

**SSLC Model Examination  
February-2023**

**MATHEMATICS  
English Version.**

**Detailed Solutions with Questions.**

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**Question: 1**

**Write the next two terms of the arithmetic sequence 5,12,19,.....**

***Solution: -***

Given sequence = 5,12,19,...

$$f = 2, d = 12 - 5 = 7$$

$\therefore$  the next two terms = 26 and 33.

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## Question: 2.

Natural numbers from 1 to 10 are written on paper slips and put in a box. If one slip is taken from the box, without looking, then what is the probability of the number on the slip being a multiple of 3 ?

**olution: -**

Given 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10.

Total number of slips = 10 (N)

Multiple of three = 3, 6, and 9

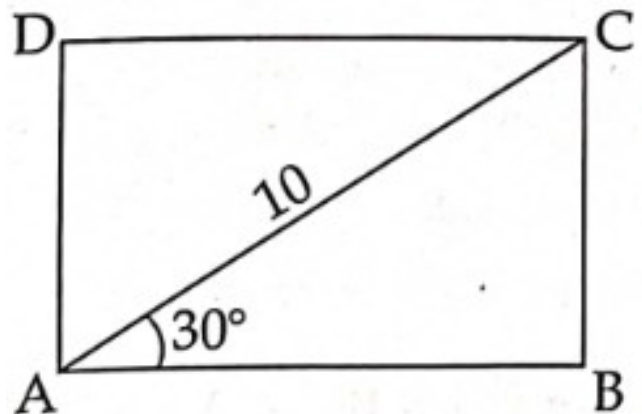
ie.,  $n(f) = 3$

Hence the required probability

$$= \frac{n(F)}{n(N)} = \frac{3}{10} .$$

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## Question: 3.

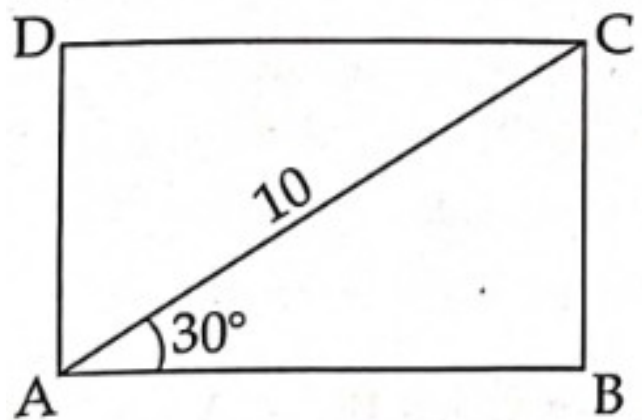


ABCD is a rectangle.  $\angle CAB = 30^\circ$ ,  $AC = 10$  centimetres

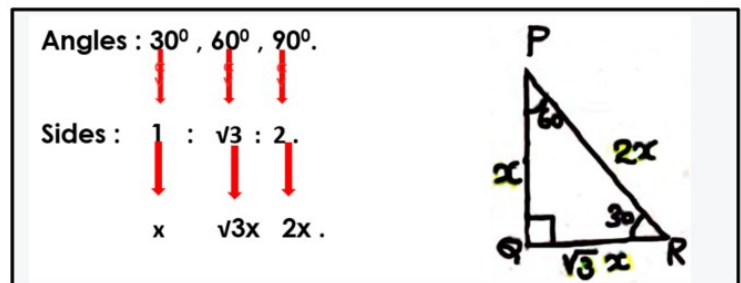
- (a) Find the length of BC
- (b) Find the length of AB

**Solution: -**

In rt. $\Delta ABC$   
 $30^\circ, 60^\circ, 90^\circ$   
ie.,  $1 : \sqrt{3} : 2$ .



a) Length of BC  
$$= \frac{10}{2} = 5\text{cm.}$$



b) Length of AB  
$$= 5 \times \sqrt{3} = 5\sqrt{3} \text{ cm.}$$

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### **Question: 4.**

Find the median of first 9 even numbers.

### **Solution: -**

**Given the first nine even numbers**

**= 2,4,6,8,10,12,14,16,18,20**

**The given data br odd numbers**

$$\therefore \text{Median} = \left( \frac{n+1}{2} \right)^{\text{th}} \text{ term .}$$

$$= \left( \frac{9+1}{2} \right)^{\text{th}} \text{ term} = \left( \frac{10}{2} \right)^{\text{th}} \text{ term}$$

$$5^{\text{th}} \text{ tern} = 10$$

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### **Question: 5.**

The sum of first 5 terms of an arithmetic sequence is 145.

- (a) Find the third term
- (b) If the common difference of this sequence is 4, write the terms.

## **Solution: -**

Given  $S_5 = 145$ .

a). Third term ( $x_3$ ) =  $\frac{145}{5} = 29$ .

b) . Given  $d = 4$

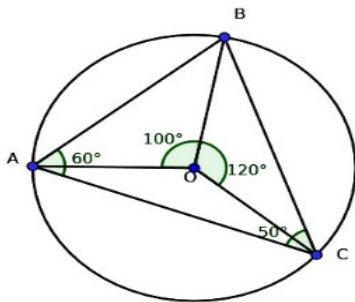
$\therefore$  The terms are 29,33,37,40,.....

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## **Question: 6.**

Draw a circle of radius 3 centimetres. Draw a triangle of angles  $50^\circ, 60^\circ, 70^\circ$  and vertices on this circle.

## **Solution: -**



### **Construction:**

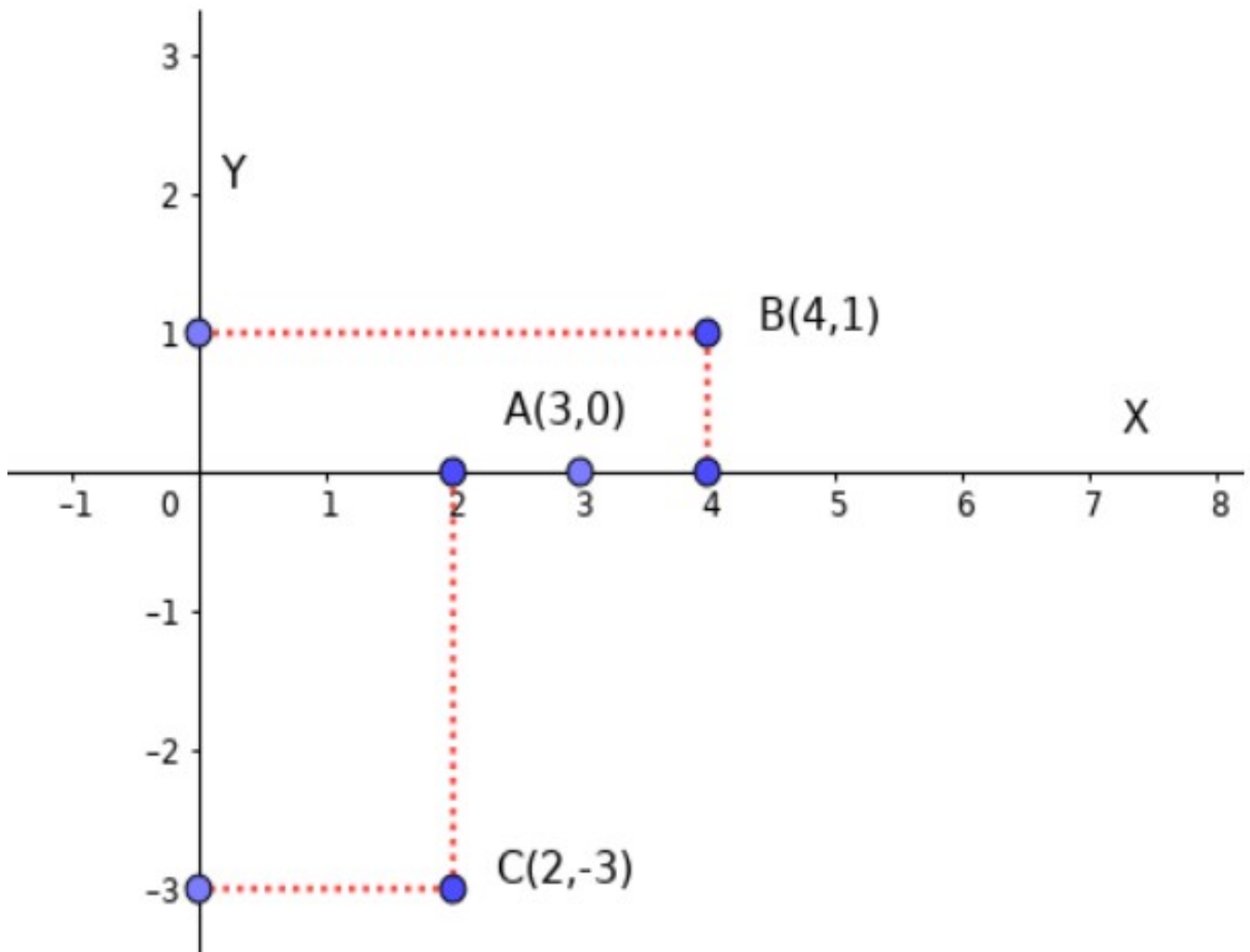
Draw a circle with radius 3cm  $O$  as the center. Draw  $OB$  and make an  $\angle AOB = 100^\circ$  ( $2 \times 50 = 100$ ).make an  $\angle BOC = 120^\circ$  .( $2 \times 60 = 120$ ) and join  $AB, BC$  and  $AC$ .

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## Question: 7.

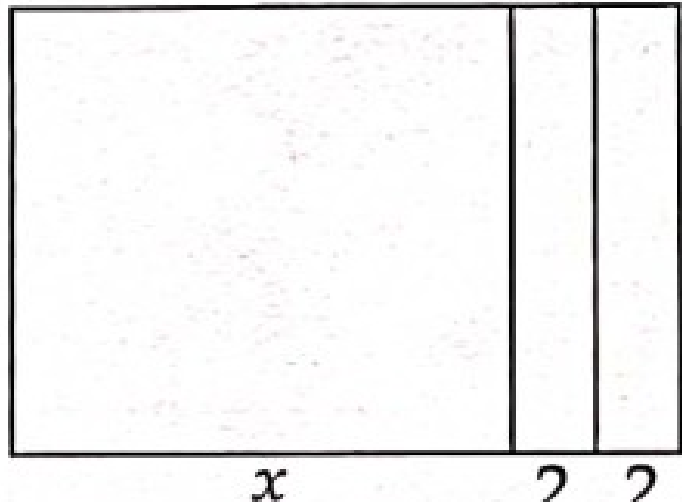
Draw the  $x$  and  $y$  axes and mark the points  $A(3, 0)$ ,  $B(4, 1)$ ,  $C(2, -3)$ .

**Solution: -**



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## Question: 8.



A square and two rectangles of the same height are kept together as in the picture. The width of the rectangles are 2 centimetres. Total area of the picture is 96 square centimetres.

- Taking the side of the square as  $x$  centimetres, write an equation representing the given details.
- Find the length of one side of the square.

## Solution:-

Given the width of the rectangle  
 $= 2\text{m.}$

Area of the rectangle  $= 96 \text{ sq.m.}$

a) By given details

$$\text{ie., } x(x + 4) = 96$$

$$\text{b) } x(x + 4) = 96 \Rightarrow x^2 + 4x = 96$$

(square completion method)

$$x^2 + 4x + 4 = 96 + 4$$

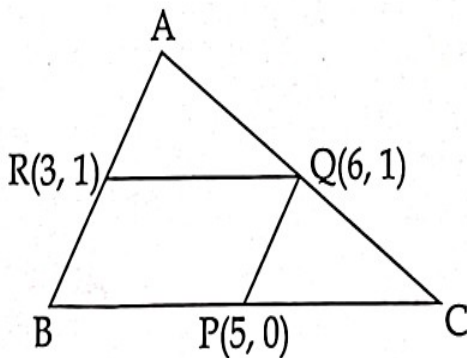
$$(x + 2)^2 = 100. \text{ (take roots)}$$

$$\text{ie., } x + 2 = 10 ; x = 10 - 2 = 8.$$

$\therefore$  Length of one side = 8m.

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### Question: 9.



In triangle ABC, P(5, 0), Q(6, 1), R(3, 1) are the mid-points of sides BC, CA and AB respectively.

- What is the most suitable name for the quadrilateral BPQR ?
- Find the coordinates of B and C.



## ***Solution:-***

**a) By inspection, see that be a Parallelogram**

$$\mathbf{b). B = ( 3 + 5 - 6 , 1 + 0 - 1) = ( 2 , 0)1}$$
$$\mathbf{C = ( 10 - 2 , 0) = (8 , 0)}$$

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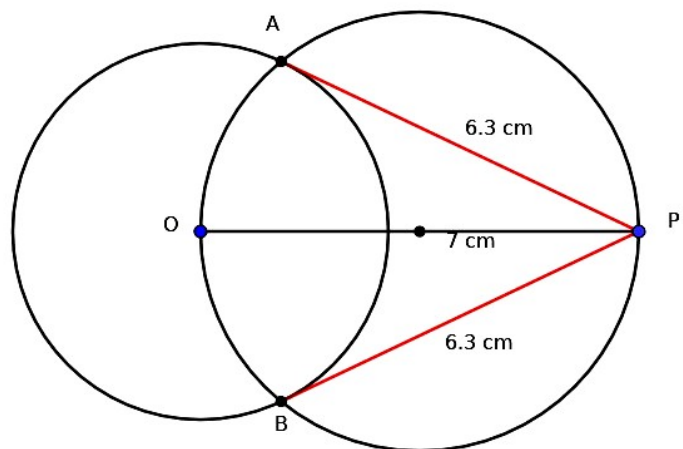
## ***Question 10.***

0. Draw a circle of radius 3 centimetres. Mark a point 7 centimetres away from the centre. Draw tangents from this point to the circle.

## ***Solution***

### **Construction.**

**Draw a circle with a radius 3cm O as its center. Draw OP= 7cm line**



and draw perpendicular to OP .Draw a circle OQ as radius and cut it A and B . Join AP and BP becomes the tangents.

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***Question 11.***

A sequence is written by adding 3 to the multiples of 4.

- (a) Write the algebraic form of the sequence.
- (b) Find the tenth term of the sequence.
- (c) Is 100 a term of this sequence ? Why ?

***Solution***

**Given sequence = 7, 11, 15 .....**

**$f = 7, d = 4$**

**a). . Algebraic form =  $dn + f - d$   
 $= 4n + 7 - 4 = 4n + 3.$**

**b)  $x_{10} = f + 9 ; 7 + 9 \times 4 = 7 + 36 = 43.$**

c). No

The remainder got when divide 100 by 4 is not 3

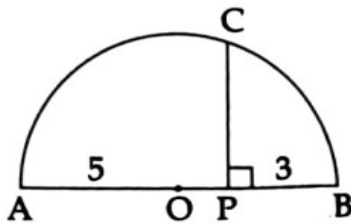
OR

100 – 43 = 57 is not a multiple of 4, 100 is not a term.

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**Question 12.**

(a)



In the picture, AB is a diameter of the semicircle. PC is perpendicular to AB. AP = 5 centimetres and PB = 3 centimetres. Find the length of PC.

(b) Draw a square of area 15 square centimetres.

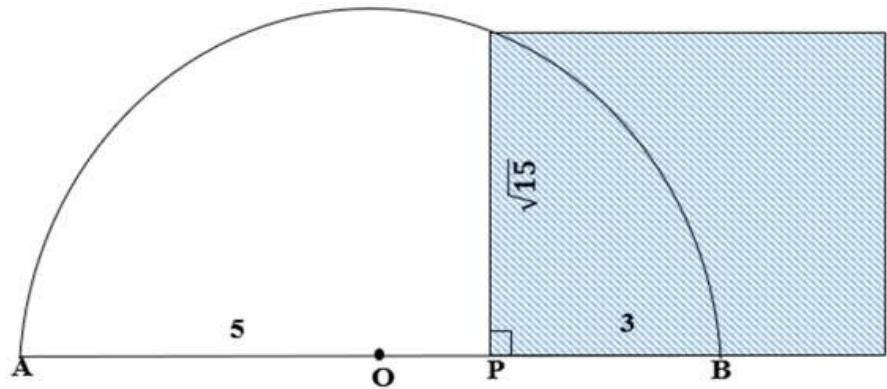
**Solution**

a) We know that,  $PA \times PB = PC^2$

$$PC^2 = 5 \times 3 = 15$$

$$PC = \sqrt{15}$$

b)



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**Question 13.**

Perimeter of a rectangle is 80 centimetres. Its area is 384 square centimetres. Find the length and breadth of the rectangle.

**Solution**

**Given perimeter = 80cm**

**Area = 384cm<sup>2</sup>**

$$\text{ie., } 2(l + b) = 80. ; l + b = \frac{80}{2} = 40.$$

**Let 'x' be the length**

**ie., Breadth = 40 - x.**

**Given Area = 384cm<sup>2</sup>**

$$\text{ie., } x(40 - x) = 384$$

$$40x - x^2 = 384$$

$$x^2 - 40x = -384$$

( square completion method)

$$x^2 - 40x + 400 = -384 + 400 = 16.$$

$$(x \pm 20)^2 = 16$$

*Take root*

$$\text{ie., } x - 20 = \sqrt{16} = \pm 4$$

$$x - 20 = 4 \quad x = 4 + 20 = 24$$

$$x - 20 = -4 \quad x = -4 + 20 = 16$$

*Hebce* length = 24cm and

Breadt = 16cm.

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### ***Question 14.***

In class 10A, there are 25 boys and 20 girls. In 10B, there are 26 boys and 24 girls. One student is to be selected from each class.

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- (a) What is the probability of both being girls ?
- (b) What is the probability of both being boys ?
- (c) What is the probability of one boy and one girl ?

## ***Solution***

	<b>Class 10A</b>	<b>Class 10B</b>
<b>Boys</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>Girls</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>50</b>

$$\text{Total } m \times n = 45 \times 50 = 2250.$$

a). Probability both being girls

$$m \times n = 20 \times 24 = 480$$

$$n(F) / n(N) = 480 / 2250$$

$$= \frac{16}{75} .$$

b) Probability both being boys

$$m \times n = 25 \times 26 = 650$$

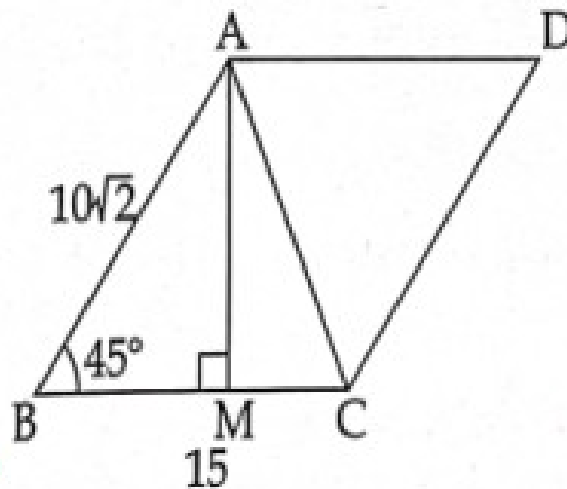
$$\begin{aligned} n(F) / n(N) &= 650/2250 \\ &= \frac{13}{45} . \end{aligned}$$

c) Probability of one boy and one girl

$$\frac{25 \times 54 + 20 \times 26}{45 \times 50} = \frac{112}{225} .$$

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### **Question .15.**



ABCD is a parallelogram.  $BC = 15$  centimetres ;  $\angle B = 45^\circ$ ,  $AB = 10\sqrt{2}$  centimetres.  $AM$  is perpendicular to  $BC$ .

- Find the length of  $AM$  and  $BM$ .
- What is the length of  $MC$ ?
- Calculate the length of diagonal  $AC$ .

## Solution

Given,  $BC = 15\text{cm}$ ,  $\angle B = 48^\circ$ ,

$AB = 10\sqrt{2}\text{ cm}$ ,  $AM$  perpendicular  $BC$

a) . See the fig., rt.  $\triangle AMB$ , angles at  $A$   $45^\circ$ ,  $45^\circ$ ,  $90^\circ$ , ie.,  $1: 1: \sqrt{2}$ .

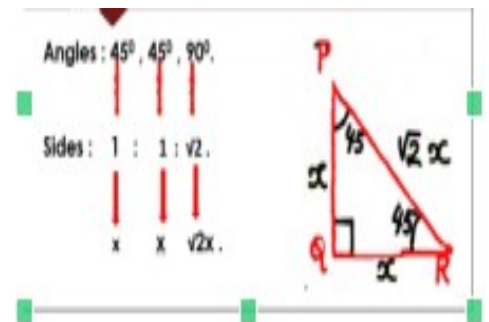
Hence  $AM = 10\text{cm}$ ,  $BM = 10\text{cm}$ .

b) .  $MC = 15 - 10 = 5\text{cm}$ .

c). In this fig. Consider rt.  $\triangle AMC$ ,

By Pythagoras Theorem,

$$AC = \sqrt{(10^2 + 5^2)} = \sqrt{(100+25)} = \sqrt{125} \\ = 5\sqrt{5}\text{cm}.$$



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## Question 16.

Consider the polynomial  $P(x) = x^2 - 11x + 21$

- Find  $P(2)$
- Find  $P(x) - P(2)$
- Write  $P(x) - P(2)$  as the product of two first degree polynomials.



## ***Solution***

Given,  $P(x) = x^2 - 11x + 21$ .

a) .  $P(2) = 2^2 - 11 \times 2 + 21$

$$= 4 - 22 + 21$$

$$= 3$$

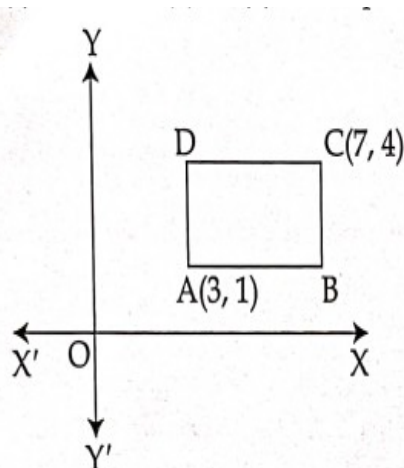
b)  $P(x) - P(2) = x^2 - 11x + 21 - 3$

$$= x^2 - 11x + 18$$

c)  $x^2 - 11x + 18 = (x-2)(x-9)$  .

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## ***Question 17.***



Sides of rectangle ABCD are parallel to the axes. The coordinates of A and C are (3, 1) and (7, 4) respectively.

- Find the coordinates of B and D.
- Find the length of diagonal of the rectangle.

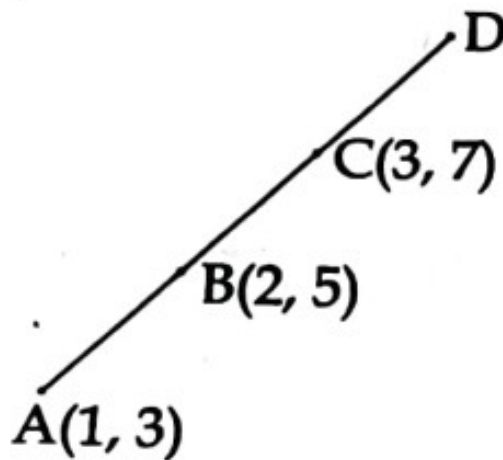
## ***Solution***

a).  $B(7,1)$   $D(3,4)$

b).  $AC = \sqrt{(7-3)^2 + (1-4)^2}$   
 $= \sqrt{(16 + 9)} = \sqrt{25} = 5 \text{ units.}$

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## ***Question 18.***



$A(1, 3)$ ,  $B(2, 5)$ ,  $C(3, 7)$  and  $D$  are points on a line such that  $AB = BC = CD$ .

- Find the coordinates of  $D$ .
- Find the slope of the line.
- Find the equation of this line.

## ***Solution***

a).  $D = (4, 9)$

b) . Slop

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\ &= \frac{5 - 3}{2 - 1} \\ &= \frac{2}{1} \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

c) (1, 3) (x, y)

$$\frac{y - 3}{x - 1} = \frac{2}{1}$$

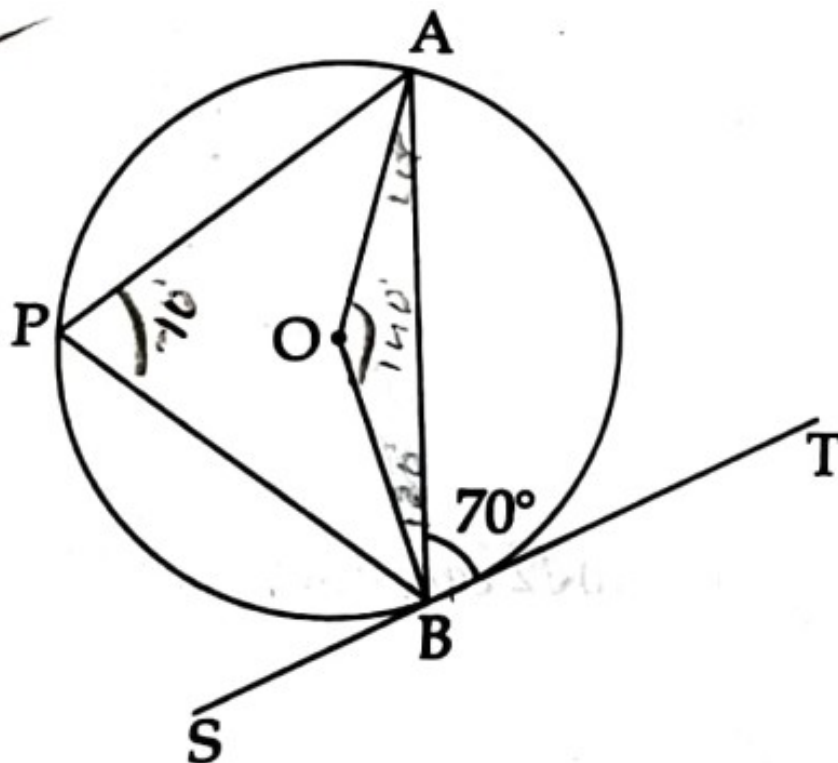
$$2(x - 1) = 1(y - 3)$$

$$2x - 2 = y - 3$$

$$2x - y + 1 = 0$$

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## Question 19.



In the figure, O is the centre of the circle. AB is a chord of the circle and BT is a tangent.  $\angle ABT = 70^\circ$ . Find the measures of the angles given below.

- (a)  $\angle OBT$                       (b)  $\angle OBA$                       (c)  $\angle AOB$                       (d)  $\angle APB$

### ***Solution***

a)  $\angle OBT = 90^\circ$

[Angle b/w radius and tangent]

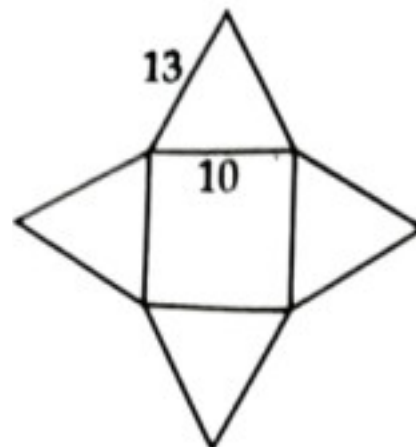
b).  $\angle OBA = 20^\circ [90 - 70 = 20]$ .

c).  $\angle AOB = 180 - (20 + 20)$   
 $= 180 - 40 = 140^\circ$ .

d).  $\angle APB = \frac{140}{2} = 70^\circ$ .

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### ***Question 20.***



A square pyramid is made using a cardboard piece in the shape as shown in the figure. The side of the square is 10 centimetres. Equal sides of the triangles are 13 centimetres.

- (a) Find the slant height of the square pyramid.
- (b) Calculate the surface area of the square pyramid

### ***Solution***

Given , side of the square = 10cm.

Side of the triangle (e) = 13cm.

a) Slant height

$$l^2 = 13^2 - 5^2$$
$$= 169 - 25 = 144$$

$$l = \sqrt{144} = 12.$$

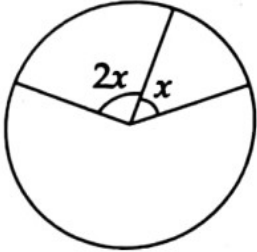
Slant height = 12cm.

$$\text{T.S.A} = a^2 + 2al$$
$$= 10^2 + 2 \times 10 \times 12$$
$$= 100 + 240 = 340\text{cm}^2 .$$

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## Question 21.

Two sectors are cut out from a circle. The central angle of the larger sector is double that of the smaller. Each sector is rolled up to make cone.



- The slant height of the cone made from the smaller sector is 10 centimetres. What is the slant height of the other cone?
- Write the ratio of the radii of the two cones.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} : \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{2}$
- Find the ratio of the base areas of the cones.
- Find the ratio of their curved surface areas.

## Solution

a) Here we know that the slant height of the cone = the radius of the sector or circle.

$\therefore$  Slant height = 10cm.

b) ratio of radii = 1 : 2.

c) Ratio of area = 1: 4.

d) Ratio of TSA = 1 : 2.

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The sum of the 8<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> terms of an arithmetic sequence is 125.

- (a) What is the sum of the 7<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> terms ?
- (b) If the 6<sup>th</sup> term is 40, then find the 21<sup>st</sup> term.
- (c) Find the sum of first 26 terms.

### ***Solution***

**Given, sum of 8<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> term of an arithmetic sequence = 235.**

**a). ie.,  $x_8 + x_{19} = 125$**

**$\therefore x_7 + x_{20} = 125$**

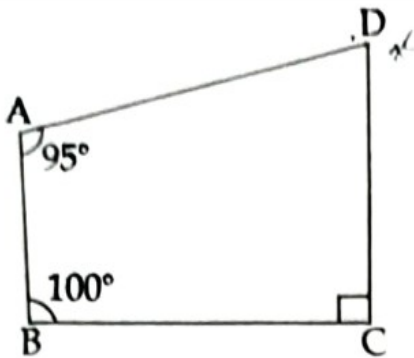
**b).  $x_6 + x_{21} = 125$  .**

**$x_{21} = 125 - 40 = 85$ .**

**c)  $S_{26} = \frac{26}{2} (x_1 + x_{26})$**   
 **$= 13 \times 125$**   
 **$= 1625$**

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## Question 23.



In quadrilateral ABCD,  $\angle A = 95^\circ$ ,  $\angle B = 100^\circ$ ,  $\angle C = 90^\circ$

- Find the measure of  $\angle D$ .
- If we draw a circle with BD as diameter, then check whether the vertices A and C are outside, on or inside the circle.
- If a circle is drawn through the points A, B and C, where would be the point D with respect to that circle?

### Solution

a) .  $\angle D = 360 - (100 + 90 + 95)$   
 $= 75^\circ$  .

b) A is inside the circle1- [  $\angle C = 90$  ]

C is on the circle [  $\angle A > 90$  ]

c) Out side the circle. [  $\angle D < 90$  ]

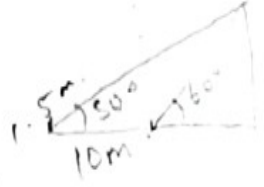
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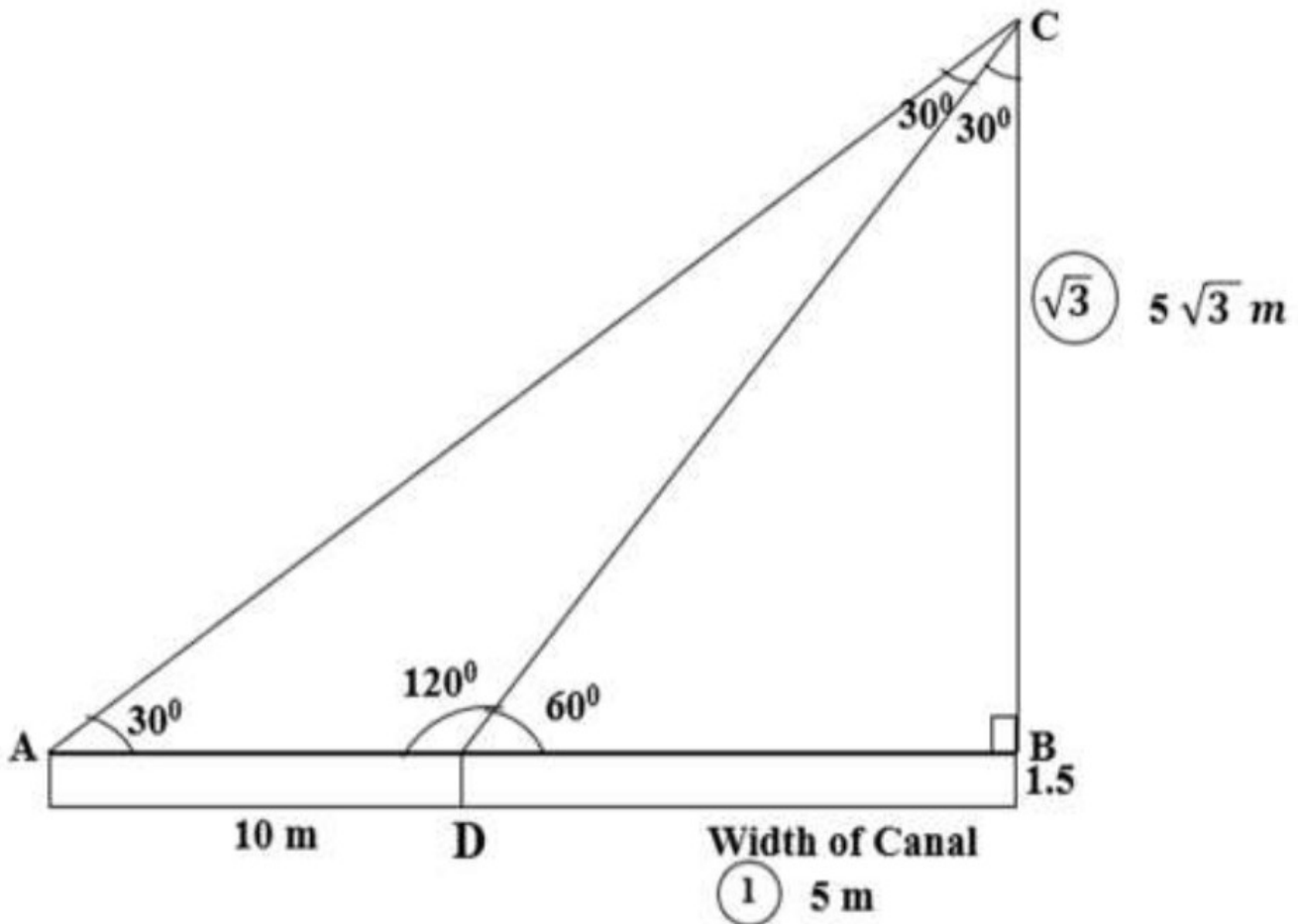
## Question 24.

A boy standing at the edge of a canal sees the top of a tree at the other edge at an elevation of  $60^\circ$ . Stepping 10 metres back, he sees the tree at an elevation of  $30^\circ$ . The boy is 1.5 metres tall.

- (a) Draw a rough figure.
- (b) Calculate the width of the canal and the height of the tree.



## Solution



Rt.  $\triangle ABC$ , angles are  $30^\circ, 60^\circ, 90^\circ$ .

ie.,  $1: \sqrt{3} : 2$

$5: 5\sqrt{3}: 10$

Width of the canal = 5 m

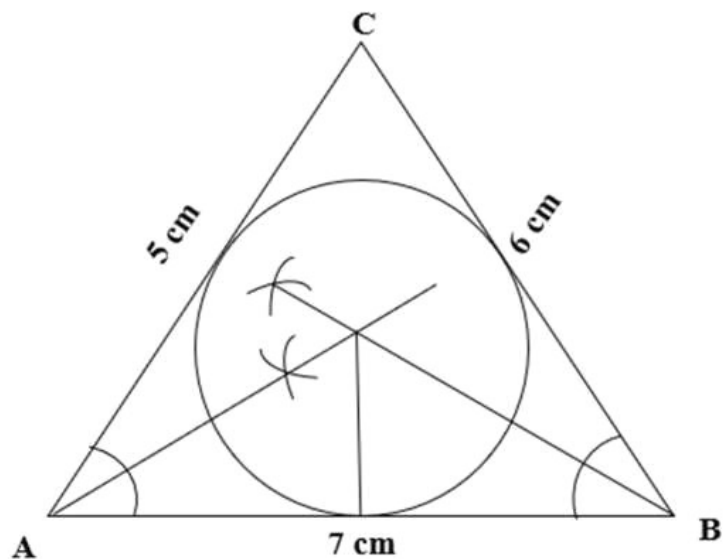
Height of the tree =  $1.5 + 5\sqrt{3}$  m.

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### ***Question 25.***

Draw a triangle ABC in which AB=7 centimetres, BC=6 centimetres, AC=5 centimetres. Draw its incircle. Measure and write the radius of the incircle.

### ***Solution***



Radius = 1.6cm.

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### **Question 26.**

- (a) A solid metallic sphere of radius 6 centimetres is cut into two equal halves. What is the surface area of each hemisphere?
- (b) One of these hemispheres is melted and recast to make a cone of the same radius. Find the height of the cone.

### **Solution**

**Given radius = 6cm.**

**a) . TSA =  $3\pi r^2 = 3\pi \times 6 = 108\pi$  sq . Cm**

**b). Volume of the hemisphere =  $\frac{2}{3}\pi r^3$  .**

$$= \frac{2}{3} \times \pi \times 6^3 = 216\pi .$$

**Volume of a cone =  $\frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$  .**

**Height of the cone =  $216\pi . / \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2$  .**

$$= 12 \text{ cm.}$$

**Question 27.**

- Consider the circle with centre at the origin and radius 10 units.
- Find the coordinates of the points where this circle cuts the  $x$  and  $y$  axes.
  - Check whether  $P(6, 8)$  is a point on this circle.
  - Write the equation of this circle.

**Solution**

a)  $(10, 0)$  ,  $(-10, 0)$ ,  $(0,10)$ ,  $(0, -10)$

b) Radius +  $\sqrt{(8-0)^2 + (6-0)^2} = \sqrt{64 + 36}$   
 $= \sqrt{100} = 10$

Yes giveb point on the circle.

c) . Equation of the circle  $X^2 + y^2 = r^2$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 10^2 = 100$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 100$$

**Question 28.**

The table below shows the students of a maths club sorted according to their heights.

Height (Centimetre)	Number of Students
120-130	2
130-140	7
140-150	10
150-160	5
160-170	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>25</b>

- (a) When the heights are written in ascending order, height of which student is taken as the median height ?
- (b) Find the median height.

## ***Solution***

<b>Height</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>&lt; height</b>	<b>cf</b>
<b>120 - 130</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>130 - 140</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>&lt; 140</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>140 - 150</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>&lt; 150</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>150 - 160</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>&lt; 160</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>160 - 170</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>&lt; 170</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>25</b>		

$$B = 25$$

$$\text{Median} = \left( \frac{n+1}{2} \right)^{\text{th}} \text{ student} = \left( \frac{25+1}{2} \right)^{\text{th}}$$

**13 th student.**

$$\text{b) } d = \frac{150 - 140}{10} = \frac{3}{10} = 1.$$

$$\text{Here } x_{10} = 140 + \frac{d}{2} = 140 + \frac{1}{2}$$
$$= 140.50.$$

$$x_{13} = x_{10} + 3d$$
$$= 140.5 + 3 \times 1 = 140.5 + 3$$
$$= 143.50.$$

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## ***Question 29.***

Let's find natural numbers which can be written as the sum of consecutive natural numbers.

$$\circ 3 = 1 + 2$$

$$\circ 5 = 2 + 3$$

$$\circ 6 = 1 + 2 + 3$$

$$\circ 7 = 3 + 4$$

$$\circ 9 = 4 + 5$$

$$\circ 10 = 1 + 2 + 3 + 4$$

$$\circ 11 = 5 + 6$$

$$\circ 12 = 3 + 4 + 5$$

- All odd numbers other than 1, can be written as the sum of two consecutive natural numbers.
  - Even numbers, which are powers of 2 (2, 4, 8, 16 ..... ) cannot be written as the sum of consecutive natural numbers.
  - The even numbers which are not powers of 2 can be written as the sum of three or more consecutive natural numbers.
- (a) Write 13 as the sum of consecutive natural numbers
- (b) Write 14 as the sum of consecutive natural numbers.
- (c) Write 101 as the sum of consecutive natural numbers.
- (d) Find the numbers between 20 and 100 that cannot be written as the sum of consecutive natural numbers.

## ***Solution***

a)  $13 = 6 + 7$

bb)  $14 = 2 + 3 + 4 + 5$

c)  $101 = 50 + 51$

d)  $2^5 = 32$  ,  $2^6 = 64$  .

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