

FIRST TERM EXAMINATION 2020-21

GRADE X

MATHEMATICS

MARKS: 80

TIME: 2 ½ Hrs.

SECTION - A

Attempt all the questions

(4x10 =40)

Question 1

- a. ₹480 is divided equally among  $x$  children. If the number of children were 20 more, then each would have got ₹12 less. find  $x$ . (4)
- b. The sum of 4<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> term of an AP is 24 and the sum of 6<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> terms is 34. Find the first term and common difference. (4)
- c. Solve:  $2x - \frac{3}{x} = 5$  without using formula (2)

Question 2

- a. Find the value of 'k' if  $(x-2)$  is a factor of  $x^3 + 2x^2 - kx + 10$ . Hence determine whether  $(x+5)$  is also a factor. (3)
- b. The radius and the slant height of a cone are in the ratio 4:7. If its Curved surface area is  $792\text{cm}^2$ , find its radius. (use  $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$ ) (3)
- c. Mohan has a recurring deposit account in a bank for 2 years at 6% per annum simple interest. If he gets ₹ 1200 as interest at the time of maturity, find: (i) the monthly installment  
(ii) The amount of maturity (4)

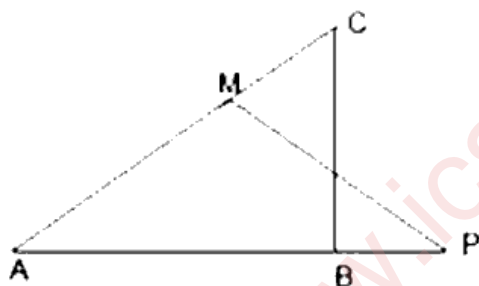
Question 3

- a. If  $b$  is the mean proportional between  $a$  and  $c$ , prove that  $(ab + bc)$  is the mean proportional between  $(a^2 + b^2)$  and  $(b^2 + c^2)$  (3)
- b. Evaluate without using Trigonometrical tables:  
 $2\left(\frac{\tan 35^\circ}{\cot 55^\circ}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\cot 55^\circ}{\tan 35^\circ}\right)^2 - 3\left(\frac{\sec 40^\circ}{\operatorname{cosec} 50^\circ}\right)$  (3)

- c. Two pipes running together can fill a cistern in  $2\frac{8}{11}$  minutes. If one pipe takes one minute more than the other to fill the cistern, find the time in which each pipe will fill the cistern. (4)

**Question 4**

- a. In the given figure  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle AMP$  are right angled at B and M respectively. Given  $AC=10\text{cm}$ ,  $AP = 15\text{cm}$  and  $PM = 12\text{cm}$ .
- (i) Prove that  $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle AMP$
- (ii) Find AB and BC (4)



- b. When divided by  $(x-3)$ , the polynomials  $x^3 - px^2 + x + 6$  and  $2x^3 - x^2 - (p + 3)x - 6$  leave the same remainder. Find the value of 'p' (3)

c. Prove that  $\frac{\tan^2 \theta}{(\sec \theta - 1)^2} = \frac{1 + \cos \theta}{1 - \cos \theta}$  (3)

**SECTION - B**

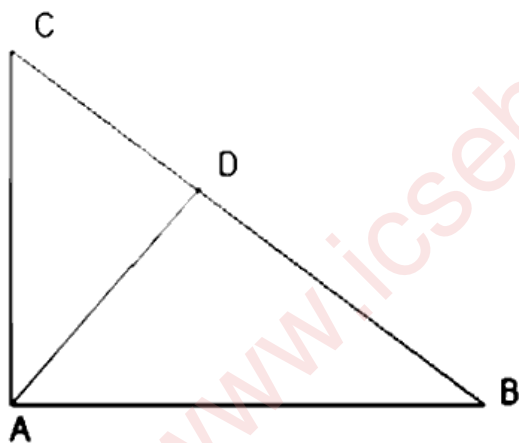
Answer any 4 questions (4x10 =40)

**Question 5**

- a. Ashima has a recurring deposit account in a bank for 5 years at 9% p.a. At the time of maturity, she gets ₹51,607.50. Find the monthly installment. (4)
- b. In an AP the first term is 8, nth term is 33 and the sum of first n terms is 123. Find n and d. (3)
- c. A solid cone of radius 5 cm and height 8 cm is melted and made into small spheres of radius 0.5cm. Find the number of spheres formed. (3)

### Question 6

- a. Prove that  $\frac{\sin\theta - 2\sin^3\theta}{2\cos^3\theta - \cos\theta} = \tan\theta$  (3)
- b. In the adjoining figure, ABC is a right angled triangle with  $\angle BAC = 90^\circ$  and AD is perpendicular to BC.
- (i) Prove that  $\triangle ADB \sim \triangle CDA$
- (ii) If  $BD = 18$  cm and  $CD = 8$  cm, find AD.
- (iii) Find the ratio of the area of  $\triangle ADB$  and area of  $\triangle CDA$  (4)



- c. If  $x, y, z$  are in continued proportion, prove that  $\frac{(x+y)^2}{(y+z)^2} = \frac{x}{z}$  (3)

### Question 7

- a. Using the remainder theorem, factorise the polynomial completely:  $3x^3 + 2x^2 - 19x + 6$  (4)
- b. Without solving the following quadratic equation, find 'm' for which the given equation has real and equal roots:  $x^2 + 2(m-1)x + (m+5) = 0$  (3)
- c. The volume of a cylinder is  $448\pi$   $\text{cm}^3$  and height 7cm. find the curved surface area and total surface area. (3)

### Question 8

- a. In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $DE \parallel BC$ . If  $AD = x-5$ ,  $DB = 3x-19$ ,  $AE=3$  and  $EC = x-3$ , find  $x$ . (3)

- b. What must be added to the numbers 6, 10, 14 and 22 to make them in proportion? (3)
- c. Solve  $4x^2 - 5x - 3 = 0$  for x and give your answer correct to two decimal places. (4)

### Question 9

- a. Find the remainder when  $f(x) = 2x^3 - 3x^2 - 4x - 5$  is divided by  $(2x+1)$ . (3)
- b. If 7 times of 7<sup>th</sup> term of an AP is equal to 11 times of its 11<sup>th</sup> term, then show that its 18<sup>th</sup> term is zero. (3)
- c. Solve :  $2\left(\frac{x}{1+x}\right)^2 - 5\left(\frac{x}{1+x}\right) + 2 = 0$  (4)

### Question 10

- a. If  $x = \frac{\sqrt{a+1} + \sqrt{a-1}}{\sqrt{a+1} - \sqrt{a-1}}$  using properties show that  $x^2 - 2ax + 1 = 0$  (4)
- b. Form a quadratic equation whose roots are 2 and -5 (2)
- c. David opened a recurring deposit account in a bank and deposited ₹300 per month for two years. If he received ₹7725 at the time of maturity find the rate of interest per annum. (4)

### Question 11

- a. A toy is in the form of a cone mounted on a hemisphere of radius 3.5cm. The total height of the toy is 15.5cm. Find the total surface area. (4)
- b. Prove that  $(\operatorname{cosec} A - \sin A)(\sec A - \cos A)\sec^2 A = \tan A$  (3)
- c. The sum of two numbers is 8 and the sum of their squares is 34. Find the numbers. (3)



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