ICSE 2025 EXAMINATION

Sample Question Paper - 4

Mathematics

Time: 2 ½ Hours   **Total Marks: 80**

General Instructions:

1. Answers to this Paper must be written on the paper provided separately.
2. You will not be allowed to write during the first 15 minutes. This time is to be spent in reading the question paper.
3. The time given at the head of this Paper is the time allowed for writing the answers.
4. Attempt **all** questions from **Section A** and **any four** questions from **Section B**.
5. The intended marks for questions or parts of questions are given in brackets [ ].

Section A
(Attempt all questions from this section.)

Question 1

Choose the correct answers to the questions from the given options.   [15]

i) Which of the following is a rational number?

    (a) $\left(3+\sqrt{3}\right)\left(3-\sqrt{3}\right)$

    (b) $\sqrt{23-6}+\sqrt{36}$

    (c) $\sqrt{64}-2\sqrt{8}$

    (d) $4\sqrt{6}-2\sqrt{6}$

ii) What will be the amount on Rs. 10000 invested for 1 year at the rate of 8% per annum compounded annually?

    (a) Rs. 11664

    (b) Rs. 10800

    (c) Rs. 10000

    (d) Rs. 800

iii) If a – b = 1 and ab = 6, what is the value of (a + b)?
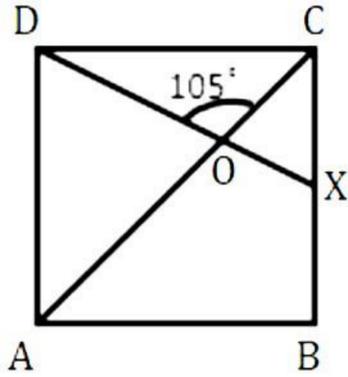
    (a) 7

    (b) 6

    (c) 5

    (d) 1

ii) The perimeter of the isosceles triangle is 42 cm and its base is $1\frac{1}{2}$ times each of the equal sides. Find (a) the length of each side of the triangle, (b) the area of the triangle and (c) the height of the triangle. [5]

Question 8

i) In the given figure, ABCD is a square. A line segment DX cuts the side BC at X and the diagonal AC at O such that ∠COD = 105°. Find ∠OXC. [3]

ii) Two circles with centres O and O' intersect at two points A and B. A line PQ is drawn parallel to OO' through A or B intersecting the circles at P and Q. Prove that PQ = 2OO'. [3]

iii) Shanti Sweets Stall placed an order for making cardboard boxes for packing their sweets. Two sizes of boxes were required. The bigger box of dimensions 25 cm × 20 cm × 5 cm and the smaller box of dimensions 15 cm × 12 cm × 5 cm. For all the overlaps, 5% of the total surface area was required extra. If the cost of the cardboard is Rs. 4 for 1000 cm², find the cost of cardboard required for supplying 250 boxes of each kind. [4]

Question 9

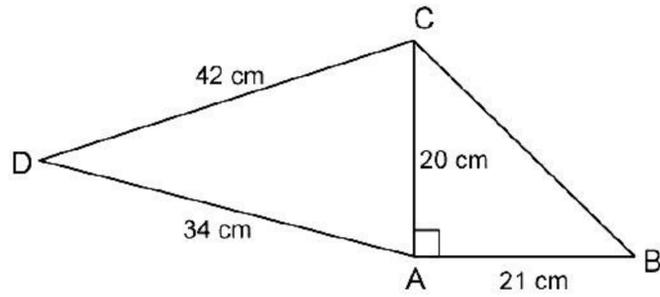i) In the given figure, C is the midpoint of AB. If ∠DCA = ∠ECB and ∠DBC = ∠EAC, prove that DC = EC. [3]
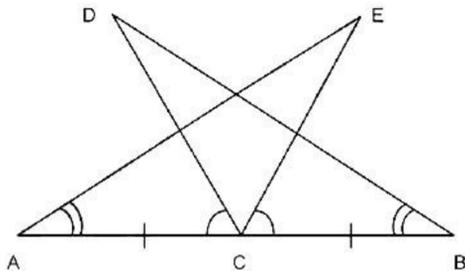
ii) ABCD is a parallelogram. E is the mid-point of AB and F is the mid-point of CD. GH is any line which intersects AD, EF and BC at G, P and H, respectively. Prove that GP = PH. [3]
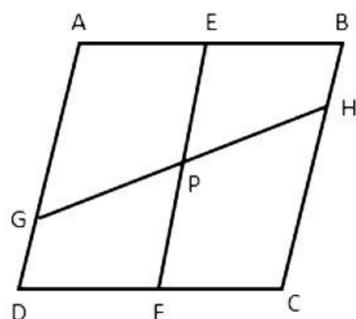
iii) Find the area of the quadrilateral ABCD in which AB = 21 cm, ∠BAC = 90°, AC = 20 cm, CD = 42 cm and AD = 34 cm. [4]

Question 10

i) How many planks of dimensions (5 m × 25 cm × 10 cm) can be stored in a pit which is 20 m long, 6 m wide and 80 cm deep? [3]

ii) Find the point on the y-axis that is equidistant from points A(−3, 2) and B(5, −2). [3]

iii) Solve the below pair of simultaneous equations graphically. [4]
2x + 3y = 2 and x − 2y = 8

Section B

(Attempt any four questions from this Section.)

Question 4

i) Find three rational numbers between $-\dfrac{3}{8}$ and $\dfrac{1}{4}$. [3]

ii) During every financial year, the value of a machine depreciates by 10%. Find the original value (cost) of the machine which depreciates by Rs. 2952 during the second year (Without using formula). [3]

iii) In a circle of radius 5 cm, AB and CD are two parallel chords of lengths 8 cm and 6 cm, respectively. Calculate the distance between the chords if they are on the
A. Same side of the centre
B. Opposite sides of the centre [4]

Question 5

i) If a + b = 6 and ab = 5, what is the value of $a^3 + b^3$? [3]

ii) Factorise: $x^4 - 14x^2y^2 - 51y^4$. [3]

iii) The mean of 5 numbers is 20. If one number is excluded, the mean of the remaining numbers becomes 23. Find the excluded observation. [4]
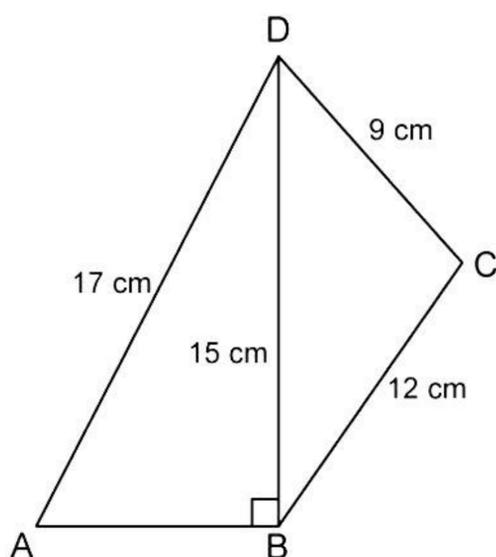
Question 6

i) Solve using the method of elimination by equating coefficients:
23x – 29y = 98, 29x – 23y = 110 [3]

ii) Prove that: $\dfrac{x + y + z}{x^{-1}y^{-1} + y^{-1}z^{-1} + z^{-1}x^{-1}} = xyz$ [3]

iii) The daily wages of 50 workers in a factory are given below: [4]

| Daily wages (in rupees)	140–180	180–220	220–260	260–300	300–340	340–380
Number of workers	16	9	12	2	7	4

Construct a histogram to represent the above frequency distribution.

Question 7

i) In triangle ABC, AD is perpendicular to BC. sin B = 0.6, BD = 8 cm and tan C = 1. Find the length of AB, AD, AC and DC. [5]

ii) Find the perimeter and area of a quadrilateral ABCD in which BC = 12 cm, CD = 9 cm, BD = 15 cm, DA = 17 CM and ∠ABD = 90°. [5]

Question 8

i) In the figure, equilateral triangle EDC surmounts square ABCD. If ∠DEB = x, then find the value of x. [3]
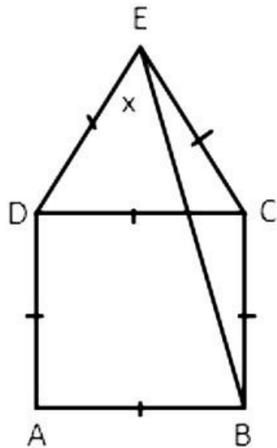
ii) The lengths of two parallel chords of a circle are 6 cm and 8 cm. If the smaller chord is at a distance 4 cm from the centre, what is the distance of the other chord from the centre? [3]

iii) A wooden bookshelf has external dimensions as follows:

Height = 110 cm, breadth = 25 cm, length = 85 cm.
The thickness of the plank is 5 cm everywhere. The external faces are to be polished, and the inner faces are to be painted. If the rate of polishing is 20 paise per cm² and the rate of painting is 10 paise per cm², find the total expenses required for polishing and painting the surface of the bookshelf. [4]
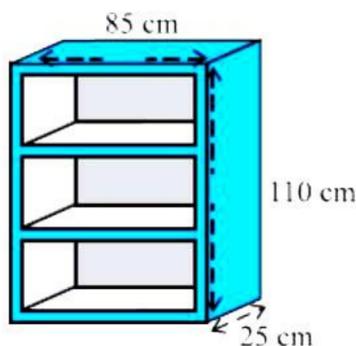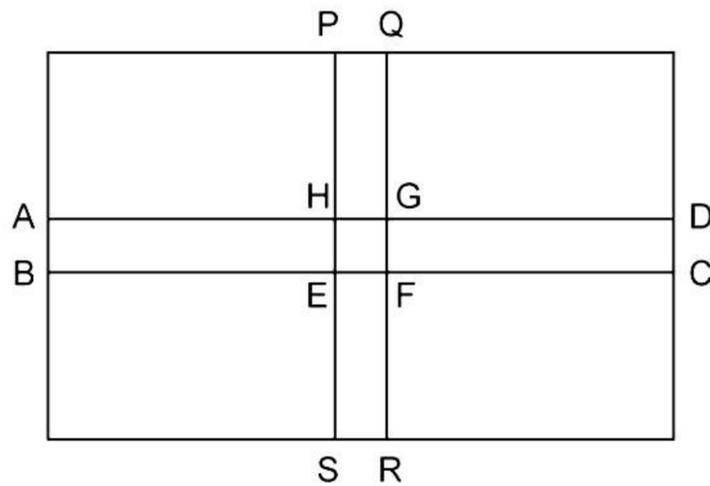

Question 9

i) The bisectors of ∠B and ∠C of an isosceles triangle with AB = AC intersect each other at a point O. BO is produced to meet AC at a point M. Prove that ∠MOC = ∠ABC. [3]

ii) In the given figure, O is a point in the interior of square ABCD such that ΔOAB is an equilateral triangle. Show that ΔOCD is an isosceles triangle. [3]
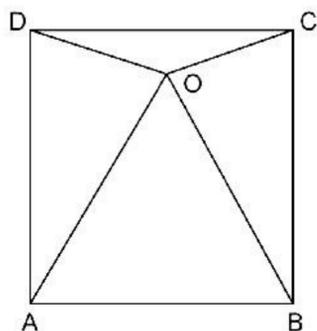
iii) A rectangular lawn, 75 m by 60 m, has two roads, each road 4 m wide, running through the middle of the lawn, one parallel to the length and the other parallel to the breadth, as shown in the figure. Find the cost of gravelling the roads at Rs. 50 per m². [4]

Question 10

i) Find the area of the four walls and the ceiling of a room whose length is 10 m, breadth is 8 m and height is 5 m. Also find the cost of whitewashing the walls and ceiling at the rate of Rs. 15 per m². [3]

ii) Find the point on the x-axis which is equidistant from the points A(2, –5) and B(–2, 9). [3]

iii) Solve the following simultaneous equations using the graphical method: [4]
2x + 3y = 2 and x – 2y = 8

Solution

Solution 1

i) Correct option: (a)

Explanation:

$\left(3+\sqrt{3}\right)\left(3-\sqrt{3}\right)=9-3=6,$ Which is a rational number.

ii) Correct option: (b)

Explanation:

$$\text{Amount} = P\left(1+\frac{R}{100}\right)^{n}$$

$$= 10000\left(1+\frac{8}{100}\right)^{1}$$

$$= \text{Rs. } 10800$$

iii) Correct option: (c)

Explanation:

Given: a − b = 1 and ab = 6

Now, $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab = (a - b)^2 + 4ab = 1 + 24 = 25$

Therefore, a + b = 5

iv) Correct option: (a)

Explanation:

3ax − 6ay − 8by + 4bx

= 3a(x − 2y) + 4b(x − 2y)

= (x − 2y)(3a + 4b)

So, the factors are (x − 2y) and (3a + 4b).

v) Correct option: (a)

Explanation:

Let the cost of one pen be Rs. x and the cost of one pencil be Rs. y.

The first situation can be represented as

11x + 19y = 502

The second situation can be represented as

19x + 11y = 758

vi) Correct option: (d)

Explanation:

$(81)^x = 3^{12}$

$(3^4)^x = 3^{12}$

$3^{4x} = 3^{12}$

$\Rightarrow 4x = 12$

$\Rightarrow x = 3$

vii) Correct option: (d)

Explanation:

For two congruent triangles, all its corresponding parts are equal.

viii) Correct option: (a)

Explanation:

Statement 1:

Here, $3^2 + 4^2 = 9 + 16 = 25 = 5^2$

So, the sides measuring 3 cm, 4 cm, 5 cm can form a right-angled triangle.

Statement 2:

Here, $4^2 + 7^2 = 16 + 49 = 65$

But $9^2 = 81 \neq 65$

Hypotenuse is the longest side.

So, the sides measuring 4 cm, 7 cm, 9 cm cannot form a right-angled triangle.

ix) Correct option: (c)

Explanation:

Given: AB = 8 cm

Since, the perpendicular from the centre of a circle to a chord bisects the chord.

$\Rightarrow$ LB = ½ AB = 4 cm

x)   Correct option: (d)

Explanation:

Arranging in ascending order: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 9

So, the median for odd number of observations = middlemost observation = 4

xi) Correct option: (c)

Explanation:

Class mark = (Upper class limit + Lower class limit)/2 = (60 + 70)/2 = 65

xii) Correct option: (d)

Explanation:

Cost of the sheet of area 1 m^2 = Rs. 20

Cost of the sheet of area 5.45 m^2 = Rs. (5.45 × 20) = Rs. 109

So, the cost of making the box of area 5.45 m^2 is Rs. 109.

xiii) Correct option: (b)

Explanation:

We know that, sec (90° – x) = cosec x

⇒ cosec x = 2

⇒ cosec x = cosec 30°

⇒ x = 30°

xiv) Correct option: (d)

Explanation:

When two ordered pairs are equal, their first components are equal and their second components are separately equal.

Since, (3x + 1, 2y – 7) = (10, –11) ⇒ 3x + 1 = 10 and 2y – 7 = –11

⇒ 3x = 9 and 2y = –4

⇒ x = 3 and y = –2

xv) Correct option: (b)

Explanation:

We know that, distance between two points (x_1, x_2) and (y_1, y_2) is given by

$$\sqrt{\left(x_1 - x_2\right)^2 + \left(y_1 - y_2\right)^2}$$

So, the reason is true.

$$AB = \sqrt{\left(9 - (-6)\right)^2 + \left(-12 - (-4)\right)^2} = \sqrt{(15)^2 + (-8)^2} = \sqrt{225 + 64} = \sqrt{289} = 17 \text{ units}$$

Thus, the assertion is false.

Solution 2

i) Here, n = 2 years, R = 12% and C.I. – S.I. = 216

Compound interest $= P\left(1 + \dfrac{R}{100}\right)^n - P$

$$= P\left[\left(1 + \dfrac{R}{100}\right)^n - 1\right]$$

$$= P\left[\left(1 + \dfrac{12}{100}\right)^2 - 1\right]$$

$$= P\left[\left(\dfrac{112}{100}\right)^2 - 1\right]$$

$$= \dfrac{2544P}{10000} \quad \text{...(i)}$$

Simple interest $= \dfrac{P \times R \times N}{100} = \dfrac{P \times 12 \times 2}{100} = \dfrac{24P}{100} \quad \text{...(ii)}$

C.I. – S.I. = 216 ... (given)

$$\frac{2544P}{10000} - \frac{24P}{100} = 216 \quad \text{... from (i) and (ii)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2544P - 2400P}{10000} = 216$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{144P}{10000} = 216$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \text{Rs. } 15000$$

Therefore, the sum is Rs. 15,000.

ii) $\dfrac{3}{4}x - \dfrac{2}{3}y = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{9x - 8y}{12} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 9x - 8y = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{12 + 8y}{9} \qquad \text{.....(i)}$$

$$\frac{3}{8}x - \frac{1}{6}y = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{9x - 4y}{24} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 9x - 4y = 24 \quad \text{.....(ii)}$$

Putting the value of x from (i) in equation (ii), we get

$$9x - 4y = 24$$

$$\Rightarrow 9\left(\frac{12 + 8y}{9}\right) - 4y = 24$$

$$\Rightarrow 12 + 8y - 4y = 24$$

$$\Rightarrow 12 + 4y = 24$$

$$\Rightarrow 4y = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 3$$

Put y = 3 in the equation (i), we get
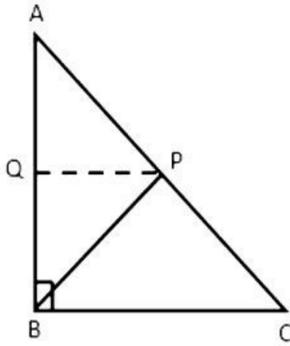
$$x = \frac{12 + 8y}{9} = \frac{12 + 8 \times 3}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{36}{9} = 4$$

Hence, the solution is x = 4 and y = 3.

iii) Given: In ΔABC, ∠B = 90° and P is the mid-point of AC.

To prove: BP = ½ AC

Construction: Draw a straight line parallel to BC through P to meet AB in Q.

Proof:

PQ || BC and P is the mid-point of AC.

⇒ Q bisects AB   (Converse of mid-point theorem)

In ΔAQP and ΔBQP,

AQ = QB   (Q is the mid-point of AB)

∠AQP = ∠BQP = 90°   (BC ⊥ AB and QP || BC; hence, QP ⊥ AB)

QP = QP   (common)

⇒ ΔAQP ≅ ΔBQP   (By SAS congruence)

⇒ BP = AP   (c.p.c.t.)

⇒ BP = ½ AC   (P is the mid-point of AC)

Solution 3

i) In ΔABC, ∠ACB = 90°.

By Pythagoras' theorem, we get

$AB^2 = AC^2 + BC^2$

$\Rightarrow c^2 = b^2 + a^2$ ... (i)

Since CD is perpendicular to AB,

$\Rightarrow$ Area of a ΔABC $= \dfrac{1}{2} \times AB \times CD$ ... (ii)

Since ∠ACB = 90°,

$\Rightarrow$ Area of ΔABC $= \dfrac{1}{2} \times BC \times AC$ ... (iii)

From (ii) and (iii), we get

$\dfrac{1}{2} \times AB \times CD = \dfrac{1}{2} \times BC \times AC$

$\Rightarrow \dfrac{1}{2} cp = \dfrac{1}{2} ab$

$\Rightarrow c = \dfrac{ab}{p}$

Substituting the value of c in equation (i), we get

$c^2 = b^2 + a^2$
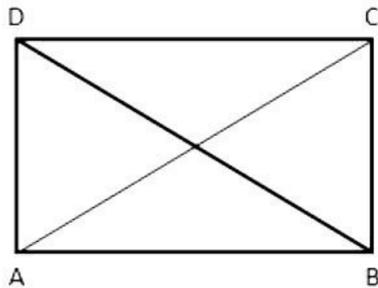
$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{ab}{p}\right)^2 = b^2 + a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{b^2 + a^2}{a^2 b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{b^2}{a^2 b^2} + \frac{a^2}{a^2 b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}$$

Hence proved.

ii) Given: In parallelogram ABCD, AC = BD
To prove: Parallelogram ABCD is a rectangle.

Proof:

In ΔABC and ΔBAD,

AB = AB	(Common)
BC = AD	(Opposite sides of a parallelogram)
AC = BD	(given)
$\Rightarrow$ ΔABC $\cong$ ΔBAD	(SSS congruence)
$\Rightarrow \angle B = \angle A$	(i) (c.p.c.t.)
$\angle B + \angle A = 180°$	(ii) (Co-interior angles)
$\Rightarrow 2\angle A = 180°$	[from (i)]
$\Rightarrow \angle A = 90°$	
$\Rightarrow \angle B = 90°$	
$\Rightarrow \angle C = 90°$ and $\angle D = 90°$	... (Opposite angles of a parallelogram are equal)

Since, all the angles are right angles and opposite sides are equal and parallel, parallelogram ABCD is a rectangle.

iii)

A.

$$\frac{6.67 \times 6.67 \times 6.67 + 5.33 \times 5.33 \times 5.33}{6.67 \times 6.67 - 6.67 \times 5.33 + 5.33 \times 5.33}$$

$$= \frac{(6.67)^3 + (5.33)^3}{(6.67)^2 - 6.67 \times 5.33 + (5.33)^2}$$

Since $a^3 + b^3 = (a + b)\left(a^2 - ab + b^2\right)$

$$= \frac{(6.67 + 5.33)\left[(6.67)^2 - 6.67 \times 5.33 + (5.33)^2\right]}{(6.67)^2 - 6.67 \times 5.33 + (5.33)^2}$$

$$= 12$$

B.

$$\frac{(18.5)^2 - (6.5)^2}{18.5 + 6.5}$$

$$= \frac{(18.5 - 6.5)(18.5 + 6.5)}{18.5 + 6.5} \qquad \left[\text{since } a^2 - b^2 = (a - b)(a + b)\right]$$

$$= (18.5 - 6.5)$$

$$= 12$$

Section B

Solution 4

i)

$$\dfrac{-3}{8} \text{ and } \dfrac{1}{4}$$

L.C.M. (4, 8) = 8

Now, $\dfrac{1}{4} = \dfrac{1 \times 2}{4 \times 2} = \dfrac{2}{8}$

We know that $\dfrac{-3}{8} < \dfrac{2}{8}$

and $\dfrac{-3}{8} < \dfrac{-2}{8} < \dfrac{-1}{8} < 0 < \dfrac{1}{8} < \dfrac{2}{8} = \dfrac{1}{4}$

Therefore the three rational numbers between $\dfrac{-3}{8}$ and $\dfrac{1}{4}$ are $\dfrac{-2}{8}, \dfrac{-1}{8}$ and $\dfrac{1}{8}$.

ii) Let the original cost of the machine = Rs. 100

∴ Depreciation during the 1ˢᵗ year = 10% of Rs. 100 = Rs. 10

Value of the machine at the beginning of the 2ⁿᵈ year = 100 – 10 = Rs. 90

∴ Depreciation during the 2ⁿᵈ year = 10% of Rs. 90 = Rs. 9

Now, when depreciation during the 2ⁿᵈ year is Rs. 9, original cost = Rs. 100

⇒ When depreciation during the 2ⁿᵈ year is Rs. 2952,

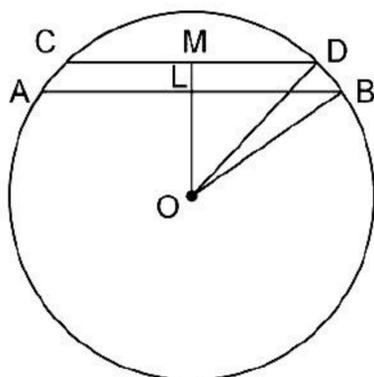original cost = $\dfrac{100}{9} \times 2952 = $ Rs. 32800

iii)

A.

Let AB and CD be two chords of a circle which are on the
same side of the circle such that AB || CD. Also AB = 8 cm
and CD = 6 cm. OB = OD = 5 cm. Join OL and LM.
Since the perpendicular from the centre of a circle to a chord
bisects the chord.

We have, $LB = \frac{1}{2} \times AB = \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 8\right) cm = 4\ cm$

And, $MD = \frac{1}{2} \times CD = \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 6\right) cm = 3\ cm$

Now in right-angled ΔOLB,

$OB^2 = LB^2 + LO^2$

$\Rightarrow LO^2 = OB^2 - LB^2 = 5^2 - 4^2 = 25 - 16 = 9$

$\therefore LO = \sqrt{9} = 3\ cm$

Again in right-angled ΔOMD,

$OD^2 = MD^2 + MO^2$

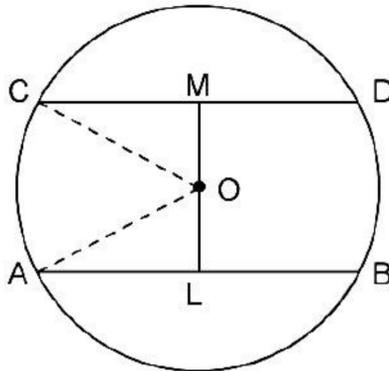$\Rightarrow MO^2 = OD^2 - MD^2 = 5^2 - 3^2 = 25 - 9 = 16$

$\Rightarrow MO = \sqrt{16} = 4\ cm$

$\therefore$ The distance between the chords $= OM - OL = (4 - 3)\ cm = 1\ cm$

B.

Let AB and CD be two chords of a circle which are on the
opposite sides of the circle such that AB || CD.
Also AB = 8 cm and CD = 6 cm.
Draw OL ^ AB and OM ^ CD.

Join OA and OC

Then $OA = OC = 5\ cm$ (radius)

Since the perpendicular from the centre of a circle to a chord
bisects the chord, we have,

$AL = \frac{1}{2} AB = \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 8\right) cm = 4\ cm$

Also, $CM = \frac{1}{2} CD = \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 6\right) cm = 3\ cm$

Now in right-angled ΔOLA,

$OA^2 = AL^2 + OL^2$

$\Rightarrow OL^2 = OA^2 - AL^2 = 5^2 - 4^2 = 25 - 16 = 9 \text{ cm}$

$\therefore OL = \sqrt{9} = 3 \text{ cm}$

Again in right-angled ΔOMC,

$OC^2 = OM^2 + CM^2$

$\Rightarrow OM^2 = OC^2 - CM^2 = 5^2 - 3^2 = 25 - 9 = 16$

$\Rightarrow OM = \sqrt{16} = 4 \text{ cm}$

$\therefore$ Distance between the chords $= OM + OL = (4 + 3) \text{ cm} = 7 \text{ cm}$

Solution 5

i) $a^3 + b^3 = (a + b)(a^2 - ab + b^2)$

$= (a + b)(a^2 + b^2 + 2ab - 3ab)$

$= (a + b)[(a + b)^2 - 3ab]$

$= 6[6^2 - 3 \times 5]$

$= 126$

ii) Since $-17 + 3 = -14$ and $(-17) \times 3 = -51$,

$\therefore x^4 - 14x^2y^2 - 51y^4 = x^4 - 17x^2y^2 + 3x^2y^2 - 51y^4$

$= x^2(x^2 - 17y^2) + 3y^2(x^2 - 17y^2)$

$= (x^2 - 17y^2)(x^2 + 3y^2)$

$= (x - \sqrt{17}\,y)(x + \sqrt{17}\,y)(x^2 + 3y^2)$

iii) Mean = 20 and number of observations = 5

$\text{Mean} = \dfrac{\text{sum of all the observations}}{\text{number of observations}}$

$\Rightarrow$ sum of all the observations $= 20 \times 5 = 100$

If one number is excluded, then the mean of the remaining numbers becomes 23.

Let the excluded observation be x.

$\Rightarrow$ New mean = 23

$\Rightarrow$ Now, number of observations = 4

$\Rightarrow$ Sum of all the observations = 100 – x

$\therefore 23 = \dfrac{100 - x}{4}$

$\Rightarrow 23 \times 4 = 100 - x$

$\Rightarrow 92 = 100 - x$

$\Rightarrow x = 8$

Therefore, the excluded observation is 8.

Solution 6

i) $23x - 29y = 98$ ...(i)

$29x - 23y = 110$ ...(ii)

Adding (i) and (ii), we get

$52x - 52y = 208$

$\Rightarrow x - y = 4$ ...(iii)

Subtracting (i) from (ii), we get

$6x + 6y = 12$

$\Rightarrow x + y = 2$ ...(iv)

Adding (iii) and (iv), we get

$2x = 6$

$\Rightarrow x = 3$

Putting $x = 3$ in (iv), we get

$x + y = 2$

$\Rightarrow 3 + y = 2$

$\Rightarrow y = -1$

Hence, the solution is $x = 3$ and $y = -1$.

ii)

$$L.H.S. = \frac{x + y + z}{x^{-1}y^{-1} + y^{-1}z^{-1} + z^{-1}x^{-1}}$$

$$= \frac{x + y + z}{\dfrac{1}{xy} + \dfrac{1}{yz} + \dfrac{1}{xz}}$$

$$= \frac{xyz(x + y + z)}{(x + y + z)}$$

$$= xyz$$

$$= R.H.S.$$

iii) Given frequency distribution is as below:

| Daily wages (in rupees)	140–180	180–220	220–260	260–300	300–340	340–380
Number of workers	16	9	12	2	7	4

STEPS:

1. Taking suitable scales, mark the class intervals, i.e. daily wages (in Rs.) on the x-axis.

2. Construct rectangles with class intervals as bases and the corresponding frequencies as heights.

3. Since the scale on the x-axis starts at 140, a kink (break) or a zigzag curve is shown near the origin to indicate that the graph is drawn to scale beginning at 140 and not at the origin itself.
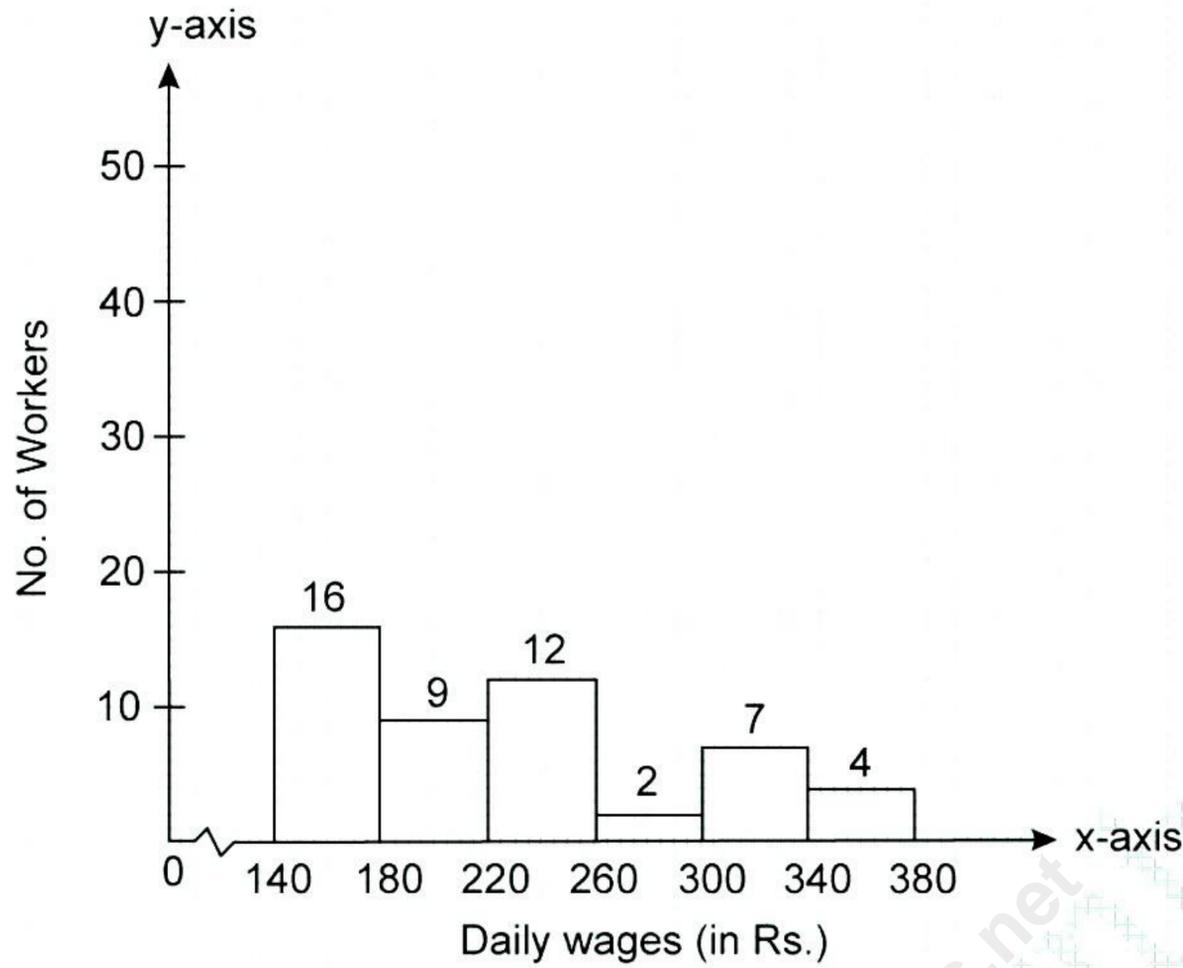
Solution 7

i) Consider the figure below.
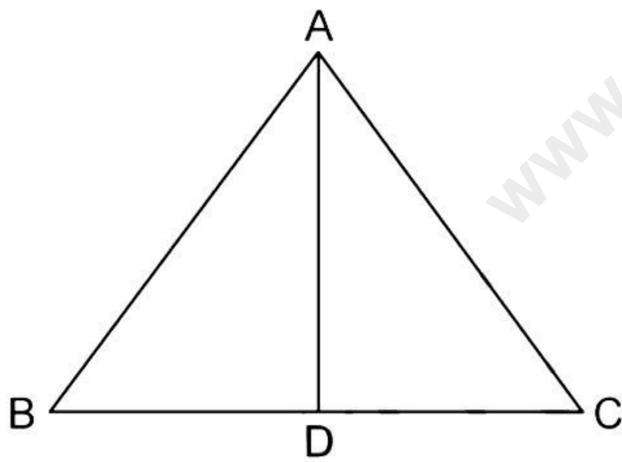
$$\sin B = 0.6 = \frac{6}{10} = \frac{3}{5}$$

i.e. $\dfrac{\text{perpendicular}}{\text{hypotenuse}} = \dfrac{AD}{AB} = \dfrac{3}{5}$

Therefore, if the length of the perpendicular = 3x, then the length of the hypotenuse = 5x

Since, $AD^2 + BD^2 = AB^2$ ... By Pythagoras theorem

$\Rightarrow BD^2 = AB^2 - AD^2$

$\Rightarrow BD^2 = (5x)^2 - (3x)^2$

$\Rightarrow BD^2 = 16x^2$

$\Rightarrow BD = 4x$

Now, BD = 8 cm

$\Rightarrow 4x = 8$ cm

$\Rightarrow x = 2$ cm

Therefore, AB = 5x = 5 × 2 = 10 cm

And, AD = 3x = 3 × 2 = 6 cm

Again, $\tan C = \dfrac{1}{1}$

i.e. $\dfrac{\text{perpendicular}}{\text{base}} = \dfrac{AD}{DC} = \dfrac{1}{1}$

Therefore, if the length of the perpendicular = y, the length of the base = y
Now,

$AD^2 + DC^2 = AC^2$ ... [Using Pythagoras Theorem]

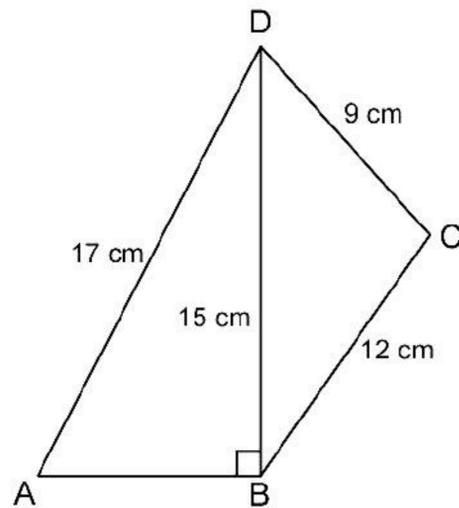$(y)^2 + (y)^2 = AC^2$

$AC^2 = 2y^2$

$\therefore AC = \sqrt{2}y$

Now, AD = 6 cm

$\Rightarrow y = 6$ cm

Therefore, DC = y = 6 cm

And, $AC = \sqrt{2}y = \sqrt{2} \times 6 = 6\sqrt{2}$ cm

ii)

In ΔABD, by Pythagoras' theorem,

AB² = AD² − BD² = 17² − 15² = 289 − 225 = 64 cm²

$\Rightarrow$ AB = 8 cm

$\therefore$ Perimeter of quadrilateral ABCD = AB + BC + CD + AD

$$= 8 + 12 + 9 + 17$$
$$= 46 \text{ cm}$$

Now,

$A(\Delta ABD) = \dfrac{1}{2} \times AB \times BD = \dfrac{1}{2} \times 8 \times 15 = 60 \text{ cm}^2$

In ΔBCD, BC = 12 cm, CD = 9 cm and BD = 15 cm

Let a = 12 cm, b = 9 cm and c = 15 cm

Semi-perimeter, $s = \dfrac{a+b+c}{2} = \dfrac{12+9+15}{2}$

$$= \dfrac{36}{2} = 18 \text{ cm}$$

$\therefore$ Area of ΔBCD $= \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$

$$= \sqrt{18(18-12)(18-9)(18-15)}$$

$$= \sqrt{18 \times 6 \times 9 \times 3}$$

$$= \sqrt{6 \times 3 \times 6 \times 9 \times 3}$$

$$= 6 \times 3 \times 3$$

$$= 54 \text{ cm}^2$$

Thus, the area of quadrilateral ABCD

= A(ΔABD) + A(ΔBCD)

= (60 + 54) cm²

= 114 cm²

Solution 8

i) ΔEDC is an equilateral triangle.

$\Rightarrow \angle$DEC = 60°

$\angle$CEB + $\angle$BED = 60°

$\angle$CEB = 60° – x $\qquad\qquad$ ($\because \angle$BED = x)

ABCD is a square.

$\angle$BCD = 90° and $\angle$ECD = 60°

$\angle$BCE = $\angle$BCD + $\angle$ECD = 150°

In ΔBCE,

$\angle$BCE + $\angle$CEB + $\angle$EBC = 180°

$\therefore$ 150° + 60° – x + 60° – x = 180°

$\therefore$ 270° – 2x = 180°

$\therefore$ 2x = 270° – 180°

$\therefore$ 2x = 90°

$\therefore$ x = 45°

ii)
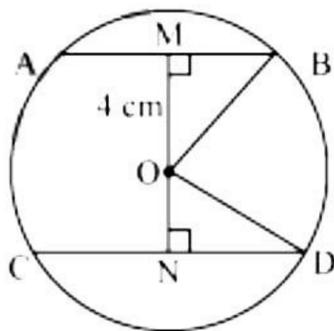
Let AB and CD be two parallel chords in a circle with centre at O. Join OB and OD.

Distance of the smaller chord AB from the centre of the circle = 4 cm

OM = 4 cm

$MB = \dfrac{AB}{2} = \dfrac{6}{2} = 3$ cm

In ΔOMB,

$OM^2 + MB^2 = OB^2$

$(4)^2 + (3)^2 = OB^2$

$16 + 9 = OB^2$

$OB = \sqrt{25}$

$OB = 5$ cm

In ΔOND,

$OD = OB = 5$ cm   (radii of the same circle)

$ND = \dfrac{CD}{2} = \dfrac{8}{2} = 4$ cm

$ON^2 + ND^2 = OD^2$

$ON^2 + (4)^2 = (5)^2$

$ON^2 = 25 - 16 = 9$

$ON = 3$ cm

So, the distance of the bigger chord from the centre is 3 cm.

iii) <u>Polishing expense</u>

External length (l) of the bookshelf = 85 cm

External breadth (b) of the bookshelf = 25 cm

External height (h) of the bookshelf = 110 cm

External surface area of the shelf while leaving the front face of the shelf

= lh + 2(lb + bh)

= [85 × 110 + 2(85 × 25 + 25 × 110)] cm²

= [9350 + 2(2125 + 2750)] cm²

= [9350 + 9750] cm²

= 19100 cm²

Area of the front face

= [85 × 110 – 75 × 100 + 2(75 × 5)] cm²

= [9350 – 7500 + 750] cm²

= 2600 cm²

Area to be polished

= (19100 + 2600) cm²

= 21700 cm²

Cost of polishing 1 cm² area = 20 paise = Rs. 0.20

Cost of polishing 21700 cm² area = Rs. (21700 × 0.20) = Rs. 4340

Painting expense

Height of the bookshelf = 3 × height of open part + 4 × thickness

110 = 3h + 4 × 5

3h = 90 ⇒ h = 30 cm

Now, length (l), breadth (b) and height (h) of each row of the bookshelf are 75 cm, 20 cm and 30 cm, respectively.

Area to be painted in 1 row

= 2(l + h)b + lh

= [2(75 + 30) × 20 + 75 × 30] cm²

= (4200 + 2250) cm²

= 6450 cm²

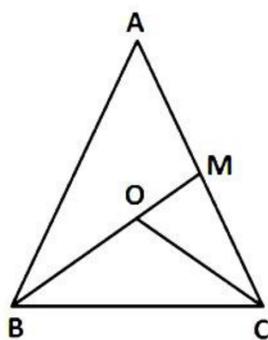Area to be painted in 3 rows = (3 × 6450) cm² = 19350 cm²

Cost of painting 1 cm² area = Rs. 0.10

Cost of painting 19350 cm² area = Rs. (19350 × 0.10) = Rs. 1935

Total expense required for polishing and painting the surface of the bookshelf

= Rs. (4340 + 1935) = Rs. 6275

Solution 9

i)

In ΔABC, AB = AC

$\Rightarrow \angle ABC = \angle ACB$ (ΔABC is an isosceles triangle)

$\Rightarrow \dfrac{1}{2} \angle ABC = \dfrac{1}{2} \angle ACB$

$\Rightarrow \angle OBC = \angle OCB$ ... (i)   (OB and OC are bisectors)

Now, by the exterior angle property,

$\angle MOC = \angle OBC + \angle OCB$

$\Rightarrow \angle MOC = 2\angle OBC$ [From (i)]

$\Rightarrow \angle MOC = \angle ABC$ (OB is the bisector of ∠ABC)

ii) ΔOAB is an equilateral triangle.

$\Rightarrow \angle OAB = \angle OBA = AOB = 60°$

ABCD is a square.

$\Rightarrow \angle A = \angle B = \angle C = \angle D = 90°$

Now, $\angle A = \angle DAO + \angle OAB$

$\Rightarrow 90° = \angle DAO + 60°$

$\Rightarrow \angle DAO = 90° - 60° = 30°$

Similarly, $\angle CBO = 30°$

In $\triangle OAD$ and $\triangle OBC$,

AD = BC   (sides of a square ABCD)

$\angle DAO = \angle CBO = 30°$

OA = OB   (sides of an equilateral $\triangle OAB$)

$\therefore \triangle OAD \cong \triangle OBC$ (by SAS congruence)

$\Rightarrow$ OD = OC   (c.p.c.t.)

Hence, $\triangle OCD$ is an isosceles triangle.

iii) For road ABCD, i.e. for rectangle ABCD,

Length = 75 m

Breadth = 4 m

Area of road ABCD = Length × breadth = 75 m × 4 m = 300 m²

For road PQRS, i.e. for rectangle PQRS,

Length = 60 m

Breadth = 4 m

Area of road PQRS = Length × Breadth = 60 m × 4 m = 240 m²

For road EFGH, i.e. for square EFGH,

Side = 4 m

Area of road EFGH = (Side)² = (4)² = 16 m²

Total area of road for gravelling

= Area of road ABCD + Area of road PQRS – Area of road EFGH

= (300 + 240 – 16) m²

= 524 m²

Cost of gravelling the road = Rs. 50 per m²

$\therefore$ Cost of gravelling 524 m² road = Rs. (50 × 524) = Rs. 26,200

Solution 10

i) For the given cuboidal room,

l = 10 m, b = 8 m and h = 5 m

Area of four walls and the ceiling

= Lateral surface area of a cuboid + Area of the top of a cuboid

= 2h(l + b) + (l × b)

= 2 × 5(10 + 8) + (10 × 8)

= 10(18) + 80

= 180 + 80

= 260 m²

Cost of whitewashing 1 m² area = Rs. 15

∴ Cost of whitewashing 260 m² area = Rs. (15 × 260) = Rs. 3900

Thus, the area of four walls and the ceiling is 260 m², and the cost of whitewashing is Rs. 3900.

ii) Let the required point on the x-axis be C(x, 0).

It is given that C(x, 0) is equidistant from A(2, –5) and B(–2, 9).

$\Rightarrow$ AC = AB

The distance between the given points $= \sqrt{\left(x_2 - x_1\right)^2 + \left(y_2 - y_1\right)^2}$

$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\left(2 - x\right)^2 + \left(-5 - 0\right)^2} = \sqrt{\left(-2 - x\right)^2 + \left(9 - 0\right)^2}$

$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\left(2 - x\right)^2 + 25} = \sqrt{\left(-2 - x\right)^2 + 81}$

Taking square root on both the sides, we get

$\Rightarrow \left(2 - x\right)^2 + 25 = \left[-\left(2 + x\right)\right]^2 + 81$

$\Rightarrow 4 - 4x + x^2 + 25 = 4 + 4x + x^2 + 81$

$\Rightarrow 8x = 29 - 85$

$\Rightarrow 8x = -56$

$\Rightarrow x = -7$

∴ The required point on the x-axis = (–7, 0).

iii)

  i. 2x + 3y = 2

  $\Rightarrow x = \dfrac{2 - 3y}{2}$

  When y = 2 $\Rightarrow x = \dfrac{2 - 3 \times 2}{2} = \dfrac{2 - 6}{2} = \dfrac{-4}{2} = -2$

  When y = 0 $\Rightarrow x = \dfrac{2 - 3 \times (0)}{2} = \dfrac{2}{2} = 1$

  When y = –2 $\Rightarrow x = \dfrac{2 - 3 \times (-2)}{2} = \dfrac{2 + 6}{2} = \dfrac{8}{2} = 4$

x	–2	1	4
y	2	0	–2

  1. Plot the points (–2, 2), (1, 0), (4, –2) on the graph paper, taking 1 cm = 1 unit on both axes.

  2. Draw a straight line AB passing through the points plotted.
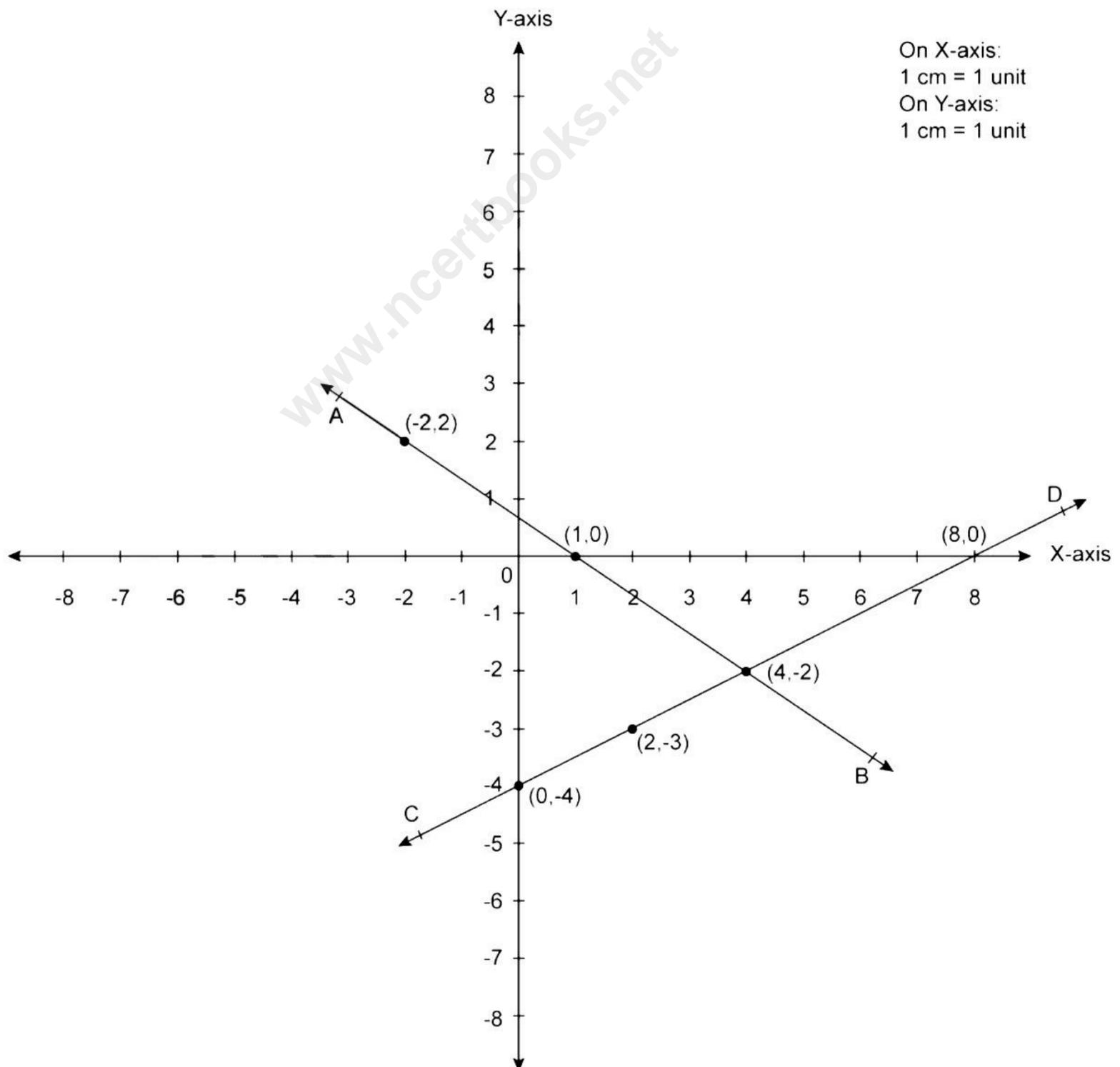
ii. x – 2y = 8

⇒ x = 8 + 2y

When y = –3 ⇒ x = 8 + 2(–3) = 8 – 6 = 2

When y = –4 ⇒ x = 8 + 2(–4) = 8 – 8 = 0

When y = 0 ⇒ x = 8 + 2(0) = 8

x	2	0	8
y	–3	–4	0

1. Plot the points (2, –3), (0, –4), (8, 0) on the graph paper, taking 1 cm = 1 unit on both the axes.

2. Draw a straight line CD passing through the points plotted.

From the graph, lines AB and CD intersect at point (4, –2).

⇒ The solution of the given simultaneous equations is (4, –2).