

SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (SAT) SOLUTION

1. C

$$x^2 + (x + 1)^2 = 145$$

$$x^2 + (x^2 + 2x + 1) = 145$$

$$2x^2 + 2x - 144 = 0$$

$$x^2 + x - 72 = 0$$

$$(x + 9)(x - 8) = 0$$

$$x = -9 \text{ or } x = 8$$

$$x = 8 \text{ \& } x + 1 = 9$$

2. D

$$\frac{22\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{4}} = 90$$

3. C

$$S = \{HH, HT, TH, TT\}$$

$$P = \frac{3}{4}$$

4. A

$$-1, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 5, 6, 8, 11$$

$$\text{Mean} = 4 = \text{Median}$$

5. B

$$\text{Distance} = \sqrt{(-2 - 3)^2 + (6 + 6)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{25 + 144}$$

$$= \sqrt{169}$$

$$= 13$$

6. (A)

$$a = 17, d = -2$$

$$S_n = 72$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}[2a + (n-1)d]$$

$$72 = \frac{n}{2}[2 \times 17 + (n-1)(-2)]$$

$$n^2 - 18n + 72 = 0$$

$$n = 6 \text{ OR } n = 12$$

7. A

$$\tan\theta + \cot\theta = 3$$

$$(\tan\theta + \cot\theta)^2 = 9$$

$$\tan^2\theta + \cot^2\theta + 2 = 9$$

$$\tan^2\theta + \cot^2\theta = 7$$

8. B

$$\sin\theta - 1 = 0$$

$$\sin\theta = 1$$

$$\sin\theta = \sin 90^\circ$$

$$\theta = 90^\circ$$

9. Circumference = $\frac{88 \times 100}{100} = 88$ cm

$$2\pi r = 88$$

$$2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times r = 88$$

$$(2r) = 88 \times \frac{7}{22}$$

$$d = 28$$
 cm

10. (D)

$$x^3 = 3^3 + 4^3 + 5^3$$

$$x^3 = 216$$

$$x = 6$$
 cm

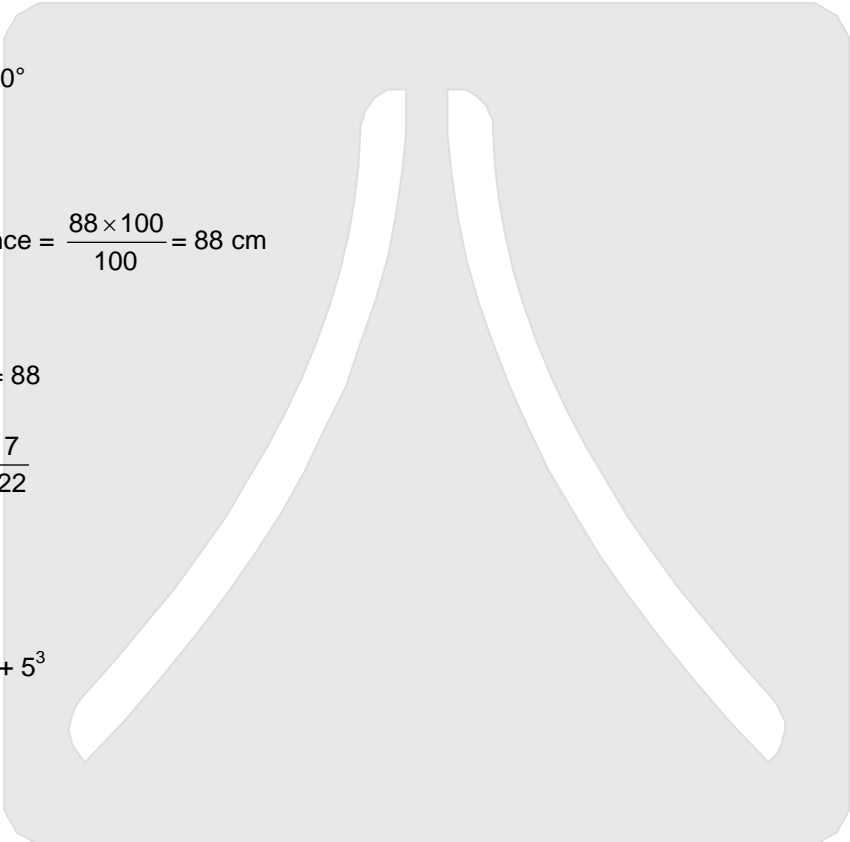
11. (D)

$$\text{Second polynomial} = \frac{x(x^3 - 9x)}{x^2 + 3x}$$

$$= \frac{x \cdot x(x^2 - 9)}{x(x + 3)}$$

$$= \frac{x(x + 3)(x - 3)}{(x + 3)}$$

$$= x(x - 3) = x^2 - 3x$$





12. (B)

Incorrect sum = $20 \times 135 = 2700$

Correct Sum = $2700 + 35 - 15 = 2720$

correct mean = $\frac{2720}{20} = 136$

13. (A)

Let n people complete the work in 20 days If the work is halved

Then n people take 10 days

so 2n people take 5 days

14. (C)

$3\sqrt{3} \times 3^3 \div 3^{-3/2} = 3^{a+2}$

$3^{1+\frac{1}{2}+3-(-\frac{3}{2})} = 3^{a+2}$

$6 = a + 2$

$a = 4$

15. (C)

$x = 90^\circ + \frac{1}{2} \angle A$

$x = 90^\circ + \frac{1}{2} \times 100^\circ$

$x = 140^\circ$

16.

$3A = 4B = 6C$

$\frac{3A}{12} = \frac{4B}{12} = \frac{6C}{12}$

$\frac{A}{4} = \frac{B}{3} = \frac{C}{2}$

$A : B : C = 4 : 3 : 2$

Ans. (D)

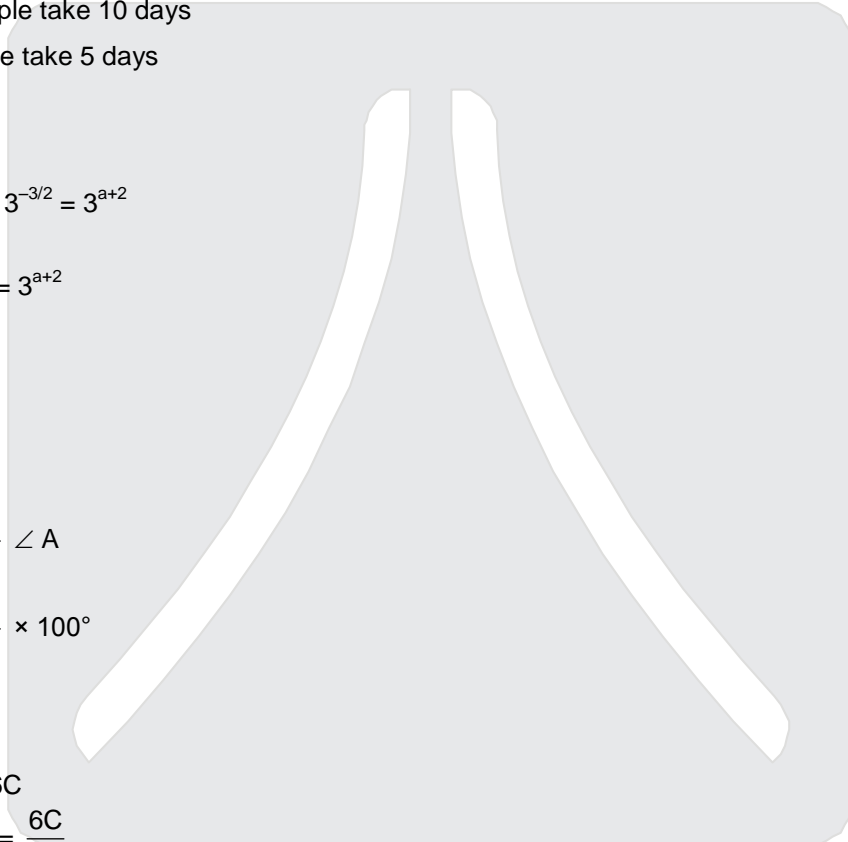
17. (C)

18. $a + b = 2$ (1)

$\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} = 2$

$\frac{a+b}{ab} = 2$

$\frac{2}{ab} = 2$



$$ab = 1 \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

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

$$= 2^3 - 3 \times 1 \times (2)$$

$$= 8 - 6$$

$$a^3 + b^3 = 2$$

Ans. (B)

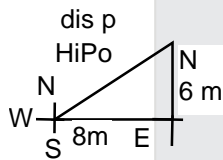
19. $OP^2 = OA^2 + AP^2$
 $10^2 = OA^2 + 8^2$
 $OA = 6 \text{ cm}$
 $OB = OA = 6 \text{ cm}$

Ans. (D)

20. $\frac{8}{40} \times 100 = 20\%$

Ans. (A)

22.



Using Pythagoras theorem –

$$H = \sqrt{B^2 + P^2}$$

$$\text{displacment} = \sqrt{8^2 + 6^2}$$

$$d = \sqrt{100} = 10 \text{ m}$$

Ans. [A]

23. $\text{Force} = \frac{\Delta p}{\Delta t} = \frac{p_t - p_i}{\Delta t} =$

$$F = \frac{\text{No of bullets} \times \text{mass} \times \text{vepo}}{\text{time}}$$

$$F = nmv$$

Ans. [B]

25. initial mom = P_i

momentum decrease by 10% then –

final mom $P_t = 0.9 P_i$

$$\% \text{ decrease in K.E.} = \frac{K_i - K_t}{K_i} \times 100\%$$

$$= \frac{P_i^2}{2m} - \frac{(0.9P_i)^2}{2m} \times 100\% = (1 - 0.81) \times 100\% = 19\%$$

Ans. [D]

27. Given –
 Glance angle of incidence = 30°
 So, angle of incidence = 60°
 By law of reflection –
 $\angle i = \angle r$
 Hence. $\angle r = 60^\circ$

Ans. [D]

31.

Req = $\frac{R}{n} = \frac{2}{2} = 1 \Omega$

Req = $1 + 1 = 2 \Omega$

$R_{PQ} = \frac{R}{n} = \frac{2}{2} = 1 \Omega$

Ans. [D]

34. (D) Increasing order of attraction between particles.

Oxygen(g) < Water(l) < Sugar (s)

35. (B) Colloidal solution will show tyndall effect.

e.g. → Milk, Gum, Starch solution etc.

- 36.. (C) Atomic No. = 12 Mg

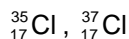
E.C. = 2, 8, 2

↑ ↑ ↑

K L M

M shell = $2e^-$

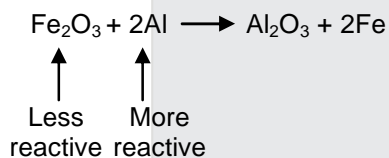
37. (A) Atomic number of chlorine is 17.



Number of neutron is (N) = A - Z

$$\begin{array}{cc} \uparrow & \uparrow \\ \text{Mass} & \text{Atomic} \\ \text{no.} & \text{no.} \\ 35-17, & 37-17 \\ = 18, & 20 \end{array}$$

38. (C) A more reactive metal can displace the less reactive metal from its salt solution.



This is an example of single displacement reaction.

39. (A) The aqueous solution of Na_2SO_4 will have a pH of 7 because this is a neutral salt solution. The solution of a strong acid & strong base is called a neutral salt solution.

40. (D) mass = mole \times Molar mass

$$\frac{\text{No. of molecule}}{N_A} \times \text{Molar mass}$$

$$= \frac{12.044 \times 10^{23}}{6.023 \times 10^{23}}$$

$$\boxed{\text{mass} = 64\text{g}}$$

41. Electronic configuration = 2,8,4

Element is = Si

for P-block element

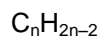
Group no. = 10 + outermost e^-

$$= 10 + 4 = 14 \text{ fourth group}$$

and third period.

42. (B)

Sol. General formula of Alkyne is



$$n = 3 \quad \text{C}_3\text{H}_4 \text{ (Propyne)}$$

43. (D)

Sol. The objective of Roasting is

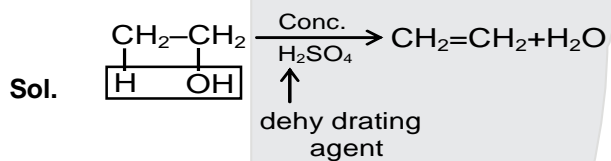
- (i) To oxidize it
- (ii) To remove Volatile matters

44. (C)

Sol. Transfer of e⁻ b/w Metallic & Non-metallic atom formed Electrovalent bond

NaCl

45. (A)



46. monomer units of Teflon is

tetra Fluoro ethene. (CF₂ = CF₂) [C₂F₄]

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