

BLE Model Question Set with Solution

Subject: Mathematics
Class: VIII

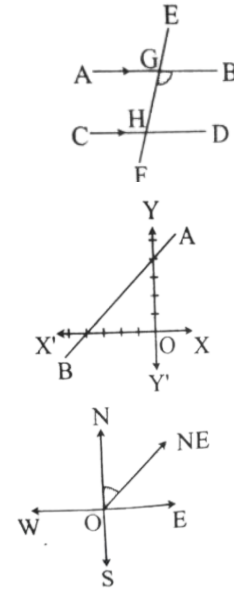
F.M.: 100
Time: 3 hrs

Candidates are required to answer in their own words as far as practicable. The figures in the margin represent the full marks.

Attempt all the questions

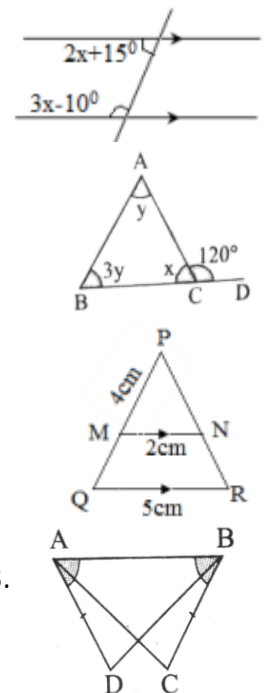
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b) Write the bearing angle of NE in the given figure.
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b) Write down 46000 in scientific notation.
5. a) Solve : $4x > 12$
b) What is the value of $2x^0$?



Group "B" [17×2=34]

6. a) Find the value of x from the given figure.
b) From given figure, Find the value of x and y.
c) In the given figure, if $\Delta PQR \sim \Delta PMN$ then find the length of PQ.
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- | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|----|
| x | 2 | 4 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 |
| f | 5 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 3 | 4 |
22. Factorize: $(a+b)^2 + 11(a+b) + 30$
23. Find H.C.F.: $x^2 - 5x + 6$, $x^2 - 6x + 5$ and $x^2 - 9$.
24. Simplify: Simplify: $\frac{1}{m-n} + \frac{1}{m+n} - \frac{2m}{m^2+n^2}$
25. Solve graphically : $x + y = 5$, $x - y = 1$

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Group "A"

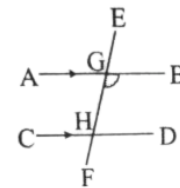
[10 × 1 = 10]

1. a) Write the co-interior angle of $\angle BGH$ from the given figure.

Solution:

Here,

The co-interior angle of $\angle BGH$ is $\angle DHG$.



- b) Find the area of a semi-circle with diameter 'd' cm.

Solution:

Here,

$$\text{The area of semi-circle} = \frac{1}{2} \pi r^2 = \frac{1}{2} \pi \left(\frac{d}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{8} \pi d^2 \text{ cm}^2$$

2. a) Find the x-intercept of the line AB in the given graph.

Solution:

Here,

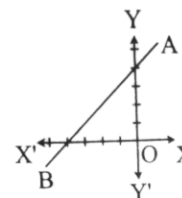
The x-intercept of the line AB is -4 .

- b) Write the bearing angle of NE in the given figure.

Solution:

Here,

The bearing of NE is 045° .

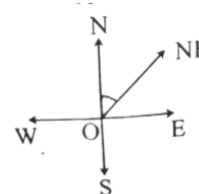


3. a) If $A = \{0, 4, 8, 12, 18\}$ and $B = \{0, 6, 12, 18\}$ then find $A - B$.

Solution:

Here, $A = \{0, 4, 8, 12, 18\}$ and $B = \{0, 6, 12, 18\}$

$$\begin{aligned} A - B &= \{0, 4, 8, 12, 18\} - \{0, 6, 12, 18\} \\ &= \{4, 8\} \end{aligned}$$



- b) Find the mode of given data: 2, 3, 5, 7, 3, 11

Solution:

Here,

The required mode is 3 because it has highest frequency.

4. a) Factorize: $2a^2 - 6ab$

Solution:

Here,

$$2a^2 - 6ab = 2a(a - 3b)$$

- b) Write down 46000 in scientific notation.

Solution:

$$\text{Here, } 46000 = 4.6 \times 10^4$$

5. a) Solve : $4x > 12$

Solution:

Here,

$$4x > 12$$

$$\text{or, } x > 3$$

- b) What is the value of $2x^0$?

Solution:

$$\text{Here, } 2x^0 = 2 \times 1 = 2$$

Group "B" [17×2=34]

6. a) Find the value of x from the given figure.

Solution:

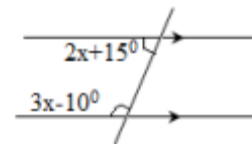
Here,

$$3x - 10^\circ + 2x + 15^\circ = 180^\circ \quad [\text{Being co-interior angles}]$$

$$\text{or, } 5x + 5^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{or, } 5x = 175^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{175^\circ}{5} = 35^\circ$$



- b) From given figure, Find the value of x and y.

Solution:

Here,

$$x + 120^\circ = 180^\circ \quad [\text{Being linear pair}]$$

$$\text{or, } x = 180^\circ - 120^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 60^\circ$$

Again,

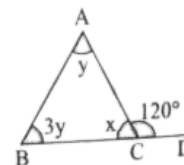
$$y + 3y + x = 180^\circ \quad [\text{Being the sum of angles of triangle}]$$

$$\text{or, } 4y + 60^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{or, } 4y = 120^\circ$$

$$\text{or, } y = \frac{120^\circ}{4}$$

$$\therefore y = 30^\circ$$



- c) In the given figure, if
- $\Delta PQR \sim \Delta PMN$
- then find the length of PQ.

Solution:

Here,

$$QR = 5 \text{ cm, } PM = 4 \text{ cm and } MN = 2 \text{ cm, } PQ = ?$$

Now, $\Delta PQR \sim \Delta PMN$

$$\text{So, } \frac{PQ}{PM} = \frac{QR}{MN} = \frac{PR}{PN} \quad [\text{The corresponding sides of similar triangles are proportional}]$$

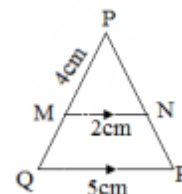
$$\text{or, } \frac{PQ}{4 \text{ cm}} = \frac{5 \text{ cm}}{2 \text{ cm}} = \frac{PR}{PN}$$

Taking 1st and 2nd ratios, we get

$$\frac{PQ}{4 \text{ cm}} = \frac{5 \text{ cm}}{2 \text{ cm}}$$

$$\text{or, } 2 \text{ PQ} = 20 \text{ cm}$$

Hence, PQ = 10 cm



7. a) In the given figure,
- $AB = BC$
- ,
- $\angle BAD = \angle ABC$
- , prove that:
- $\Delta ABD \cong \Delta ACB$
- .

Solution:

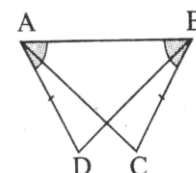
Here,

In ΔABD and ΔACB ;

$$(i) \quad AB = AB \quad (S) \quad [\text{Common side}]$$

$$(ii) \quad \angle BAD = \angle ABC \quad (A) \quad [\text{Given}]$$

$$(iii) \quad AD = BC \quad (S) \quad [\text{Given}]$$

Hence, $\Delta ABD \cong \Delta ACB$ [By S.A.S. axiom]

- b) If the area of circular pond is $144\pi\text{m}^2$, find the radius of its pond.

Solution:

Here,

$$\text{Area of circular pond (A)} = 144\pi\text{m}^2$$

$$\text{or, } \cancel{\pi}r^2 = 144\cancel{\pi}$$

$$\text{or, } r^2 = 144$$

$$\text{or, } r^2 = 12^2$$

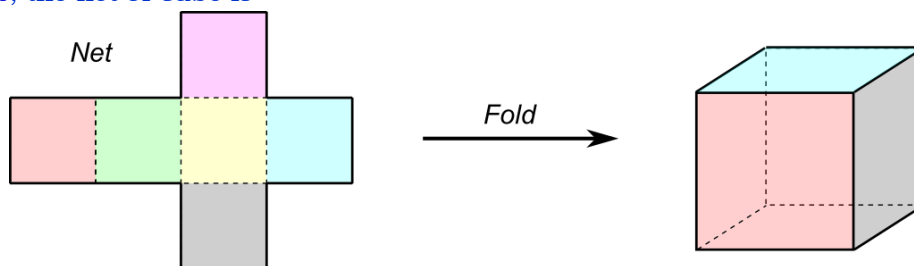
$$\text{or, } r = 12$$

Hence, the radius of the pond is 12 m.

- c) Draw a net of cube.

Solution:

Here, the net of cube is



8. a) If A(6,8) and B(7,4) are any two given points, find the distance between AB.

Solution:

Here,

The given points are A (6, 8) \rightarrow (x_1, y_1) and B (7, 4) \rightarrow (x_2, y_2)

Now, by using distance formula; we get

$$\begin{aligned} \text{AB (d)} &= \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(7 - 6)^2 + (4 - 8)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(1)^2 + (-4)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{1 + 16} \\ &= \sqrt{17} \text{ units} \end{aligned}$$

- b) A tank having length, breadth and height 12m , 10 m , 6m respectively. How much petrol does it hold?

Solution:

Here, length of the tank (l) = 12 m, breadth (b) = 10 m and height (h) = 6 m

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, volume (V)} &= l \times b \times h \\ &= 12 \text{ m} \times 10 \text{ m} \times 6 \text{ m} \\ &= 720 \text{ m}^3 \end{aligned}$$

We know, $1 \text{ m}^3 = 1000 \text{ l}$

$$\therefore 720 \text{ m}^3 = 720 \times 1000 \text{ l} = 720000 \text{ l}$$

Hence, the tank can hold 720000 liters of petrol.

- c) If $U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, 10\}$, $P = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ and $R = \{4, 5, 6, 7\}$ then find $P - (\overline{P \cap R})$

Solution:

Here, $U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, 10\}$, $P = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ and $R = \{4, 5, 6, 7\}$

$$\text{Now, } P \cap R = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} \cap \{4, 5, 6, 7\} = \{4, 5\}$$

$$\therefore \overline{P \cap R} = U - (P \cap R) = \{1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$$

$$\text{Again, } P - (\overline{P \cap R}) = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} - \{1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\} = \{4, 5\}$$

9. a) Convert the binary number $(101110111)_2$ into decimal number.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Here, } (101110111)_2 &= 1 \times 2^8 + 0 \times 2^7 + 1 \times 2^6 + 1 \times 2^5 + 1 \times 2^4 + 0 \times 2^3 + 1 \times 2^2 + 1 \times 2^1 + 1 \times 2^0 \\ &= 1 \times 256 + 0 \times 128 + 1 \times 64 + 1 \times 32 + 1 \times 16 + 0 \times 8 + 1 \times 4 + 1 \times 2 + 1 \times 1 \\ &= 256 + 0 + 64 + 32 + 16 + 0 + 4 + 2 + 1 \\ &= 375 \end{aligned}$$

- b) The monthly income of a family is Rs 30,000. The ratio of the expenditure and saving is 4:2. Find the amount of expenditure and saving.

Solution:

Let, the expenditure = Rs $4x$ and the saving = Rs $2x$.

Now, total income = Rs 30,000

$$\text{or, Saving + Expenditure} = \text{Rs } 30,000$$

$$\text{or, } 2x + 4x = \text{Rs } 30,000$$

$$\text{or, } 6x = \text{Rs } 30,000$$

$$\text{or, } x = \frac{\text{Rs } 30000}{6}$$

$$\therefore x = \text{Rs } 5000$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hence, the amount of expenditure} &= 4x \\ &= 4 \times \text{Rs } 5,000 \\ &= \text{Rs } 20,000 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{And the amount of saving} &= 2x \\ &= 2 \times \text{Rs } 5,000 \\ &= \text{Rs } 10,000 \end{aligned}$$

- c) Find the median from the given data:

10,30,20,40,50,20,60

Solution:

Here, the given data in ascending order is

10, 20, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60

No. of terms (N) = 7

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, position of median} &= \left(\frac{N+1}{2}\right)^{\text{th}} \text{ item} \\ &= \left(\frac{7+1}{2}\right)^{\text{th}} \text{ item} \\ &= 4^{\text{th}} \text{ item} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the required median is 30.

10. a) If $a + \frac{1}{a} = 12$, find the value of $a^3 + \frac{1}{a^3}$.

Solution:

$$\text{Here, } a + \frac{1}{a} = 12, \quad a^3 + \frac{1}{a^3} = ?$$

$$\text{We have, } a^3 + b^3 = (a + b)^3 - 3ab(a + b)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore a^3 + \frac{1}{a^3} &= \left(a + \frac{1}{a}\right)^3 - 3 \times a \times \frac{1}{a} \left(a + \frac{1}{a}\right) \\ &= 12^3 - 3 \times 12 \\ &= 1728 - 36 \\ &= 1692 \end{aligned}$$

- b) Find the value of: $\left(\frac{1}{64}\right)^{-1/6}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Here, } \left(\frac{1}{64}\right)^{-1/6} &= \left(\frac{64}{1}\right)^{1/6} \quad [\because \left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^{-m} = \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^m] \\ &= (2^6)^{1/6} \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

- c) Simplify: $\frac{3^{x+1} + 3^x}{2 \times 3^x}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Here, } \frac{3^{x+1} + 3^x}{2 \times 3^x} &= \frac{3^x \times 3 + 3^x}{2 \times 3^x} \\ &= \frac{3^x(3 + 1)}{2 \times 3^x} \\ &= \frac{4}{2} \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

11. a) Solve: $a^2 - 4a = 0$

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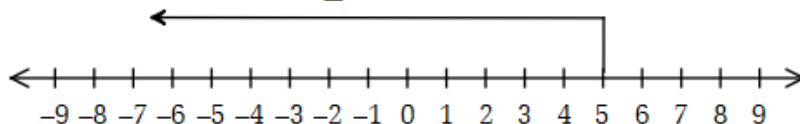
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Here, } a^2 - 4a &= 0 \\ \text{or, } a(a - 4) &= 0 \\ \text{Either, } a &= 0 \\ \text{OR, } a - 4 &= 0 \therefore a = 4 \\ \text{Hence, } a &= 0 \text{ or } 4. \end{aligned}$$

- b) Solve the given inequality and show in a number line. :
 $3x + 2 \leq 17$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Here, } 3x + 2 &\leq 17 \\ \text{or, } 3x &\leq 15 \\ \text{or, } x &\leq 5 \end{aligned}$$

Showing it in the number line
 $x \leq 5$



Group "C" [14 × 4 = 56]

12. Construct a regular pentagon with a side 5 cm by using compass.

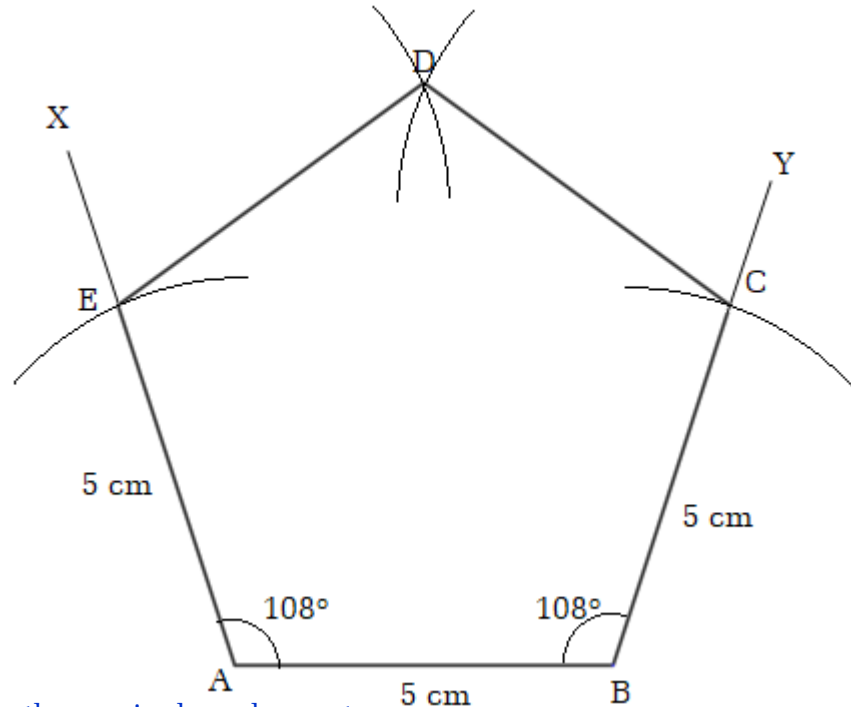
Solution:

Here,

In regular pentagon, each side of regular pentagon = 5 cm.

No. of sides (n) = 5

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, each interior angle} &= \frac{(n - 2) \times 180^\circ}{n} \\ &= \frac{(5 - 2) \times 180^\circ}{5} \\ &= 3 \times 36^\circ \\ &= 108^\circ \end{aligned}$$



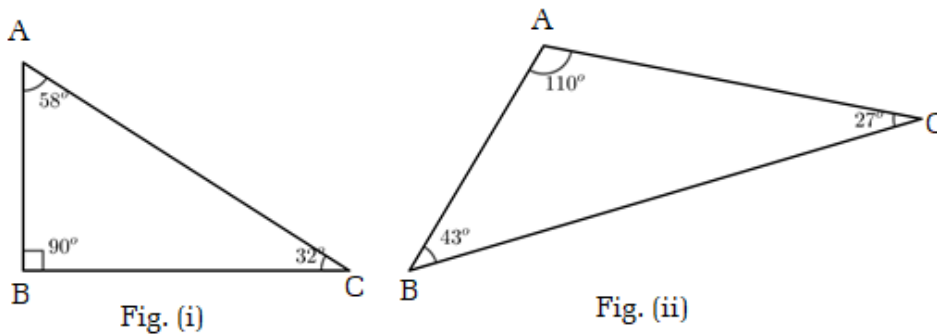
Hence, ABCDE is the required regular pentagon.

13. Verify experimentally that the sum of interior angles of a triangle is two right angles. (Two triangles of different size are necessary)

Solution:

Here,

Step 1: Two triangles ABC of different shapes and sizes are drawn.



Step 2: $\angle A$, $\angle B$ and $\angle C$ are measured in each figure and tabulated the result.

Fig.	$\angle A$	$\angle B$	$\angle C$	$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C$	Result
(i)	58°	90°	32°	180°	$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ$
(ii)	110°	43°	27°	180°	$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ$

Conclusion: From the above experiment, we came to know that the sum of interior angles of the triangle is always 180° .

14. Plot the points P (2,7), Q (3,3) and R (6,7) on graph paper. Find the co-ordinates of image of the point P, Q and R when P, Q and R are rotated through $+90^\circ$ about the origin O(0,0) and show the image on the same graph paper.

Solution:

Here,

The vertices of a triangle PQR are P (2, 7), Q (3, 3) and R (6, 7).

Now,

Rotating ΔPQR through 90° about (0, 0), we get

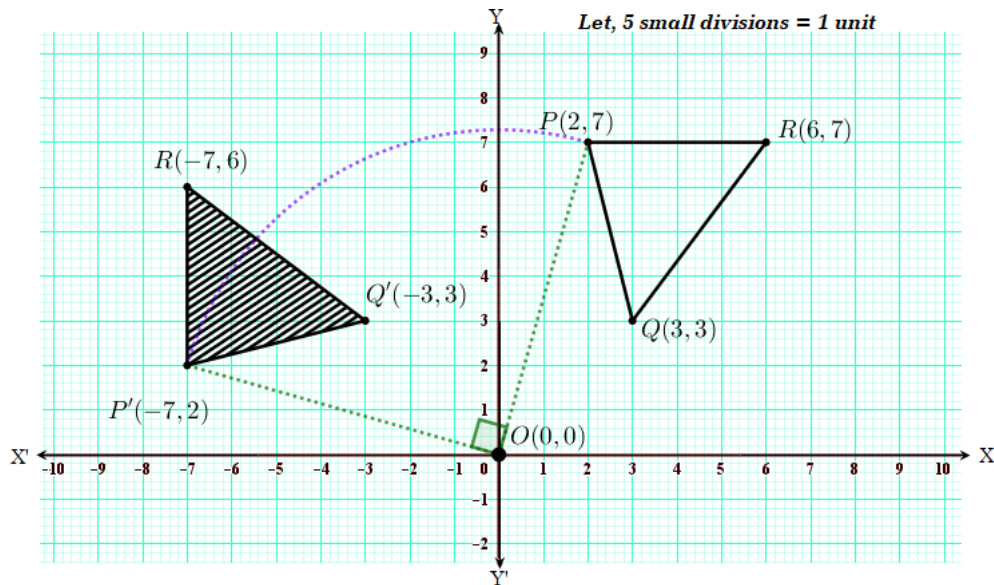
$$P(x, y) \longrightarrow P'(-y, x)$$

$$P(2, 7) \longrightarrow P'(-7, 2)$$

$$Q(3, 3) \longrightarrow Q'(-3, 3)$$

$$R(6, 7) \longrightarrow R'(-7, 6)$$

Plotting both the triangles on the same graph paper



15. In a group of 120 students, it was found that 80 students liked apple and 40 liked banana. If 20 of them liked both fruits then using Venn – diagram, find the number of students who did not like both fruits.

Solution:

Let, A and B denote the sets of students who liked apple and banana respectively.

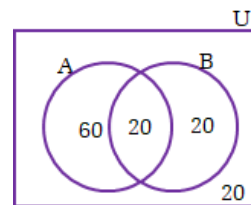
Then, $n(U) = 120$

$$n(A) = 80$$

$$n(B) = 40$$

$$n(A \cap B) = 20$$

Now, drawing a Venn-diagram to show the above information



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also, } n(A \cup B) &= n(A) + n(B) - n(A \cap B) \\ &= 80 + 40 - 20 \\ &= 100 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Again, } n(\overline{A \cup B}) &= n(U) - n(A \cup B) \\ &= 120 - 100 \\ &= 20 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, 20 students didn't like both fruits.

16. Simplify: $\frac{42}{\sqrt{28}} + \frac{60}{\sqrt{45}} - 2\sqrt{20} + 2\sqrt{175}$

Solution:

Here,

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{42}{\sqrt{28}} + \frac{60}{\sqrt{45}} - 2\sqrt{20} + 2\sqrt{175} \\ &= \frac{42}{\sqrt{2 \times 2 \times 7}} + \frac{60}{\sqrt{3 \times 3 \times 5}} - 2\sqrt{2 \times 2 \times 5} + 2\sqrt{5 \times 5 \times 7} \\ &= \frac{42}{2\sqrt{7}} + \frac{60}{3\sqrt{5}} - 2 \times 2\sqrt{5} + 2 \times 5\sqrt{7} \\ &= \frac{21}{\sqrt{7}} + \frac{20}{\sqrt{5}} - 4\sqrt{5} + 10\sqrt{7} \\ &= \frac{21}{\sqrt{7}} \times \frac{\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{7}} + \frac{20}{\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}} - 4\sqrt{5} + 10\sqrt{7} \\ &= \frac{21\sqrt{7}}{7} + \frac{20\sqrt{5}}{5} - 4\sqrt{5} + 10\sqrt{7} \\ &= 3\sqrt{7} + 4\sqrt{5} - 4\sqrt{5} + 10\sqrt{7} \\ &= 3\sqrt{7} + 10\sqrt{7} \\ &= 13\sqrt{7} \end{aligned}$$

17. If a cube has total surface area 150 cm^2 , find the volume of a cube.

Solution:

Here, TSA of cube = 150 cm^2

$$\text{or, } 6l^2 = 150$$

$$\text{or, } l^2 = 25$$

$$\text{or, } l = 5$$

$$\text{or, } l = 5 \text{ cm}$$

Again, volume (V) = l^3

$$= (5 \text{ cm})^3$$

$$= 125 \text{ cm}^3$$

18. 15 men can do a piece of work in 80 days. How long will it take to complete the work by 10 men?

Solution:

Let, 10 men can finish the work in x days.

Then,

No. of men	Working days
15	80
10	x

By the rule of indirect variation, we get

$$\frac{15}{10} = \frac{x}{80}$$

$$\text{or, } 10x = 1200$$

$$\text{or, } x = 120$$

Hence, 10 men can complete the work in 120 days.

19. What sum of money amounts to Rs 8700 in 3 years at the rate of 24% per annum.

Solution:

Here,

$$\text{Amount (A)} = \text{Rs } 8,700$$

$$\text{Time (T)} = 3 \text{ years}$$

$$\text{Rate (R)} = 24\% \text{ p.a.}$$

Sum of money (P) =?

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We have, } P &= \frac{A \times 100}{100 + TR} \\ &= \frac{8700 \times 100}{100 + 3 \times 24} \\ &= \frac{870000}{100 + 72} \\ &= \frac{870000}{172} \\ &= \text{Rs } 5,058.14 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the required sum is Rs 5,058.14

20. What is the price of a mobile whose market price is Rs 15,000 and 13% VAT was levied after allowing 20% discount on it?

Solution:

Here, M.P. of a mobile = Rs 15,000

Discount percent = 20%

VAT rate = 13%

S.P. with VAT =?

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, discount amount} &= D\% \text{ of M.P.} \\ &= 20\% \text{ of Rs } 15,000 \\ &= \frac{20}{100} \times 15000 \\ &= \text{Rs } 3000 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also, S.P. after discount} &= \text{MP} - \text{Discount} \\ &= 15000 - 3000 \\ &= \text{Rs } 12000 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Again, VAT amount} &= \text{VAT}\% \text{ of S.P.} \\ &= 13\% \text{ of Rs } 12000 \\ &= \frac{13}{100} \times 12000 \\ &= \text{Rs } 1560 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, S.P. with VAT} &= \text{S.P.} + \text{VAT} \\ &= \text{Rs } 12000 + \text{Rs } 1560 \\ &= \text{Rs } 13,560 \end{aligned}$$

21. Find the arithmetic mean from the following data:

x	2	4	6	8	10	12	14
f	5	3	4	3	7	3	4

Solution:

Here,

x	f	$f \times x$
2	5	10
4	3	12
6	4	24
8	3	24
10	7	70
12	3	36
14	4	56
	$N = 29$	$\Sigma fx = 232$

$$\text{Now, mean } (\bar{x}) = \frac{\Sigma fx}{N}$$

$$= \frac{232}{29}$$

$$= 8$$

Hence, the mean of the given data is 8.

22. Factorize: $(a+b)^2 + 11(a+b) + 30$

Solution:

Here, $(a+b)^2 + 11(a+b) + 30$

Let, $(a + b) = x$ then the expression becomes

$$x^2 + 11x + 30$$

$$= x^2 + (6 + 5)x + 30$$

$$= x^2 + 6x + 5x + 30$$

$$= x(x + 6) + 5(x + 6)$$

$$= (x + 6)(x + 5)$$

Replacing $x = a + b$, we get

$$(a + b + 6)(a + b + 5)$$

23. Find H.C.F.: $x^2 - 5x + 6$, $x^2 - 6x + 5$ and $x^2 - 9$

Solution:

Here,

The 1st expression

$$= x^2 - 5x + 6$$

$$= x^2 - (3 + 2)x + 6$$

$$= x^2 - 3x - 2x + 6$$

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

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

The 2nd expression

$$= x^2 - 6x + 5$$

$$= x^2 - (5 + 1)x + 5$$

$$= x^2 - 5x - x + 5$$

$$= x(x - 5) - 1(x - 5)$$

$$= (x - 5)(x - 1)$$

The 3rd expression

$$= x^2 - 9$$

$$= x^2 - 3^2$$

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

Hence, H.C.F. = Common factor = 1

24. Simplify: $\frac{1}{m-n} + \frac{1}{m+n} - \frac{2m}{m^2+n^2}$

Solution:

Here, $\frac{1}{m-n} + \frac{1}{m+n} - \frac{2m}{m^2+n^2}$

$$= \frac{m+n+m-n}{(m-n)(m+n)} - \frac{2m}{m^2+n^2}$$

$$= \frac{2m}{m^2-n^2} - \frac{2m}{m^2+n^2}$$

$$= \frac{2m(m^2+n^2) - 2m(m^2-n^2)}{(m^2-n^2)(m^2+n^2)}$$

$$= \frac{2m^3 + 2mn^2 - 2m^3 + 2mn^2}{(m^2)^2 - (n^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{4mn^2}{m^4 - n^4}$$

25. Solve graphically : $x + y = 5$, $x - y = 1$

Solution:

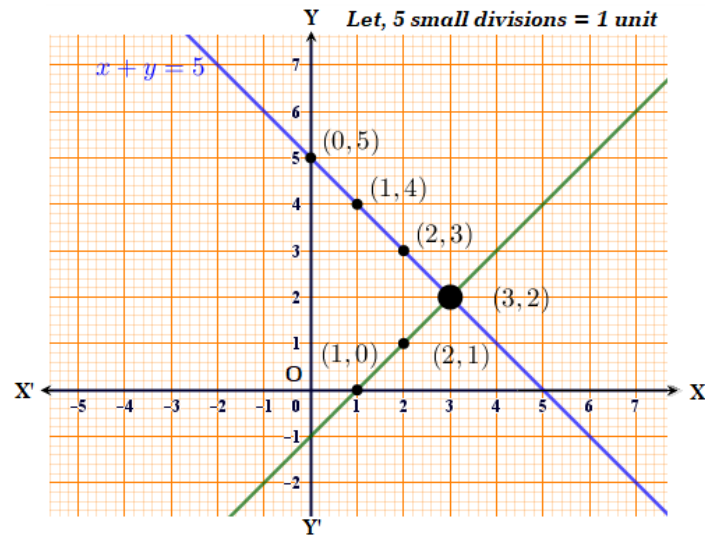
Here,

The given equations are $x + y = 5$ $\therefore y = 5 - x$

x	0	1	2
y	5	4	3

Also, $x - y = 1$ or, $x - 1 = y$ $\therefore y = x - 1$

x	1	2	3
y	0	1	2



In the graph, the lines intersect at $(3, 2)$. So, $x = 3$ and $y = 2$.

THE END