



## MATHS

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### SOLUTION OF TRIANGLES

#### Exercise 1 Single Choice Problems

1. In a  $\Delta ABC$  if  $9(a^2 + b^2) = 17c^2$  then the value of the  $\frac{\cot A + \cot B}{\cot C}$  is

A.  $\frac{13}{4}$

B.  $\frac{7}{4}$

C.  $\frac{5}{4}$

D.  $\frac{9}{4}$

**Answer: D**



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2. Let H be the orthocenter of triangle ABC, then angle subtended by side BC at the centre of incircle of  $\triangle CHB$  is :

A.  $\frac{A}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}$

B.  $\frac{B + C}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}$

C.  $\frac{B - C}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}$

D.  $\frac{B + C}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}$

**Answer: B**



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3. Circumradius of a  $\triangle ABC$  is 3 units, let  $O$  be the circumcentre and  $H$  be the orthocentre then the value of  $\frac{1}{64} (AH^2 + BC^2)(BH^2 + AC^2)(CH^2 + AB^2)$  equals :

A.  $3^4$

B.  $9^3$

C.  $27^6$

D.  $81^4$

**Answer: B**



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4. The angles A, B and C of a triangle ABC are in arithmetic progression. If  $2b^2 = 3c^2$  then the angle A is :

A.  $15^\circ$

B.  $60^\circ$

C.  $75^\circ$

D.  $90^\circ$

**Answer: C**



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5. In a triangle ABC if  $\tan. \frac{A}{2} \tan. \frac{B}{2} = \frac{1}{3}$  and  $ab = 4$ , then the value of  $c$  can be

A. 1

B. 2

C. 4

D. 6

**Answer: B**



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6. In a triangle ABC the expression

$a \cos B \cos C + b \cos C \cos A + c \cos A \cos B$  equals to :

A.  $\frac{rs}{R}$

B.  $\frac{r}{sR}$

C.  $\frac{R}{rs}$

D.  $\frac{Rs}{r}$

**Answer: A**



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7. The set of all real numbers  $a$  such that  $a^2 + 2a$ ,  $2a + 3$ , and  $a^2 + 3a + 8$  are the sides of a triangle is \_\_\_\_\_

A.  $(0, \infty)$

B.  $(5, 8)$

C.  $\left(-\frac{11}{3}, \infty\right)$

D.  $(5, \infty)$

**Answer: D**



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8. In a  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\angle B = \frac{\pi}{3}$  and  $\angle C = \frac{\pi}{4}$  let D divide BC internally in the ratio 1:3, then  $\frac{\sin(\angle BAD)}{\sin(\angle CAD)}$  is equal to :

A.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$

B.  $\frac{1}{3}$

C.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

D.  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$

**Answer: A**



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9. Let AD, BE, CF be the lengths of internal bisectors of angles A, B, C respectively of triangle ABC. Then the harmonic mean of  $AD \sec \frac{A}{2}$ ,  $BE \sec \frac{B}{2}$ ,  $CF \sec \frac{C}{2}$  is equal to :

A. Harmonic mean of sides of  $\Delta ABC$

B. Geometric mean of sides of  $\Delta ABC$

C. Arithmetic mean of sides of  $\Delta ABC$

D. Sum of reciprocals of the sides of  $\triangle ABC$

**Answer: A**



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**10.** In a triangle ABC, if  $2b = a + c$  and  $A - C = 90$ , then  $\sin B$  equals

A.  $\frac{\sqrt{7}}{5}$

B.  $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{8}$

C.  $\frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}$

D.  $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}$

**Answer: C**



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11. In a triangle  $ABC$ , if  $2a \cos\left(\frac{B - C}{2}\right) = b + c$ , then  $\sec A$  is equal to :

A.  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

B.  $\sqrt{2}$

C. 2

D. 3

**Answer: C**



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12. In a triangle  $ABC$  if  $BC = 1$  and  $AC = 2$ , then what is the maximum possible value of angle  $A$ ?

A.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

B.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

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

D.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

**Answer: A**



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13.  $\Delta I_1 I_2 I_3$  is an excentral triangle of an equilateral triangle  $\Delta ABC$  such that  $I_1 I_2 = 4$  unit, if  $\Delta DEF$  is pedal triangle of

$\Delta ABC$ , then  $\frac{Ar(\Delta I_1 I_2 I_3)}{Ar(\Delta DEF)} =$

A. 16

B. 4

C. 2

D. 1

**Answer: A**



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14. Let  $ABC$  be a triangle with  $\angle BAC = 2\pi/3$  and  $AB = x$  such that  $(AB)(AC) = 1$ . If  $x$  varies, then find the longest possible length of the angle bisector  $AD$

A.  $\frac{1}{3}$

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

C.  $\frac{2}{3}$

D.  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$

**Answer: B**



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15. In an equilateral triangle  $r$ ,  $R$  and  $r_1$  form (where symbols used have usual meaning)

- A. an A.P.
- B. a G.P.
- C. an H.P.
- D. none of these

**Answer: A**

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16. In  $\triangle ABC$  if  $\frac{\sin A}{\sin C} = \frac{\sin(A - B)}{\sin(B - C)}$ , then  $a^2, b^2, c^2$  are in :

A. A.P.

B. G.P.

C. H.P.

D. none of these

**Answer: A**



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17. In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\tan A = 2$ ,  $\tan B = \frac{3}{2}$  and  $c = \sqrt{65}$ , then circumradius of the triangle is :

A. 65

B.  $\frac{65}{7}$

C.  $\frac{65}{14}$

D. none of these

**Answer: C**



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**18.** If the sides  $a, b, c$  of a triangle  $ABC$  are the roots of the equation  $x^3 - 13x^2 + 54x - 72 = 0$ , then the value of  $\frac{\cos A}{a} + \frac{\cos B}{b} + \frac{\cos C}{c}$  is equal to :

A.  $\frac{61}{144}$

B.  $\frac{61}{72}$

C.  $\frac{169}{144}$

D.  $\frac{59}{144}$

**Answer: A**





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19. In  $\triangle ABC$ , if  $\angle C = 90^\circ$ , then  $\frac{a+c}{b} + \frac{b+c}{a}$  is equal to :

A.  $\frac{c}{r}$

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

C. 2

D.  $\frac{R}{r}$

**Answer: A**



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20. In a  $\triangle ABC$ , if  $a^2 \sin B = b^2 + c^2$ , then :

A.  $\angle A$  is obtuse

B.  $\angle A$  is acute

C.  $\angle B$  is obtuse

D.  $\angle A$  is right angle

**Answer: A**



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**21.** If  $R$  and  $R'$  are the circumradii of triangles  $ABC$  and  $OBC$ , where  $O$  is the orthocenter of triangle  $ABC$ , then :

A.  $R' = \frac{R}{2}$

B.  $R' = 2R$

C.  $R' = R$



D.  $R' = 3R$

**Answer: C**



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22. The acute angle of a rhombus whose side is a mean proportional between its diagonals is

A.  $15^\circ$

B.  $20^\circ$

C.  $30^\circ$

D.  $60^\circ$

**Answer: C**



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23. In a  $\triangle ABC$  right angled at A, a line is drawn through A to meet BC at D dividing BC in 2:1. If  $\tan(\angle ADC) = 3$  then  $\angle BAD$  is :

A.  $30^\circ$

B.  $45^\circ$

C.  $60^\circ$

D.  $75^\circ$

**Answer: B**



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24. A circle is circumscribed in an equilateral triangle of side ' $l$ '.  
The area of any square inscribed in the circle is :

A.  $\frac{4}{3}l^2$

B.  $\frac{2}{3}l^2$

C.  $\frac{1}{3}l^2$

D.  $l^2$

**Answer: B**



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**25.** if the sides of a triangle are in the ratio  $2 : \sqrt{6} : \sqrt{3} + 1$ , then the largest angle of the triangle will be (1) 60 (3) 90 (2) 75 (4) 120

A.  $60^\circ$

B.  $72^\circ$

C.  $75^\circ$

D.  $90^\circ$

**Answer: C**



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**26.** In a triangle ABC if  $a, b, c$  are in A.P. and  $C - A = 120^\circ$ , then

$\frac{s}{r} =$  (where notations have their usual meaning)

A.  $\sqrt{15}$

B.  $2\sqrt{15}$

C.  $3\sqrt{15}$

D.  $6\sqrt{15}$

**Answer: C**



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27. If in  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $a = 5$ ,  $b = 4$  and  $\cos(A - B) = \frac{31}{32}$ , then

A.  $\sqrt{6}$

B.  $6\sqrt{6}$

C. 6

D.  $(216)^{1/4}$

**Answer: C**



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28. If semiperimeter of a triangle is 15, then the value of  $(b + c)\cos(B + C) + (c + a)\cos(C + A) + (a + b)\cos(A + B)$  is equal to :

(where symbols used have usual meanings)

A. -60

B. -15

C. -30

D. can not be determined

**Answer: C**



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**29.** Let triangle  $ABC$  be an isosceles with  $AB=AC$ . Suppose that the angle bisector of its angle  $B$  meets the side  $AC$  at a point  $D$  and that  $BC = BD + AD$ . Measure of the angle  $A$  in degrees, is :

A. 80

B. 100

C. 110

D. 130

**Answer: B**



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**30.** In triangle ABC if

$A : B : C = 1 : 2 : 4$ , then  $(a^2 - b^2)(b^2 - c^2)(c^2 - a^2) = \lambda a^2 b^2 c^2$

, where  $\lambda =$

(where notations have their usual meaning)

A. 1

B. 2

C. 4

D. 9

**Answer: A**



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31. In a triangle  $ABC$  with altitude  $AD$ ,  $\angle BAC = 45^\circ$ ,  $DB = 3$  and  $CD = 2$ . The area of the triangle  $ABC$  is :

A. 6

B. 15

C.  $15/4$

D. 12

**Answer: B**



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32. A triangle has base 10 cm long and the base angles of  $50^\circ$  and  $70^\circ$ . If the perimeter of the triangle is  $x + y \cos z^\circ$  where  $z \in (0, 90)$  then the value of  $x + y + z$  equals :

A. 60

B. 55

C. 50

D. 40

**Answer: D**



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33. Let H be the orthocenter of triangle ABC, then angle subtended by side BC at the centre of incircle of  $\triangle CHB$  is :

A.  $\frac{A}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}$

B.  $\frac{B + C}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}$

C.  $\frac{B - C}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}$

D.  $\frac{B + C}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}$

**Answer: B**



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**34.** Triangle ABC is right angle at A. The points P and Q are on hypotenuse BC such that  $BP = PQ = QC$ .if  $AP = 3$  and  $AQ = 4$ , then length BC is equal to

A.  $\sqrt{27}$

B.  $\sqrt{36}$

C.  $\sqrt{45}$

D.  $\sqrt{54}$

**Answer: C**

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35. In a  $\triangle ABC$  if  $b = a(\sqrt{3} - 1)$  and  $\angle C = 30^\circ$  then the measure of the angle A is

A.  $15^\circ$

B.  $45^\circ$

C.  $75^\circ$

D.  $105^\circ$

**Answer: D**

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**36.** Through the centroid of an equilateral triangle, a line parallel to the base is drawn. On this line, an arbitrary point P is taken inside the triangle. Let  $h$  denote the perpendicular distance of P from the base of the triangle. Let  $h_1$  and  $h_2$  be the perpendicular distance of P from the other two sides of the triangle. Then :

A.  $h = \frac{h_1 + h_2}{2}$

B.  $h = \sqrt{h_1 h_2}$

C.  $h = \frac{2h_1 h_2}{h_1 + h_2}$

D.  $h = \frac{(h_1 + h_2)\sqrt{3}}{4}$

**Answer: A**



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37. The angles A, B and C of a triangle ABC are in arithmetic progression.  $AB=6$  and  $BC=7$ . Then AC is :

A.  $\sqrt{41}$

B.  $\sqrt{39}$

C.  $\sqrt{42}$

D.  $\sqrt{43}$

**Answer: D**



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38. In  $\triangle ABC$ , if  $A - B = 120^\circ$  and  $R = 8r$ , then the value of  $\frac{1 + \cos C}{1 - \cos C}$  equals :

(All symbols used have their usual meaning in a triangle)

A. 12

B. 15

C. 21

D. 31

**Answer: B**



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**39.** The lengths of the sides CB and CA of a triangle ABC are given by  $a$  and  $b$  and the angle C is  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ . The line CD bisects the angle C and meets AB at D. Then the length of CD is :

A.  $\frac{1}{a+b}$

B.  $\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a+b}$

C.  $\frac{ab}{2(a+b)}$

D.  $\frac{ab}{a+b}$

**Answer: D**



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40. In  $\triangle ABC$ , angle A is  $120^\circ$ ,  $BC + CA = 20$ , and  $AB + BC = 21$ . Find the length of the side BC

A. 13

B. 15

C. 17

D. 19

**Answer: A**



41. A triangle has sides 6,7, and 8. The line through its incenter parallel to the shortest side is drawn to meet the other two sides at P and Q. Then find the length of the segment PQ.

A.  $\frac{12}{5}$

B.  $\frac{15}{4}$

C.  $\frac{30}{7}$

D.  $\frac{33}{9}$

**Answer: C**





42. The perimeter of a  $\triangle ABC$  is 48 cm and one side is 20 cm.

Then remaining sides of  $\triangle ABC$  must be greater than :

- A. 8 cm
- B. 9 cm
- C. 12 cm
- D. 4 cm

**Answer: D**



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43. In a equilateral triangle  $r$ ,  $R$  and  $r_1$  form (where symbols used

have usual meaning)

- A. an A.P.

B. a G.P.

C. an H.P.

D. neither an A.P., G.P. nor H.P.

**Answer: A**



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44. The expression  $\frac{(a + b + c)(b + c - a)(c + a - b)(a + b - c)}{4b^2c^2}$  is equal to

A.  $\cos^2 A$

B.  $\sin^2 A$

C.  $\cos A \cos B \cos C$

D.  $\sin A \sin B \sin C$

**Answer: B**



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**45.** Circumradius of an isosceles  $\triangle ABC$  with  $\angle A = \angle B$  is 4 times its in radius, then  $\cos A$  is root of the equation :

A.  $x^2 - x - 8 = 0$

B.  $8x^2 - 8x + 1 = 0$

C.  $x^2 - x - 4 = 0$

D.  $4x^2 - 4x + 1 = 0$

**Answer: B**



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46. A is the orthocentre of  $\triangle ABC$  and D is reflection point of A w.r.t. perpendicular bisector of BC, then orthocenter of  $\triangle DBC$  is :

A. D

B. C

C. B

D. A

**Answer: A**



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47. If  $a \neq b \neq c$  are all positive, then the value of the

determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ b & c & a \\ c & a & b \end{vmatrix}$  is

A.  $\geq 0$

B.  $> 0$

C.  $\leq -1$

D.  $< 0$

**Answer: D**



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**48.** In triangle ABC if

$A : B : C = 1 : 2 : 4$ , then  $(a^2 - b^2)(b^2 - c^2)(c^2 - a^2) = \lambda a^2 b^2 c^2$

, where  $\lambda =$

(where notations have their usual meaning)

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D.  $\frac{1}{3}$

**Answer: A**



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**49.** In any triangle, the minimum value of  $r_1 r_2 r_3 / r^3$  is equal to

A. 1

B. 3

C. 8

D. 27

**Answer: D**



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50. In  $\Delta ABC$ ,  $a = 3$ ,  $b = 4$  and  $c = 5$ , then value of  $\sin A + \sin 2B + \sin 3C$  is

A.  $\frac{24}{25}$

B.  $\frac{14}{25}$

C.  $\frac{64}{25}$

D. None

**Answer: B**



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51. In any triangle ABC, the value of  $\frac{r_1 + r_2}{1 + \cos C}$  is equal to (where notation have their usual meaning) :

A.  $2R$

B.  $2r$

C.  $R$

D.  $\frac{2R^2}{r}$

**Answer: A**



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**52.** In a triangle  $ABC$ , medians  $AD$  and  $BE$  are drawn. If  $AD = 4$ ,  $\angle DAB = \frac{\pi}{6}$  and  $\angle ABE = \frac{\pi}{3}$ , then the area of the triangle  $ABC$  is-

A.  $\frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}}$

B.  $\frac{16}{3\sqrt{3}}$

C.  $\frac{32}{3\sqrt{3}}$



D.  $\frac{64}{3\sqrt{3}}$

**Answer: C**



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**53.** The sides of a triangle are  $\sin \alpha$ ,  $\cos \alpha$  and  $\sqrt{1 + \sin \alpha \cos \alpha}$  for some  $\alpha$ ,  $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$ . Then the greatest angle of the triangle is

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

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

C.  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$

D.  $\frac{5\pi}{6}$

**Answer: C**



54. Let ABC be a right with  $\angle BAC = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , then  $\left( \frac{r^2}{2R^2} + \frac{r}{R} \right)$  is equal to :

(where symbols used have usual meaning in a triangle)

A.  $\sin B \sin C$

B.  $\tan B \tan C$

C.  $\sec B \sec C$

D.  $\cot B \cot C$

**Answer: A**

55. In a  $\triangle ABC$ , with usual notations, if  $b > c$  then distance between foot of median and foot of altitude both drawn from vertex A on BC is :

A.  $\frac{a^2 - b^2}{2c}$

B.  $\frac{b^2 - c^2}{2a}$

C.  $\frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2a}$

D.  $\frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2c}$

**Answer: B**



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56. In a triangle ABC the expression  $a \cos B \cos C + b \cos A \cos B$  equals to :

A.  $\frac{rs}{R}$

B.  $\frac{r}{sR}$

C.  $\frac{R}{rs}$

D.  $\frac{Rs}{r}$

**Answer: A**



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57. In a acute triangle ABC, altitudes from the vertices A, B and C meet the opposite sides at the points D, E and F respectively. If the radius of the circumcircle of  $\triangle AFE$ ,  $\triangle BFD$ ,  $\triangle CED$ ,  $\triangle ABC$  be respectively  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$ ,  $R_3$  and  $R$ . Then the maximum value of  $R_1 + R_2 + R_3$  is :

A.  $\frac{3R}{8}$

B.  $\frac{2R}{3}$

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

D.  $\frac{3R}{2}$

**Answer: D**



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## Exercise 2 One Or More Than One Answer Is Are Correct

1. If  $r_1, r_2, r_3$  are radii of the escribed circles of a triangle ABC and  $r$  it the radius of its incircle, then the root(s) of the equation  $x^2 - r(r_1r_2 + r_2r_3 + r_3r_1)x + (r_1r_2r_3 - 1) = 0$  is/are :

A.  $r_1$

B.  $r_2 + r_3$

C. 1

D.  $r_1 r_2 r_3 - 1$

**Answer: C::D**



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2. In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\angle A = 60^\circ$ ,  $\angle B = 90^\circ$ ,  $\angle C = 30^\circ$ . Let H be its orthocentre, then :

(where symbols used have usual meanings)

A.  $AH = c$

B.  $CH = a$

C.  $AH = a$

D.  $BH = 0$

**Answer: A::B::D**



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3. In an equilateral triangle, if inradius is a rational number then

A. circumradius is always rational

B. exradii are always rational

C. area is always ir-rational

D. perimeter is always rational

**Answer: A::B::C**



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4. Let  $A, B, C$  be angles of a triangle  $ABC$  and let

$$D = \frac{5\pi + A}{32}, E = \frac{5\pi + B}{32}, F = \frac{5\pi + C}{32}, \text{ then :}$$

(where  $D, E, F \neq \frac{n\pi}{2}, n \in I, I$  denote set of integers)

A.  $\cot D \cot E + \cot E \cot F + \cot D \cot F = 1$

B.  $\cot D + \cot E + \cot F = \cot D \cot E \cot F$

C.  $\tan D \tan E + \tan E \tan F + \tan F \tan D = 1$

D.  $\tan D + \tan E + \tan F = \tan D \tan E \tan F$

**Answer: B::C**



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5. In a triangle  $ABC$ , if  $a=4, b=8$  and  $\angle C = 60^\circ$ , then :

(where symbols used have usual meanings)



A.  $c = 6$

B.  $c = 4\sqrt{3}$

C.  $\angle A = 30^\circ$

D.  $\angle B = 90^\circ$

**Answer: B::C::D**



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6. In a  $\Delta ABC$  if  $\frac{r}{r_1} = \frac{r_2}{r_3}$ , then which of the following is/are true ?

(where symbols used have usual meanings)

A.  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 8R^2$

B.  $\sin^2 A + \sin^2 B + \sin^2 C = 2$

C.  $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$

$$D. \Delta = s(s + c)$$

**Answer: A::B::C**



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7. ABC is a triangle whose circumcentre, incentre and orthocentre are O, I and H respectively which lie inside the triangle, then :

A.  $\angle BOC = A$

B.  $\angle BIC = \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{A}{2}$

C.  $\angle BHC = \pi - A$

D.  $\angle BHC = \pi - \frac{A}{2}$

**Answer: B::C**



8. In a triangle ABC,  $\tan A$  and  $\tan B$  satisfy the inequality  $\sqrt{3}x^2 - 4x + \sqrt{3} < 0$ , then which of the following must be correct ?

(where symbols used have usual meanings)

A.  $a^2 + b^2 - ab < c^2$

B.  $a^2 + b^2 > c^2$

C.  $a^2 + b^2 + ab > c^2$

D.  $a^2 + b^2 < c^2$

**Answer: A::C**

9. If in  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\angle C = \frac{\pi}{8}$ ,  $a = \sqrt{2}$  and  $b = \sqrt{2 + \sqrt{2}}$  then find the measure of angle A (in degree).

A.  $45^\circ$

B.  $135^\circ$

C.  $30^\circ$

D.  $150^\circ$

**Answer: A**



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10. In triangle ABC,  $a = 3$ ,  $b = 4$ ,  $c = 2$ . Point D and E trisect the side BC. If  $\angle DAE = \theta$ , then  $\cot^2 \theta$  is divisible by :

A. 2

B. 3

C. 5

D. 7

**Answer: B::C**



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**11.** In a triangle ABC,  $3\sin A + 4\cos B = 6$  and  $4\sin B + 3\cos A = 1$ .

Find the measure of angle C.

A.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

B.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

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

D.  $\frac{5\pi}{6}$

**Answer: B**



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**12.** If the line joining the incentre to the centroid of a triangle ABC is parallel to the side BC. Which of the following are correct ?

A.  $2b = a + c$

B.  $2a = b + c$

C.  $\cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2} = 3$

D.  $\cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2} = 3$

**Answer: B::D**



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13. In a triangle the lengths of the two larger are 10 and 9 respectively. If the angles are in A.P., the length of the third side can be (A)  $5 - \sqrt{6}$  (B)  $3\sqrt{3}$  (C) 5 (D)  $5 + \sqrt{6}$

A.  $5 - \sqrt{6}$

B.  $5 + \sqrt{6}$

C.  $6 - \sqrt{5}$

D.  $6 + \sqrt{5}$

**Answer: A::B**



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14. If area of  $\Delta ABC(\Delta)$  and angle C are given and if c opposite to given angle is minimum, then

$$\text{A. } a = \sqrt{\frac{2\Delta}{\sin C}}$$

$$\text{B. } b = \left(\frac{2\Delta}{\sin C}\right)$$

$$\text{C. } a = \frac{4\Delta}{\sin C}$$

$$\text{D. } b = \frac{4\Delta}{\sin^2 C}$$

**Answer: A::B**



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15. In a triangle ABC, if  $\tan A = 2 \sin 2C$  and  $3 \cos A = 2 \sin B \sin C$ , then C=

A.  $\frac{\pi}{8}$

B.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

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



D.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$

Answer: C::D



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### Exercise 3 Comprehension Type Problems

1. Let  $\angle A = 23^\circ$ ,  $\angle B = 75^\circ$  and  $\angle C = 82^\circ$  be the angles of  $\triangle ABC$ .

The incircle of  $\triangle ABC$  touches the sides BC, CA, AB at points D, E, F respectively. Let  $r'$ ,  $r'_1$  respectively be the inradius, exradius opposite to vertex D of  $\triangle DEF$  and  $r$  be inradius of  $\triangle ABC$ , then

Q.  $\frac{r'}{r} =$

A.  $\sin \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{B}{2} + \sin \frac{C}{2} - 1$

$$\text{B. } 1 - \sin \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{B}{2} + \sin \frac{C}{2}$$

$$\text{C. } \cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2} - 1$$

$$\text{D. } 1 - \cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2}$$

**Answer: A**



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2. Let  $\angle A = 23^\circ$ ,  $\angle B = 75^\circ$  and  $\angle C = 82^\circ$  be the angles of  $\triangle ABC$ .

The incircle of  $\triangle ABC$  touches the sides BC, CA, AB at points D, E, F respectively. Let  $r'$ ,  $r_1'$  respectively be the inradius, exradius opposite to vertex D of  $\triangle DEF$  and  $r$  be inradius of  $\triangle ABC$ , then

$$\text{Q. } \frac{r_1'}{r} =$$

A.  $\sin \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{B}{2} + \sin \frac{C}{2} - 1$

B.  $1 - \sin \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{B}{2} + \sin \frac{C}{2}$

C.  $\cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2} - 1$

D.  $1 - \cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2}$

**Answer: B**



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3. Internal bisectors of  $\triangle ABC$  meet the circumcircle at point D, E, and F

Area of  $\triangle DEF$  is

A.  $2R^2 \cos^2 \left( \frac{A}{2} \right) \cos^2 \left( \frac{B}{2} \right) \cos^2 \left( \frac{C}{2} \right)$

B.  $2R^2 \sin \left( \frac{A}{2} \right) \sin \left( \frac{B}{2} \right) \sin \left( \frac{C}{2} \right)$

C.  $2R^2 \sin^2 \left( \frac{A}{2} \right) \sin^2 \left( \frac{B}{2} \right) \sin^2 \left( \frac{C}{2} \right)$

$$D. 2R^2 \cos\left(\frac{A}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{B}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{C}{2}\right)$$

**Answer: D**



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4. Internal angle bisectors of  $\triangle ABC$  meet its circumcircle at D, E and F where symbols have usual meaning.

Q. The ratio of area of triangle ABC and triangle DEF is :

A.  $\geq 1$

B.  $\leq 1$

C.  $\geq 1/2$

D.  $\leq 1/2$

**Answer: B**





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5. Let triangle  $ABC$  is right triangle right angled at  $C$  such that

$A < B$  and  $r = 8, R = 41$ .

Q. Area of  $\triangle ABC$  is :

A. 720

B. 1440

C. 360

D. 480

**Answer: A**



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6. Let triangle  $ABC$  is right triangle right angled at  $C$  such that

$$A < B \text{ and } r = 8, R = 41.$$

Q.  $\tan \frac{A}{2} =$

A.  $\frac{1}{18}$

B.  $\frac{1}{3}$

C.  $\frac{1}{6}$

D.  $\frac{1}{9}$

**Answer: D**



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7. Let the incircle of  $\Delta ABC$  touches the sides  $BC, CA, AB$  at  $A_1, B_1, C_1$  respectively. The incircle of  $\Delta A_1B_1C_1$  touches its sides of  $B_1C_1, C_1A_1$  and  $A_1B_1$  at  $A_2, B_2, C_2$  respectively

and so on.

Q.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \angle A_n =$

A. 0

B.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

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

D.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$

**Answer: D**



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8. Let the incircle of  $\triangle ABC$  touches the sides BC, CA, AB at  $A_1, B_1, C_1$  respectively. The incircle of  $\triangle A_1B_1C_1$  touches its sides of  $B_1C_1, C_1A_1$  and  $A_1B_1$  at  $A_2, B_2, C_2$  respectively

and so on.

Q. In  $\Delta A_4 B_4 C_4$ , the value of  $\angle A_4$  is:

A.  $\frac{3\pi + A}{6}$

B.  $\frac{3\pi - A}{8}$

C.  $\frac{5\pi - A}{16}$

D.  $\frac{5\pi + A}{16}$

**Answer: D**



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9. Let ABC be a given triangle. Points D and E are on sides AB and AC respectively and point F is on line segment DE. Let

$\frac{AD}{AB} = x$ ,  $\frac{AE}{AC} = y$ ,  $\frac{DF}{DE} = z$ . Let area of  $\Delta BDF = \Delta_1$ , Area



of  $\Delta CEF = \Delta_2$  and area of  $\Delta ABC = \Delta$ .

Q.  $\frac{\Delta_1}{\Delta}$  is equal to :

A.  $xyz$

B.  $(1 - x)y(1 - z)$

C.  $(1 - x)yz$

D.  $x(1 - y)z$

**Answer: C**



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**10.** Let ABC be a given triangle. Points D and E are on sides AB and AC respectively and point F is on line segment DE. Let  $\frac{AD}{AB} = x$ ,  $\frac{AE}{AC} = y$ ,  $\frac{DF}{DE} = z$ . Let area of  $\Delta BDF = \Delta_1$ , Area

of  $\Delta CEF = \Delta_2$  and area of  $\Delta ABC = \Delta$ .

Q.  $\frac{\Delta_2}{\Delta}$  is equal to :

A.  $(1 - x)y(1 - z)$

B.  $(1 - x)(1 - y)z$

C.  $x(1 - y)(1 - z)$

D.  $(1 - x)yz$

**Answer: C**



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11.  $a, b, c$  are the lengths of sides  $BC, CA, AB$  respectively of  $\Delta ABC$

satisfying  $\log\left(1 + \frac{c}{a}\right) + \log a - \log b = \log 2$ . Also the

quadratic equation  $a(1 - x^2) + 2bx + c(1 + x^2) = 0$  has two

equal roots. Q.  $a, b, c$  are in :

A. A.P.

B. G.P.

C. H.P.

D. None

**Answer: A**



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**12.**  $a, b, c$  are the lengths of sides  $BC, CA, AB$  respectively of  $\triangle ABC$

satisfying  $\log\left(a + \frac{c}{a}\right) + \log a - \log b = \log 2$ .

Also the quadratic equation  $a(1 - x^2) + 2bx + c(1 + x^2) = 0$

has two equal roots.

**Q.** Measure of angle  $C$  is :

A.  $30^\circ$

B.  $45^\circ$

C.  $60^\circ$

D.  $90^\circ$

**Answer: D**



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**13.** If  $a, b, c$  are the sides of triangle  $ABC$  satisfying

$$\log\left(1 + \frac{c}{a}\right) + \log a - \log b = \log 2.$$

Also

$a(1 - x^2) + 2bx + c(1 + x^2) = 0$  has two equal roots. Find

the value of  $\sin A + \sin B + \sin C$ .

A.  $\frac{5}{2}$

B.  $\frac{12}{5}$

C.  $\frac{8}{3}$

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14. Let  $ABC$  be a triangle inscribed in a circle and let  $l_a = \frac{m_a}{M_a}$ ,  $l_b = \frac{m_b}{M_b}$ ,  $l_c = \frac{m_c}{M_c}$  where  $m_a, m_b, m_c$  are the lengths of the angle bisectors of angles  $A, B$  and  $C$  respectively, internal to the triangle and  $M_a, M_b$  and  $M_c$  are the lengths of these internal angle bisectors extended until they meet the circumcircle.

Q.  $l_a$  equals :

A.  $\frac{\sin A}{\sin\left(B + \frac{A}{2}\right)}$

B.  $\frac{\sin B \sin C}{\sin^2\left(\frac{B+C}{2}\right)}$

C.  $\frac{\sin B \sin C}{\sin^2\left(B + \frac{A}{2}\right)}$

D.  $\frac{\sin B + \sin C}{\sin^2\left(B + \frac{A}{2}\right)}$

**Answer: C**



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**15.** Let  $ABC$  be a triangle inscribed in a circle and let  $l_a = \frac{m_a}{M_a}$ ,  $l_b = \frac{m_b}{M_b}$ ,  $l_c = \frac{m_c}{M_c}$  where  $m_a, m_b, m_c$  are the lengths of the angle bisectors of angles  $A, B$  and  $C$  respectively, internal to the triangle and  $M_a, M_b$  and  $M_c$  are the lengths of these internal angle bisectors extended until they meet the circumcircle.

Q. The maximum value of the product

$$(l_a l_b l_c) \times \cos^2\left(\frac{B - C}{2}\right) \times \frac{\cos^2(C - A)}{2} \times \cos^2\left(\frac{A - B}{2}\right)$$

is equal to :

A.  $\frac{1}{8}$

B.  $\frac{1}{64}$

C.  $\frac{27}{64}$

D.  $\frac{27}{32}$

**Answer: C**



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**16.** Let ABC be a triangle inscribed in a circle and let  $l_a = \frac{m_a}{M_a}$ ,  $l_b = \frac{m_b}{M_b}$ ,  $l_c = \frac{m_c}{M_c}$  where  $m_a, m_b, m_c$  are the lengths of the angle bisectors of angles A, B and C respectively, internal to the triangle and  $M_a, M_b$  and  $M_c$  are the lengths of

these internal angle bisectors extended until they meet the circumcircle.

Q. The minimum value of the expression

$$\frac{l_a}{\sin^2 A} + \frac{l_b}{\sin^2 B} + \frac{l_c}{\sin^2 C} \text{ is :}$$

A. 2

B. 3

C. 4

D. none of these

**Answer: B**



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**Exercise 5 Subjective Type Problems**



1. If the median AD of triangle ABC makes an angle  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  with the side BC, then find the value of  $|\cot B - \cot C|$ .



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2. In a  $\Delta ABC$ ,  $a = \sqrt{3}$ ,  $b = 3$  and  $\angle C = \frac{\pi}{3}$ . Let internal angle bisectors of angle C intersects side AB at D and altitude from B meets the angle bisector CD at E. If  $Q_1$  and  $Q_2$  are incentres of  $\Delta BEC$  and  $\Delta BED$ . Find the distance between the vertex B and orthocentre of  $\Delta O_1EO_2$ .



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3. In a  $\Delta ABC$ ; inscribed circle with centre  $I$  touches sides  $AB$ ,  $AC$  and  $BC$  at  $D$ ,  $E$ ,  $F$  respectively. Let area of

quadrilateral ADIE is 5 units and area of quadrilateral BFID is 10

units. Find the value of  $\frac{\cos\left(\frac{C}{2}\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right)}$ .



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4. If  $\Delta$  be area of incircle of a triangle ABC and  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2, \Delta_3$  be the area of excircles then find the least value of  $\frac{\Delta_1 \Delta_2 \Delta_3}{729 \Delta^3}$



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5. In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $b = c$ ,  $\angle A = 106^\circ$ , M is an interior point such that

$\angle MBA = 7^\circ$ ,  $\angle MAB = 23^\circ$  and  $\angle MCA = \theta^\circ$ , then  $\frac{\theta}{2}$

is equal to

(where notations have their usual meaning)



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6. In an acute angled triangle  $ABC$ ,  $\angle A = 20^\circ$ , let  $DEF$  be the feet of altitudes through  $A, B, C$  respectively and  $H$  is the orthocentre of  $\triangle ABC$ . Find  $\frac{AH}{AD} + \frac{BH}{BE} + \frac{CH}{CF}$ .

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7. Let  $\triangle ABC$  be inscribed in a circle having radius unity. The three internal bisectors of the angles  $A, B$  and  $C$  are extended to intersect the circumcircle of  $\triangle ABC$  at  $A_1, B_1$  and  $C_1$  respectively. Then  $\frac{AA_1 \cos \frac{A}{2} + BB_1 \cos \frac{B}{2} + CC_1 \cos \frac{C}{2}}{\sin A + \sin B + \sin C} =$

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8. If the quadratic equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  has equal roots where  $a, b, c$  denotes the lengths of the sides opposite to vertex  $A, B$  and  $C$  of the  $\triangle ABC$  respectively then find the number of integers in the range of  $\frac{\sin A}{\sin C} + \frac{\sin C}{\sin A}$

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9. If in the triangle  $ABC$ ,  $\tan \frac{A}{2}, \tan \frac{B}{2}$  and  $\tan \frac{C}{2}$  are in harmonic progression then the least value of  $\cot^2 \frac{B}{2}$  is equal to :

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10. In  $\triangle ABC$ , if circumradius ' $R$ ' and inradius ' $r$ ' are connected by relation  $R^2 - 4Rr + 8r^2 - 12r + 9 = 0$ , then the greatest

integer which is less than the semiperimeter of  $\triangle ABC$  is :



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11. Let  $a, b, c$  be sides of a triangle  $ABC$  and  $\Delta$  denotes its area .

If  $a = 2, \Delta = \sqrt{3}$  and  $a \cos C + \sqrt{3}a \sin C - b - c = 0$ , then

find the value of  $(b + c)$ .

(symbols used have usual meaning in  $\triangle ABC$ ).



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12. Circumradius of  $\triangle ABC$  is 3 cm and its area is  $6\text{cm}^2$ . If  $DEF$  is

the triangle formed by feet of the perpendicular drawn from  $A, B$

and  $C$  on the sides  $BC, CA$  and  $AB$ , respectively, then the

perimeter of  $\triangle DEF$  (in cm) is \_\_\_\_\_



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