

10th - Maths

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2	A number is multiplied by 5. Then, 40 is subtracted from the product. The result obtained is then multiplied by 2 and 50 subtracted from the product so obtained. The answer is a two-digit number. What is the largest integer that can be used to get a two-digit number as the answer?												
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Richa purchases 37 pairs of bangles with stones and 33 pairs of bangles without stones.

She divides them into two sets. Set 1 contains 40 pairs of bangles, and set 2 contains 30 pairs of bangles.

What is the difference between the number of bangle pairs with stones in set 1 and the number of bangle pairs without stones in set 2?

☐ (a) 4

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☐ (d) 30

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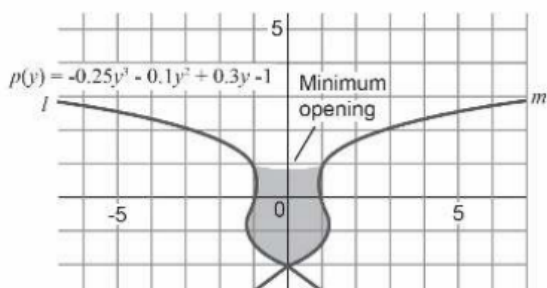
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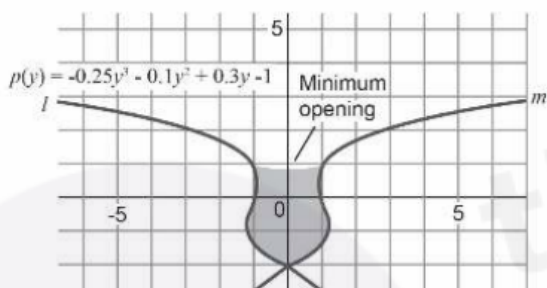
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The curve m is a mirror image of p(y) on the y axis. Which polynomial represents curve m?

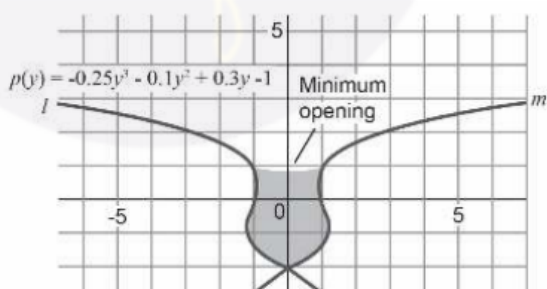
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☒ (c) $0.25y^3 + 0.1y^2 - 0.3y + 1$

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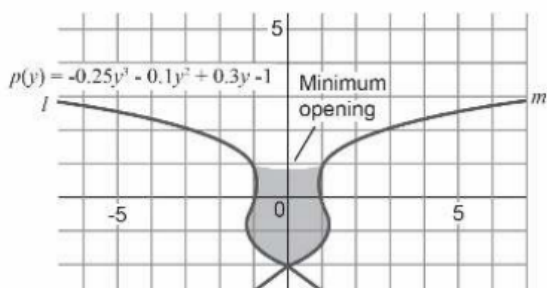
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Sara changes the coefficient of y^3 in the polynomials for the curves l and m. How does it affect the shape of the flowerpot?

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Amit wants to decrease the minimum opening of the flower pot. Which term of the polynomials for the curves l and m should he change?

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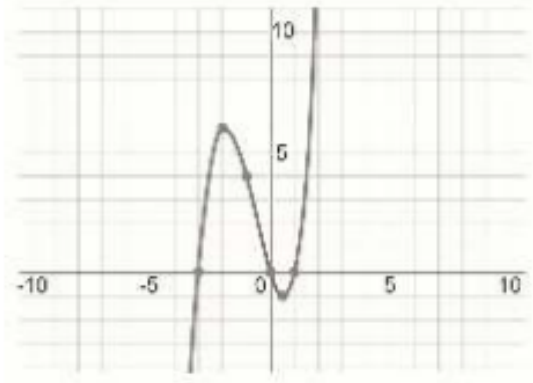
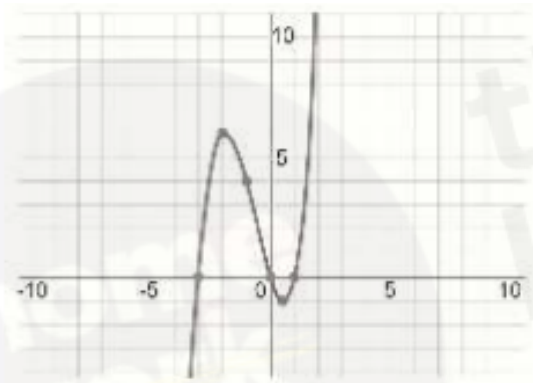
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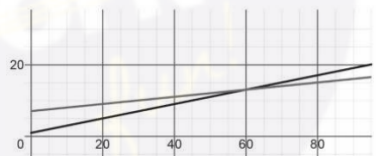
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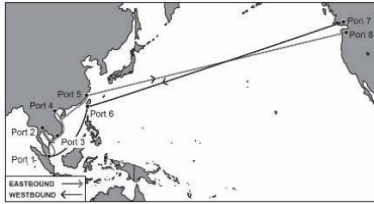
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Ajit decides that the height of the box should be lesser than its length and width. What are the possible range of values for x ?

17	 <p>A graph of a cubic polynomial is plotted on a graph paper. What is the sum of the roots of the polynomial?</p> <p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (a) 3 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (b) 4 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (c) -2 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (d) 2 </p>
18	 <p>A graph of a cubic polynomial is plotted on a graph paper. The graph of a polynomial shows it is extended on both sides. What does it indicate about the values of the y co-ordinate?</p>
19	<p>A quadratic polynomial has integral roots. The sum of its roots is 7. Which of the following cannot be the constant term of the polynomial?</p> <p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (a) 6 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (b) 10 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (c) 12 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (d) 14 </p>
20	<p>A polynomial is given by $p(x) = x^3 - 2x^2 + \frac{3}{4}x$</p> <p>For what values of x is the polynomial $p(x) = 0$?</p>
21	<p>Tickets for a play can be booked online as well as purchased from the theatre. A 10% discount is available on online ticket purchase. Simran likes to watch plays. She purchased the ticket online for</p>

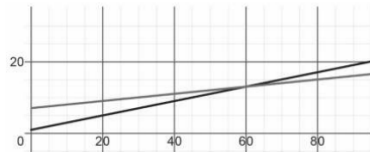
	<p>a play. The ticket and food cost her Rs 600. The cost of food was one-third the cost of the ticket. Simran purchased the ticket for a musical play from the theatre. How much can she spend on food in Rs 600?</p> <p> <input checked="" type="radio"/> (a) 200 <input checked="" type="radio"/> (b) 300 </p> <p> <input checked="" type="radio"/> (c) 100 <input checked="" type="radio"/> (d) 500 </p>
22	<p>A group of friends went to watch a play. Some of them purchased tickets online and some bought them at the theatre. If two more had purchased online tickets the total ticket price would be Rs 100 less. Is this true for any group greater than 2? Why?</p>
23	<p>In the theatre canteen, two packets of popcorn and a mango drink cost Rs 330. One packet of popcorn and two mango drinks cost Rs 300. What is the cost of the packet of popcorn?</p> <p> <input checked="" type="radio"/> (a) 100 <input checked="" type="radio"/> (b) 120 </p> <p> <input checked="" type="radio"/> (c) 150 <input checked="" type="radio"/> (d) 200 </p>
24	<p>Large cargo ships ferry cargo between ports. They take months to ferry them from one port to another. The distance in the sea is calculated in nautical miles (nm). The map shows the eastbound (grey) and westbound (black) cargo lines of a shipment company.</p>  <p>The distance between port 6 and port 7 is approximately 20 000 nm and a ship takes 95 days to travel between the ports in either direction.</p> <p>The distance-time graph drawn by Pooja shows the journey of eastbound and westbound ships.</p>  <p>What do the two axes in the graph show?</p>
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According to Pooja's graph, what is the approximate distance travelled by the eastbound ship during these 95 days?

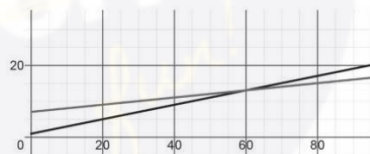
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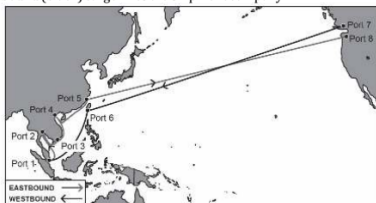
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Anish looks at the graph and claims that an eastbound ship route meets the westbound route at 13000 nm. Is he correct? Give reasons.

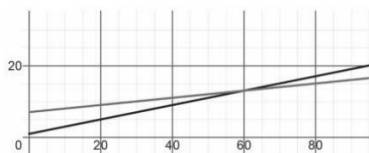
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The eastbound and westbound journeys are of different length in 95 days. What can be the possible reason for it?

- 28 Given below is a pair of linear equations.
 $4x + y = 8$, $4x - 2y = 16$
 Is the given pair of equations consistent? Justify your answer.

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Which of the following equation can be used to calculate the height (h) of the screen?

✗ (a) $h^2 + 200 \times 1800 = 0$

✓ (b) $h^2 - 200 \times 1800 = 0$

✗ (c) $h^2 - 200 = 0$

✗ (d) $h^2 - 1800 = 0$



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The size of a screen display can be measured in inches also. Is it possible to have a screen of size 13 inches where the width is 7 inches more than height? Give an example to justify.

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✗ (a) $w^2 - 50w + 400$

✗ (b) $w^2 - 350w + 30400$

✓ (c) $w^2 - 430w + 15600$

✗ (d) $w^2 - 200w + 7600$

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Which of the following is not a method of solving a quadratic equation?

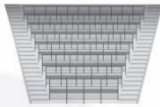


✗ (a) Factorisation

✗ (b) Completing the square

✗ (c) Using quadratic formula

✓ (d) Identifying the nature of the root

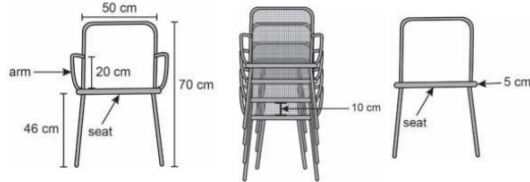
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40	<p>Stadium seating surrounds the centre pitch. Each row in the seating is positioned at a slightly higher level than the one in front of it. A safe seating-standing section of a stadium is shown in the figure below.</p>  <p>There are 20 rows in the section. Each row in the section is 700 mm in height, excluding the seat and has one more seat than the previous row, starting from the second row. The first row has 4 seats.</p> <p>What is the seating capacity of the section?</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (a) 80 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (b) 210</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (c) 270 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (d) 840</p>
41	<p>Sam is standing in Row 15 and Ronit is standing in Row 1.</p>  <p>Sam is standing in Row 15 and Ronit is standing in Row 1. How much higher is Sam's row than Ronit's?</p>
42	<p>Sam is standing in Row 15 and Ronit is standing in Row 1.</p>  <p>The height of the section is measured from the foot of the first row to the last row.</p>

What is the height of the section?

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The dimensions of the seat (in cm) is 50x40x5.

What is the height of the stack shown in the figure?

☐ (a) 30

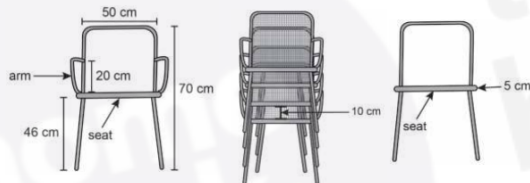
☒ (c) 100

☐ (b) 76

☐ (d) 110

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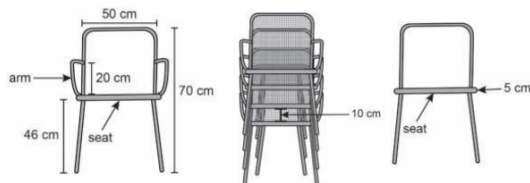
☐ (c) 9

☒ (b) 8

☐ (d) 10

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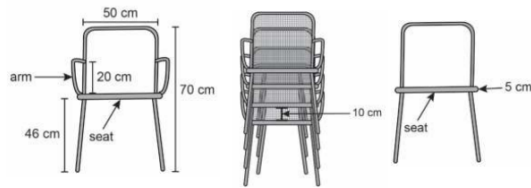


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What is the maximum number of chairs without arms that can be stacked in the storeroom?

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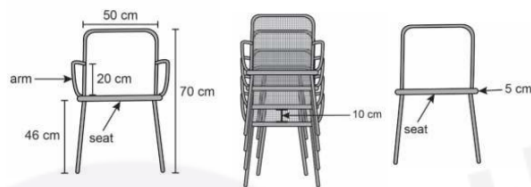


The dimensions of the seat (in cm) is $50 \times 40 \times 5$.

What is the minimum number of columns (stacks) in which all chairs can be stacked in the storeroom?

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What can be the dimension of the storeroom (in m)?

✗ (a) $0.3 \times 1.5 \times 1.55$

✗ (b) $0.4 \times 1.75 \times 1.55$

✗ (c) $0.5 \times 0.4 \times 1.55$

✓ (d) $1 \times 2.75 \times 1.55$

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What cannot be the difference between four consecutive terms of an arithmetic progression?

✗ (a) 0,0,0

✗ (b) -2,-2,-2

✓ (c) 2,3,4

✗ (d) 2/7,2/7,2/7

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Sidharth is sitting in the center seat of Row 12 in a stadium. If there are total 15 seats in this row, how many seats are on his left?

✗ (a) 5

✓ (b) 7


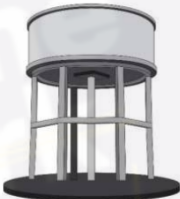
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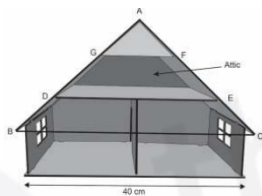
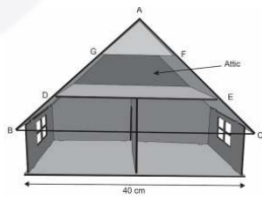
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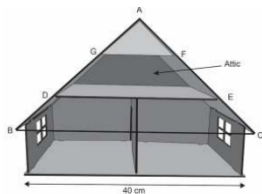
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	<p>The water tower cast a shadow of 25 m. At the same time, a tree near it casts a shadow of 5 m. What is the height of the tree?</p> <p>✗ (a) 3.12m ✓ (b) 8m</p> <p>✗ (c) 20m ✗ (d) 25m</p>
51	<p>Some concrete water towers have been built to supply water to the localities nearby. They are usually mounted with a cylindrical tank. A water tower for a locality is 40 m high.</p>  <p>A scale model of the water tower of 100 cm height is created. The height of its pillars is 75 cm each. What is the height of a pillar (in m) in the actual water tower?</p> <p>✗ (a) 7.5 ✗ (b) 25</p> <p>✓ (c) 30 ✗ (d) 53.4</p>
52	<p>Some concrete water towers have been built to supply water to the localities nearby. They are usually mounted with a cylindrical tank. A water tower for a locality is 40 m high.</p>  <p>Dharmendra made a scale model of a water tower for another locality. The radius of the reservoir in the model is 6 cm and its volume is 216 cm^3. The radius of the actual water reservoir is 2.5 m. What is its volume?</p>
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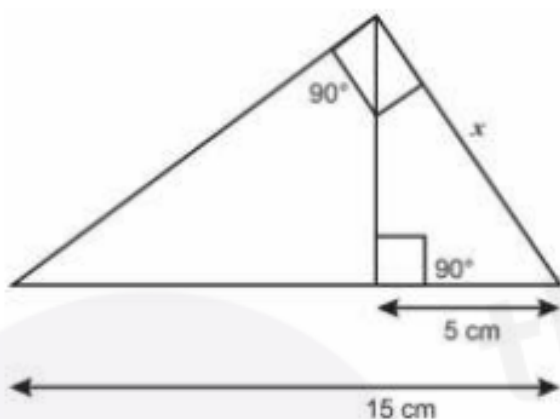
	<p>Biju and Shanti work on the technical specifications of the new road construction. Each of them makes a scale drawing of the region using different scale factors. The proposed road will meet the road between Y and Z in the middle. How far is the village Y (in km) from the meeting point of the roads?</p>
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56	<p>A dollhouse with a triangular roof is shown below. The front and back triangles are equilateral triangles with side lengths 45 cm each. Panels parallel to the floor of the dollhouse are used to make the attic. The sides DE and GF of the panels divide the sides AB and AC into three equal parts.</p>  <p>A dollhouse with a triangular roof is shown below. The front and back triangles are equilateral triangles with side lengths 45 cm each. Panels parallel to the floor of the dollhouse are used to make the attic. The sides DE and GF of the panels divide the sides AB and AC into three equal parts. Which criteria of similar triangles do not apply to triangles AGF and ADE?</p> <p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (a) AAA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (b) SSS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (c) SAS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (d) RHS </p>
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What is the height (in cm) of the attic?

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Two overlapping right triangles are shown below. What is the value of 'x'?

✗ (a) 4cm

✓ (b) $5\sqrt{3}$ cm

✗ (c) 10cm

✗ (d) 37.5cm