



**PRE-BOARD
CLASS X SESSION 2023-24
MARKING SCHEME
MATHEMATICS STANDARD (041)
CODE - MATHEMATICS STANDARD/10/A
TIME=3 HOURS MM=80**


Q.NO.	EXPECTED ANSWERS/VALUE POINTS	MARKS
SECTION A		
Q1.	(c) q	1
Q2.	(d) Infinite	1
Q3.	(b) does not exist	1
Q4.	(b) $x^2-4x+1=0$	1
Q5.	(c) 0	1
Q6.	(b) 100 m	1
Q7.	(b) 47.5°	1
Q8.	(d) PS	1
Q9.	(c) (3,4)	1
Q10.	(d) infinitely many	1
Q11.	(a) -1	1
Q12.	(c) 3	1
Q13.	(a) $\frac{20}{\sqrt{3}}$ m	1
Q14.	(c) 480	1
Q15.	(c) 25 cm	1
Q16.	(d) 416cm^3	1
Q17.	(d) 214.5	1
Q18.	(b) increases by 3	1
Q19.	(b) Both Assertion (A) and Reason (R) are true and Reason (R) is not the correct explanation of Assertion (A)	1
Q 20.	(a) Both Assertion (A) and Reason (R) are true and Reason (R) is the correct explanation of Assertion (A)	1
SECTION B		
Q21	<p>Let $\sqrt{5}$ be a rational number.</p> <p>$\therefore \sqrt{5} = \frac{p}{q}$, where $q \neq 0$ and let p & q be co-primes.</p> <p>$5q^2 = p^2 \Rightarrow p^2$ is divisible by 5 \Rightarrow p is divisible by 5</p> <p>$\Rightarrow p = 5a$, where 'a' is some integer ----- (i)</p> <p>$25a^2 = 5q^2 \Rightarrow q^2 = 5a^2 \Rightarrow q^2$ is divisible by 5 \Rightarrow q is divisible by 5</p> <p>$\Rightarrow q = 5b$, where 'b' is some integer ----- (ii)</p> <p>(i) and (ii) leads to contradiction as 'p' and 'q' are co-primes.</p> <p>$\therefore \sqrt{5}$ is an irrational number.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p style="text-align: right;">$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p style="text-align: right;">$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p style="text-align: right;">$\frac{1}{2}$</p>

Q22	<p>As $XZ \parallel BC$ Therefore $\frac{AX}{XB} = \frac{3}{2} = \frac{AZ}{ZC}$ - (i)</p> <p>$\Delta AXY \sim \Delta ABM$</p> <p>$\Rightarrow \frac{AX}{AB} = \frac{XY}{BM}$ or $\frac{3}{5} = \frac{XY}{3}$</p> <p>$\Rightarrow XY = \frac{9}{5}$ or 1.8 cm</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p>
Q23	<p>$\angle QPT = 55^\circ$</p> <p>$\Rightarrow \angle OPQ = 90^\circ - 55^\circ = 35^\circ$</p> <p>$\Rightarrow \angle OQP = 35^\circ$</p> <p>$\angle POQ = 180^\circ - 70^\circ = 110^\circ$</p> <p>And reflex $\angle POQ = 250^\circ$</p> <p>Hence $\angle PRQ = 125^\circ$</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>1</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p>
Q24	<p>$m^2 + n^2 = (a \cos \theta + b \sin \theta)^2 + (a \sin \theta - b \cos \theta)^2$</p> <p>$= a^2(\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) + b^2(\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)$</p> <p>$= a^2 + b^2$</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>$\sin \theta + \cos \theta = \sqrt{3}$</p> <p>squaring both sides</p> <p>$\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta + 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 3$</p> <p>$\Rightarrow 1 + 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 3$</p> <p>$\Rightarrow \sin \theta \cos \theta = 1$</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>1</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>1</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p>

Q25	<p>Angle subtended by minute hand in 20 minutes = $\frac{360^\circ}{60} \times 20 = 120^\circ$</p> <p>$r = 14$</p> <p>Area = $\frac{22}{7} \times 14 \times 14 \times \frac{120}{360}$</p> <p>$= \frac{616}{3}$ or 205.33</p> <p>\therefore required area is $\frac{616}{3} \text{ cm}^2$ or 205.33 cm^2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Angle subtended by minor arc = $360^\circ - 300^\circ = 60^\circ$</p> <p>Area of minor arc = $\frac{60^\circ}{360^\circ} \times 3.14 \times 6 \times 6$</p> <p>$= 18.84 \text{ cm}^2$</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>1</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>1</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p>
SECTION C		
Q26	<p>LCM = 432</p> <p>i.e. $\frac{432}{60} = 7 \text{ min } 12 \text{ sec.}$</p> <p>$\Rightarrow$ traffic lights will change simultaneously again at 7 : 7 : 12 a.m.</p>	<p>2</p> <p>1</p>
Q27	<p>$\alpha + \beta = -\frac{5}{3}$ and $\alpha\beta = \frac{k}{3}$</p> <p>$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \alpha\beta = \frac{19}{9} \Rightarrow (\alpha + \beta)^2 - \alpha\beta = \frac{19}{9}$</p> <p>$\frac{25}{9} - \frac{k}{3} = \frac{19}{9} \Rightarrow \frac{k}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$</p> <p>$\Rightarrow k = 2$</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p>
Q28	<p>TP = TQ</p> <p>$\Rightarrow \angle TPQ = \angle TQP$</p> <p>Let $\angle PTQ$ be θ</p> <p>$\Rightarrow \angle TPQ = \angle TQP = \frac{180^\circ - \theta}{2} = 90^\circ - \frac{\theta}{2}$</p> <p>Now $\angle OPT = 90^\circ$</p> <p>$\Rightarrow \angle OPQ = 90^\circ - (90^\circ - \frac{\theta}{2}) = \frac{\theta}{2}$</p> <p>$\angle PTQ = 2 \angle OPQ$</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>

	$DR = DS = 3 \text{ cm}$ $\therefore AR = AD - DR = 17 - 3 = 14 \text{ cm}$ $\Rightarrow AQ = AR = 14 \text{ cm}$ $\therefore QB = AB - AQ = 20 - 14 = 6 \text{ cm}$ Since $QB = OP = r \therefore \text{radius} = 6 \text{ cm}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$																				
Q29	<p>system has infinite number of solutions</p> $\therefore \frac{2}{2a} = \frac{3}{a+b} = \frac{7}{28}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{a} = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow a = 4$ <p>and $a + b = 12 \Rightarrow b = 8$</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> $\left. \begin{array}{l} 217x + 131y = 913 \\ 131x + 217y = 827 \end{array} \right\} \text{Adding } 348(x+y) = 1740$ $x + y = 5$ <p>Subtracting, $86(x - y) = 86$</p> $x - y = 1$ $\Rightarrow x = 3, y = 2$	1 1 1 1 1 $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$																				
Q30	$\text{LHS} = \frac{(\tan \theta + \sec \theta) - (\sec^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta)}{\tan \theta - \sec \theta + 1}$ $= \frac{(\tan \theta + \sec \theta)(1 - \sec \theta + \tan \theta)}{\tan \theta - \sec \theta + 1}$ $= \tan \theta + \sec \theta$ $= \frac{1 + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \text{RHS}$	1 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$																				
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Q32	<p>Let there be x articles.</p> <p>Then the production cost of each article = $3+2x$</p> <p>Total production cost = $x(3+2x)=90$</p> $3x+2x^2=90$ $2x^2+3x-90=0$ $2x^2+15x-12x-90=0$ $2x(x-6)+15(x-6)=0$ $(2x+15)(x-6)=0$ $x=6, -\frac{15}{2}$ <p>Number cannot be negative.</p> <p>So, number of articles = 6</p> <p>The cost of each article = Rs. 15</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Let the actual marks be x</p> <p>Therefore, $9(x+10) = x^2$</p> <p>i.e., $x^2 - 9x - 90 = 0$</p> <p>i.e., $x^2 - 15x + 6x - 90 = 0$</p> <p>i.e., $x(x-15) + 6(x-15) = 0$</p> <p>i.e., $(x+6)(x-15) = 0$</p> <p>Therefore, $x = -6$ or $x = 15$</p> <p>Since x is the marks obtained, $x \neq -6$. Therefore, $x = 15$.</p> <p>So, Ajita got 15 marks in her mathematics test.</p>	<p>2</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>2</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>												
Q33	<p>Given and To Prove</p> <p>Figure and Construction</p> <p>Proof</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$</p> <p>2</p>												

	$\frac{BD}{DA} = \frac{BE}{EC} \text{ -----(1)}$ $\frac{BD}{DA} = \frac{BC}{CL} \text{ -----(2)}$ <p>Hence, $\frac{BE}{EC} = \frac{BC}{CL}$</p> $\frac{4}{2} = \frac{6}{CL}$ <p>CL=3 cm</p>	<p>1/2</p> <p>1/2</p> <p>1</p>															
Q34	<p>Radius of cone = radius of hemisphere = 7 cm</p> <p>∴ Height of cone = 14 cm</p> <p>Volume of solid = Volume of hemisphere + volume of cone</p> $= \frac{2}{3}\pi(7)^3 + \frac{1}{3}\pi(7)^2 \cdot 14$  $= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times 7 \times 7(14 + 14)$ $= \frac{154}{3} \times 28 = \frac{4312}{3} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ or } 1437.33 \text{ cm}^2$ <p>OR</p> <p>Radius of each cone = Radius of cylinder = $\frac{3}{2}$ cm</p> <p>Height of each cone 'H' = 2 cm</p> <p>Height of cylinder 'h' = 12 - 4 = 8 cm</p> <p>Volume of air = Volume of cylinder + Volume of 2 cones</p> $= \pi r^2 h + 2 \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 H$ $= \pi r^2 \left(h + \frac{2}{3} H \right) = \frac{22}{7} \times \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{3}{2} \left(8 + \frac{2}{3} \times 2 \right)$ $= \frac{22}{7} \times \frac{9}{4} \times \frac{28}{3} = 66 \text{ cm}^3$	<p>1</p> <p>1 1/2 + 1 1/2</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1 1/2 + 1 1/2</p> <p>1</p>															
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	3000-3500	30	3250	155	97,500							
	3500-4000	22	3750	177	82,500							
	4000-4500	16	4250	193	68,000							
	4500-5000	7	4750	200	33,250							
	<p>172+x=200 X=28 Mean = $\frac{532500}{200} = 2662.5$ $\frac{n}{2} = 100$ Median Class is 2500-3000 Median = $2500 + \frac{100-97}{28} \times 500$ $= 2500 + 53.57$ $= 2553.57$</p>						1/2	1	1/2	1		
SECTION E												
Q36	(i)	In ΔOPB , $\cos 30^\circ = \frac{OP}{OB}$ $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{36}{OB}$ OB = $24\sqrt{3}$ m					1/2	1/2				
	(ii)	In ΔOPB , $\tan 30^\circ = \frac{PB}{36}$ PB = $\frac{36}{\sqrt{3}}$ PB = $12\sqrt{3}$ m In ΔOAP , $\tan 45^\circ = \frac{AP}{36}$ AP = 36m AB = AP - PB = $36 - 12\sqrt{3} = 12(3 - \sqrt{3})$ m OR Area of $\Delta OPB = \frac{1}{2} \times OP \times PB$ $= \frac{1}{2} \times 36 \times 12\sqrt{3}$ $= 216 \text{ m}^2$					1	1/2	1/2	1	1/2	1/2
	(iii)	In ΔOAP , $\tan 45^\circ = \frac{AP}{36}$ AP = 36m height of the Section A from the base of the tower = AP = 36m					1/2	1/2				
Q37	(i)	Since each row is increasing by 10 seats, so it is an AP with first term a = 30, and common difference d = 10. So number of seats in 10th row = $a_{10} = a + 9d$ $= 30 + 9 \times 10 = 120$					1/2	1/2				
	(ii)	$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2a + (n-1)d)$										

	$1500 = \frac{n}{2} (2 \times 30 + (n-1)10)$ $3000 = 50n + 10n^2$ $n^2 + 5n - 300 = 0$ $n^2 + 20n - 15n - 300 = 0$ $(n+20)(n-15) = 0$ <p>Rejecting the negative value, $n = 15$</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>No. of seats already put up to the 10th row = S_{10}</p> $S_{10} = \frac{10}{2} \{2 \times 30 + (10-1)10\}$ $= 5(60 + 90) = 750$ <p>So, the number of seats still required to be put are</p> $1500 - 750 = 750$	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$
	<p>(iii) If no. of rows = 17 then the middle row is the 9th row</p> $a_8 = a + 8d$ $= 30 + 80 = 110 \text{ seats}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$
Q38	(i) R(200,400) , S(-200,400)	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$
	<p>(ii) $PQ = 200 + 200 = 400\text{m}$ Area of Square PQRS = $400 \times 400 = 160000 \text{ m}^2$</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Diagonal $PR = \sqrt{(400)^2 + (400)^2}$ $= \sqrt{3200} \text{ or } 400\sqrt{2}$</p>	1 1 1 1
	<p>(iii) C(-600,0) ; A(200,800) ; S(-200,400) S divides CA in the ratio k:1</p> $-200 = \frac{k(200) + 1(-600)}{k+1}$ $K=1$	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$