{\circ} - 50^{\circ} = 30^{\circ}$$

$$\angle QTR = 180^{\circ} - 80^{\circ} = 100^{\circ}$$
,

$$\angle RSQ = 180^{\circ} - 80^{\circ} - 60^{\circ} = 40^{\circ},$$

$$\angle STR = 80^{\circ}$$

59. (c)



Let ABC be the park and BD, BE and BF be the paths such that

$$AD = DE = EF = FC = 20 \text{ m}$$

Let 
$$AB = x$$
 and  $BC = y$ .

Let FP be perpendicular from F to BC.

Then, 
$$FP = \frac{1}{4}x$$
 and

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

$$\Rightarrow \qquad \text{BF} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{4}x\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3}{4}y\right)}$$

or, 
$$BF^2 = \frac{1}{16}x^2 + \frac{9}{16}y^2$$

Similarly,

$$BE^2 = \frac{1}{4}x^2 + \frac{1}{4}y^2$$

$$BD^2 = \frac{1}{16}x^2 + \frac{9}{16}y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow BF^{2} = BE^{2} + BD^{2}$$

$$= x^{2} \left( \frac{1}{16} + \frac{4}{16} + \frac{9}{16} \right) + y^{2} \left( \frac{9}{16} + \frac{4}{16} + \frac{1}{16} \right)$$

$$= \frac{14}{16} (x^{2} + y^{2})$$

$$= \frac{14}{16} (80 \times 80) \qquad [\because (x^{2} + y^{2}) = 80^{2}]$$

$$= 5600$$

**60.** (a) 
$$OR = OS$$
,  $OR \perp DR$  and  $OS \perp DS$ 

:. ORDS is a square

Also, 
$$BP = BQ$$
,  $CQ = CR$  and  $DR = DS$ 

$$\therefore BQ = BP = 27 \text{ cm}$$

$$.. BQ - BI - 27 \text{ cm}$$

$$\Rightarrow BC - CQ = 27 \text{ cm}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 38 - CQ = 27

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $CQ = 11 \text{ cm}$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $CR = 11 \text{ cm}$ 

$$\Rightarrow CD - DR = 11$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 25 - DR = 11

$$\Rightarrow$$
 DR = 14 cm

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $r = 14 \text{ cm}$ 

**61.** (d) Let AB = 9 cm, BC = 7 cm and CA = 6 cm

Then, 
$$x + y = 9 \text{ cm}$$
  
 $y + z = 7 \text{ cm}$   
 $z + x = 6 \text{ cm}$ 

Adding, we get

$$2(x+y+z)=22$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y + z = 11$$

$$z = (11-9) = 2, x = (11-7) = 4$$

and 
$$y = (11 - 6) = 5$$

Hence, the radii of the given circles are 4 cm, 5 cm and 2 cm, respectively

 (a) If two circles touch internally, then distance between their centres is equal to the difference of their radii.

$$AB = (5-3) \text{ cm} = 2 \text{ cm}$$

Also, the common chord PO is the  $\perp$  bisector of AB

$$AC = CB = 1 \text{ cm}$$

In rt.  $\triangle ACP$ , we have

$$AP^2 = AC^2 + CP^2$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 25 - 1 =  $CP^2$ 

$$\therefore CP = \sqrt{24} \text{ cm}$$

Hence, 
$$PQ = 2CP = 2 = 4\sqrt{6} \text{ cm}$$

63. (c) Since ABCD is a circumscribed quadrilateral

$$AB + CD = BC + AD$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 6+4=7+AD

$$AD = 10 - 7 = 3$$
cm

64. (c) 
$$OA = OB \Rightarrow \angle OAB = \angle OBA = 32^{\circ}$$

$$\therefore \angle OAB + \angle OBA = 32^{\circ} + 32^{\circ} = 64^{\circ}$$

$$\angle AOB = 180 - 64 = 116^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\angle ACB = \angle AOB = 58^{\circ}$ 

(Degree Measure Theorem)

Also, 
$$\angle ACB = \angle BAS$$

(angles in alternate segments)

$$\therefore \quad \angle BAS = x = 58^{\circ}$$

65. (b) Since ST is a diameter

Also, 
$$\angle TRQ = \angle TSR$$

(angles in alternate segments)

Hence, 
$$\angle STR = 50^{\circ}$$

66. (a) Since ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral

$$\therefore \angle ADC + \angle ABC = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow 130^{\circ} + \angle ABC = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\angle ABC = 50^{\circ}$ 

Also, 
$$\angle ACB = 90^{\circ}$$

$$\angle ACB + \angle ABC + \angle CAB = 180^{\circ} \text{ (ASP)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 90^{\circ} + 50^{\circ} + \angle CAB = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle CAB = 40^{\circ}$$

67. (a) In ΔBDC, Q and R are the mid-points of BD and CD respectively.

$$\therefore QR \parallel BC \text{ and } QR = \frac{1}{2}BC$$

Similarly, 
$$PS \parallel BC$$
 and  $PS = \frac{1}{2} BC$ 

$$\therefore$$
  $PS \parallel QR \text{ and } PS = QR$ 

[each equal to 1/2 BC]

Similarly, 
$$PO \parallel SR$$
 and  $PO = SR$ 

[each equal to 1/2 AD]

$$\therefore PS = OR = SR = PO \qquad [\because AD = BC]$$

Hence, PQRS is a rhombus.

**68.** (c) Since  $AB \parallel DC$  and transversal AC cuts them at A and C cresp.

$$\therefore \qquad \angle 1 = \angle 2 \tag{1}$$

[: Alternate angles are equal.]

Now, in  $\triangle APR$  and  $\triangle DPC$ ,  $\angle 1 = \angle 2$ 

$$AP = CP$$
 [: P is the mid-point of AC]

and  $\angle 3 = \angle 4$  [Vertically opposite angles].

So,  $\triangle APR \cong \triangle DPC [ASA]$ .

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $AR = DC \text{ and } PR = DP$  (2)

Again, P and Q are the mid-points of sides DR and DB respectively in  $\Delta DRB$ .

$$\therefore PQ = \frac{1}{2}RB = \frac{1}{2}(AB - AR).$$

[:: AR = DC].

$$\therefore PQ = \frac{1}{2} (AB - DC)$$

69. (a) ABCD is a parallelogram.

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $AD = BC \text{ and } AD \parallel BC$ 

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} AD = \frac{1}{3} BC \text{ and } AD \parallel BC$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $AP = CO \text{ and } AP \parallel CO$ 

Thus, APCQ is a quad. Such that one pair of opposite side AP and CQ are parallel and equal.

Hence, APCQ is a parallelogram.

**70.** (c) In  $\triangle ARB$ , P is the mid-point of AB and PD || BR.

 $\Rightarrow$  D is the mid-point of AR.

: ABCD is a parallelogram

$$\Rightarrow DC ||AB \Rightarrow DO ||AB$$

Thus, in  $\triangle RAB$ , D is the mid-point of AR and  $DQ \parallel AB$ .

:. Q is the mid-point of

$$RB \Rightarrow BR = 2BQ$$
.

71. (c) In 
$$\triangle ABC$$
,  $\angle ACE = \angle ABC + \angle BAC$ 

Similarly in  $\triangle BCD$ ,

$$\angle BDC = \angle DCE - \angle DBC$$

[Ext. angle prop. of a  $\Delta$ ]

But 
$$\angle DCE = \frac{1}{2} \angle ACE$$
 and

$$\frac{1}{2} \angle DBC = \frac{1}{2} \angle ABC$$

Now, 
$$\angle BDC = \angle DCE - \angle DBC$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \angle ACE - \frac{1}{2} \angle ABC$$

$$=\frac{1}{2}\left(\angle ACE-\angle ABC\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \angle ACE + \angle BAC - \angle ACE \right)$$

$$\therefore \qquad \angle BDC = \frac{1}{2} \angle BAC$$

72. (a) 
$$\angle 1 = \angle A + \angle 5$$
 and

$$\angle 2 = \angle A + \angle 6$$

[Ext. angle prop. of a  $\Delta$ ]

$$\angle 1 + \angle 2 = 2\angle A + \angle 5 + \angle 6$$
$$= 2\angle A + (180^{\circ} - \angle A)$$
$$= \angle A + 180^{\circ}$$

The given question can be restated as the sum of two exterior angles exceeds  $\angle A$  of the  $\triangle ABC$  by 2 right angles.

73. (c) 
$$PR = \sqrt{PM^2 + MR^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{36 + 64} = 10 \text{ cm}$$

$$PQ = \sqrt{QR^2 - PR^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{26^2 - 10^2} = 24 \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore \text{ ar}(\Delta POR) = 1 \times 10 \times 12 = 120 \text{ cm}^2$$

74. (a) In  $\triangle ADE$  and  $\triangle ABC$ 

$$\angle A = \angle A$$
 [common]

$$\angle ADE = \angle ACB = x^{\circ}$$
 (Given)

$$\therefore$$
  $\triangle ADE \sim \triangle ACB$  (AA Similarly)

$$\frac{AD}{AC} = \frac{AD}{AC}$$

(corresponding sides of  $\sim \Delta s$  are proportional)

$$\frac{6}{13} = \frac{9}{AB}$$

$$AB = \frac{39}{2} = 19.5 \text{ cm}$$

Hence 
$$BD = AB - AD$$
  
= 19.5 - 6 = 13.5 cm

75. (b)  $\angle PQA$  is a right angle being an angle in a semi-circle.

$$MP \cdot MA = MQ^2$$
  
If  $BM = 1$ ,  $MP = 1$  and  $AM = \sqrt{3}$ ,  
 $\therefore AM$  is the median and  $MQ = 3^{\frac{1}{4}}$ 

$$T = MQ^2 = \sqrt{3}$$
 and  $S = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}(4) = \sqrt{3}$ .  
 $\therefore T = S$ .

**76.** (c) We have  $\angle GEC = 52^{\circ}$ 

By alternate segment theorem,

$$\angle OAE = \angle GEC = 52^{\circ}$$
  
  $\therefore \angle OCE = 180^{\circ} - 90^{\circ} - 52^{\circ} = 38^{\circ}$ 

As  $\angle AEC$  is an angle in a semicircle.

Now ACDE is a cyclic quadrilateral.

∴ 
$$\angle C = 180^{\circ} - 52^{\circ} = 128^{\circ}$$
  
∴  $\angle C + \angle C = 38^{\circ} + 128^{\circ} = 166^{\circ}$ .

77. (c) The coefficient of x in the new equation is

$$-\left[\left(\alpha + \frac{\alpha}{\beta}\right) + \left(\beta + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}\right)\right]$$

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

$$= -\left[10 + \frac{100 - 30}{15}\right]$$

$$= -\frac{44}{3}$$

The constant term of the equation is,

$$\left(\alpha + \frac{\alpha}{\beta}\right) \times \left(\beta + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}\right)$$

$$= \alpha\beta + \alpha + \beta + 1$$

$$= 15 + 10 + 1$$

$$= 26.$$



78. (c) We have  $\angle OCT = 90^{\circ}$ ,  $\angle DCT = 45^{\circ}$  and  $\angle OCB = 45^{\circ}$ Since  $\triangle BOC$  is a right-angled triangle

$$\therefore \angle COB = 45^{\circ}$$

$$\angle AOC = 180^{\circ} - 45^{\circ} = 135^{\circ}$$
As  $CD=10$ 

$$BC = 5 \text{ cm} = OB$$
In  $\triangle OBC$ ,
$$OC = 5\sqrt{2} = OA$$

In 
$$\triangle AOC$$
,  
 $AC^2 = OA^2 + OC^2 - 2OA OC \cos 135^\circ$   
 $= 2(OA)^2 - 2(OA)^2 \cos 135^\circ$ 

$$= 2(5\sqrt{2})^2 - 2(5\sqrt{2})^2 \times \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= 100 + \frac{100}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$AC^2 = 170.70$$

$$AC = 13 \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore \text{ Perimeter of } \Delta AOC = AC + OC + AO$$
$$= 13 + 5\sqrt{2} + 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$=13+10\times1.414$$

79. (c) In smaller circle, OP is the diameter of the circle.

So,

$$\angle ORP = 90^{\circ}$$

$$OP = 10 \text{ cm}$$

(radius of bigger circle)

$$OR = 8$$
 cm.

In A OPR

$$OP^2 = OR^2 + RP^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 10^2 = 8^2 + RP^2$$

$$\Rightarrow RP^2 = 100 - 64$$

$$\Rightarrow RP = \sqrt{36} = 6$$
cm

Also,  $OR \perp SP$ , so it passes through the centre.

:. 
$$SP = 2 RP = 2 \times 6 = 12 \text{ cm}$$
.

80. (e) Using AE = 19, CD = 22,  $\angle$ B = 90°, we can find the length of AC.

$$AB^2 + \left(\frac{BC}{2}\right)^2 = (19)^2$$
 ...(i)

$$\left(\frac{AB}{2}\right)^2 + BC^2 = (22)^2$$
 ...(ii)

On adding (i) and (ii), we get

$$AB^2 + BC^2 = \frac{4}{5}(361 + 484)$$

$$\Rightarrow AC^2 = 676$$

$$\Rightarrow AC = 26$$

**81.** (c) Let A, B be the centres of the two circles with radius 3 cm, 8 cm respectively



$$PX = \sqrt{25-9} = 4$$

$$Now\Delta AP_1X \sim BP_2X$$

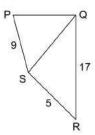
$$\Rightarrow AP_1/BP_2 = P_1X/P_2X$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 3/8=4/ $P_2X$ 

$$P_2X = 10.66$$

$$P_1P_2 = P_1X + P_2X = 14.66$$

**82.** (b) Let QS = x, we get the following figure



In any triangle, the sum of any two sides is always greater than the third side and the difference of any two sides is always smaller than the third side. Hence,

In QRS,

$$x + 5 > 17$$

$$\Rightarrow x > 12$$
 (1)

In PQRS

$$x < 9 + 5$$

$$\Rightarrow x > 14$$
 (2)

Combining (i) and (ii), we get

83. (a) Since PQ is the diameter and parallel to x-axis, there fore points P and Q have the same y-coordinate but their x - coordinates differ by 6 units. (Since the diameter = 6 units)

We have two possible cases:

Case 1:

$$y = a^x = 2a^{(x+6)}\delta \implies a = \frac{1}{6\sqrt{2}}$$

Case2:

$$y = 2a^x = a^{(x+6)} \implies a = 2^{1/6}$$

But it is given that a < 1

:. Case 2 can not be possible.