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SAMPLE PAPER 7 CLASS 10

General Instructions:

- 1. All questions are compulsory.
- The question paper consists of 31 questions divided into four sections A, B, C and D. Section A comprises of 4 questions of 1 mark each, Section – B comprises of 6 questions of 2 marks each, Section C has 10 questions of 3 marks each and Section D comprises of 11 questions of 4 marks each.
- 3. There is no overall choice.
- 4. Use of calculators is not permitted.

Section – A

Question numbers 1 to 4 carry 1 mark each.

- 1. The first three terms of an A.P. are 3y 1, 3y + 5 and 5y + 1 respectively. Find the value of *y*.
- 2. AB and CD are common tangents to the circles which touch each other at D. If AB = 5 cm, find CD.
- 3. If the ratio of the height of a lamp post and the length of its shadow is $\sqrt{3}$: 1, then find the angle of elevation of the sun.
- 4. The coordinates of the centroid of a triangle are (1, 4) and two of its vertices are (-8, 6) and (9, 5). Find the third vertex.

Section – B

Question numbers 5 to carry 2 marks each.

- 5. If one root of the equation $x^2 3x + q = 0$ is twice the other root, find the value of q.
- 6. Which term of the A.P. 3, 15, 27, 39,.... will be more than its 21st term?

- 7. In the figure, OP is equal to diameter of the circle. Prove that \triangle ABP is equilateral.
- 8. A die is thrown once. Find the probability of getting (a) an even price number (b) multiple of 3
- 9. Find the probability of getting 53 Fridays in a leap year.
- 10. The long hand of a clock is 6 cm long. Find the distance travelled by its tip in 2 days.

Section – C

Question numbers 11 to 20 carry three marks each.

- 11.For what value of k, are the roots of quadratic equation $(k + 4)x^2 + (k + 1)x + 1 = 0$ equal?
- 12. The sum of first 8 terms of an A.P. is 100 and the sum of its first 19 terms is 551. Find the A.P.
- 13.A circle touches the side BC of \triangle ABC of P, touches AB at Q and AC at R. Show that AQ = $\frac{1}{2}$ (Perimeter of \triangle ABC)
- 14.Draw a $\triangle ABC$ with side BC = 7 cm, $\angle B = 45^{\circ}$ and $\angle A = 105^{\circ}$. Then construct a triangle whose sides are $\frac{3}{5}$ times the corresponding sides of $\triangle ABC$.
- 15. The horizontal distance between two poles is 15 m. The angle of depression of the top of first pole as seen from the top of the second pole is 30° . If the second pole is 24 m, find the height of the first pole. (Use $\sqrt{3} = 1,732$)
- 16. Find the area of the shaded region. OA = 14 cm.
- 17.Find the ratio in which the line segment joining the points A (-2, 7) and B (3, -3) is divided by x axis. Also find the coordinates of the point of division.
- 18. The line segment joining the points A (2, 1) and B (5, -8) is trisected at P and Q such that P is nearer to A. If P lies on the line 2x y + k = 0, find k.
- 19.A toy is in the form of a cone mounted on a hemisphere of same radius 7 cm. If the total height of the toy is 31 cm, find the total surface area. $\left(Use \ \pi = \frac{22}{7}\right)$
- 20.A bucket is in the form of a frustum of height of 15 cm. The radius of bigger end of the bucket is 14 cm. If the volume of the bucket is 5390 cm³, find the radius of its base.

Section – D

Question numbers 21 to 31 carry 4 marks each.

- 21.An express train takes 1 hour less than a passenger train to travel 132 km between two stations. If the average speed of the express train is 11 km/hour more than that of the passenger train, find the average speed of both the trains.
- 22.Solve for x: $\frac{1}{2a+b+2x} = \frac{1}{2a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{2x}$
- 23. The sum of first *n* terms of an A.P. is $5n^2 + 3n$. If its m^{th} term is 168, find the value of *m*. Also find the 20th term.
- 24.Prove that the tangent at any point of a circle is perpendicular to the radius at the point of contact.
- 25.In the figure, *l* and *m* are two parallel tangents to a circle with centre O, touching the circle at A and B respectively. Another tangent at C intersects *l* at D and *m* at E. Prove that $\angle DOE = 90^{\circ}$.
- 26.From a point 100 m above a lake, the angle of elevation of stationary helicopter is 30^{0} and the angle of depression of its reflection in the lake is 60^{0} . Find, at what height is the helicopter (stationary)?
- 27. The probability of selecting a green ball at random is $\frac{1}{3}$, of selecting a white ball is $\frac{1}{4}$ from a bag consisting of green, white and yellow balls. If there are 10 yellow balls, find the total balls.
- 28. Find the area of the triangle formed by joining the mid points of the sides of \triangle ABC with vertices A (0, 1), B(2, 1) and C(0, 3). Find the ratio of area of this triangle to the area of triangle ABC.
- 29.A school thought of collecting rain water from roof top of building whose dimensions are 44 m × 40 m by draining it into a cylindrical vessel having diameter 14 m and height 4.2 m. If the vessel is just full, find the rainfall recorded in cm. What values are exemplified by the school management?
- 30. The height of a cone is 30 cm. A small cone is cut off at the top by a plane parallel to the base. If its volume is $\frac{1}{27}$ of the volume of the given cone, at what height above the base is the section made?
- 31. Three circles each of radius 6 cm, touch each other externally. Find the area enclosed between them. Take $\pi = 3.14$ and $\sqrt{3} = 1.732$