

FORMULAS FOR REFERENCE

SPHERE	Surface area	$= 4\pi r^2$
	Volume	$= \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$
CYLINDER	Area of curved surface	$= 2\pi rh$
	Volume	$= \pi r^2 h$
CONE	Area of curved surface	$= \pi rl$
	Volume	$= \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$
PRISM	Volume	$= \text{base area} \times \text{height}$
PYRAMID	Volume	$= \frac{1}{3} \times \text{base area} \times \text{height}$

There are 36 questions in Section A and 18 questions in Section B.  
The diagrams in this paper are not necessarily drawn to scale.  
Choose the best answer for each question.

Section A

1.  $(2x)^3 \cdot x^3 =$

- A.  $6x^6$ .
- B.  $8x^6$ .
- C.  $6x^9$ .
- D.  $8x^9$ .

2. If  $2x - 5y = 7$ , then  $y =$

- A.  $\frac{5}{2x-7}$ .
- B.  $\frac{5}{2x+7}$ .
- C.  $\frac{2x-7}{5}$ .
- D.  $\frac{2x+7}{5}$ .

3.  $\frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{x-1} =$

A.  $\frac{2}{1-x^2}$

B.  $\frac{2}{x^2-1}$

C.  $\frac{2x}{1-x^2}$

D.  $\frac{2x}{x^2-1}$

4.  $pr + qr - ps - qs =$

A.  $(p+q)(r-s)$

B.  $(p+q)(s-r)$

C.  $(p-q)(r-s)$

D.  $(p-q)(s-r)$

5. If  $f(x) = \frac{x}{1+x}$ , then  $f(3)f\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) =$

A.  $\frac{3}{16}$

B.  $\frac{1}{2}$

C.  $\frac{3}{4}$

D. 1

6. Which of the following is an identity / are identities?

I.  $x^2 - 4 = 0$

II.  $x^2 - 4 = (x-2)^2$

III.  $x^2 - 4 = (x+2)(x-2)$

A. II only

B. III only

C. I and II only

D. I and III only

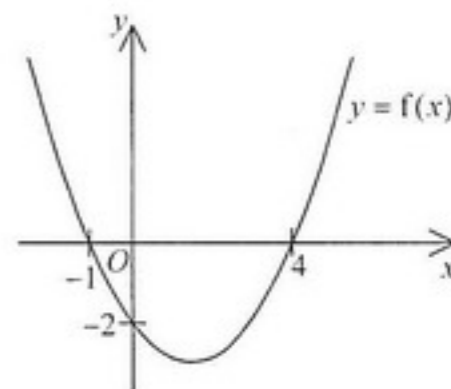
7. The figure shows the graph of  $y = f(x)$ . If  $f(x)$  is a quadratic function, then  $f(x) =$

A.  $\frac{1}{2}(x+1)(x-4)$

B.  $2(x+1)(x-4)$

C.  $\frac{1}{2}(x-1)(x+4)$

D.  $2(x-1)(x+4)$



8. Solve  $3x^2 = 21x$ .

A.  $x = 3$

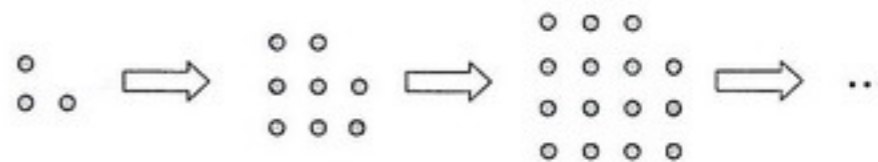
B.  $x = 7$

C.  $x = 0$  or  $x = 3$

D.  $x = 0$  or  $x = 7$

9. Find the range of values of  $k$  such that the quadratic equation  $x^2 + 2x - k = 2$  has two distinct real roots.
- A.  $k > -3$   
 B.  $k \geq -3$   
 C.  $k > -1$   
 D.  $k \geq -1$
10. The marked price of a car is 50% higher than the cost. If the car is sold at a 20% discount on the marked price, then the percentage profit is
- A. 10% .  
 B. 20% .  
 C. 30% .  
 D. 40% .
11. A sum of \$ 14 000 is deposited at 4% per annum for 5 years, compounded yearly. Find the interest correct to the nearest dollar.
- A. \$ 2 378  
 B. \$ 2 800  
 C. \$ 3 033  
 D. \$ 3 034

12. In the figure, the 1st pattern consists of 3 dots. For any positive integer  $n$ , the  $(n+1)$ th pattern is formed by adding  $(2n+3)$  dots to the  $n$ th pattern. Find the number of dots in the 6th pattern.



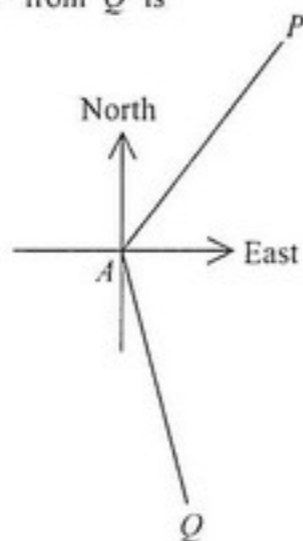
- A. 35  
 B. 37  
 C. 48  
 D. 50
13. Let  $x$ ,  $y$  and  $z$  be non-zero numbers. If  $x:y=1:2$  and  $y:z=3:1$ , then  $(x+y):(y+z)=$
- A. 3:4 .  
 B. 4:3 .  
 C. 8:9 .  
 D. 9:8 .
14. It is given that  $x$  varies directly as  $y$  and inversely as  $z^2$ . If  $y$  is decreased by 10% and  $z$  is increased by 20%, then  $x$  is decreased by
- A. 10% .  
 B. 23.6% .  
 C. 25% .  
 D. 37.5% .

15. The scale of a map is  $1 : 8\,000$ . If the area of a park on the map is  $2\text{ cm}^2$ , then the actual area of the park is

- A.  $4\,000\text{ m}^2$ .
- B.  $6\,400\text{ m}^2$ .
- C.  $12\,800\text{ m}^2$ .
- D.  $16\,000\text{ m}^2$ .

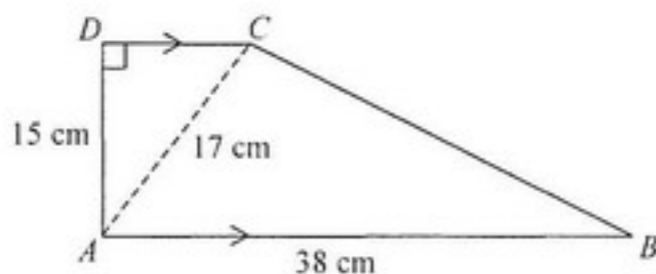
16. In the figure,  $PA = QA$ . If the bearings of  $P$  and  $Q$  from  $A$  are  $N42^\circ\text{E}$  and  $S28^\circ\text{E}$  respectively, then the bearing of  $P$  from  $Q$  is

- A.  $N7^\circ\text{E}$ .
- B.  $N27^\circ\text{E}$ .
- C.  $N35^\circ\text{E}$ .
- D.  $N55^\circ\text{E}$ .



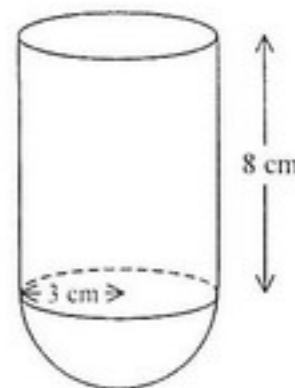
17. In the figure, the area of the trapezium  $ABCD$  is

- A.  $345\text{ cm}^2$ .
- B.  $349\text{ cm}^2$ .
- C.  $690\text{ cm}^2$ .
- D.  $698\text{ cm}^2$ .



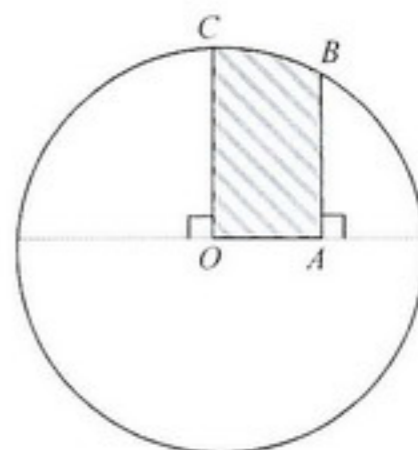
18. In the figure, the solid consists of a hemisphere of radius  $3\text{ cm}$  joined to the bottom of a right circular cylinder of height  $8\text{ cm}$  and base radius  $3\text{ cm}$ . Find the volume of the solid.

- A.  $75\pi\text{ cm}^3$
- B.  $90\pi\text{ cm}^3$
- C.  $93\pi\text{ cm}^3$
- D.  $108\pi\text{ cm}^3$

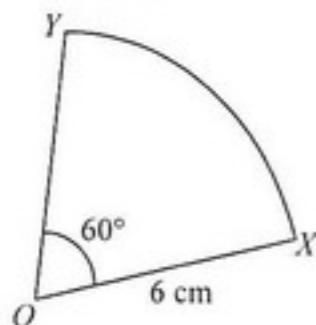


19. In the figure,  $O$  is the centre of the circle.  $B$  and  $C$  are points lying on the circle. If  $OC = 2\text{ cm}$  and  $OA = 1\text{ cm}$ , then the area of the shaded region  $OABC$  is

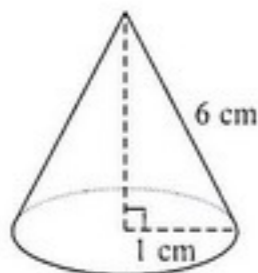
- A.  $\frac{\pi}{2}\text{ cm}^2$ .
- B.  $\frac{2\pi}{3}\text{ cm}^2$ .
- C.  $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)\text{ cm}^2$ .
- D.  $\left(\sqrt{3} + \frac{2\pi}{3}\right)\text{ cm}^2$ .



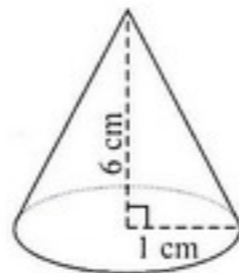
20. In the figure, sector  $OXY$  is a thin metal sheet. By joining  $OX$  and  $OY$  together, which of the following right circular cones can be folded?



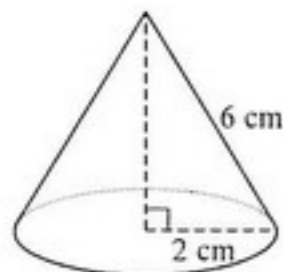
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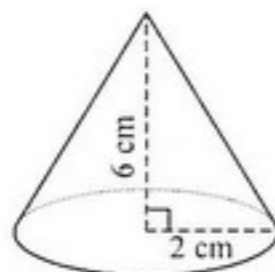
B.



C.



D.



21.  $2 \sin(90^\circ - \theta) \sin 60^\circ - \cos \theta \cos \theta =$

- A.  $\sin \theta$ .
- B.  $\sqrt{3} \sin \theta$ .
- C.  $\sqrt{3} \cos \theta$ .
- D.  $(\sqrt{3} - 1) \cos \theta$ .

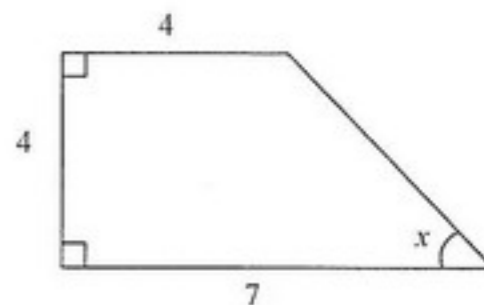
22. If  $0^\circ < \theta < 45^\circ$ , which of the following must be true?

- I.  $\tan \theta < \cos \theta$
- II.  $\sin \theta < \tan \theta$
- III.  $\sin \theta < \cos \theta$

- A. I only
- B. III only
- C. I and II only
- D. II and III only

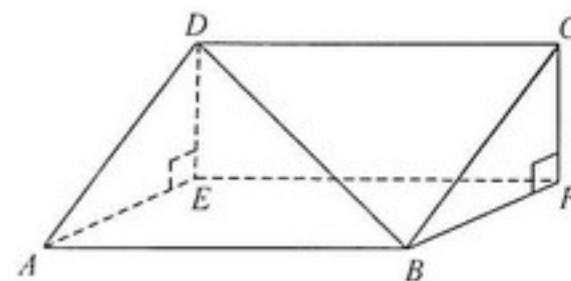
23. In the figure,  $\sin x =$

- A.  $\frac{3}{7}$ .
- B.  $\frac{3}{5}$ .
- C.  $\frac{4}{5}$ .
- D.  $\frac{4}{3}$ .

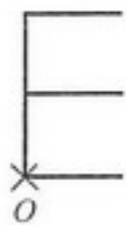


24. The figure shows a right prism  $ABCDEF$  with a right-angled triangle as the cross-section. The angle between  $BD$  and the plane  $CDEF$  is

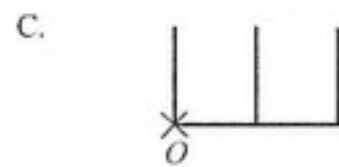
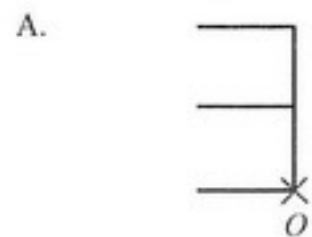
- A.  $\angle BDE$ .
- B.  $\angle BDF$ .
- C.  $\angle DBE$ .
- D.  $\angle DBF$ .



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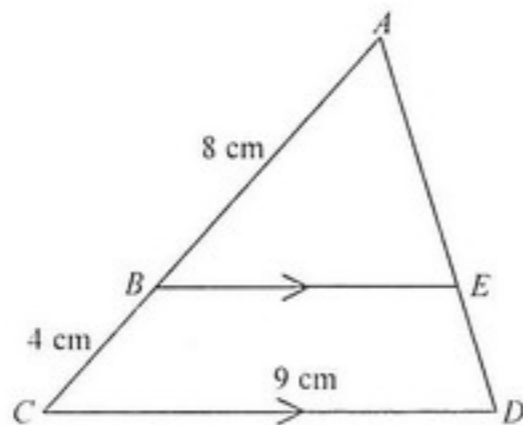


If the plane figure above is rotated anticlockwise about the point  $O$  through  $90^\circ$ , which of the following is its image?



26. In the figure,  $ABC$  and  $AED$  are straight lines. If  $AB = 8$  cm,  $BC = 4$  cm and  $CD = 9$  cm, then  $BE =$

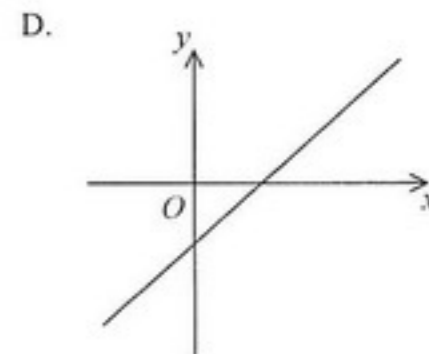
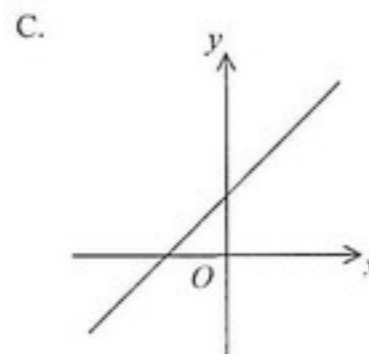
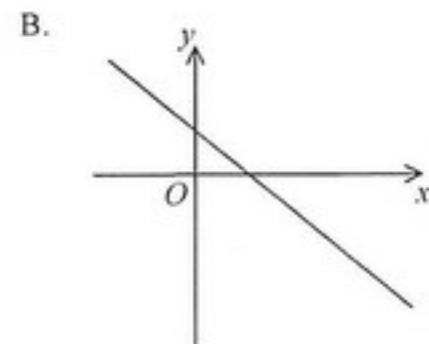
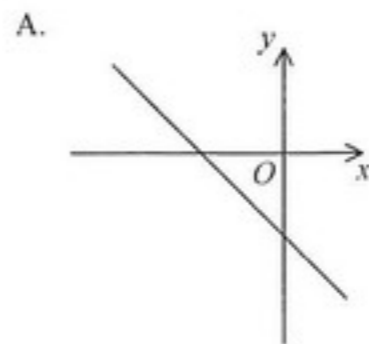
- A.  $\frac{32}{9}$  cm.
- B.  $\frac{9}{2}$  cm.
- C. 5 cm.
- D. 6 cm.



27. If the polar coordinates of the points  $A$  and  $B$  are  $(5, 45^\circ)$  and  $(12, 135^\circ)$  respectively, then the distance between  $A$  and  $B$  is

- A. 3.
- B. 7.
- C. 13.
- D. 17.

28. If  $k < 0$ , which of the following may represent the graph of the straight line  $x - y = k$ ?

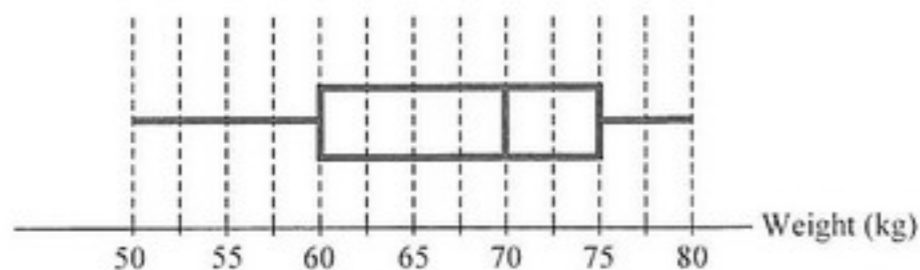


29. The straight line  $4x + y - 2 = 0$  is perpendicular to the straight line
- A.  $4x + y - 9 = 0$  .
  - B.  $4x - y + 9 = 0$  .
  - C.  $x + 4y - 9 = 0$  .
  - D.  $x - 4y + 9 = 0$  .
30. If the straight line  $5x - 3y = 30$  cuts the  $x$ -axis and the  $y$ -axis at  $A$  and  $B$  respectively, then the coordinates of the mid-point of  $AB$  are
- A.  $(3, -5)$  .
  - B.  $(-3, 5)$  .
  - C.  $(5, -3)$  .
  - D.  $(-5, 3)$  .
31. If the points  $(0, 0)$  ,  $(2, 0)$  and  $(1, b)$  are the vertices of an equilateral triangle, then  $b =$
- A.  $1$  .
  - B.  $\sqrt{3}$  .
  - C.  $1$  or  $-1$  .
  - D.  $\sqrt{3}$  or  $-\sqrt{3}$  .

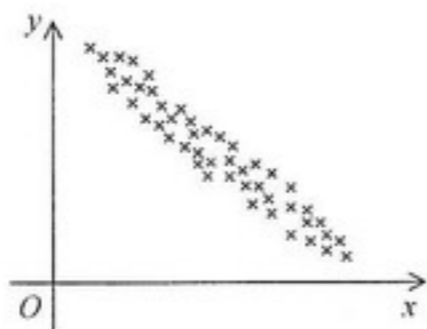
32. Which of the following could be the probability of an event?

- A.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$
  - B.  $\frac{2005}{2006}$
  - C.  $-0.2006$
  - D.  $1.2006$
33. Two fair dice are thrown. Find the probability that the sum of the two numbers thrown is a prime number.
- A.  $\frac{1}{2}$
  - B.  $\frac{5}{11}$
  - C.  $\frac{5}{12}$
  - D.  $\frac{7}{18}$
34.  $\{x-6, x-3, x+4, x+5\}$  and  $\{x-8, x-1, x+2, x+9\}$  are two groups of numbers. Which of the following is/are true?
- I. The two groups of numbers have the same mean.
  - II. The two groups of numbers have the same median.
  - III. The two groups of numbers have the same range.
- A. I only
  - B. II only
  - C. I and III only
  - D. II and III only

35. The box-and-whisker diagram below shows the distribution of the weights (in kg) of some students. Find the inter-quartile range of their weights.



- A. 5 kg  
 B. 10 kg  
 C. 15 kg  
 D. 30 kg
36. The scatter diagram below shows the relation between  $x$  and  $y$ . Which of the following may represent the relation between  $x$  and  $y$ ?

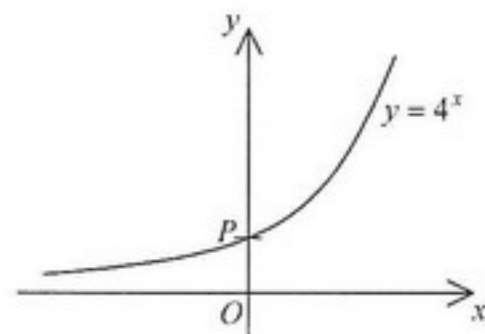


- A.  $y$  varies directly as  $x^2$ .  
 B.  $y$  decreases when  $x$  increases.  
 C.  $x$  increases when  $y$  increases.  
 D.  $x$  remains unchanged when  $y$  increases.

### Section B

37. The figure shows the graph of  $y = 4^x$ . The coordinates of  $P$  are

- A.  $(1, 0)$ .  
 B.  $(0, 1)$ .  
 C.  $(4, 0)$ .  
 D.  $(0, 4)$ .



38. Let  $a$  and  $b$  be positive numbers. If  $\log \frac{a}{10} = 2 \log b$ , then  $a =$

- A.  $10b^2$ .  
 B.  $20b$ .  
 C.  $b^2 + 10$ .  
 D.  $2b + 10$ .

39. Convert the decimal number  $2^{13} + 2^4 + 3$  to a binary number.

- A.  $10000000000111_2$   
 B.  $10000000001011_2$   
 C.  $10000000010011_2$   
 D.  $10000000100011_2$

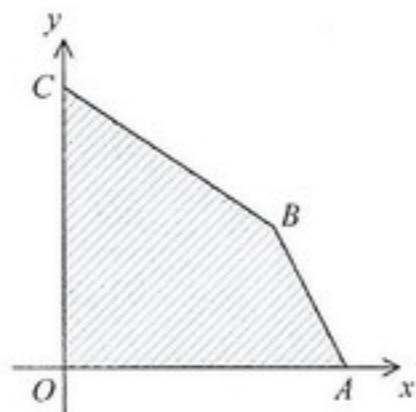


40. Let  $k$  be a non-zero constant. When  $x^3 + kx^2 + 2kx + 3k$  is divided by  $x + k$ , the remainder is  $k$ . Find  $k$ .

A.  $-1$   
B.  $1$   
C.  $-2$   
D.  $2$

41. In the figure,  $O$  is the origin. The equation of  $AB$  is  $2x + y - 8 = 0$  and the equation of  $BC$  is  $2x + 3y - 12 = 0$ . If  $(x, y)$  is a point lying in the shaded region  $OABC$  (including the boundary), then the greatest value of  $x + 3y + 4$  is

A.  $8$ .  
B.  $13$ .  
C.  $16$ .  
D.  $28$ .



42. The first negative term in the arithmetic sequence  $2006, 1998, 1990, \dots$  is

A.  $-8$ .  
B.  $-6$ .  
C.  $-4$ .  
D.  $-2$ .

43. Let  $a, b$  and  $c$  be positive integers. If  $b = \sqrt{ac}$ , which of the following must be true?

I.  $\log a^2, \log b^2, \log c^2$  is an arithmetic sequence.  
II.  $a^3, b^3, c^3$  is a geometric sequence.  
III.  $4^a, 4^b, 4^c$  is a geometric sequence.

A. I and II only  
B. I and III only  
C. II and III only  
D. I, II and III

44. For  $0^\circ < x < 360^\circ$ , how many roots does the equation  $3 \cos^2 x - 4 \cos x + 1 = 0$  have?

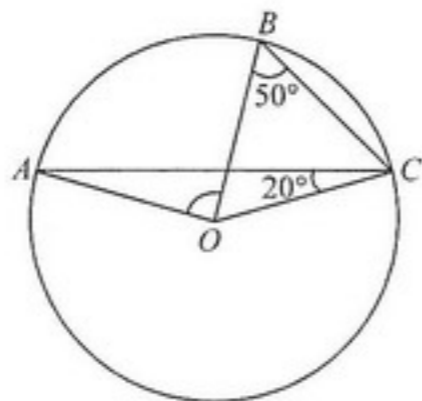
A.  $2$   
B.  $3$   
C.  $4$   
D.  $5$

45. If the length of a side of a regular tetrahedron is  $3$  cm, then the height of the tetrahedron is

A.  $3$  cm.  
B.  $\sqrt{3}$  cm.  
C.  $\sqrt{6}$  cm.  
D.  $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$  cm.

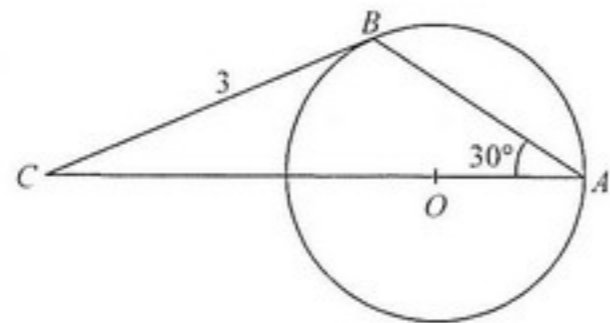
46. In the figure,  $O$  is the centre of the circle  $ABC$ . If  $\angle OBC = 50^\circ$  and  $\angle ACO = 20^\circ$ , then  $\angle BOA =$

- A.  $50^\circ$  .  
 B.  $60^\circ$  .  
 C.  $70^\circ$  .  
 D.  $80^\circ$  .



47. In the figure,  $O$  is the centre of the circle.  $A$  and  $B$  are points lying on the circle. If  $AOC$  is a straight line and  $BC$  is a tangent to the circle, then the radius of the circle is

- A.  $\frac{3}{2}$  .  
 B.  $\sqrt{3}$  .  
 C.  $2\sqrt{3}$  .  
 D.  $3\sqrt{3}$  .



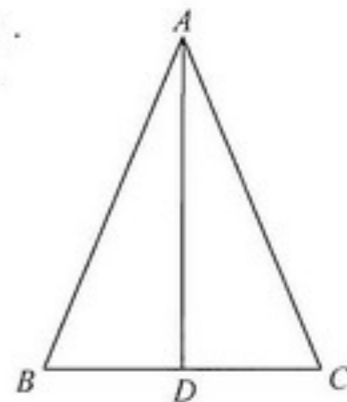
48. Let  $O$  be the origin. If the coordinates of the points  $A$  and  $B$  are  $(6, 0)$  and  $(0, 6)$  respectively, then the coordinates of the in-centre of  $\triangle ABO$  are

- A.  $(0, 0)$  .  
 B.  $(2, 2)$  .  
 C.  $(3, 3)$  .  
 D.  $(6 - 3\sqrt{2}, 6 - 3\sqrt{2})$  .

49. In the figure,  $ABC$  is an acute-angled triangle,  $AB = AC$  and  $D$  is a point lying on  $BC$  such that  $AD$  is perpendicular to  $BC$ . Which of the following must be true?

- I. The circumcentre of  $\triangle ABC$  lies on  $AD$  .  
 II. The orthocentre of  $\triangle ABC$  lies on  $AD$  .  
 III. The centroid of  $\triangle ABC$  lies on  $AD$  .

- A. I and II only  
 B. I and III only  
 C. II and III only  
 D. I, II and III



50. Consider the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y - 40 = 0$ . Find the slope of the diameter passing through the point  $(1, 2)$ .

- A.  $-5$
- B.  $-3$
- C.  $\frac{-1}{3}$
- D.  $\frac{-1}{5}$

51. A circle  $C$  cuts the  $y$ -axis at  $A$  and  $B$ . If  $AB = 8$  and the coordinates of the centre of  $C$  are  $(-3, 5)$ , then the equation of  $C$  is

- A.  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 10y = 0$ .
- B.  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 10y = 0$ .
- C.  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 10y + 9 = 0$ .
- D.  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 10y + 9 = 0$ .

52. One letter is chosen randomly from each of the two words 'FORTY' and 'FIFTY'. Find the probability that the two letters chosen are the same.

- A.  $0.08$
- B.  $0.16$
- C.  $0.32$
- D.  $0.48$

53. There are two questions in a test. The probability that David answers the first question correctly is  $\frac{1}{4}$  and the probability that David answers the second question correctly is  $\frac{1}{3}$ . Given that David answers at least one question correctly in the test, find the probability that he answers the second question correctly.

- A.  $\frac{1}{2}$
- B.  $\frac{2}{3}$
- C.  $\frac{3}{5}$
- D.  $\frac{4}{5}$

54. The standard deviation of the five numbers  $10a+1$ ,  $10a+3$ ,  $10a+5$ ,  $10a+7$  and  $10a+9$  is

- A.  $8$ .
- B.  $\frac{12}{5}$ .
- C.  $\sqrt{10}$ .
- D.  $2\sqrt{2}$ .

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