



**INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT
FIRST PRE-BOARD EXAMINATION
MATHEMATICS**

CLASS: X

Sub. Code: 041

Time Allotted: 3 Hrs.

05.01.2020

Max. Marks: 80

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 (A) 103, 3 (B) 3, 107 (C) 3, 103 (D) 3, 101

(Q.11-Q.15) Fill in the blanks.

11. The common difference of an A.P. $\frac{1}{2r}, \frac{1-3r}{2r}, \frac{1-6r}{2r}, \dots$ is _____

12. The value of $4 \cot^2 45^\circ - \sec^2 60^\circ + \sin^2 60^\circ + \cos^2 90^\circ$ is _____

13. In fig.1, O is the centre of a circle, PQ is a chord and PT is the tangent at P. If $\angle POQ = 70^\circ$, then $\angle TPQ =$ _____

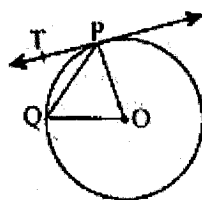


Fig.1

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In fig.2, AOB is a diameter of a circle with centre O and AP is a tangent to the circle at A. If $\angle POB = 115^\circ$, then $\angle APO =$ _____

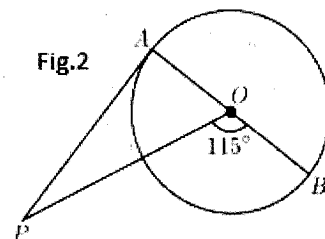


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If one zero of the polynomial $3x^2 - 8x + 2p + 1$ is reciprocal of the other, find the value of p .

17. Can two numbers have 4 as their HCF and 250 as their LCM? Give reason.
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19. If $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$ such that $2AB = DE$ and $BC = 8$ cm, then find EF .

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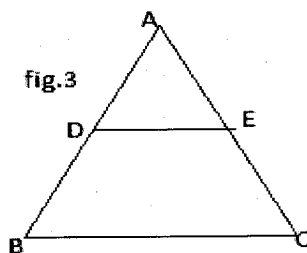


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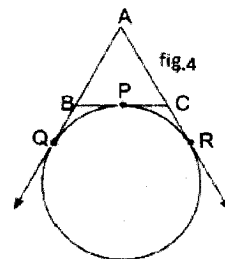


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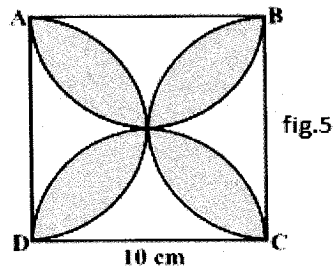
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21. In fig.4, A circle touches sides AB and AC produced and side BC of $\triangle ABC$ at Q, R and P respectively. Show that $AQ = \frac{1}{2}$ perimeter of $\triangle ABC$
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- In an equilateral triangle ABC, D is a point on side BC such that $BD = \frac{1}{3} BC$.
Prove that $9(AD)^2 = 7(AB)^2$.
24. Find the length of kite string flying at 100m above the ground with the elevation of 45° (Use $\sqrt{2} = 1.41$)
25. A copper rod of diameter 1cm and length 8 cm is drawn into a wire of length 18 m of uniform thickness. Find the thickness of the wire.
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- Two dice are thrown simultaneously. Find the probability that
(i) the sum of numbers appearing on the two dice is 5
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SECTION - C

27. Use Euclid's division algorithm to find the HCF of 726 and 275.
- OR**
- Show that square of any positive integer is of the form $3q$ or $3q + 1$ for some integer q .
28. Find the centre of a circle passing through the points (6, -6), (3, -7) and (3, 3).
29. If the polynomial $6x^4 + 8x^3 + 17x^2 + 21x + 7$ is divided by another polynomial $3x^2 + 4x + 1$, the remainder comes out to be $(ax + b)$, find the value of a and b .
30. Solve for x and y : $\frac{6}{x-1} - \frac{3}{y-2} = 1$ and $\frac{5}{x-1} + \frac{1}{y-2} = 2$, where $x \neq 1$ and $y \neq 2$
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- If $\sec \theta + \tan \theta = p$, then find the value of $\operatorname{cosec} \theta$

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Frequency	10	p	4	7	q	4	1	40

36. The total cost of a certain length of a piece of cloth is Rs. 200. If the piece was 5 m longer and each metre of cloth costs Rs. 2 less, the cost of the piece would have remained unchanged. How long is the piece and what is its original rate per metre?

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Construct a pair of tangents to a circle of radius 3cm from a point on the concentric circle of radius 5 cm. Measure the length of each tangent.

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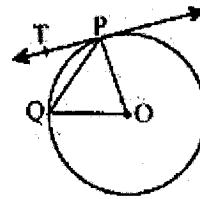
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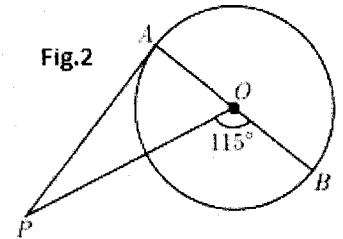
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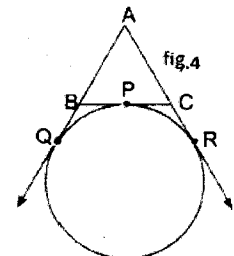
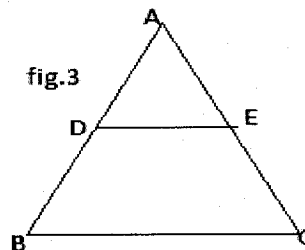
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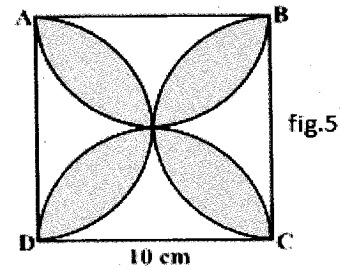
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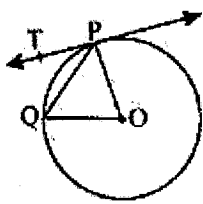
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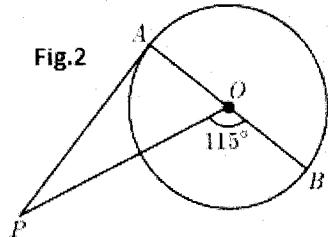
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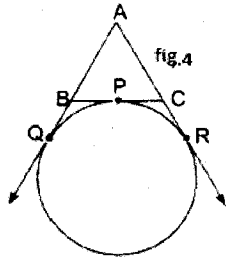
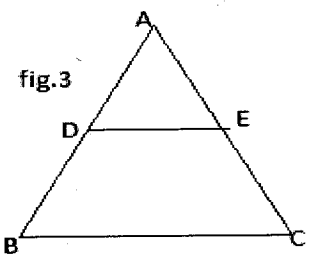
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19. Are the points $(0, 1)$, $(2, 3)$ and $(3, 4)$ collinear? Justify your answer.
20. In fig.3, D and E are points on AB and AC respectively, such that $DE \parallel BC$. If $AD = \frac{1}{3}BD$, $AE = 4.5$ cm, find AC .



SECTION - B

21. In fig.4, A circle touches sides AB and AC produced and side BC of $\triangle ABC$ at Q , R and P respectively. Show that $AQ = \frac{1}{2}$ perimeter of $\triangle ABC$

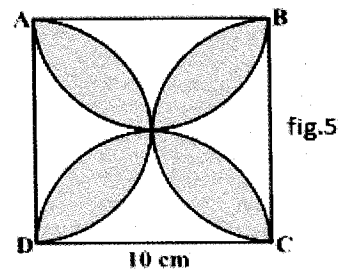
22. A copper rod of diameter 1 cm and length 8 cm is drawn into a wire of length 18 m of uniform thickness. Find the thickness of the wire.
23. ΔPQR is right angled at P and M is a point on QR such that $PM \perp QR$. Show that $PM^2 = QM \cdot MR$
- OR**
- In an equilateral triangle ABC, D is a point on side BC such that $BD = \frac{1}{3} BC$.
Prove that $9(AD)^2 = 7(AB)^2$.
24. Find the length of kite string flying at 100m above the ground with the elevation of 45° (Use $\sqrt{2} = 1.41$)
25. Find 10th term from the end of the A.P. 11, 8, 5, 2,, - 61.
26. A box contains cards bearing numbers from 6 to 70. If one card is drawn at random from the box, find the probability that it bears
(i) a one digit number and (ii) a prime number between 40 and 60.

OR

- Two dice are thrown simultaneously. Find the probability that
(i) the sum of numbers appearing on the two dice is 5
(ii) getting an odd number on the first die and a multiple of 3 on the other.

SECTION - C

27. Use Euclid's division algorithm to find the HCF of 726 and 275.
- OR**
- Show that square of any positive integer is of the form $3q$ or $3q + 1$ for some integer q .
28. Find the centre of a circle passing through the points (6, -6), (3, -7) and (3, 3).
29. Find the zeroes of the polynomial $x^2 - 4x + 1$ and verify the relationship between the zeroes and the coefficients.
30. Solve for x and y: $\frac{6}{x-1} - \frac{3}{y-2} = 1$ and $\frac{5}{x-1} + \frac{1}{y-2} = 2$, where $x \neq 1$ and $y \neq 2$
- OR**
- 2 men and 7 women can do a piece of work in 4 days. It is done by 4 men and 4 women in 3 days. How long would it take for one man or one woman to do it?
31. In an A.P., if $a = 12$, $a_n = 248$ and $S_n = 7800$, then find n and d.
32. Prove that $(\operatorname{cosec} A - \sin A)(\sec A - \cos A) = \frac{1}{\tan A + \cot A}$
- OR**
- If $\sec \theta + \tan \theta = p$, then find the value of $\operatorname{cosec} \theta$
33. Find the area of the shaded region in fig.5, where ABCD is a square of side 10 cm and semicircles are drawn with each side of the square as diameter. (Use $\pi = 3.14$)



34. The given distribution shows the number of runs scored by the batsmen in inter-school cricket matches:

Runs scored	0 – 50	50 – 100	100 – 150	150 – 200	200 – 250
No. of batsmen	4	6	8	7	5

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SECTION – D

35. If the mean of the following data is 14.7, find the values of p and q. Also find its mode.

Class	0 – 6	6 – 12	12 – 18	18 – 24	24 – 30	30 – 36	36 – 42	Total
Frequency	10	p	4	7	q	4	1	40

36. Construct a $\triangle ABC$ with $BC = 7$ cm, $\angle B = 60^\circ$ and $AB = 6$ cm. Construct another triangle whose sides are $\frac{3}{4}$ times of the corresponding sides of $\triangle ABC$

OR

Construct a pair of tangents to a circle of radius 3cm from a point on the concentric circle of radius 5 cm. Measure the length of each tangent.

37. Prove that “If a line drawn parallel to one side of a triangle to intersect the other two sides in distinct points, the other two sides are divided in the same ratio”.

38. The total cost of a certain length of a piece of cloth is Rs. 200. If the piece was 5 m longer and each metre of cloth costs Rs. 2 less, the cost of the piece would have remained unchanged. How long is the piece and what is its original rate per metre?

OR

Rs. 9000 were divided equally among a certain number of persons. Had there been 20 more persons, each would have got Rs. 160 less. Find the original number of persons.

39. The angle of elevation of the top B of a tower AB from a point X on the ground is 60° . At a point Y, 40 m vertically above X, the angle of elevation of the top is 45° . Find the height of the tower AB and distance XB.

40. A toy is in the form of a hemisphere surmounted by a right circular cone of the same base radius as that of the hemisphere. If the radius of base of the cone is 21 cm and its volume is $\frac{2}{3}$ of the volume of the hemisphere, calculate the height of the cone and the surface area of the toy. (Use $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$)

OR

A milk container is made of metal sheet in the shape of frustum of a cone whose volume is $10459\frac{3}{7}$ cm^3 . The radii of its lower and upper circular ends are 8 cm and 20 cm respectively. Find the cost of metal sheet used in making the container at the rate of Rs 1.40 per square centimeter. (Use $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$)

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