

**CBSE**  
**Class IX Mathematics**  
**Term 2**  
**Sample Paper – 1 Solutions**

- 1) An exterior angle of a triangle is  $110^\circ$  and the two interior opposite angles are equal. Each of these angles is
- (A)  $70^\circ$
  - (B)  $55^\circ$
  - (C)  $35^\circ$
  - (D)  $110^\circ$

**Sol.** (B)

- 2) In  $\Delta PQR$ , if  $\angle R > \angle Q$ , then
- (A)  $QR > PR$
  - (B)  $PQ > PR$
  - (C)  $PQ < PR$
  - (D)  $QR < PR$

**Sol.** (B)

- 3) Two sides of a triangle are of lengths 7 cm and 3.5 cm. the length of the third side of the triangle cannot be
- (A) 3.6 cm
  - (B) 4.1 cm
  - (C) 3.4 cm
  - (D) 3.8 cm

**Sol.** (C)

- 4) A rational number between 2 and 3 is
- (A) 2.010010001..
  - (B)  $\sqrt{6}$
  - (C)  $5/2$
  - (D)  $4 - \sqrt{2}$

**Sol.** (C)

- 5) In triangles ABC and DEF,  $\angle A = \angle D$ ,  $\angle B = \angle E$  and  $AB = EF$ , then are the two triangles congruent? If yes, by which congruency criterion?
- (A) Yes, by AAS  
(B) No  
(C) Yes, by ASA  
(D) Yes, by RHS

**Sol.** (B)

- 6) In  $\Delta PQR$ ,  $\angle P = 70^\circ$ ,  $\angle R = 30^\circ$ , which side of this triangle is the longest? Give reasons for your answer.
- (A) PQ  
(B) QR  
(C) PR  
(D) PQ QR

**Sol.** (C)

$$\angle Q = 180^\circ - [70^\circ + 30^\circ] = 80^\circ \text{ which is largest}$$

$\therefore$  Longest side is PR

- 7) If  $a = 9 - 4\sqrt{5}$ , find the value of  $\frac{1}{a}$ .
- (A)  $8 - \sqrt{5}$   
(B)  $7 - \sqrt{5}$   
(C)  $-8 + \sqrt{5}$   
(D)  $7 - \sqrt{3}$

**Sol.** (A)

$$a = 9 - 4\sqrt{5} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{a} = \frac{1}{9 - 4\sqrt{5}} = \frac{9 + 4\sqrt{5}}{81 - 80} = 9 + 4\sqrt{5}$$

$$\therefore a - \frac{1}{a} = 9 - 4\sqrt{5} - 9 - 4\sqrt{5} = 8 - \sqrt{5}$$

- 8) If  $(x-3)$  and  $x - \frac{1}{3}$  are both factors of  $ax^2 + 5x + b$ , then.
- (A)  $a > b$   
(B)  $a < b$   
(C)  $a = b$   
(D) can't be said

**Sol.** (C)

Let  $f(x) = ax^2 + 5x + b$

$f(3) = 0 \Rightarrow 9a + 15 + b = 0 \Rightarrow 9a + b = -15 \dots (i)$

$f\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{a}{9} + \frac{5}{3} + b = 0 \Rightarrow a + 9b = -15 \dots (ii)$

$(i) = (ii) \Rightarrow a = b$

9) Find the value  $x^3y^3 + 15xy - 125$  when  $x+y=5$ .

- (A) 1
- (B) -1
- (C) 2
- (D) 0

**Sol.** (D)

If  $x + y = 5 \Rightarrow x + y + (-5) = 0$

$\therefore (x)^3 + (y)^3 + (-5)^3 = 3(x)(y)(-5)$

$\Rightarrow x^3 + y^3 + 15xy = 125$

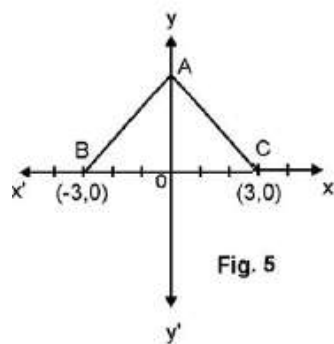
$\Rightarrow x^3 + y^3 + 15xy - 125 = 0$

OR  $a + b + c = 6 \Rightarrow (2 - a) + (2 - b) + (2 - c) = 0$

$\therefore (2 - a)^3 + (2 - b)^3 + (2 - c)^3 = 3(2 - a)(2 - b)(2 - c)$

$\therefore (2 - a)^3 + (2 - b) + (2 - c)^3 - 3(2 - a)(2 - b)(2 - c) = 0$

10) In figure ABC is an equilateral triangle with coordinates of B and C as B(-3,0) and C(3,0) find the coordinates of the vertex A.



- (A)  $3\sqrt{3}, 0$

- (B)  $0, 3\sqrt{3}$
- (C)  $0, -3\sqrt{3}$
- (D)  $0, 0$

**Sol.** (B)

$AB=BC=AC=6$  units as  $\triangle ABC$  is equilateral

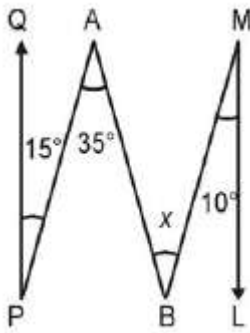
AO bisects base BC

$\Rightarrow OB=3$  units

$\therefore OA^2=AB^2-OB^2=6^2-3^2=27 \Rightarrow OA=3\sqrt{3}$

$\therefore$  Coordinates of A are  $(0, 3\sqrt{3})$

**11)** In fig .6 QPIML and other angles are shown. Find the values of x.



- (A)  $45^\circ$
- (B)  $60^\circ$
- (C)  $30^\circ$
- (D)  $35^\circ$

**Sol.** (C)

Draw  $AD \parallel PQ$ ,  $BE \parallel LM \parallel PQ$

$\Rightarrow \angle PAD=15^\circ \Rightarrow \angle DAB=20^\circ$

$\Rightarrow \angle DAB=\angle ABE=20^\circ$  and  $\angle EBM=\angle BML=10^\circ$

$\Rightarrow x=30^\circ$

12) In fig. 7  $QT \perp PR$ ,  $\angle TQR = 40^\circ$  and  $\angle SPR = 30^\circ$ . Find the values of  $x$  and  $y$ .

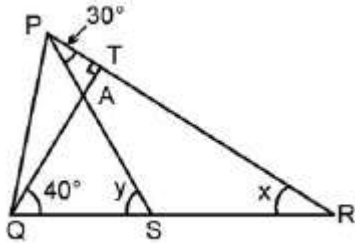


Fig. 7

- (A)  $x = 50^\circ, y = 80^\circ$
- (B)  $x = 80^\circ, y = 50^\circ$
- (C)  $x = 60^\circ, y = 70^\circ$
- (D)  $x = 70^\circ, y = 60^\circ$

Sol. (A)

In right triangle QTR,  $x = 90^\circ - 40^\circ = 50^\circ$

Again  $y$  is the exterior angle of  $\Delta PSR$

$$\Rightarrow y = 30^\circ + x = 50^\circ + 30^\circ = 80^\circ$$

13) Find the area of a triangle two sides of which are 18 cm and 10 cm and the perimeter is 42 cm.

- (A)  $17\sqrt{11} \text{ cm}^2$
- (B)  $19\sqrt{11} \text{ cm}^2$
- (C)  $21\sqrt{11} \text{ cm}^2$
- (D)  $23\sqrt{11} \text{ cm}^2$

Sol. (C)

$$S = \frac{42}{2} = 21, \text{ let } a = 18 \text{ cm, } b = 10 \text{ cm, } c = 42 - (18 + 10) = 14 \text{ cm}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ar}(\Delta) &= \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} = \sqrt{21(3)(11)7} \\ &= 21\sqrt{11} \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

14) Let  $p$  and  $q$  be the remainders, when the polynomials  $x^3 + 2x^2 + 5ax - 7$  and  $x^3 + ax^2 - 12x + 6$  are divided by  $(x + 1)$  and  $(x - 2)$  respectively. If  $2p + q = 6$ , find the value of  $a$ .

- (A) 2
- (B) -2
- (C) -3

(D) 3

**Sol.** (A)

$$\text{Let } P(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 - 5ax - 7 \text{ and } Q(x) = x^3 + ax^2 - 12x + 6$$

$$P(-1) = p \text{ and } Q(2) = q$$

$$\therefore p = -1 + 2 + 5a - 7 \Rightarrow p = 5a - 6$$

$$q = 8 + 4a - 24 + 6 \Rightarrow q = 4a - 10$$

$$2p + q = 6 \Rightarrow 10a - 12 + 4a - 10 = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 14a = 28 \Rightarrow a = 2$$

15) Factorize  $x^{12} - y^{12}$ .

(A)  $(x - y)(x^2 + y^2 + xy)(x + y)(x^2 + y^2 - xy)(x^2 - y^2)(x^4 + y^4 - x^2y^2)$

(B)  $(x - y)(x^2 + y^2 + xy)(x - y)(x^2 + y^2 - xy)(x^2 + y^2)(x^4 - y^4 - x^2y^2)$

(C)  $(x - y)(x^2 - y^2 + xy)(x + y)(x^2 + y^2 - xy)(x^2 + y^2)(x^4 + y^4 - x^2y^2)$

(D)  $(x - y)(x^2 + y^2 + xy)(x + y)(x^2 + y^2 - xy)(x^2 + y^2)(x^4 + y^4 - x^2y^2)$

**Sol.** (D)

$$x^{12} - y^{12} = (x^6 - y^6)(x^6 + y^6)$$

$$= (x^3 - y^3)(x^3 + y^3)(x^2 + y^2)(x^4 + y^4 - x^2y^2)$$

$$= (x - y)(x^2 + y^2 + xy)(x + y)(x^2 + y^2 - xy)(x^2 + y^2)(x^4 + y^4 - x^2y^2)$$

16) Find the value of C if the line  $2x + 3y + C = 0$  passes through origin.

(A) 0

(B) 2

(C) 1

(D) 3

**Sol.** (A)

$$2x + 3y + c = 0$$

The line passes through origin (0, 0)

$$\therefore 2 \times 0 + 3 \times 0 + c = 0$$

$$0 + 0 + c = 0$$

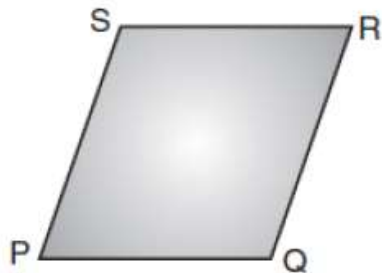
$$C = 0$$

17) If PQRS is a parallelogram, then find the value of  $\angle Q + \angle R$  and  $\angle R + \angle S$

- (A)  $180^\circ, 150^\circ$
- (B)  $180^\circ, 180^\circ$
- (C)  $150^\circ, 180^\circ$
- (D)  $30^\circ, 150^\circ$

**Sol.** (B)

In  $\parallel gm$ , the sum of adjacent angle is  $180^\circ$



$$\therefore \angle Q + \angle R = 180^\circ \quad \dots(i)$$

And opposite angles are equal.

$$\therefore \angle Q = \angle S$$

From (i), we get

$$\angle S + \angle R = 180^\circ$$

18) There are 100 students in a class. 40 of them are girls. The average mark of the boys in science is 75% and that of the girls is 65%. Find the average marks of the class in science.

- (A) 81%
- (B) 51%
- (C) 61%
- (D) 71%

**Sol.** (D)

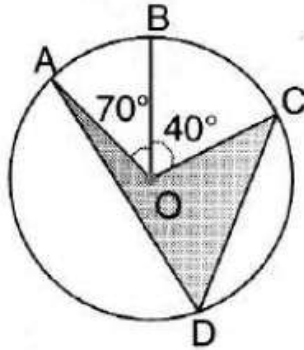
Girls = 40, Boys =  $100 - 40 = 60$  - Total marks for boys =  $60 \times 75 = 4500$

Total marks for girls =  $40 \times 65 = 2600$

Sum of class =  $4500 + 2600 = 7100$

Mean marks of the class =  $\frac{7100}{100} = 71\%$

- 19) In the given figure, A, B and C are three points on a circle with centre O such that  $\angle BOC = 40^\circ$  and  $\angle AOB = 70^\circ$ . If D is a point on the circle, find  $\angle ADC$ .

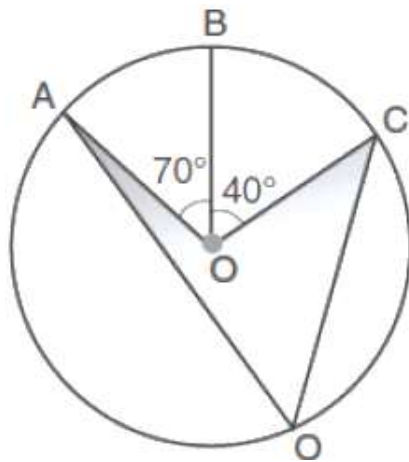


- (A)  $45^\circ$   
(B)  $65^\circ$   
(C)  $55^\circ$   
(D)  $85^\circ$

**Sol.** (C)

Given, A, B and C are three points on a circle with centre O, such that  $\angle BOC = 40^\circ$  and  $\angle AOB = 70^\circ$ . Here,  $\angle AOC = \angle AOB + \angle BOC$

$\therefore$  Arc ABC Makes  $110^\circ$  at the centre of the circle.



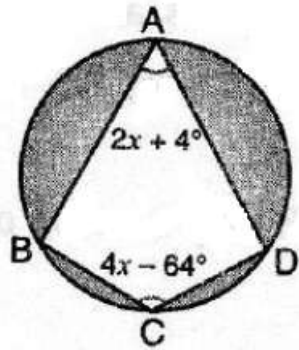
Then  $\angle ADC = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOC$  (the angle subtended by an arc at the centre is double the angle subtended by it at any point of the circle)

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 110^\circ = 55^\circ$$

$\therefore \angle ADC = 55^\circ$



20) In the figure, find the value of  $x$ .



- (A)  $50^\circ$
- (B)  $40^\circ$
- (C)  $60^\circ$
- (D)  $70^\circ$

**Sol.** (B)

In a cyclic quadrilateral

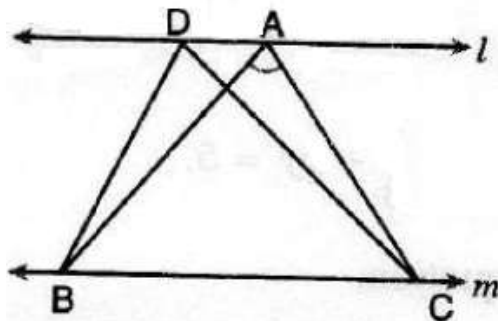
$$2x + 4^\circ + 4x - 64 = 180^\circ$$

$$6x - 60 = 180^\circ$$

$$6x = 240^\circ$$

$$x = 40^\circ$$

21) In the given figure, ABC and DBC are triangles on the same base and between parallel lines. If  $AB = 3 \text{ cm}$ ,  $BC = 5 \text{ cm}$ ,  $\angle A = 90^\circ$ , find area  $\triangle DBC$ .



- (A)  $6 \text{ cm}^2$

- (B)  $5 \text{ cm}^2$
- (C)  $4 \text{ cm}^2$
- (D)  $7 \text{ cm}^2$

**Sol.** (A)

Here  $AB = 3 \text{ cm}$ ,  $BC = 5 \text{ cm}$ ,  $\angle A = 90^\circ$

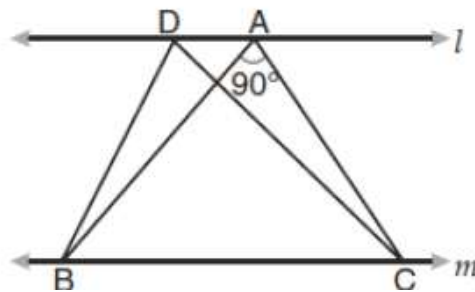
In right angled triangle ABC

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

$$(5)^2 = 3^2 + AC^2$$

$$AC^2 = 25 - 9 = 16$$

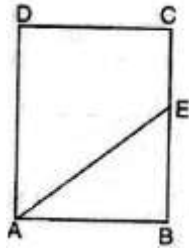
$$AC = 4 \text{ cm}$$



$\Delta ABC$  and  $\Delta DBC$  are on the same base BC and Between same parallels l and m.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \quad \text{ar (DBC)} &= \text{ar (ABC)} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \text{base} \times \text{height} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times AB \times AC \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \times 4 \\ &= 6 \text{ cm}^2. \end{aligned}$$

**22)** ABCD is a parallelogram. If E is the mid-point of BC and AE is the bisector of  $\angle A$ . which of the following is correct



- (A)  $AB = \frac{1}{3} AD$
- (B)  $AB = \frac{1}{2} AD$
- (C)  $AB = \frac{1}{4} AD$
- (D)  $AB = \frac{1}{8} AD$

**Sol.** (B)

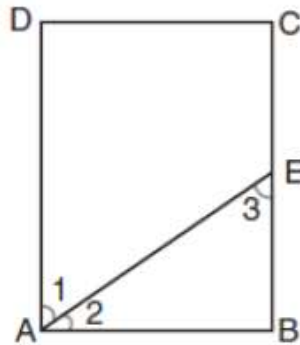
Here  $\angle 1 = \angle 2$  (AE is angle bisector)

But  $\angle 1 = \angle 3$  (Alternate angle as  $AD \parallel BC$ )

$\therefore \angle 3 = \angle 2$

Hence,  $BE = AB$  (side opposite to equal angles)

But  $BE = \frac{1}{2} BC$ , (E is the mid-point of BC)



$$\therefore AB = \frac{1}{2} BC$$

And  $BC = AD$  (opposite sides of  $\parallel$  gm)

$$AB = \frac{1}{2} AD$$

- 23)** How many square metre of canvas is required for making a conical tent whose height is 3.5 m and the radius of the base is 12 m? (Use  $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$ )

- (A) 471.44 cm<sup>2</sup>
- (B) 471.45 cm<sup>2</sup>
- (C) 471.46 cm<sup>2</sup>
- (D) 471.43 cm<sup>2</sup>

**Sol.** (D)

Height of cone (h) = 3.5 m

Radius of base (r) = 12 m

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Slant height (l)} &= \sqrt{h^2 + r^2} = \sqrt{(3.5)^2 + (12)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{12.25 + 144} \\ &= \sqrt{156.25} = 12.5 \text{ cm}\end{aligned}$$

Area of canvas for making a conical tent =  $\pi r l$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \frac{22}{7} \times 12 \times 12.5 \\ &= 471.43 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ (app.)}\end{aligned}$$

**24)** The volume of a sphere is  $905\frac{1}{7}$  cm<sup>3</sup>. Determine its diameter and its surface area. (Use  $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$ )

- (A)  $452\frac{3}{7}$
- (B)  $452\frac{2}{7}$
- (C)  $452\frac{4}{7}$
- (D)  $452\frac{1}{7}$

**Sol.** (C)

Volume of sphere =  $\frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$

$$905\frac{1}{7} = \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times r^3$$

$$r^3 = \frac{6336}{7} \times \frac{7 \times 3}{4 \times 22} = \frac{288 \times 3}{4}$$

$$r^3 = 216 = (6)^3$$

$$r = 6 \text{ cm}$$

Diameter of sphere =  $2r = 2 \times 6 = 12 \text{ cm}$

$$\text{Surface Area} = 4\pi r^2 = 4 \times \frac{22}{7} \times 6 \times 6$$

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$$= \frac{3168}{7} = 452\frac{4}{7} \text{ cm}^2$$

**25)** Mahesh and Altaf, two students donated Rs. 95 towards the Prime Minister's Relief Fund. Write a linear equation in two variable for the above statement.

- (A)  $x + y = 95$
- (B)  $x - y = 95$
- (C)  $-x + y = 95$
- (D)  $x + y = -95$

**Sol.** (A)

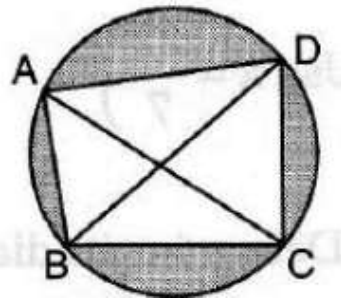
Let Mahesh donated the money = Rs.  $x$

All of denoted the money = Rs.  $y$

According to question,

$$x + y = 95$$

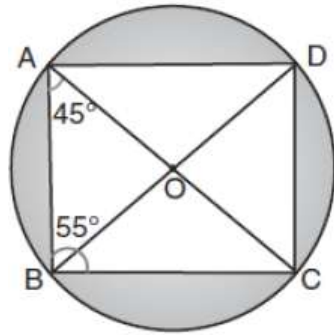
**26)** In the figure, ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral in which AC and BD are diagonal. If  $\angle ABC = 55^\circ$  and  $\angle BAC = 45^\circ$ , find  $\angle BCA$ .



- (A)  $70^\circ$
- (B)  $80^\circ$
- (C)  $60^\circ$
- (D)  $50^\circ$

**Sol.** (B)

In  $\triangle ABC$ ,

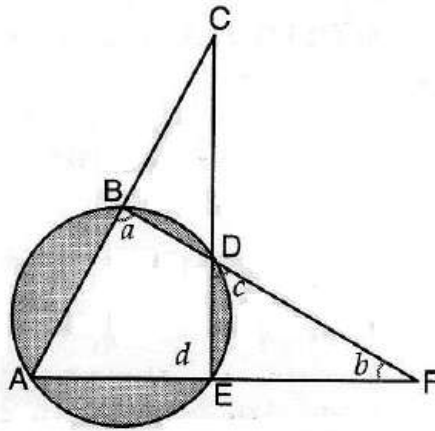


$$\angle BAC + \angle ABC + \angle BCA = 180^\circ \text{ (Angle sum property)}$$

$$45^\circ + 55^\circ + \angle BCA = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle BCA = 180^\circ - 100^\circ = 80^\circ$$

27) In the given figure,  $\angle BCD = 43^\circ$  and  $\angle BAE = 62^\circ$ . Find the value of a, b, c, d.



(A)  $a = 13^\circ, b = 105^\circ, c = 62^\circ, d = 75^\circ$

(B)  $a = 105^\circ, b = 13^\circ, c = 75^\circ, d = 62^\circ$

(C)  $a = 105^\circ, b = 62^\circ, c = 13^\circ, d = 75^\circ$

(D)  $a = 105^\circ, b = 13^\circ, c = 62^\circ, d = 75^\circ$

**Sol.** (D)

In  $\triangle ACE$ ,  $\angle BCD = 43^\circ$  and  $\angle BAE = 62^\circ$

$$43^\circ + 62^\circ + d = 180^\circ$$

$$d = 180^\circ - 105^\circ$$

$$d = 75^\circ$$

$$a + d = 180^\circ \text{ (Opp. Angles of cyclic quad. Are supplementary)}$$

$$a + 75^\circ = 180^\circ$$

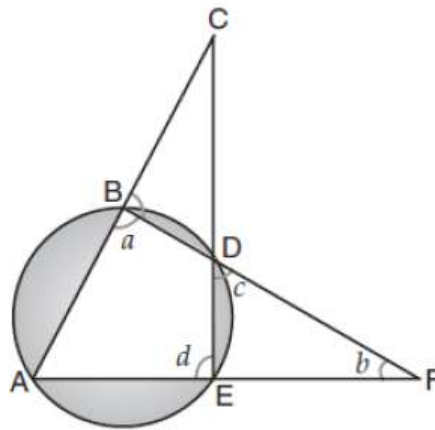
$$a = 105^\circ$$

In  $\triangle ABF$ ,

$$62^\circ + 105^\circ + b = 180^\circ$$

$$b = 180^\circ - 167^\circ$$

$$b = 13^\circ$$



In  $\triangle DEF$ ,  $\angle DEF = 180^\circ - 75^\circ = 105^\circ$

$$105^\circ + 13^\circ + c = 180^\circ$$

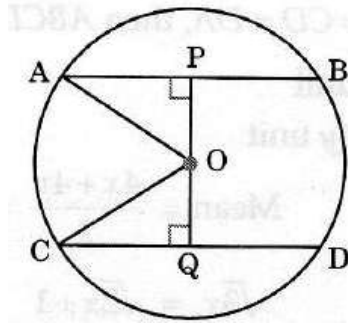
$$118^\circ + c = 180^\circ$$

$$c = 180^\circ - 118^\circ$$

$$c = 62^\circ$$

$$a = 105^\circ, b = 13^\circ, c = 62^\circ, d = 75^\circ$$

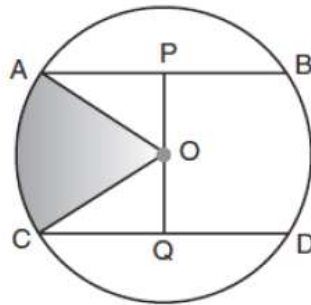
**28)** In the figure, O is the centre of the circle of radius 5 cm,  $OP \perp AB$ ,  $OQ \perp CD$ ,  $AB \parallel CD$ ,  $AB = 6$  cm,  $CD = 8$  cm. Determine PQ.



- (A) 6
- (B) 3
- (C) 7
- (D) 8

**Sol.** (C)

Since, perpendicular from the centre of the circle to a chord bisect the chord



$\therefore$  P and Q are the mid-points of AB and CD

$$AP = \frac{1}{2} AB = \frac{1}{2} \times 6 = 3 \text{ cm}$$

$$CQ = \frac{1}{2} CD = \frac{1}{2} \times 8 = 4 \text{ cm}$$

In right triangle OAP

$$OA^2 = OP^2 + AP^2$$

$$5^2 = OP^2 + 3^2$$

$$OP^2 = 25 - 9$$

$$OP^2 = 16$$

$$OP = 4 \text{ cm}$$

In right  $\Delta OCQ$



$$OC^2 = OQ^2 + CQ^2$$

$$5^2 = OQ^2 + 4^2$$

$$OQ^2 = 25 - 16$$

$$OQ^2 = 9$$

$$OQ = 3$$

$$\therefore PQ = OP + OQ = 4 + 3 = 7 \text{ cm}$$

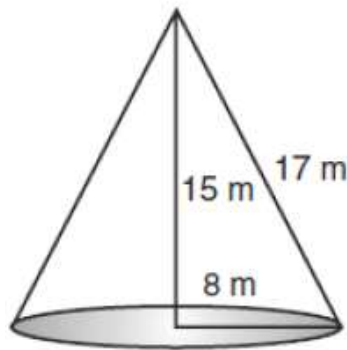
- 29)** A circus tent is in the form of a cone of height 15m and diameter 16 m. Find the length of the canvass needed to make the tent if the width of the canvass 2 m. (use  $\pi = 3.14$ )
- (A) 213.52  
(B) 213.42  
(C) 213.53  
(D) 213.54

**Sol.** (A)

Height of conical tent (h) = 15 m

$$\text{Radius (r)} = \frac{16}{2} = 8 \text{ m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Slant height (l)} &= \sqrt{h^2 + r^2} \\ &= \sqrt{15^2 + 8^2} = \sqrt{225 + 64} \\ &= \sqrt{289} = 17 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$



Area of canvas = surface area of conical tent

$$l \times b = \pi r l$$

$$l \times 2 = 3.14 \times 8 \times 17$$

$$l = \frac{3.14 \times 8 \times 17}{2} = 213.52$$

- 30)  $\frac{3}{4}$  th of cylindrical can contains milk. The height of the can is 1.4 m and radius is 0.4 m. This milk is poured into small cylindrical glasses of height 10 cm and radius 5 cm. How many small glasses are needed to empty the can?
- (A) 672  
(B) 671  
(C) 673  
(D) 674

**Sol.** (C)

Height of can (h) = 1.4 m = 140 cm

Radius (r) = 0.4 m = 40 cm

$$\text{Volume of can} = \pi r^2 h = \frac{22}{7} \times 40 \times 40 \times 140$$

$$= 2 \times 352000 \text{ cm}^3 = 704000 \text{ cm}^3$$

Volume of milk =  $\frac{3}{4}$  × volume of cylindrical can

$$= \frac{3}{4} \times 704000 = 528000 \text{ cm}^3$$

This milk is poured into some small cylindrical glasses whose height is 10 cm and radius 5 cm.

$$\therefore \text{No. of small glasses} = \frac{\text{Volume of milk}}{\text{Volume of one small glass}}$$

$$= \frac{528000}{\frac{22}{7} \times 5 \times 5 \times 10} = \frac{528000 \times 7}{22 \times 5 \times 5 \times 10}$$

$$= 672.$$