

Model Questions and Answers for Mathematics – Part I

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1. (i) Find the correct answer:-

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Principal, time and rate of interest – out of these three if any two remain invariant, the remaining one bears with total interest

(i) direct relation (ii) inverse relation (iii) no relation (iv) any relation

Solution: If, Principal = P, Time = T, Rate = R and Interest = I

$$\text{We know, } I = \frac{PTR}{100}$$

If Principal and Time are constants.

$$\text{We get, } I = \frac{\text{Constant}}{100} R$$

∴ It is a direct relation.

Ans: Direct relation (i)

(ii) Find the correct answer:-

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m, (m-1) are factors of $m^3 - m$. The remaining one will be

(i) $m^2 - 1$ (ii) $1 - m$ (iii) $m + 1$ (iv) $m^2 + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: Given, } m^3 - m \\ &= m(m^2 - 1) \\ &= m(m+1)(m-1) \end{aligned}$$

Since the given factors are m and (m-1), the remaining factor is (m+1)

Ans: The remaining factor is (m+1) (iii)

(iii) **Determine the value of a for which the expression $(a-2)x^2 + 3x + 5 = 0$ will not be a quadratic equation.**

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Solution: The expression will not be a quadratic equation,

$$\text{if } (a-2) = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } a - 2 = 0$$

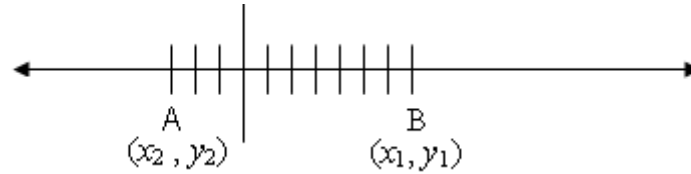
$$\text{or, } a = 2$$

Ans: For $a = 2$, the given expression will not be a quadratic equation.

- (iv) Find the distance between the points $(-3, 0)$ and $(7, 0)$.

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Solution:



$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \text{Length of AB} &= \sqrt{[(x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2]} \\ &= \sqrt{[(7 + 3)^2 + (0 - 0)^2]} \\ &= \sqrt{100} = 10 \text{ units}\end{aligned}$$

Ans: The distance is 10 units.

- (v) If the whole surface area and the volume of a cube are numerically equal, what is the length of its side? 1

Solution: Let the length of one side of the cube be a units.

$$\therefore \text{Total surface area of the cube} = 6a^2 \text{ units}$$

$$\text{And, volume} = a^3 \text{ units}$$

$$\text{By the problem, } a^3 = 6a^2$$

$$\text{or, } a = 6$$

Ans: The required length of the cube is 6 units.

- (v) Find the correct answer:-

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If $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 90^\circ$ and $\sin \theta = \cos \theta$ then θ will be

(i) 30° (ii) 60° (iii) 45° (iv) 90°

Solution: $\sin \theta = \cos \theta$

$$\text{or, } \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = 1$$

$$\text{or, } \tan \theta = \tan 45^\circ$$

$$\text{or, } \theta = 45^\circ$$

Ans: $\theta = 45^\circ$ (iii)

- 2 (a) If there be a loss of 11% in selling an article at Rs. 178, at what price should it be sold to earn a profit of 11%? 2

Solution: Let the CP of an article be C

Since there is a loss of 11%,

$$\therefore \text{SP} = C - \frac{11C}{100} = \frac{89C}{100}$$

By the problem, $\frac{89C}{100} = 178$

$$\text{or, } C = \frac{178 \times 100}{89} = 200$$

\therefore The cost price (CP) of the article = Rs. 200

He should earn a profit of 11 %

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{SP of the article} &= C + \frac{11C}{100} \\ &= 200 + \frac{11 \times 200}{100} \\ &= 222 \end{aligned}$$

Ans: The sale price of the article is Rs. 222.

- (b) What should be the values of a and b for which $64x^3 - 9ax^2 + 108x - b$ will be a perfect cube. 2

Solution: $64x^3 - 9ax^2 + 108x - b$ ----- (i)

We know, $(4x)^3 - 3(4x)^2 \times 9 + 3(4x) \times 9^2 - (9)^3$ ----- (ii)
 $= (4x - 9)^3$

Comparing equation (i) and (ii) we get,

$$9ax^2 = 3 \times 16x^2 \times 9$$

$$\text{or, } a = 48$$

$$\text{and } b = (9)^3 = 729$$

$$\therefore a = 48 \text{ and } b = 729$$

Ans: $a = 48$ and $b = 729$

- (c) For which value of r , $rx + 2y = 5$ and $(r - 1)x + 5y = 2$ have no solution? 2

Solution: We know, if $a_1x + b_1y = c_1$ and $a_2x + b_2y = c_2$ are two equations then there will no solution if,

$$\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} \neq \frac{c_1}{c_2}$$

Comparing with the given two equations, we have,

$$a_1 = r, \quad b_1 = 2, \quad c_1 = 5$$

and, $a_2 = r - 1, \quad b_2 = 5, \quad c_2 = 2$

By the problem,

$$\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2}$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{r}{r-1} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$\text{or, } 5r = 2r - 2$$

$$\text{or, } 3r = -2$$

$$\text{or, } r = -\frac{2}{3}$$

Ans: The value of r is $(-\frac{2}{3})$.

(d) If $x^2 : \frac{yz}{x} = y^2 : \frac{zx}{y} = z^2 : \frac{xy}{z}$, prove with reasons that $x = y = z$ 2

Solution:

$$x^2 : \frac{yz}{x} = y^2 : \frac{zx}{y} = z^2 : \frac{xy}{z}$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{x^2 \times x}{yz} = \frac{y^2 \times y}{zx} = \frac{z^2 \times z}{xy}$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{x \times (x^3)}{xyz} = \frac{y \times (y^3)}{xyz} = \frac{z \times (z^3)}{xyz}$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{x^4}{xyz} = \frac{y^4}{xyz} = \frac{z^4}{xyz}$$

$$\text{or, } x^4 = y^4 = z^4 \quad [\text{considering } xyz \neq 0]$$

or, $x = y = z$ (Proved)

(e) State Pythagoras' Theorem.

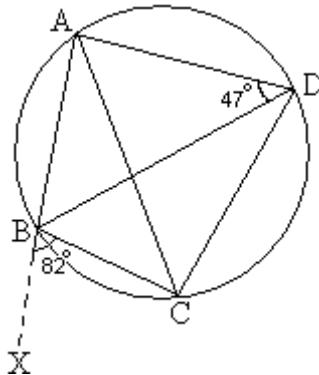
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Ans: The area of the square on the hypotenuse of a right angled triangle is equal to the sum of areas of the squares on other two sides.

(f) Side AB of a cyclic quadrilateral ABCD is produced to X. if $\angle XBC = 82^\circ$ and $\angle ADB = 47^\circ$ find the value of $\angle BAC$.

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Solution:



$$\angle XBC = 82^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle ABC = 180^\circ - 82^\circ = 98^\circ$$

$$\text{Again, } \angle ABC + \angle ADC = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{or, } \angle ADC = 180^\circ - \angle ABC = 180^\circ - 98^\circ = 82^\circ$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \angle BDC &= \angle ADC - \angle ADB \\ &= 82^\circ - 47^\circ \\ &= 35^\circ \end{aligned}$$

Since $\angle BAC = \angle BDC$ [Same segment of a circle]
i.e., $\angle BAC = 35^\circ$

Ans: The value of $\angle BAC$ is 35°

(g) Show that $1^\circ < 1^c$

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Solution: We know, $180^\circ = \pi^c$

$$\text{or, } 180^\circ = \left(\frac{22}{7}\right)^c$$

$$\text{or, } 1^\circ = \left(\frac{22}{7 \times 180}\right)^c$$

$$\text{or, } \underline{1^\circ < 1^c \text{ (Proved)}}$$

3. Answer any *two* questions:-

5 × 2 = 10

- (a) A and B started a business with capitals of Rs. 3000 and Rs. 4000 respectively. After 8 months, A invested Rs. 2500 more in the business and 7 months after this, total profit becomes Rs. 980. Find the share of profit for each.

Solution: According to the problem A invested Rs. 3000 for 8 months and after 8 months A also invested Rs. 2500 for another 7 months.

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \text{In terms of 1 month, A's capital investment} \\ &= \text{Rs. } (3000 \times 8) + \text{Rs. } ((3000 + 2500) \times 7) \\ &= \text{Rs. } 24000 + \text{Rs. } 38500 \\ &= \text{Rs. } 62500\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \text{In terms of 1 month, B's capital investment} \\ &= \text{Rs. } (4000 \times 15) \\ &= \text{Rs. } 60000\end{aligned}$$

\therefore the ratio of capital investment of A and B is

$$\begin{aligned}\text{A:B} &= 62500:60000 \\ \text{or, A:B} &= 25:24\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \text{the share of A's profit after 15 months} \\ &= \text{Rs. } 980 \times \frac{25}{49} \\ &= \text{Rs. } 500\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \text{the share of B's profit after 15 months} \\ &= \text{Rs. } 980 \times \frac{25}{49} \\ &= \text{Rs. } 480\end{aligned}$$

Ans: A's profit is Rs. 500 and B's profit is Rs. 480.

- (b) At 10% per annum, the difference of compound interest, compounded annually and simple interest on a certain sum of money for 3 years is Rs. 124. Find the sum of money.

Solution:

Rate (R) = 10%
Time (T) = 3 Years
Principal = P

$$\therefore \text{Simple Interest} = \frac{PTR}{100} = \frac{P \times 3 \times 10}{100} = \frac{30P}{100}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \text{Compound Interest} &= P \left(1 + \frac{10}{100}\right)^n - P \\
 &= P \left(1 + \frac{10}{100}\right)^3 - P \\
 &= P \left(\frac{110}{100}\right)^3 - P \\
 &= P \left(\frac{11}{10} \times \frac{11}{10} \times \frac{11}{10}\right) - P \\
 &= \frac{1331P - 1000P}{1000} = \frac{331P}{1000}
 \end{aligned}$$

By the problem,

$$\frac{331P}{1000} - \frac{30P}{100} = 124$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{31P}{1000} = 124$$

$$\text{or, } P = \frac{124 \times 1000}{31} = 4000$$

Ans: The sum of money is Rs. 4000.

- (c) A person purchased some agricultural land at Rs. 720000. He sold $\frac{1}{3}$ of the land at 20% loss, $\frac{2}{5}$ at 25% profit. At what price should he sell the remaining land to get an overall profit of 10%.

Solution:

Total cost price of the agricultural land is Rs. 7,20,000 and the overall profit is 10%

$$\therefore \text{SP} = \text{Rs. } 7,20,000 \times \frac{110}{100} = \text{Rs. } 7,200 \times 110 = \text{Rs. } 7,92,000.$$

$$\text{CP of } \frac{1}{3} \text{ of land} = 7,20,000 \times \frac{1}{3} = \text{Rs. } 2,40,000$$

and there is a loss of 20%.

$$\therefore \text{SP of } \frac{1}{3} \text{ part of the land} = \text{Rs. } 2,40,000 \times \frac{80}{100} = \text{Rs. } 1,92,000$$

Now, CP of $\frac{2}{5}$ part of land = $7,20,000 \times \frac{2}{5} = \text{Rs. } 2,88,000$
and there is a profit of 25%.

$$\therefore \text{SP of } \frac{2}{5} \text{ part of the land} = \text{Rs. } 2,88,000 \times \frac{125}{100} = \text{Rs. } 3,60,000$$

$$\therefore \text{SP of } \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{5}\right) \text{ part of the land} = \text{Rs. } (1,92,000 + 3,60,000) = \text{Rs. } 5,52,000$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{the SP of the remaining land} \\ &= \text{Rs. } (7,92,000 - 5,52,000) \\ &= \text{Rs. } 2,40,000. \end{aligned}$$

Ans: The person should sell the remaining land at Rs. 240000 to get an overall profit of 10%.

- (d) **Ratio of acid and water in one container is 2:7 and the ratio of same acid and water in another container is 2:9. At what ratio, the contents of the two containers should be mixed to have the ratio of acid and water as 1:4 in the new mixture?**

Solution:

Let the contents of two containers are mixed in ratio $x:y$ to have the ratio of acid and water 1:4.

Since ratio of acid and water in first container is 2:7 and x quantity is taken from it,

$$\text{quantity of acid} = \frac{2x}{9} \text{ and}$$

$$\text{quantity of water} = \frac{7x}{9}$$

Since ratio of acid and water in second container is 2:9 and y quantity is taken from it, the quantity of acid = $\frac{2y}{11}$ and quantity of water = $\frac{9y}{11}$.

$$\therefore \text{The total quantity of acid} = \frac{2x}{9} + \frac{2y}{11} = \frac{22x + 18y}{99}$$

$$\therefore \text{The total quantity of water} = \frac{7x}{9} + \frac{9y}{11} = \frac{77x + 81y}{99}$$

By the problem,

$$\frac{22x+18y}{99} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\frac{22x+18y}{77x+81y} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{(22x+18y)}{(77x+81y)} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{or, } 88x + 72y = 77x + 81y$$

$$\text{or, } 88x - 77x = 81y - 72y$$

$$\text{or, } 11x = 9y$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{x}{y} = \frac{9}{11}$$

$$\therefore x:y = 9:11$$

Ans: At 9:11 ratio, the contents of two containers should be mixed to have the ratio of acid and water as 1:4 in the new mixture.

4. Resolve into factor:-

$$a^2 + \frac{1}{a^2} + 2 - 2a - \frac{2}{a}$$

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Solution: $a^2 + \frac{1}{a^2} + 2 - 2a - \frac{2}{a}$

$$= a^2 + 2 + \frac{1}{a^2} - 2(a + \frac{1}{a})$$

$$= (a + \frac{1}{a})^2 - 2(1 + \frac{1}{a})$$

$$= (a + \frac{1}{a})(a + \frac{1}{a} - 2)$$

Ans: $(a + \frac{1}{a})(a + \frac{1}{a} - 2)$

Or,

Find the HCF of:-

$$x^3 - 16x, 2x^3 + 9x^2 + 4x, 2x^3 + x^2 - 28x$$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} 1^{\text{st}} \text{ expression: } x^3 - 16x &= x(x^2 - 16) \\ &= x(x+4)(x-4) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ expression: } 2x^3 + 9x^2 + 4x \\ &= x(2x^2 + 9x + 4) \\ &= x(2x^2 + 8x + x + 4) \\ &= 2[2x(x+4) + 1(x+4)] \\ &= x(x+4)(2x+1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3^{\text{rd}} \text{ expression: } 2x^3 + x^2 - 28x \\ &= x(2x^2 + x - 28) \\ &= x(2x^2 + 8x - 7x - 28) \\ &= x[2x(x+4) + 7(x+4)] \\ &= x(2x-7)(x+4) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{HCF} = x(x+4)$$

Ans: HCF is $x(x+4)$.

5. Solve (any one):-

(a) $\frac{x}{2} + \frac{y}{3} = 1$ and $\frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{2} = 1$

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Solution:

$$\frac{x}{2} + \frac{y}{3} = 1 \quad \text{(i)}$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{(3x+2y)}{6} = 1$$

$$\text{or, } 3x + 2y = 6 \quad \text{(iii)}$$

$$\frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{2} = 1 \quad \text{(ii)}$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{(2x+3y)}{6} = 1$$

$$\text{or, } 2x + 3y = 6 \quad \text{(iv)}$$

Multiplying equation (iii) with 2 and equation (iv) with 3, we get

$$6x + 4y = 12$$

$$6x + 9y = 18$$

$$(-) \quad (-)$$

$$5y = 6$$

$$\text{or, } y = \frac{6}{5}$$

Putting the value of y in equation (iii) we get,

$$3x + 2y = 6$$

$$\text{or, } 3x + 2\left(\frac{6}{5}\right) = 6$$

$$\text{or, } 3x + \frac{12}{5} = 6$$

$$\text{or, } 3x = 6 - \frac{12}{5}$$

$$\text{or, } 3x = \frac{(30-12)}{5} = \frac{18}{5}$$

$$\text{or, } x = \frac{6}{5}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{6}{5} \text{ and } y = \frac{6}{5}$$

$$\text{Ans: } x = \frac{6}{5} \text{ and } y = \frac{6}{5}$$

(b) Solve: $\left(\frac{x+3}{x+1}\right)^2 - 7\left(\frac{x+3}{x+1}\right) + 12 = 0$

Solution:

$$\text{Let } \frac{x+3}{x+1} = a$$

$$\therefore a^2 - 7a + 12 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } a^2 - 3a - 4a + 12 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } a(a-3) - 4(a-3) = 0$$

$$\text{or, } a(a-4)(a-3) = 0$$

$$\text{Either } a - 4 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad a - 3 = 0$$

$$\text{Taking, } a - 4 = 0$$

$$\frac{x+3}{x+1} = 4$$

$$\text{or, } x+3 = 4x+4$$

$$\text{or, } 3x = -1$$

$$\text{or, } x = -\frac{1}{3}$$

Taking, $a-3 = 0$

$$\frac{x+3}{x+1} = 3$$

$$\text{or, } x+3 = 3x+12$$

$$\text{or, } 2x = 3-12 = -9$$

$$\text{or, } x = -\frac{9}{2}$$

$$\text{Ans: } \underline{x = -\frac{1}{3} \text{ and } x = -\frac{9}{2}}$$

6. Answer any *one*:-

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- (a) After traveling 108 km, a cyclist observed that he would have required 3 hr less if he could have travelled at a speed 3 km/hr more. At what speed did he travel? (use algebraic method)

Solution:

Let the speed be x km / hr.

Since distance is 108 km, time = $\frac{108}{x}$ hrs

When speed is increased by 3 km/hr, speed is = $(x+3)$ km/hr

\therefore The required time = $\frac{108}{(x+3)}$ hrs

By the problem, $\frac{108}{x} - \frac{108}{(x+3)} = 3$

$$\text{or, } \frac{108(x+3) - 108x}{x(x+3)} = 3$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{108x + 324 - 108x}{x^2 + 3x} = 3$$

$$\text{or, } 324 = 3x^2 + 9x$$

$$\text{or, } 324 - 3x^2 - 9x = 0$$

$$\text{or, } -3x^2 - 9x + 324 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } -3(x^2 + 3x - 108) = 0$$

$$\text{or, } x^2 + 3x - 108 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } x^2 + 12x - 9x - 108 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } x(x + 12) - 9(x + 12) = 0$$

$$\text{or, } (x - 9)(x + 12) = 0$$

So either, $x - 9 = 0$ or, $x + 12 = 0$

If $x - 9 = 0$ then $x = 9$

If $x + 12 = 0$ then $x = -12$

\therefore the speed = 9 km / hr [Since velocity $x \neq -12$]

Ans: He traveled at a speed of 9 km/hr.

- (b) Price of 3 tables and 5 chairs is Rs. 2000. Again, price of 5 tables and 7 chairs is Rs. 3200. What is the price of 1 table and 1 chair. (use algebraic method)

Solution:

Let the price of 1 chair be x and 1 table be y .

From the 1st condition, $3x + 5y = 2000$

From the 2nd condition, $5x + 7y = 3200$

$$\text{i.e. } 3x + 5y = 2000 \text{ ----- (i)}$$

$$5x + 7y = 3200 \text{ ----- (ii)}$$

Multiplying equation-(i) by 5 and equation-(ii) by 3, we get,

$$\begin{array}{r} 15x + 25y = 10000 \\ 15x + 21y = 9600 \\ (-) \quad (-) \\ \hline 4y = 400 \\ \text{or, } y = 100 \end{array}$$

Putting the value of y in equation (i)

$$\begin{array}{l} 3x + 5(100) = 2000 \\ \text{or, } 3x = 2000 - 500 = 1500 \\ \text{or, } x = 500. \end{array}$$

\therefore The price of 1 chair is Rs. 500 and 1 table is Rs. 100.

Ans: The price of 1 chair is Rs. 500 and 1 table is Rs. 100.

8. If $x=2, y=3$ and $z=6$, what is the value of: $\frac{3\sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{y} + \sqrt{z}} - \frac{4\sqrt{y}}{\sqrt{z} + \sqrt{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{z}}{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y}}$? 3

Solution: Putting the values of x, y and z

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{6}} - \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}} + \frac{\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3}} \\ &= \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{3}} - \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}} + \frac{\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$

1st expression:

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{3}} \\ &= \frac{3\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{3})}{(\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{3})(\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{3})} = \frac{3(\sqrt{12} - \sqrt{6})}{6 - 3} = \sqrt{12} - \sqrt{6} \end{aligned}$$

2nd expression;

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}} \\ &= \frac{4\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2})}{(\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2})(\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2})} = \frac{4(\sqrt{18} - \sqrt{6})}{6 - 2} = \sqrt{18} - \sqrt{6} \end{aligned}$$

3rd expression:

$$\frac{\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{6}(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2})}{(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2})(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2})} = \frac{(\sqrt{18} - \sqrt{12})}{3 - 2} = \sqrt{18} - \sqrt{12}$$

So, 1st expression - 2nd expression + 3rd expression

$$= \sqrt{12} - \sqrt{16} - \sqrt{18} + \sqrt{6} + \sqrt{18} - \sqrt{12}$$

$$= 0$$

Ans: The value of $\frac{3\sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{y} + \sqrt{z}} - \frac{4\sqrt{y}}{\sqrt{z} + \sqrt{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{z}}{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y}}$ is 0 when $x = 2$, $y = 3$ and $z = 6$

Or,

Simplify:

$$\frac{\frac{a^2}{x-a} + \frac{b^2}{x-b} + \frac{c^2}{x-c} + a + b + c}{\frac{a}{x-a} + \frac{b}{x-b} + \frac{c}{x-c}}$$

Solution:

$$\frac{\frac{a^2}{x-a} + \frac{b^2}{x-b} + \frac{c^2}{x-c} + a + b + c}{\frac{a}{x-a} + \frac{b}{x-b} + \frac{c}{x-c}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{a^2}{x-a} + a + \frac{b^2}{x-b} + b + \frac{c^2}{x-c} + c}{\frac{a}{x-a} + \frac{b}{x-b} + \frac{c}{x-c}} \dots$$

$$= \frac{\frac{a^2 + ax - a^2}{x-a} + \frac{b^2 + bx - b^2}{x-b} + \frac{c^2 + cx - c^2}{x-c}}{\frac{a}{x-a} + \frac{b}{x-b} + \frac{c}{x-c}}$$

$$= \frac{x \left[\frac{a}{x-a} + \frac{b}{x-b} + \frac{c}{x-c} \right]}{\frac{a}{x-a} + \frac{b}{x-b} + \frac{c}{x-c}}$$

$$= x$$

Ans: x

9. If $\frac{a}{q-r} = \frac{b}{r-p} = \frac{c}{p-q}$ then show that, $a + b + c = pa + qb + rc$ 3

Solution:

$$\frac{a}{q-r} = \frac{b}{r-p} = \frac{c}{p-q} = k \text{ (say)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore a &= k(q-r) \\ b &= k(r-p) \\ c &= k(p-q)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{L.H.S.} &= a + b + c \\ &= k(q-r) + k(r-p) + k(p-q) \\ &= k(q-r+r-p+p-q) \\ &= k \cdot 0 \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{R.H.S.} &= pa + qb + rc \\ &= p[k(q-r)] + q[k(r-p)] + r[k(p-q)] \\ &= p(kq - kr) + q(kr - kp) + r(kp - kq) \\ &= pkq - pkr - qkr - pkq - pkr - qkr \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $a + b + c = pa + qb + rc = 0$. [Hence proved]

Or,

If $x^2 \propto yz$, $y^2 \propto zx$, $z^2 \propto xy$, show that the product of the three constants of variations=1

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 &\propto yz \\ \therefore x^2 &= k_1 \times yz \text{ where } k_1 = \text{constant.}\end{aligned}$$

$$y^2 \propto zx$$

$$\therefore y^2 = k_2 \times zx \text{ where } k_2 = \text{constant.}$$

$$z^2 \propto xy$$

$$\therefore z^2 = k_3 \times xy \text{ where } k_3 = \text{constant.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 \times y^2 \times z^2 &= k_1 \times yz \times k_2 \times zx \times k_3 \times xy \\ &= k_1 \times k_2 \times k_3 \times x^2 \times y^2 \times z^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{or, } k_1 \times k_2 \times k_3 = 1 = \text{constant (Proved)}$$

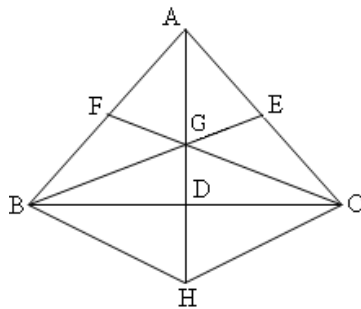
\therefore The product of three constants of variations = 1 (Proved)

10. Answer (a) or (b) and (c) or (d):-

(a) Prove that the medians of a triangle are concurrent

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Solution:



Given: Let ABC be a triangle in which F and E are the mid-points of the side AB and AC respectively. BE and CF intersect at point G. AG is joined and produced which intersect BC at the point D.

R.T.P: $BD = DC$; AD is the third median
Therefore the medians of a triangle are concurrent.

Construction: AD is produced to point H in such a way that $GH = AG$. BH and CH are joined.

Proof: F and G are the mid-points of the sides AB and AH of the $\triangle ABH$.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore FG &\parallel BH \\ \text{i.e. } GC &\parallel BH \text{ -----(i)} \end{aligned}$$

\therefore E and G are the mid-points of the sides AC and AH of the $\triangle ACH$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore EG &\parallel CH \\ \text{i.e., } BG &\parallel CH \text{ -----(ii)} \end{aligned}$$

\therefore BGCH is a parallelogram

Since GH and BC are the diagonals of the parallelogram and bisect each other.

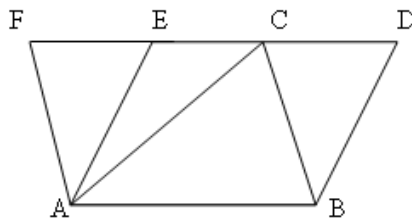
\therefore D is a point of BC.

\therefore AD is the third median.

\therefore The medians of the Δ are concurrent. (Proved)

- (b) If a triangle and a parallelogram are on the same base and between the same parallels, prove that the area of the triangle is half of the parallelogram.

Solution:



Given: Let ΔABC and parallelogram ABDE be on the same base AB and between the same parallels AB and ED.

$$\text{R.T.P: } \Delta ABC = \frac{1}{2} \text{ parallelogram ABDE}$$

Construction: The straight line through the point A, drawn parallel to BC, intersects DC produced at F.

Proof: By construction ABCF is a parallelogram and AC is one of its diagonal

$$\therefore \Delta ABC = \frac{1}{2} \text{ parallelogram ABCF}$$

$$\therefore \Delta ABC = \frac{1}{2} \text{ parallelogram ABDE}$$

$$\therefore \Delta ABC = \frac{1}{2} \text{ of the parallelogram (Proved).}$$

- (c) **Prove: The angle which on arc of a circle subtends at the centre is twice the angle subtended by the same at any point in the remaining part of the circle. 5**

Solution:

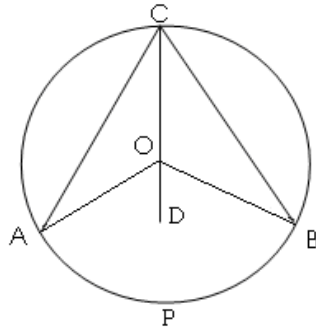


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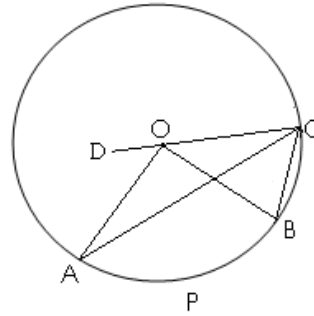


Fig 2

Given: Let angle AOB be the angle at the centre standing on the arc APB of the circle with centre O and angle ACB is the angle at any point C in the remaining part of the circle, standing on the same arc.

R.T.P: $\angle AOB = 2\angle ACB$

Construction: C and O are joined and CO is produced to any point D.

Proof: In $\triangle AOC$,

$OA = OC$ (radii of the same circle)

$\therefore \angle OCA = \angle OAC$

Again, since side CO of $\triangle AOC$ is produced to point D

\therefore Exterior $\angle AOD = \angle OAC + \angle OCA = 2\angle OCA$

Similarly from $\triangle BOC$, we get

$\angle BOD = 2\angle OCB$

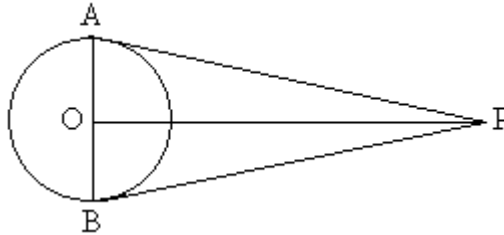
\therefore From fig. we get,

$$\begin{aligned}\angle AOB &= \angle AOD + \angle BOD \\ &= 2(\angle OCA + \angle OCB) \\ &= 2\angle ACB\end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \angle AOB = 2\angle ACB$ (Proved).

- (d) If two tangents be drawn to a circle from a point outside it, then the line-segments joining the points of contact and the exterior point are equal and they subtend equal angles at the centre.

Solution:



Given: Let P be a point outside the circle with centre O. From the point P, two tangents PA and PB are drawn, whose points of contact are A and B respectively. OA; OB; OP are joined. Due to this, PA and PB subtend angle POA and angle POB respectively at the point O.

- R.T.P i) $PA = PB$
ii) $\angle POA = \angle POB$

Proof: PA and PB are tangents and OA, OB are the radii through the points of contact

\therefore OA is perpendicular to PA and OB is perpendicular to PB.

$\therefore \triangle PAO$ and $\triangle PBO$ are right angled triangles.

In $\triangle PAO$ and $\triangle PBO$,

- (i) Hypotenuse PO is common
(ii) $OA = OB$ (radii of the same circle)
(iii) $\angle PAO = \angle PBO (=90^\circ)$

$\therefore \triangle PAO \cong \triangle PBO$ [by S-A-S congruency]

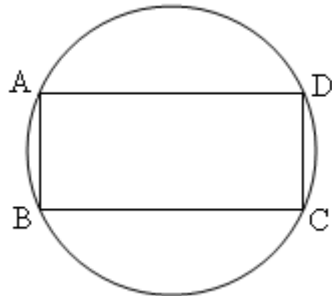
$\therefore PA = PB$ (corresponding sides) [Hence proved (i)]

$\therefore \angle POA = \angle POB$ [corresponding angles] (Proved (ii)).

11. Prove that a cyclic parallelogram must be a rectangle.

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Solution:



Given: Let ABCD be a cyclic parallelogram.

R.T.P.: Quadrilateral ABCD is a rectangle.

Proof: Since ABCD is a parallelogram

$$\therefore \angle ABC = \angle ADC$$

Since ABCD is a cyclic parallelogram

$$\therefore \angle ABC + \angle ADC = 180^\circ$$

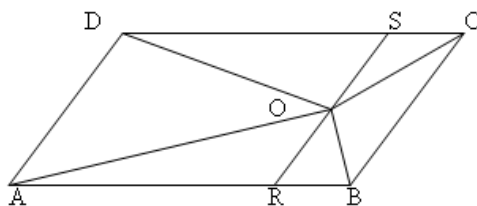
$$\therefore \angle ABC = 90^\circ$$

\therefore Quadrilateral ABCD is a rectangle. (Proved).

Or,

ABCD is a parallelogram and O is a point inside the parallelogram. Prove that $\Delta AOD + \Delta BOC = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{parallelogram ABCD}$.

Solution:



Given: ABCD is a parallelogram and O is a point inside the parallelogram.

R.T.P. $\Delta AOD + \Delta BOD = \frac{1}{2}$ of parallelogram ABCD

Construction: Through the point O, a straight line is drawn parallel to BC to intersect the sides AB and DC at the points R and S respectively.

Proof: $\Delta AOD = \frac{1}{2}$ of Parallelogram ARSD [since they have the same base AD and lie between the same parallels AD and RS]

Similarly $\Delta BOC = \frac{1}{2}$ of parallelogram BRSC.

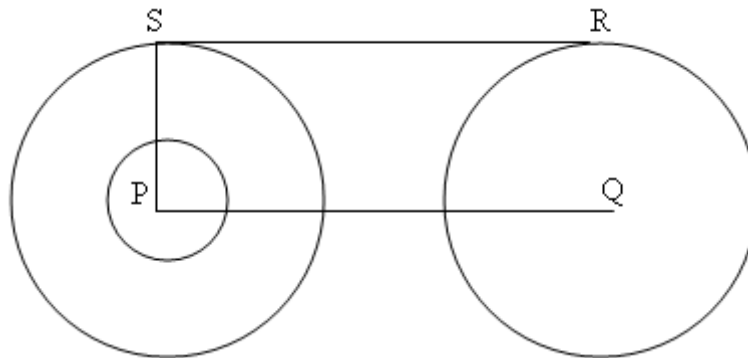
Therefore $\Delta AOD + \Delta BOC = \frac{1}{2}$ of [parallelogram ARSD + parallelogram BRSC]

Therefore $\Delta AOD + \Delta BOC = \frac{1}{2}$ of parallelogram ABCD (Proved).

12. Draw two circles each of radius 3.5cm; such that the distance between their centers is 7.5cm. Draw a direct common tangent to the two circles. [Only traces of construction are needed]

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Construction:



The length of PQ is 7.5cm.

Taking the same radii of the length 3.5cm two circles are drawn with the centers P and Q.

Perpendicular is drawn to PQ at the point P to meet the circle with the center P at the point S.

An arc of a circle is drawn with center S and radius equal to PQ to meet the circle with center Q at the point R. SR are joined.

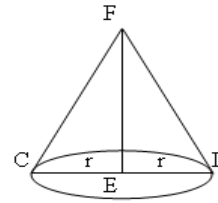
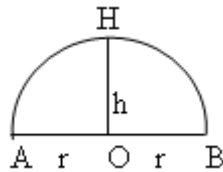
\therefore SR is the direct common tangent of the two circles

13. Answer any two questions:-

4 × 2 = 8

- (a) A hemisphere and a right circular cone on equal bases are of equal height.
Find the ratio of their volumes and ratio of their curved surface area.

Solution:



By the problem, $AB = CD = 2r$ and $OH = EF = h$

∴ For the hemisphere and cone, Height = Radius

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

$$\begin{aligned} \text{For the hemisphere, volume} = V_1 &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3 \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \pi r^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{For the cone, volume} = V_2 &= \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 \times r \quad (\text{since } h = r) \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \pi r^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{By the problem, } V_1 : V_2 &= \frac{2}{3} \pi r^3 : \frac{1}{3} \pi r^3 \\ &= \frac{2}{3} : \frac{1}{3} \\ &= 2 : 1 \end{aligned}$$

∴ the ratio of the volumes of hemisphere and cone is 2:1

$$\text{Curved surface area of the hemisphere} = S_1 = 2r^2$$

$$\text{Curved surface area of the cone} = S_2 = \pi r l \quad [l \text{ is the slant height}]$$

$$\text{For the cone: } l^2 = h^2 + r^2$$

$$\text{or, } l^2 = r^2 + r^2$$

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

$$\text{or, } l = \sqrt{2} r$$

By the problem,

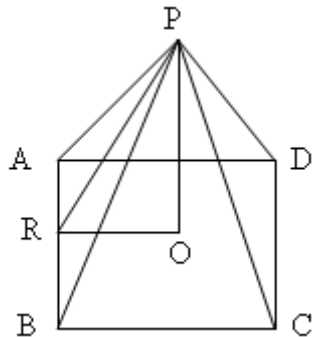
$$\begin{aligned} S_1 : S_2 &= 2\pi r^2 : \pi r l \\ &= 2\pi r^2 : \pi r \times \sqrt{2} r \\ &= 2\pi r^2 : \sqrt{2} \pi r^2 \\ &= 2 : \sqrt{2} . \\ &= \sqrt{2} : 1 \end{aligned}$$

Ans: The ratio of their volumes is 2:1

The ratio of their curved surface area is $\sqrt{2} : 1$

(b) Base of a pyramid is a square of side 24 cm. If the height of the pyramid be 16 cm, find its slant height and the whole surface area.

Solution:



The base of a pyramid is the square of side 24 cm. Height (PO) is 16 cm.

$$\therefore \text{ the area of the square } ABCD = (24)^2 \text{ sq. cm} = 576 \text{ sq. cm}$$

$$\therefore \text{ the perimeter of the square } ABCD = 4 \times 24 \text{ metre} = 96 \text{ metre.}$$

$$\therefore \text{ slant height (PR)} = \sqrt{OR^2 + OP^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left(\frac{BC}{2}\right)^2 + OP^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{12^2 + 16^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{144 + 256}$$

$$= \sqrt{400}$$

$$= 20 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Therefore surface area} = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{perimeter} \times \text{slant height} + \text{area of the square}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 96 \times 20 + 576$$

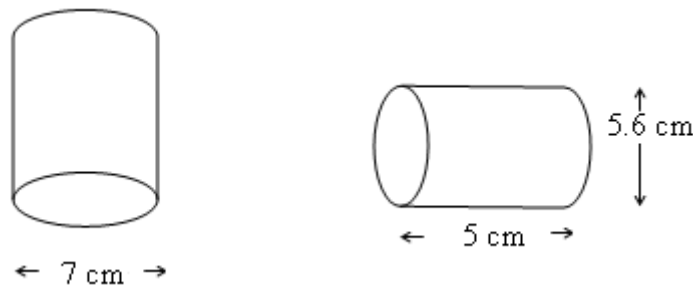
$$= 960 + 576$$

$$= 1536 \text{ sq cm}$$

Ans: The slant height is 20 cm and surface area is 1536 Sq cm.

- (c) **There is some water in a long upright gas jar of diameter 7 cm. If a solid right circular cylindrical piece of iron of length 5 cm and diameter 5.6 cm be immersed completely in that water, how much the level of water will rise?**

Solution:



$$\text{Volume of solid right circular cylinder} = \pi r^2 h$$

$$= \pi \times \left(\frac{5.6}{2}\right)^2 \times 5$$

$$= \pi \times 2.8 \times 2.8 \times 5$$

Let on complete immersion of the solid right circular cylinder in jar, the level of water be raised by d cm.

By the problem,

Volume of displaced water = volume of solid cylinder

$$\text{or, } \pi \times \left(\frac{7}{2}\right)^2 \times d = \pi \times 2.8 \times 2.8 \times 5$$

$$\text{or, } d = 2.8 \times 2.8 \times 5 \times \frac{2}{7} \times \frac{2}{7}$$

$$= 0.16 \times 20$$

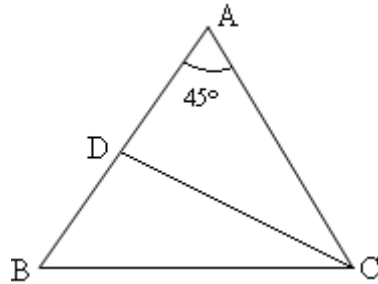
$$= 3.2$$

∴ The water will be raised by a level of 3.2 cm in the jar.

Ans: The water will be raised by a level of 3.2 cm in the jar

- (d) Length of each equal side of an isosceles triangle is 10 cm and the included angle between those two sides is 45° . Find the area of the triangle.

Solution:



In triangle ABC $AB = AC = 10$ cm and $\angle BAC = 45^\circ$

CD is perpendicular to AB.

We have taken AB as the base of the triangle; then its altitude is CD.

By the problem,

$$\angle ACD + \angle CAD = 90^\circ$$

$$\text{or, } \angle ACD = 90^\circ - \angle CAD = 90^\circ - 45^\circ = 45^\circ$$

$$\therefore AD = CD$$

In $\triangle ADC$,

$$CD^2 + AD^2 = AC^2 = (10)^2 \text{ sq cm.} = 100 \text{ sq. cm}$$

$$\therefore 2CD^2 = \sqrt{50} \text{ sq. cm}$$

$$\text{or, } CD = 5\sqrt{2} \text{ cm.}$$

$$\therefore \text{Area of the triangle} = \frac{1}{2} \times AB \times CD$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$= 25\sqrt{2} \text{ sq cm}$$

Ans: Area of triangle ABC is $25\sqrt{2}$ sq cm

14 Answer any two questions:-

3+3

(a) If $\cot \theta = \frac{x}{y}$, then prove that $\frac{x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta}{x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta} = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= \frac{x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta}{x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta} \\ &= \frac{\frac{x \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} - y}{\frac{x \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} + y} \quad [\text{Dividing numerator and denominator by } \sin \theta] \\ &= \frac{x \cot \theta - y}{x \cot \theta + y} = \frac{x \frac{x}{y} - y}{x \frac{x}{y} + y} = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \frac{x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta}{x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta} = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} \quad (\text{Proved})$$

(b) If $x \sin 60^\circ \cos^2 30^\circ = \frac{\tan^2 45^\circ \sec 60^\circ}{\operatorname{cosec} 60^\circ}$, What is the value of x ?

Solution:

$$x \times \sin 60^\circ \times \cos^2 30^\circ = \frac{\tan^2 45^\circ \sec 60^\circ}{\operatorname{cosec} 60^\circ}$$

$$\text{or, } x \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{(1)^2 \times 2}{\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}}$$

$$\text{or, } x \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \frac{3}{4} = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{or, } x = \sqrt{3} \times \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{4}{3} = \frac{8}{3}$$

$$\text{or, } x = \frac{8}{3}$$

$$\text{Ans: } x = \frac{8}{3}$$

(c) Show that $\operatorname{cosec}^2 22^\circ \cot^2 68^\circ = \sin^2 22^\circ + \sin 68^\circ + \cot^2 68^\circ$

Solution:

L.H.S.:

$$\begin{aligned} & \operatorname{cosec}^2 22^\circ \times \cot^2 68^\circ \\ &= \operatorname{cosec}^2 22^\circ \times \cot^2 (90^\circ - 22^\circ) \\ &= \operatorname{cosec}^2 22^\circ \times \tan^2 22^\circ \\ &= \frac{1}{\sin^2 22^\circ} \times \frac{\sin^2 22^\circ}{\cos^2 22^\circ} \\ &= \frac{1}{\cos^2 22^\circ} \\ &= \sec^2 22^\circ \end{aligned}$$

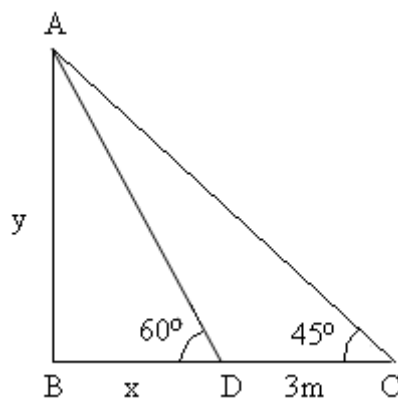
R.H.S.:

$$\begin{aligned} & \sin^2 22^\circ + \sin 68^\circ + \cot^2 68^\circ \\ &= \sin^2 22^\circ + \cos^2 (90^\circ - 22^\circ) + \cot^2 (90^\circ - 22^\circ) \\ &= \sin^2 22^\circ + \cos^2 22^\circ + \tan^2 22^\circ \\ &= 1 + \tan^2 22^\circ \\ &= \sec^2 22^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \operatorname{cosec}^2 22^\circ \times \cot^2 68^\circ = \sin^2 22^\circ + \sin 68^\circ + \cot^2 68^\circ \text{ (Proved)}$$

15. Length of shadow of a post decreases by 3 m when the altitude of the Sun increases from 45° to 60° . Find the height of the post. ($\sqrt{3} = 1.732$) 5

Solution:



BC is the shadow of the post.

When the sun's altitude increases from 45° to 60° ; BD is diminished by 3 meters

Let the height of the post (AB) be y

∴ ∠ABC and ∠ABD be the two right angled triangles.

In Δ ABC, $\tan 45^\circ = 1$

$$\text{or, } 1 = \frac{AB}{BC}$$

$$\text{or, } 1 = \frac{y}{x+3}$$

$$\text{or, } y = x + 3 \text{ -----(i)}$$

In ΔABD, $\tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$

$$\text{or, } \sqrt{3} = \frac{AB}{BD}$$

$$\text{or, } \sqrt{3} = \frac{y}{x}$$

$$\text{or, } y = x\sqrt{3} \text{ -----(ii)}$$

Comparing equation-(i) and equation-(ii)

$$x\sqrt{3} = x + 3$$

$$\text{or, } x\sqrt{3} - x = 3$$

$$\text{or, } x(\sqrt{3} - 1) = 3$$

$$\text{or, } x = \frac{3}{\sqrt{3} - 1}$$

$$\text{or, } x = \frac{3(\sqrt{3} + 1)}{(\sqrt{3} - 1)(\sqrt{3} + 1)}$$

$$= \frac{3 \times (1.732 + 1)}{2}$$

$$= \frac{8.196}{2}$$

$$= 4.098$$

$$\therefore BD = 4.098 \text{ m}$$

Now putting the value of x in equation (ii)

$$y = (4.098 + 3) \text{ m}$$

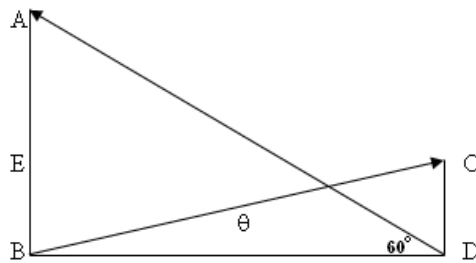
$$= 7.098 \text{ m}$$

Ans: The height of the post is 7.098 m.

Or,

Two pillars of height 180 m and 60 m. Angle of elevation of the top of the first post from the bottom of the second post is 60° . What will be the angle of elevation of the top of the second post from the bottom of the first?

Solution:



Let AB and CD are two posts of heights 180 m and 60 m respectively.
By the problem, the angle of elevation BDA is 60° .
Let the angle of elevation of the top of second post from the bottom of first post be θ
 $\therefore \angle DBC = \theta$

Now from the right angled triangle ABD,

$$\tan 60^\circ = \frac{AB}{BD}$$

$$\text{or, } BD = \frac{AB}{\tan 60^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{180}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Now from the right angled triangle BDC,

$$\tan \theta = \frac{CD}{BD}$$

$$= \frac{60}{\frac{180}{\sqrt{3}}}$$

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

$$= \sqrt{3}$$

$$= \tan 30^\circ$$

$$\text{or, } \theta = 30^\circ$$

\therefore The angle of elevation is 30°

Ans: The angle of elevation of the top of the second post from the bottom of the first post is 30°