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PRE BOARD EXAMINATION-II Maths

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Section A

Multiple Choice Questions:

 $(20 \times 1 = 20)$

1. LCM(P, 375, 225) = $3^3 \times 5^3$

 $HCF(P, 375, 225) = 3 \times 5$

Which of the following could be the value of P?

a) 15

b) 135

c) 670

d) (P cannot be uniquely determined)

Answer 🖘

b) 135

(1)

2. The co-ordinate of the point dividing the line segment joining the points A(1,3) and B(4,6) in the ratio 2:

1 is

- a) (5, 3)
- b) (3, 5)
- c) (4, 6)
- d) (6, 4)

Answer ∞

b) (3, 5)

(1)

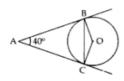
- 3. The pair of equations x + y = 2 and 2x + 2y = 5 has:
 - The pair of equal No solution
- b) One solution
- c) Infinite solutions
- d) Two solutions

Answer ∞

a) No solution

(1)

4. In the given figure, AB and AC are tangents to the circle with centre 'O' such that $\angle BAC = 40^{\circ}$. Then calculate $\angle BOC$.



- a) 140°
- b) 40°
- c) 180°
- d) 90°

Answer ∞

a) 140°

(1)

- 5. If $\sin \theta + \cos \theta = \sqrt{2}$, then $\tan \theta + \cot \theta =$
 - a) 4

b) 3

c) 2

d) 1

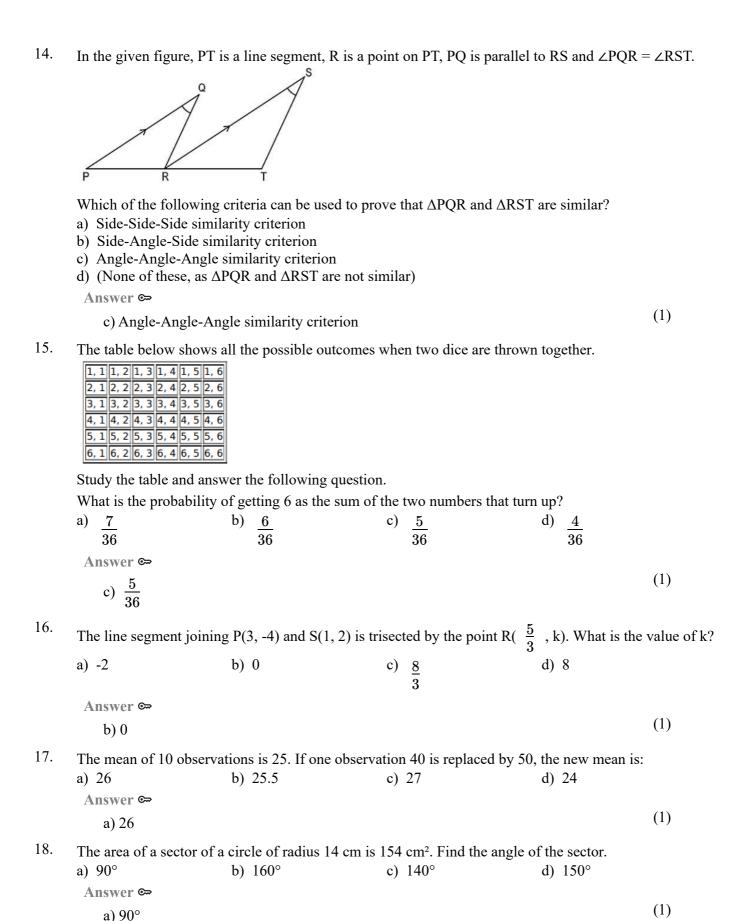
Answer ∞

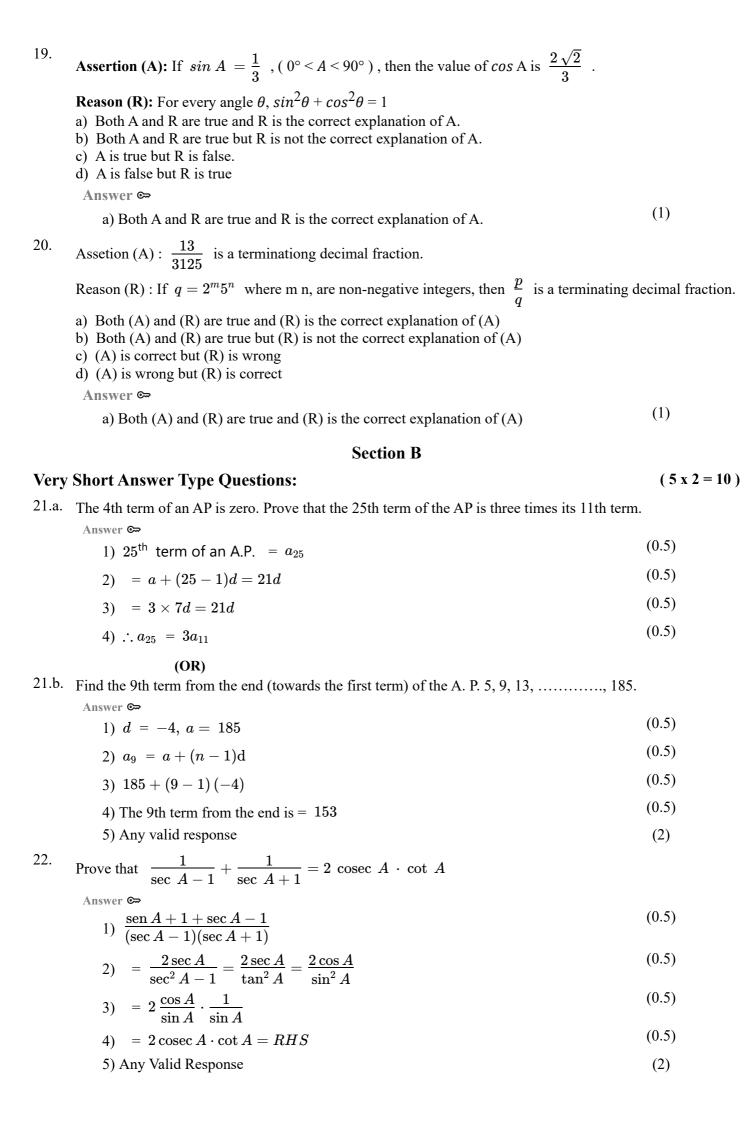
c) 2

(1)

6.	If one zero of a quantum a) $\frac{5}{6}$	hadratic polynomial (kx 2) $-\frac{5}{6}$	$+3x + k$) is 2, then the value c) $\frac{6}{5}$	tue of k is $ \frac{d}{5} - \frac{6}{5} $	
	Answer \Leftrightarrow d) $-\frac{6}{5}$				(1)
7.	In making 1000 re a) 14 m Answer ⇔ c) 28 m	evolutions a wheel covers b) 24 m	s 88 km, the diameter of th c) 28 m	e wheel in metres is d) 40 m	(1)
8.		wn simultaneously and th	ne product of the numbers a	appearing on the top	s is noted. The
	a) <u>1</u> 6	b) <u>1</u> 4	c) $\frac{5}{18}$	d) $\frac{7}{18}$	
	Answer				(1)
9.	If $3 \tan \alpha = 4$ then,	evaluate $\frac{3 \sin \alpha + 2 \alpha}{3 \sin \alpha - 2 \alpha}$	$\frac{\cos \alpha}{\cos \alpha}$		
	a) 3	b) 4	c) 12	d) 11	
	Answer ☞ a) 3				(1)
10.	Which of the follo	owing cannot be the unit	digit of 8 ⁿ where n is a nat	ural number?	
	a) 4 Answer ∞	b) 2	c) 0	d) 6	(1)
	c) 0				(1)
11.	=	on in the form of a cuboi radius of the sphere is	d of dimensions 49 cm × 3	3 cm × 24 cm, is mo	oulded to form a
12.	,		2		
12.	If -2 and 3 are the a) a $,b = -2$ $,6$ Answer \Leftrightarrow		olynomial $x^2 + (a+1)x + b = c$ c) $a, b = -2, -6$		
	c) a $,b = -2, -6$	5			(1)
13.	In a circle of radiu a) 44 cm	us 14 cm, an arc subtends b) 28 cm	an angle of 30° at the cen c) 11 cm	tre, the length of the d) $\frac{22}{3}$ cm	arc is
	Answer \Leftrightarrow d) $\frac{22}{3}$ cm				(1)

6.





Answer 🖘

1)
$$\therefore \angle OPT = \angle OQT = 90^{\circ}$$
 (0.5)

2) $In \triangle OPT$ and $\triangle OQT$, OT = OT ... (Common), OP = OQ ... (Radius of the bircle)

3)
$$\therefore \triangle \text{ OPT} \cong \triangle \text{ OQT} \dots (RHS \ congruence \ criterion)$$
 (0.5)

4)
$$TP = TQ...(CPCT)$$
 (0.5)

24.a. A piece of wire 22cm long is bent into the form of an arc of a circle subtending an angle of 60° at its centre. Find the radius of the circle.

Answer 🖘

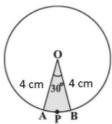
1)
$$22 = \frac{60}{360} \times 2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times r$$
 (1)

2)
$$r = \frac{7 \times 6}{2} = 21cm$$
 (1)

$$3) r = 21 cm ag{1}$$

(OR)

24.b. Find the area of the sector of a circle with radius 4 cm and of angle 30°.



Answer **⊙**⇒

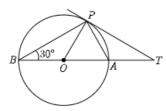
1) Area of the sector
$$=\frac{\theta}{360} \times \pi r^2$$
 (0.5)

$$2) = \frac{30}{360} \times 3.14 \times 4 \times 4 \text{ cm}^2$$
 (0.5)

$$3) = \frac{12.56}{3} \text{ cm}^2 \tag{0.5}$$

4) =
$$4.19 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ (approx.)}$$
 (0.5)

25. In the given figure, BOA is a diameter of a circle and the tangent at a point P meets BA when produced at T . If \angle PBO =30°, what is the measure of \angle PTA?



Answer ©⇒

1)
$$\angle POT = \angle POA = \angle OBP + \angle OPB = 30^0 + 30^0 = 60^0$$
 (0.5)

2) =
$$Since OP is radius and PT is tangent at P, OP \perp PT, \angle OPT = 90^0$$
 (0.5)

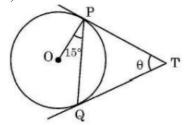
3)
$$\angle PTO = 180^{\circ} - (\angle OPT + \angle POT)$$
 (0.5)

4)
$$Thus \angle PTA = \angle PTO = 30^{\circ}$$
 (0.5)

Short Answer Type Questions:

 $(6 \times 3 = 18)$

26. In the adjoining figure, TP and TQ are tangents drawn to a circle with centre O. If \angle OPQ = 15° and \angle PTQ = θ , then find the value of sin 2 θ .



Answer €

$$1) \quad \angle QPT = 75^{\circ} \tag{0.5}$$

$$2) \angle PQT = 75^{\circ} \tag{0.5}$$

$$3) \theta = 30^{\circ}$$

$$4) \sin 2\theta = \sin 2 \left(30^{\circ}\right) \tag{0.5}$$

$$5) = \sin 60^{\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \tag{0.5}$$

27. Two tankers contain 850 liters and 680 liters of petrol. Find the maximum capacity of a container which can measure the petrol of each tanker in the exact number of times.

Answer ∞

1)
$$Maximum\ capacity\ of\ a\ container\ =\ HCF(850,680)$$
 (1)

2)
$$850 = 2 \times 5^2 \times 17$$
 (0.5)

3)
$$680 = 2^3 \times 5 \times 17$$
 (0.5)

4)
$$HCF = 2 \times 5 \times 17 = 170$$
 (1)

Zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $p(x) = (a^2 + 10)x^2 - 74x + 7a$ are reciprocal of each other and they are rational. Find the value of 'a'.

Answer 🖘

1) Since zeroes are reciprocal of each other.
$$\therefore \frac{7a}{a^2 + 10} = 1$$

$$2) \Rightarrow a^2 - 7a + 10 = 0 \tag{1}$$

$$3) \Rightarrow (a-2)(a-5) = 0 \tag{0.5}$$

$$4) \Rightarrow a = 2,5 \tag{0.5}$$

29.a. Find the value of sin30° cos 60°+cos 30° sin 60° is it equal to sin 90° or cos 90°?

Answer **⊙**

1)
$$\sin 30^{\circ} \cos 60^{\circ} + \cos 30^{\circ} \sin 60^{\circ} = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$
 (0.5)

$$2) = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4} \tag{0.5}$$

$$3) = \frac{4}{4} \tag{0.5}$$

$$4) = 1 \tag{0.5}$$

5) It is equal to
$$\sin 90^{\circ} = 1$$
 but not equal to $\cos 90^{\circ} as \cos 90^{\circ} = 0$ (1)

(OR

29.b. Prove that $\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{1 - \tan \theta} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{1 - \cot \theta} = 1 + \sin \theta \cos \theta$

Answer ☞

$$1) = \frac{\cos^3 \theta}{\cos \theta - \sin \theta} - \frac{\sin^3 \theta}{\cos \theta - \sin \theta} \tag{1}$$

$$2) = \frac{\cos^3 \theta - \sin^3 \theta}{\cos \theta - \sin \theta} \tag{0.5}$$

3) =
$$\frac{(\cos \theta - \sin \theta) \left(\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta + \sin \theta \cos \theta\right)}{\cos \theta - \sin \theta}$$
 (1)

$$4) = 1 + \sin\theta\cos\theta \tag{0.5}$$

- 30. Cards marked with numbers 2 to 101 are placed in a box and mixed. One card is drawn at random, find the probability that the number is
 - a) an even number
 - b) a number less than 14
 - c) a number which is a perfect square

Answer ☞

$$1) a)P(evennumber) = \frac{50}{100} = \frac{1}{2}$$
 (1)

2)
$$b)p(lessthan14) = \frac{12}{100} = \frac{3}{25}$$
 (1)

3)
$$c)P(Perfectsquare) = \frac{9}{100}$$
. (1)

31.a. Solve the following pair of linear equations :

8x + 5y = 9

3x+2y=4

Answer ⊚

1)
$$x = \frac{4-2y}{3}$$
 (0.5)

2)
$$8\left(\frac{4-2y}{3}\right) + 5y = 9$$
 (0.5)

3)
$$32 - 16y + 15y = 27$$
 (0.5)

4)
$$y = 5$$
 (0.5)

$$5) \ x = \frac{4 - 2(5)}{2} \tag{0.5}$$

$$6) = \frac{4-10}{3} = -2 \tag{0.5}$$

31.b. Find whether the following pair of linear equations has a unique solutions. If yes, find the solution : 7x-4y=49,5x-6y=57

Answer 🖘

1) Since,
$$\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{7}{5}$$
 and $\frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{4}{6}$ (0.5)

2) =
$$\frac{a_1}{a_2} \neq \frac{b_1}{b_2}$$
, So, system has a unique solution (0.5)

3)
$$35x - 20y = 245$$
, $35x - 42y = 399$ (0.5)

4)
$$y = -7$$
 (0.5)

$$5) \ 5x - 6(-7) = 57 \tag{0.5}$$

6)
$$x = 3$$

Section D

Long Answer Type Questions:

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$

Find the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $7y^2 - \frac{11}{3}y - \frac{2}{3}$ and verify the relationship between the zeroes and the coefficients.

Answer €

1)
$$21y^2 - 11y - 2 = 0$$
 (0.5)

2)
$$(3y-2)(7y+1)$$
 (0.5)

3)
$$p(y) = \frac{2}{3} and - \frac{1}{7}$$
 (1)

4) : Sum of zeroes
$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{7} \Rightarrow \frac{11}{21}$$
 (0.5)

5)
$$\frac{-(\text{ coefficient of } y)}{\text{ coefficient of } u^2} = -\left(\frac{-11}{3\times7}\right) \Rightarrow \frac{11}{21}$$
 (1)

6) Product of zeroes
$$\alpha\beta = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{7}\right) \Rightarrow -\frac{2}{21}$$
 (0.5)

7)
$$\frac{\text{constant term}}{\text{coefficient of } y^2} = \frac{-2}{3 \times 7} \Rightarrow -\frac{2}{21}$$
 (1)

33. If AD and PM are medians of triangles $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle PQR$, respectively where $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle PQR$, prove that $\frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{AD}{PM}$

Answer **☞**

1)
$$\triangle ABC \sim \triangle PQR \Rightarrow \frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{BC}{QR} = \frac{AC}{PR} \dots (1)$$

2) Also,
$$\angle A = \angle P, \angle B = \angle Q, \angle C = \angle R...(2)$$
 (0.5)

3) BD =
$$\frac{BC}{2}$$
 and $QM = \frac{QR}{2}$ (3)

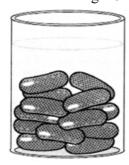
4)
$$From(1)$$
 and (3) $, \frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{BD}{QM} \dots (4)$ (1)

5) In
$$\triangle ABD$$
 and $\triangle PQM$, $\frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{BD}{QM} \dots [from (4)]$ (1)

6) Hence by SAS Similarity criterion ,
$$\triangle$$
 ABD $\sim \triangle$ PQM (0.5)

7)
$$\frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{AD}{PM} \left(\sin ce \ corresponding \ sides \ of \ similar \ triangles \ are \ proportional \right)$$

34.a. A Gulab jamun, contains sugar syrup up to about 30% of its volume. Find approximately how much syrup would be found in 45 Gulab jamuns, each shaped like cylinder with two hemispherical ends with Length 5 cm and diameter 2.8 cm.



Answer €

1)
$$radius of cylinder = 2.8 \div 2 = 1.4 \,\mathrm{cm}$$
 (0.5)

2)
$$Height\ of\ cylinder\ =\ 5-2.8=2.2\ cm$$
 (0.5)

3) =
$$\pi r^2 h + 2 \times \frac{2}{3} \pi r^3$$
 (0.5)

4) =
$$\frac{22}{7}(1.4)^2 \times 2.2 + 2 \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times (1.4)^3$$
 (0.5)

$$5) = 25.05 \text{ cm}^3$$

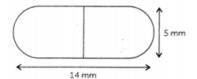
6) Volume of 45 Gulabjamun =
$$45 \times 25.05$$
 (0.5)

7)
$$Syrup in 45 Gulabjamun = 30\% \times 45 \times 25.05$$
 (0.5)

$$8) = \frac{30}{100} \times 45 \times 25.05 \tag{0.5}$$

9) =
$$338.175 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ (or)} \approx 338 \text{ cm}^3$$
 (1)

34.b. A medicine capsule is in the shape of a cylinder with two hemispheres stuck at each of its ends. The length of the entire capsule is 14 mm and the diameter of the capsule is 5 mm. Find its surface area.



Answer ∞

1)
$$Heightofcylinder = 14 - 5 = 9 \,\mathrm{mm}$$
 (0.5)

2) CSA of cylinder =
$$2\pi rh$$
 (0.5)

3) =
$$2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times 2.5 \times 9$$
 (0.5)

4) =
$$\frac{990}{7}$$
 mm² (0.5)

5)
$$CSA of hemispheres = 2\pi r^2$$
 (0.5)

6) =
$$2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times (2.5)^2$$
 (0.5)

$$7) = \frac{275}{7} \text{ mm}^2 \tag{0.5}$$

8)
$$CSA \ of \ 2 \ hemispheres = \frac{550}{7} \ mm^2$$
 (0.5)

9)
$$Total\ area\ of\ capsule\ =\ \frac{1540}{7}$$

$$10) = 220 \,\mathrm{mm}^2 \tag{0.5}$$

35.a. The median of 80 observations given in the following table is 138. Find the values of 'a' and 'b'.

Class Interval	Frequency
65 – 85	5
85 – 105	a
105 – 125	13
125 – 145	20
145 – 165	b
165 – 185	10
185 – 205	7

Answer ☞

C.I.	f_i	u_i
65 - 85	5	5
85 - 105	a	5 + a
105 – 125	13	18 + a
125 – 145	20	38 + a
145 – 165	b	38 + a + b
165 – 185	10	48 + a + b
185 - 205	7	55 + a + b

$$\therefore 55 + a + b = 80$$

$$\implies$$
 a + b = 25

Median class is 125 - 145

Median = 138

$$\therefore 125 + \left(\frac{\frac{80}{2} - (18 + a)}{20}\right) \times 20 = 138$$

$$\implies$$
 a = 9

and
$$b = 16$$

$$55 + a + b = 80 \Longrightarrow a + b = 25 \tag{1}$$

Median class is
$$125 - 145$$
, Median = 138 (0.5)

$$125 + (80/2 - (18+a)/20) \times 20 = 138 \tag{1}$$

$$a=9$$
 (1)

$$b=16$$
 (0.5)

35.b. A survey regarding heights (in cm) of 51 girls of class X of a school was conducted and the following data was obtained:

Heights (in cm)	Number of girls
less than 140	04
less than 145	11
less than 150	29
less than 155	40
less than 160	46
less than 165	51

Number of girls

Find the median height of girls. If mode of the above distribution is 148.05, find the mean using empirical formula.

Frequency

Class Interval

Answer ∞

Heights (in cm)

less than 140	04	135 - 140	4
less than 145	11	140-145	7
less than 150	29	145-150	18
less than 155	40	150-155	11
less than 160	46	155-160	6
less than 165	51	160-165	5
Median = $1 + \left(\frac{N}{2}\right)$	$\left(\frac{1}{f}\right) \times h$		(1)
	$\left(\frac{\frac{51}{2}-11}{18}\right) \times 5$		
= 145 + Median height = 3 × Median = Me	149.03		(1)

Table (1)
Median formula (1)
Median height =
$$149.03$$
 (1)
 $3 \times 149.03 = 148.05 + 2 \times Mean$ (1)
Mean = 149.52 (1)

Section E

Case Based Questions:

 $(3 \times 4 = 12)$

36. Manpreet Kaur is the national record holder for women in the shot-put discipline. Her throw of 18.86m at the Asian Grand Prix in 2017 is the maximum distance for an Indian female athlete. Keeping her as a role model, Sanjitha is determined to earn gold in Olympics one day. Initially her throw reached 7.56m only. Being an athlete in school, she regularly practiced both in the mornings and in the evenings and was able to improve the distance by 9cm every week. During the special camp for 15 days, she started with 40 throws and every day kept increasing the number of throws by 12 to achieve this remarkable progress.



36.i. How many throws Sanjitha pracetized on 11th day of the camp?

Answer ©⇒

$$160 \text{ throws}$$
 (1)

[1]

[2]

[2]

[1]

36.ii. How many throws did she do during the entire camp of 15 days?

Answer ∞

36.iii.a. When will she be able to achieve a throw of 11.16 m?

Answer €

1)
$$tn = a + (n-1) d$$
 (0.5)

$$2) \ 3.6 = (n-1) \times 0.09 \tag{0.5}$$

3)
$$n = 41$$
 weeks (1) (OR)

36.iii.b. What would be Sanjitha's throw distance at the end of 6 weeks?

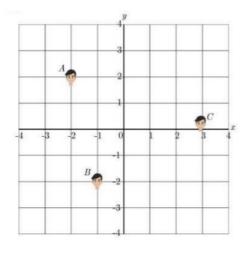
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Answer 🖘

1)
$$tn = a + 6d$$
 (0.5)

3) 8.1m (1)

37. Aditya, Ritesh and Damodar are fast friends since childhood. They always want to sit in a row in the classroom. But teacher doesn't allow them and rotate the seats row- wise everyday. Ritesh is very good in maths and he does distance calculation everyday. He consider the centre of class as origin and marks their position on a paper in a co-ordinate system. One day Ritesh make the following diagram of their seating position marked Aditya as A, Ritesh as B and Damodar as C.



37.i. What is the distance between A and B?

Answer \sim $\sqrt{17}$ (1)

1) BC =
$$\sqrt{(-1-3)^2 + (-2-2)^2}$$
 (0.5)

[1]

[1]

[2]

[2]

2)
$$\sqrt{20} \ or \ 2\sqrt{5}$$
 (0.5)

37.iii.a. A point D lies on the line segment between points A and B such that AD :DB= 4 :3. What are the the coordinates of point D?

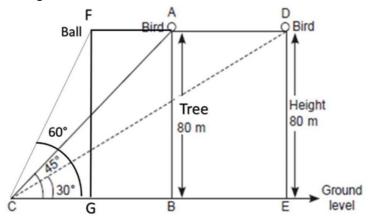
Answer €

$$D = \left(\frac{-10}{7}, \frac{-2}{7}\right)$$
(OR)

37.iii.b. If the point P(k, 0) divides the line segment joining the points A(2, -2) and B(-7, 4) in the ratio 1: 2, then find the value of k.

Answer
$$\Leftrightarrow$$
 $k = -1$ (2)

One evening, Kaushik was in a park. Children were playing cricket. Birds were singing on a nearby tree of height 80m. He observed a bird on the tree at an angle of elevation of 45°. When a sixer was hit, a ball flew through the tree frightening the bird to fly away. In 2 seconds, he observed the bird flying at the same height at an angle of elevation of 30° and the ball flying towards him at the same height at an angle of elevation of 60°.



38.i. At what distance from the foot of the tree was he observing the bird sitting on the tree? [1]

Answer \Leftrightarrow BC = 80m (1)

38.ii. What is the speed of the bird in m/min if it had flown 20($\sqrt{3} + 1$) m?

Answer ©⇒

$$600\left(\sqrt{3}+1\right) \text{ m/min} \tag{1}$$

38.iii.a. After hitting the tree, how far did the ball travel in the sky when Kaushik saw the ball?

Answer ©

1)
$$\frac{80\sqrt{3}}{3} = \frac{80}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$2) 80 \left(1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) m \tag{1}$$

38.iii.b. How far did the bird fly in the mentioned time?

Answer €=

1) CE = $80\sqrt{3}m$ (2)

2)
$$80\left(\sqrt{3}-1\right)m$$
 (1)