CLASS - X (CBSE SAMPLE PAPER)

MATHEMATICS

SAMPLE PAPER

TIME: 3 HRS.

MAX. MARKS : 80

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS :

- **>>** All questions are compulsory.
- >> The question paper consists of 40 questions divided into four sections A, B, C and D.
- Section A comprises of 20 questions of 1 mark each. Section B comprises of 6 questions of 2 marks each. Section C comprises of 8 questions of 3 marks each. Section D comprises of 6 questions of 4 marks each.
- ➤ There is no overall choice. However, internal choice has been provided in two questions of 1 mark each, two questions of 2 marks each, three questions of 3 marks each, and three questions of 4 marks each. You have to attempt only one of the alternatives in all such questions.
- **»** Use of calculators is not permitted.

SECTION-A

- Q.1 10 are multiple choice questions. Select the most appropriate answer from the given options.
- 1. For positive integers a and 3, there exists unique integers q and r such that a = 3q + r, where r must satisfy.
- (1) $0 \le r < 3$ (2) 1 < r < 3 (3) 0 < r < 3 (4) $0 < r \le 3$ 2. The number of polynomials having zeroes as -2 and 5 is (1) 1 (2) 2 (3) 3 (4) more than 3

3. Given that
$$\sin\theta = \frac{a}{b}$$
, then $\cos\theta$ in equal to

(2) $\frac{b}{a}$ (3) $\frac{\sqrt{b^2 - a^2}}{b}$

- 4. In an AP, if a = 3.5, d = 0, n = 101 then a_n is (1) 01 (2) 3.5 (3) 103.5
- ABC and BDE are two equilateral triangles such that D is midpoint of BC. Ratio of areas of triangles ABC and BDE is
 (1) 2: 1
 (2) 1: 4
 (3) 1: 2
 (4) 4: 1
- 6. Ratio of sides a right triangle with respect to its acute angles are known as (1) Trigonometric identities (2) Trigonometry
 - (3) Trigonometric ratios of the angles (4) None of these

(2) 50°

7. In figure AB and AC are tangent with centre O and $\angle BAC = 40^\circ$, then $\angle BOC$ is equal to

A 40° O C

(1) 40°

(3) 140°

(4) 150°

(4) $\frac{a}{\sqrt{b^2 - a^2}}$

(4) 104.5

8. The radii of two circles are 3 cm and 4 cm respectively. The diameter of the circle having area equal to sum of the areas of two circles (in cm) is



PRE-NURTURE & CAREER FOUNDATION DIVISION MATHEMATICS The radius (in cm) of the largest right circular cone that can be be cut out from a cube of edge 4.2 cm is (1) 4.2(2) 2.1(3) 8.1(4) 1.05 If $\sin\theta = \cos\theta$, then the value of $2\tan\theta + \cos^2\theta$ is (2) $\frac{5}{2}$

(3) 4

(1) 2

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10.

O.11 - 15 Fill in the blanks.

- 11. Two cubes each with 6 cm edge are joined end to end. The surface area of resulting cuboid is _____.
- Construction of cumulative frequency table is useful in determining the 12.
- If the product of zeroes of $x^2 3kx + 2k^2 1$ is 7 then values of k are _____ and _____. 13.
- 14. If (p-1); (p+3); (3p-1) are in AP, then p is equal to ____
- 15. $\sin(45^\circ + \theta) - \cos(45^\circ - \theta)$ is equal to ____

OR

 $\cot^2 53^\circ - \sec^2 37^\circ$ is equal to _____.

Q.16 - 20 Answer the following :

Find the values of k for which the quadratic equation $9x^2 - 3kx + k = 0$ has equal roots. 16.

OR

- Find the value(s) of k for which the equation $x^2 + 5kx + 16 = 0$ has real and equal roots.
- 17. AOBC is a rectangle whose three vertices are A(0, 3), O(0, 0) and B(5, 0). Find the length of its diagonal.

18. If
$$\triangle ABC \sim \triangle QRP$$
, $\frac{ar(\triangle ABC)}{ar(\triangle PQR)} = \frac{9}{4}$, AB = 18 cm and BC = 15 cm, then find the length of PR.

- If $\sin^2 A = 2 \sin A$ then find the value of A. 19.
- In an AP, if the common difference (d) = -4, and the seventh term (a₇) is 4, then find the first term. 20.

SECTION-B

Evaluate $\frac{3\tan^2 30^\circ + \tan^2 60^\circ + \csc 30^\circ - \tan 45^\circ}{3}$ 21.

$$\cot^2 45^\circ$$

- Five cards-the ten, jack, queen, king and ace of diamonds are well-shuffled with their face downwards. 22. One card is then picked up at random.
 - (i) What is the probability that the card is the queen?
 - (ii) If the queen is drawn and put aside, what is the probability that the second card picked up is an ace?
- 23. The HCF and LCM of two numbers are 9 and 360 respectively. If one number is 45, find the other number.

OR

Show that $7 - \sqrt{5}$ is irrational, given that $\sqrt{5}$ is irrational.

Find the 20th term from the last term of the AP 3,8,13,....,253 24.

OR

If 7 times the 7th term of an A.P is equal to 11 times its 11th term, then find its 18th term.

- 25. Find the coordinates of the point P which divides the join of A(-2, 5) and B(3, -5) in the ratio 2 : 3.
- 26. A bag contains cards numbered from 1 to 49. A card is drawn from the bag at random, after mixing the cards thoroughly. Find the probability that the number on the drawn card is
 - (i) a multiple of 5
 - (ii) a perfect square

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(4) None of these



SECTION-C

- 27. Prove that $\sin\theta(1 + \tan\theta) + \cos\theta(1 + \cot\theta) = \sec\theta + \csc\theta$
- **28.** A girl empties a cylindrical bucket full of sand, of base radius 18 cm and height 32 cm, on the floor to form a conical heap of sand. If the height of this conical heap is 24 cm, then find its slant height correct up to one place of decimal.

OR

A solid sphere of radius 3 cm is melted and then recast into small spherical balls each of diameter 0.6 cm. Find the number of balls.

- **29.** If n is an odd positive integer, show that $(n^2 1)$ divisible by 8.
- **30.** Obtain all other zeros of $3x^4 + 6x^3 2x^2 10x 5$, if two of its zeros are $\sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$ and $-\sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$.
- **31.** A fraction becomes $\frac{1}{3}$ when 1 is subtracted from the numerator and it becomes $\frac{1}{4}$ when 8 is added to

its denominator. Find the fraction.

OR

Places A and B are 80 km apart from each other on a highway. A car starts from A and another from B at the same time. If they move in same direction they meet in 8 hours and if they move towards each other they meet in 1 hour 20 minutes. Find the speed of cars.

- 32. The points A(1, -2), B(2, 3), C(k, 2) and D(-4, -3) are the vertices of a parallelogram. Find the value of k.
- **33.** The table shows the daily expenditure on grocery of 25 households in a locality. Find the modal daily expenditure on grocery by a suitable method.

| Daily Expenditure (in `) | 100 – 150 | 150 - 200 | 200 - 250 | 250 - 300 | 300 - 350 |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| No of households | 4 | 5 | 12 | 2 | 2 |

34. In the given figure, AB = AC. E is a point on CB produced. If AD is perpendicular to BC and EF perpendicular to AC, prove that $\triangle ABD$ is similar to $\triangle CEF$.



OR

In figure $\angle 1 = \angle 2$ and $\triangle NSQ \cong \triangle MTR$, then prove that $\triangle PTS \sim \triangle PRQ$.



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SECTION-D

35. Construct a triangle similar to a given triangle ABC with its sides equal to $\frac{5}{3}$ of the corresponding

sides of the triangle ABC (i.e. of scale factor $\frac{5}{3}$).

36. If S_n denotes the sum of the first n terms of an AP, prove that $S_{30} = 3 (S_{20} - S_{10})$.

OR

The sum of the first 7 terms of an AP is 63 and the sum of its next 7 terms is 161. Find the 28th term of this AP.

- **37.** Prove that in a right angled triangle square of the hypotenuse is equal to sum of the squares of other two sides.
- **38.** A straight highway leads to the foot of a tower. A man standing at the top of the tower observes a car at an angle of depression of 30°, which is approaching the foot of the tower with a uniform speed. Six seconds later, the angle of depression of the car is found to be 60°. Find the time taken by the car to reach the foot of the tower from the point.

OR

A man on the top of a vertical observation tower observes a car moving at a uniform speed coming directly towards it. If it takes 12 minutes for the angle of depression to change from 30° to 45° , how long will the car take to reach the observation tower from this point?

- **39.** The height of a cone is 10 cm. The cone is divided into two parts using a plane parallel to its base at the middle of its height. Find the ratio of the volume of two parts.
- **40.** The distribution below gives the marks of 100 students of a class.

| Marks | 0-5 | 5-10 | 10-15 | 15-20 | 20-25 | 25-30 | 30-35 | 35-40 |
|--------------------|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Number of studnets | 4 | 6 | 10 | 10 | 25 | 22 | 18 | 5 |

Draw a less than type and a more than type ogive from the given data. Hence, obtain the median marks from the graph.

OR

The median of the following data is 525. Find the values of x and y if the total frequency is 100.

| Class Interval | Frequency |
|----------------|-----------|
| 0 - 100 | 2 |
| 100 - 200 | 5 |
| 200 - 300 | Х |
| 300 - 400 | 12 |
| 400 - 500 | 17 |
| 500 - 600 | 20 |
| 600 - 700 | у |
| 700 - 800 | 9 |
| 800 - 900 | 7 |
| 900 - 1000 | 4 |

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