

MATHS

BOOKS - MBD NCERT SOLUTIONS

SOME APPLICATIONS OF TRIGONOMETRY

Exercise Long Answer Type Questions

1. A tower stands vertically on the ground.

From a point on the ground, which is 15m

away from the foot of the tower, the angle of elevation of the top of the tower is found to be 60o . Find the height of the tower.



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2. A 1.2 m tall girl spots a balloon moving with the wind in a horizontal line at a height of 88.2 m from the ground. The angle of elevation of the balloon from the eyes of the girl at any instant is 60o. After some time, the angle of elevatio

3. From a point on a bridge across a river, the angles of depression of the banks on opposite sides, of the river are 30° and 45° respectively. If the bridge is at a height of 3 m from the banks, find the width of the river.



4. An observer 1.5 m tall is 28.5 m away from a chimney. The angle of elevation of the top of

the chimney from her eyes is 45o. What is the height of the chimney?



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5. The shadow of a tower standing on a level ground is found to be 40 m longer when the Suns altitude is 30othan when it is 60o. Find the height of the tower.



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6. The angle of elevation of the top of a building from the foot of the tower is 30° and the angle of elevation of the top of tower from the foot of the building is 60° , If the tower is 50 m high, find the height of the building.



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7. From the top of a 7m high building, the angle of elevation of the top of a cable tower

is 60o and the angle of depression of its foot is 45o . Determine the height of the tower.



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8. From a point P on the ground the angle of elevation of the top of a 10 m tall building is 30o. A flag is hoisted at the top of the building and the angle of elevation of the top of the flagstaff from P is 45o. Find the length of the flagstaff



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9. A tree breaks due to storm and the broken part bends so that the top of the tree touches the ground making an angle 30 with it. The distance between the foot of the tree to the point where the top touches the ground is 8 m. Find the height of the tree.



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10. Two poles of equal heights are standing opposite to each other on either side of the

road which is 80m wide. From a point between them on the road the angles of elevation of the top of the poles are 60o and 30o respectively. Find the height of the poles and the distances of the point from the poles.



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11. As observed from the top of a 75 m high lighthouse from the sea-level, the angles of depression of two ships are 30o and 45o. If one ship is exactly behind the other on the

same side of the lighthouse, find the distance between the two sh



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12. The angles of elevation of the top of a tower from two points at a distance of 4 m and 9 m from the base of the tower and in the same straight line with it are complementary. Prove that the height of the tower is 6m.



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