

Sivagangai District

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COMMON HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION - 2024

Standard - VIII
MATHEMATICS

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Marks:100

Time: 2.30 hrs.

PART - I

Choose the correct option:

14×1=14

- $\frac{-5}{4}$ is a rational number which lies between
 - 0 and $\frac{-5}{4}$
 - 1 and 0
 - 1 and -2
 - 4 and -5
- The value of $\left(\frac{-15}{23}\right) \div \left(\frac{30}{-46}\right)$ is _____.
 - 1
 - 1
 - 2
 - 2
- The ones digit in the square of 77 is _____.
 - 4
 - 9
 - 1
 - 8
- If $\frac{10^x}{10^{-3}} = 10^9$ then x is _____.
 - 4
 - 5
 - 6
 - 7
- For $a \neq 0$, a^0 is _____.
 - 0
 - 1
 - 1
 - a
- A cube has _____ faces.
 - 4
 - 2
 - 6
 - 8
- The longest chord of a circle is _____.
 - radius
 - diameter
 - circumference
 - segment
- If the area of a square is $36x^4y^2$ then its side is _____.
 - $6x^4y^2$
 - $8x^2y^2$
 - $6x^2y$
 - $-6x^2y$
- $a^3 + b^3 = (a + b)^3 -$ _____.
 - $3a(a + b)$
 - $3ab(a - b)$
 - $-3ab(a + b)$
 - $3ab(a + b)$
- Factors of $9x^2 + 6xy$ are
 - $3y, (x + 2)$
 - $3x, (3x + 3y)$
 - $6x, (3x + 2y)$
 - $3x, (3x + 2y)$
- The largest number of three consecutive numbers is $x + 1$, then the smallest number is
 - x
 - $x+1$
 - $x+2$
 - $x - 1$
- When 60 is subtracted from 60% of a number to give 60, then number is
 - 60
 - 100
 - 150
 - 200
- If $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle PQR$ in which $\angle A = 53^\circ$ and $\angle Q = 77^\circ$ the $\angle R$ is
 - 50°
 - 60°
 - 70°
 - 80°
- Two similar triangles will always have _____ angles.
 - acute
 - obtuse
 - right
 - matching



PART - II

Answer any 10 questions:

10×2=20

15. Compare the pairs of rational numbers : $\frac{2}{3}, \frac{4}{5}$
16. Find the sum : $\frac{7}{5} + \frac{3}{5}$
17. Evaluate : $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3$
18. Write the number in Scientific notation : 467800000000
19. Expand using exponents : 6054.321
20. For the sector with given measures, find the length of the arc ($\pi = 3.14$) Central angle 45° , $r = 16\text{cm}$.
21. Verify Euler's formula for the given below : Faces = 4, Vertices = 4, Edges = 6
22. Multiply $3x^2y$ and $(2x^3y^3 - 5x^2y + 9xy)$
23. Divide : $12x^3y^2$ by x^2y
24. Expand $(3m + 5)^2$
25. Factorise : $4x^2y + 8xy$
26. Find x : $\frac{2x}{3} - 4 = \frac{10}{3}$
27. If x% of 600 is 450, then find the value.
28. Check whether given sides are the sides of the right angled triangle using Pythagoras theorem 8, 15, 17

PART - III

Answer any 10 questions:

10×5=50

29. Arrange the following rational numbers in ascending and descending order.

$$\frac{-5}{12}, \frac{-11}{8}, \frac{-15}{24}, \frac{-7}{-9}, \frac{12}{36}$$

30. Subtract : $\frac{-8}{44}$ from $\frac{-17}{11}$

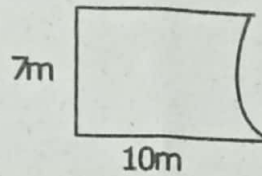
31. Simplify : $\left[\frac{4}{3} \div \left(\frac{8}{-7}\right)\right] - \left[\frac{3}{4} \times \frac{4}{3}\right] + \left[\frac{4}{3} \times \left(\frac{-1}{4}\right)\right]$

32. Find the square root of 324 by Prime factorisation.

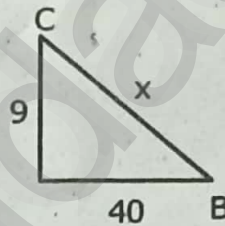
33. Simplify : $\frac{9^2 \times 7^3 \times 2^5}{84^3}$

34. A circle of radius 70cm is divided into 5 equal sectors. Find the area of each of the sectors.

35. Find the perimeter and area of the following figure ($\pi = 22/7$)



36. Simplify: $\frac{3m^2}{m} + \frac{2m^4}{m^3}$
37. Find the volume of the cube whose side is $(x+1)$ cm.
38. Factorise : $x^2 + 8x + 15$
39. Factorise the following expression using $(a+b)^3 = a^3 + 3a^2b + 3ab^2 + b^3$
identify $64x^3 + 144x^2 + 108x + 27$
40. Find the difference in C.I and S.I for
i) $P = ₹ 5,000$, $r = 4\%$ p.a. $n = 2$ years
ii) $P = ₹ 8,000$, $r = 5\%$ p.a. $n = 3$ years
41. 210 men working 12 hours a day can finish a job in 18 days. How many men are required to finish the job in 20 days working 14 hours a day?
42. Find the unknown side in the triangle.



PART - IV

Answer all the questions:

2×8=16

43. Construct the quadrilateral with the given measurement and also find area. ABCD, $AB = 5$ cm, $BC = 4.5$ cm, $CD = 3.8$ cm, $DA = 4.4$ cm and $AC = 6.2$ cm.

(OR)

Construct a rhombus ROSE with $RO = 5$ cm, and $RS = 8$ cm. Also find its area.

44. Plot the following points in a graph sheet $A(5, 2)$, $B(-7, -3)$, $C(-2, 4)$, $D(-1, -1)$, $E(0, -5)$, $F(2, 0)$, $G(7, -4)$, $H(-4, 0)$

(OR)

Plot the following points in a graph sheet.

$A(0,0)$, $B(0, 8)$, $C(3, 0)$, $D(-5, 5)$, $E(5, -5)$, $F(-3, 8)$, $G(8, -3)$, $H(1, 1)$
