Class VIII Session 2024-25 **Subject - Mathematics** Sample Question Paper - 1

Time Allowed: 3 hours **Maximum Marks: 80**

General Instructions:

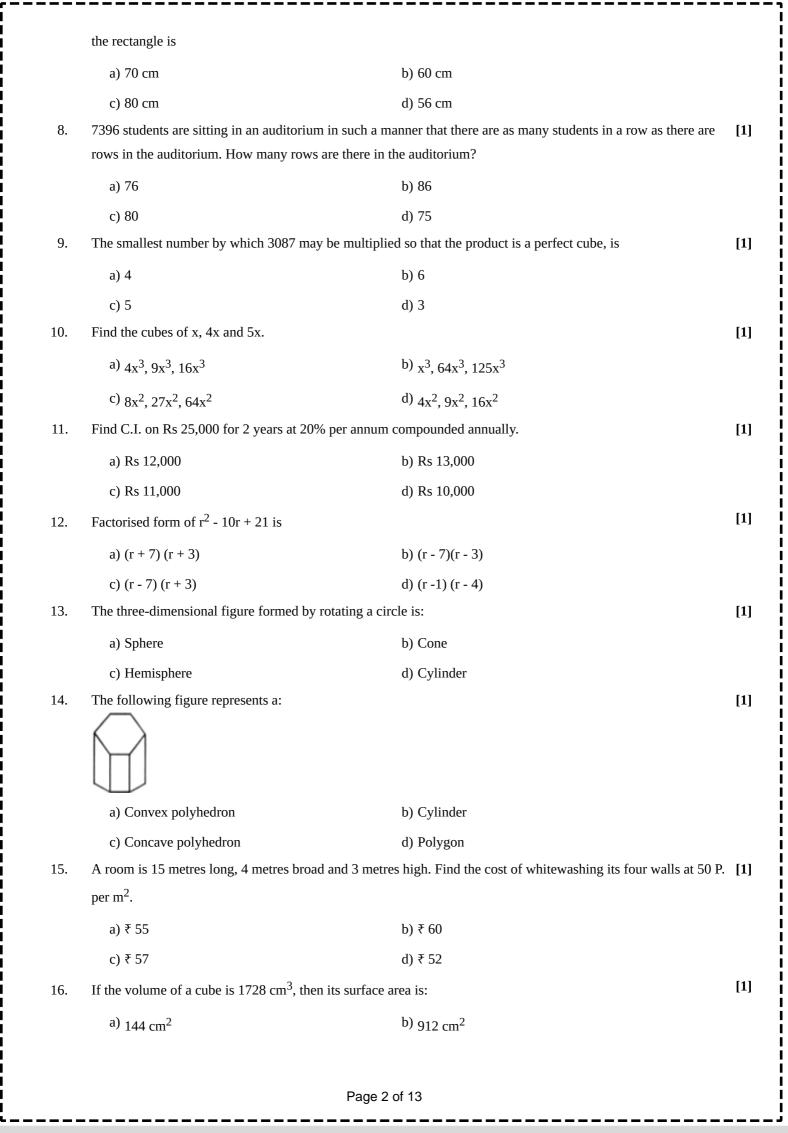
- 1. This Question Paper has 4 Sections A-D.
- 2. Section A has 20 MCQs carrying 1 mark each.
- 3. Section B has 6 questions carrying 02 marks each.
- 4. Section C has 8 questions carrying 03 marks each.
- 5. Section D has 6 questions carrying 04 marks each.
- 6. All Questions are compulsory.
- 7. Draw neat figures wherever required. Take π =22/7 wherever required if not stated.
- 1. Which of the following properties of rational numbers is shown below?

$$\frac{3}{4} \times \left(\frac{7}{3} \times \frac{-4}{5}\right) = \left(\frac{3}{4} \times \frac{7}{3}\right) \times \frac{-4}{5}$$

a) closure property

- a) Distributivity of addition over multiplication b) Commutativity of addition
- c) Distributivity of multiplication over addition d) Associativity of multiplication
- 2. The property represented by $a \times (b + c) = a \times b + a \times c$ is [1]
 - - b) distributive property
 - c) associative property d) commutative property
- If $\frac{5x}{3}-4=\frac{2x}{5}$, then the numerical value of 2x 7 is 3. [1]
- - b) $\frac{13}{19}$ a) $\frac{19}{13}$
 - c) $-\frac{13}{19}$ d) 0
- Solve: 5t 3 = 3t 54. [1]
- a) 0 b) 2
- d) -1
- 5. For which of the following figures, diagonals are perpendicular to each other? [1]
 - a) Trapezium b) Kite
 - c) Parallelogram d) Rectangle
- 6. State the name of a regular polygon of 9 sides. [1]
- a) heptagon b) octagon
 - d) Hexagon c) nonagon
- 7. The length and breadth of a rectangle are in the ratio 4:3. If the diagonal measures 25 cm then the perimeter of [1]

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c) 864 cm²

d) 288 cm²

17. The value of $\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^{-2}$ is

[1]

a) $\frac{4}{25}$

b) $\frac{5}{2}$

c) $\frac{4}{5}$

- d) $\frac{25}{4}$
- 18. If $3^{x+8} = 27^{2x+1}$ then the value of x will be:

[1]

a) 1

b) -2

c) 7

d) 3

19. Simplify: $(-3)^2 \times \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^2$

[1]

a) 4

b) 27

c) 25

d) 8

20. $9m^2 + 12mn + 4n^2$ is same as

[1]

a) $(3m + 2n)^2$

b) $(3m - 2n)^2$

c) (3m - 2n)

- d) (3m + 2n)
- 21. Using suitable rearrangement find the sum: $-5 + \frac{7}{10} + \frac{3}{7} + (-3) + \frac{5}{14} + \frac{-4}{5}$

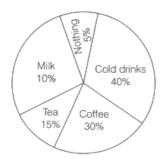
[2] [2]

22. Solve the equation and check your result: 5x + 9 = 5 + 3x

- s **[2]**
- 23. A bag has 4 red balls and 2 yellow balls. (The balls are identical in all respects other than colour). A ball is drawn from the bag without looking into the bag. What is probability of getting a red ball? Is it more or less than getting a yellow ball?

OR

A survey was carried out to find the favourite beverage preferred by a certain group of young people. The following pie chart shows the findings of this survey.



From this pie chart, answer the following:

- i. Which type of beverage is liked by the maximum number of people?
- ii. If 45 people like tea, how many people were surveyed?
- 24. The dimensions of a rectangular field are 80 m and 18 m. Find the length of its diagonal. [2]
- 25. For the given solid draw the side view and front view?

[2]



26. Find the value of x, so that $(-2)^3 \times (-2)^{-6} = (-2)^{2x-1}$

[2]

OR

Simplify and write in exponential form : $(-2)^{-3} \times (-2)^{-4}$

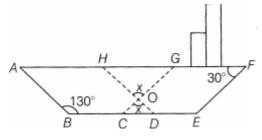
27. Solve:
$$5x + \frac{7}{2} = \frac{2}{2}x - 14$$

[3]

28. In the following figure of a ship, ABDH and CEFG are two parallelograms. Find the value of x.

[3]

[3]



OR

ABCD is a parallelogram. The bisector of angle A intersects CD at X and bisector of angle C intersects AB at Y. Is AXCY a parallelogram? Give reason.

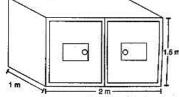
- 29. 2025 plants are to be planted in a garden in such a way that each row contains as many plants as the number of rows. Find the number of rows and the number of plants in each row.
- 30. Is 1188 a perfect cube? If not, by which smallest natural number should 1188 be divided so that the quotient is a perfect cube?
- 31. The price of a TV is ₹13000. The sales tax charged on it is at the rate of 12%. Find the amount that Vinod will have to pay if he buys it.

OR

The marked price of a DVD is ₹4500. A shopkeeper allows two successive discounts of 10% and 5% by the force of a customer. Find the selling price of the customer after two discounts are given.

32. Add
$$p^3 - 1$$
, $p^3 + p + 2$ and $p^2 - 2p + 1$.

33. Rukhsar painted the outside of the cabinet of measure $1 \text{ m} \times 2 \text{ m} \times 1.5 \text{ m}$. How much surface area did she cover if she painted all except the bottom of the cabinet.



- 34. Factorise: $(1 + m)^2 (1 m)^2$
- 35. Draw a pie chart showing the following information. The table shows the colours preferred by a group of people. [4]

Colours	Number of people
Blue	18
Green	9
Red	6
Yellow	3
Total	36

Find the proportion of each sector. For example, Blue is $\frac{18}{36} = \frac{1}{2}$; Green is $\frac{9}{36} = \frac{1}{4}$ and so on. Use this to find the corresponding angle.

36. A sum of money becomes ₹ 17,640 in 2 years and ₹ 18,522 in 3 years at the same rate of interest compounded annually. Find the rate of interest.

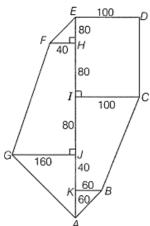


Find the product of $\left(\frac{1}{2}p^3q^6\right)\left(\frac{-2}{3}p^4q\right)(pq^2)$ 37.

[4]

[4]

38. Find the area of the following fields. All dimensions are in metres.



OR

The dimensions of a cuboid are in the ratio of 2:3:4 and its total surface area is 208m². Find its dimensions.

39. Factorize
$$6x^2 - 13x + 6$$

[4]

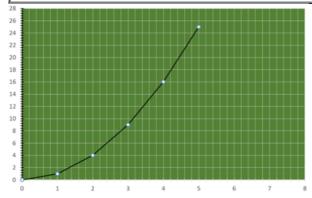
OR

Factorise the expression and divide them as directed: $(5p^2 - 25p + 20) \div (p - 1)$

40. Consider the relation between the area and the side of a square given by $A = x^2$. [4]

- a. Draw a graph to show this relation.
- b. From the graph, find the value of A when x = 4.
- c. Is this graph a linear graph?

Side of square (x)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Area of square (A)	0	1	4	9	16	25



Solution

1.

(d) Associativity of multiplication

Explanation: Associativity of multiplication

2.

(b) distributive property

Explanation: Distributive property

3.

(c)
$$-\frac{13}{19}$$

Explanation:
$$\frac{5x}{3} - 4 = \frac{2x}{5}$$

$$\frac{5x}{3} - \frac{2x}{5} = 4$$

$$\frac{25x - 6x}{15} = 4$$

$$\frac{15}{15} = 4$$

$$19x = 15 \times 4$$

hence,

$$=2 \times \frac{60}{19} - 7$$

$$=\frac{120}{19}-7$$

$$=-\frac{13}{19}$$

4.

(d) -1

Explanation: 5t-3=3t-5

by transposing both sides

$$5t - 3t = -5 + 3$$

$$2t = -2$$

$$t = -2/2$$

$$t = -1$$

5.

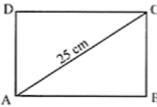
Explanation: The diagonals of a kite are perpendicular to each other.

6.

Explanation: A nonagon is a plane figure with nine straight sides and nine angles.

(a) 70 cm

Explanation: Let ABCD be the rectangle.



Let AC be the diagonal, where AC = 25 cm.

Length and breadth of a rectangle are in the ratio 4:3

Length of rectangle = 4x and Breadth of rectangle = 3x

By Pythagoras theorem, we have $AB^2 + BC^2 = AC^2$

$$\Rightarrow (4x)^2 + (3x)^2 = (25)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 16x^2 + 9x^2 = 625$$

$$\Rightarrow 25x^2 = 625$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x² = 25 \Rightarrow x = \pm 5

Since the side of the rectangle cannot be negative, so x = -5 is neglected $\therefore x = -5$

So, length of the rectangle = $4x = 4 \times 5 = 20$ cm Breadth of the rectangle = $3x = 3 \times 5 = 15$ cm

So, perimeter of the rectangle = 2(1 + b)

$$= 2(20 + 15) = 2(35) = 70 \text{ cm}$$

8.

(b) 86

Explanation: Let number of students sitting in a row = 'x'

- ... Number of rows in auditorium = 'x'
- ... Number of students sitting in auditorium

$$= x \times x = x^2$$

Now $x^2 = 7396$

$$\therefore x = \sqrt{7396}$$

86			
8	73 96		
	64		
16 <u>6</u>	09 96 9 96		
	9 96		
	0 00		
·. x =	$\sqrt{7396} = 86$		

Number of rows in auditorium = 86

9.

(d) 3

Explanation: Writing 3087 as a product of a prime factors, we have

$$\therefore 3087 = 3 \times 3 \times \underline{7} \times \underline{7} \times \underline{7}$$

Clearly, to make it a perfect cube it must be multiplied by 3.

10.

(b)
$$x^3$$
, $64x^3$, $125x^3$

Explanation: The cubes of $x = x \times x \times x = x^3$

$$4x = 4x \times 4x \times 4x = 64x^3$$

$$5x = 5x \times 5x \times 5x = 125x^3$$

11.

(c) Rs 11,000

Explanation: C.I.
$$=P(1+\frac{r}{100})^n - P$$

$$= 25,000(1 + \frac{20}{100})^2 - 25,000$$
$$= 25,000(\frac{6}{5})^2 - 25,000$$

$$=25,000(\frac{6}{5})^2-25,000$$

- = 36,000 25,000
- = Rs 11,000

12.

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Explanation: We have, $r^2 - 10r + 21$

 $= r^2 - 7r - 3r + 21 = r(r - 7) - 3(r - 7)$ [by splitting the middle term, so that the product of their numerical coefficients is equal constant term]

=
$$(r - 7)(r - 3)$$
 [: $x^2 + (a + b)x + ab = (x + a)(x + b)$]

13. **(a)** Sphere

Explanation: Sphere

14. **(a)** Convex polyhedron

Explanation: Convex polyhedron, as it is bounded by plane polygonal faces.

15.

(c) ₹ 57

Explanation: Area of 4 walls = $2(l \times b] \times h$

$$= 2 \times [15 + 4] \times 3 = 114$$
m²

Cost of painting at the rate of 50 paisa per m²

$$=\frac{1}{2}\times 114=$$
 ₹7

16.

(c) 864 cm^2

Explanation: Let the side of the cube be a cm

$$a^3 = 1728$$

$$a = \sqrt[3]{1728}$$

$$a = 12 \text{ cm}$$

Surface area of the cube = $6a^2$

$$= 6 \times 12^2$$

$$= 6 \times 144$$

$$=6\times144$$

$$= 864 \text{ cm}^2$$

17.

(d)
$$\frac{25}{4}$$

Explanation: Using law of exponents, $a^{-m} = \frac{1}{a^m} [\because a \text{ is non-zero integer}]$

$$\therefore \quad \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^{-2} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2} = \frac{1}{\frac{4}{25}} = \frac{25}{4}$$

18. **(a)** 1

Explanation: $3^{(x+8)} = 3(2x + 1)$

$$3^{x+8} = 3^{6x+3}$$

$$x + 8 = 6x + 3$$

$$5x = 5$$

$$x = \frac{1}{5}$$
$$x = 1$$

19.

(c) 25

Explanation: =
$$(-3)^2 \times \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^2$$

$$=(9)\times\left(\frac{5^2}{3^2}\right)$$

$$=9\times\frac{25}{3}$$

20. **(a)**
$$(3m + 2n)^2$$

Explanation: $9m^2 + 12mn + 4n^2$



$$= (3m)^2 + 2(3m)(2n) + (2n)^2$$
$$= (3m + 2n)^2$$

21. We have,
$$-5 + \frac{7}{10} + \frac{3}{7} + (-3) + \frac{5}{14} + \left(\frac{-4}{5}\right)$$

= $-5 + (-3) + \frac{7}{10} + \left(\frac{-4}{5}\right) + \frac{3}{7} + \frac{5}{14}$
= $-8 + \frac{7-8}{10} + \frac{6+5}{14} = -8 - \frac{1}{10} + \frac{11}{14}$
= $\frac{-560-7+55}{70}$
= $\frac{-512}{10} = \frac{-256}{10}$

$$22.5x + 9 = 5 + 3x$$

5x - 3x = 5 - 9 ... [Transposing 3x to L.H.S. and 9 to R.H.S]

$$\therefore 2x = -4$$

$$\therefore$$
 x = $-\frac{4}{2}$... [Dividing both sides by 2]

$$\therefore$$
 x = -2 this is the required solution.

Verification

L.H.S. =
$$5(-2) + 9 = -10 + 9 = -1$$

R.H.S. =
$$5 + 3(-2) = 5 - 6 = -1$$

Therefore, L.H.S = R.H.S

23. There are in all (4 + 2 =) 6 outcomes of the event.

Getting a red ball consists of 4 outcomes.

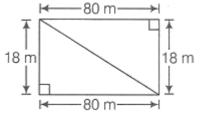
Therefore, the probability of getting a red ball is $\frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$.

In the same way the probability of getting a yellow ball = $\frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$.

Therefore, the probability of getting a red ball is more than that of getting a yellow ball.

OR

- i. The percentage of people preferring cold drinks is maximum. So, cold drinks is liked by the maximum number of people.
- ii. From the pie chart, number of people who like tea = 45
 - \Rightarrow 15% of total number of people surveyed = 45
 - $\Rightarrow \frac{15}{100} \times \text{Total number of people surveyed} = 45$
 - ∴ Total number of people surveyed = $\frac{45 \times 100}{15}$ = 300
- 24. Here, length of a rectangular field (l) = 80 m and breadth of a rectangular field (b) = 18 m



$$\therefore$$
 Length of diagonal = $\sqrt{l^2 + b^2}$

$$=\sqrt{(80)^2+(18)^2}$$

$$=\sqrt{6400+324}$$

$$=\sqrt{6724}$$
 = 82 m

25.	Object	Front View	Side View

26. We have,
$$(-2)^3 \times (-2)^{-6} = (-2)^{2x-1}$$

Using law of exponents, $a^m a^n = (a)^{m+n} [\because a \text{ is non-zero integer}]$

Then,
$$(-2)^3 \times (-2)^{-6} = (-2)^{2x-1}$$

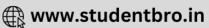
$$\Rightarrow$$
 (-2)³⁻⁶ = (-2)^{2x -1}

$$\Rightarrow$$
 (-2)⁻³ = (-2)^{2x -1}

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On comparing both sides, we get -3 = 2x - 1

$$\Rightarrow$$
 2x = -2 \Rightarrow x = -1

OR

$$(-2)^{-3} \times (-2)^{-4}$$

= $(-2)^{(-3) + (-4)}$

$$=(-2)^{-7}$$

$$27.5x + \frac{7}{2} = \frac{3}{2}x - 14$$

Multiplying both sides of the equation by 2, we get

$$2 imes \left(5x+rac{7}{2}
ight)=2 imes \left(rac{3}{2}x-14
ight)$$

$$(2 imes 5x)+\left(2 imesrac{7}{2}
ight)=\left(2 imesrac{3}{2}x
ight)-(2 imes 14)$$

$$10x + 7 = 3x - 28$$

$$10x - 3x = -28 - 7$$

$$7x = -35$$

$$x = \frac{-35}{7}$$

$$x = -5$$

28. We have, two parallelograms ABDH and CEFG.

Now, in ABDH,

$$\therefore$$
 \angle ABD = \angle AHD = 130° [\because opposite angles of a parallelogram are equal]

and
$$\angle$$
GHD = 180° - \angle AHD = 180° - 130° [linear pair]

$$\Rightarrow$$
 50° = \angle GHO

Also, \angle EFG + \angle FGC = 180° [: adjacent angles of a parallelogram are supplementary]

$$\Rightarrow$$
 30° + \angle FGC= 180° \Rightarrow \angle FGC = 180°- 30° = 150°

and
$$\angle$$
HGC + \angle FGC = 180° [linear pair]

$$\therefore$$
 \angle HGC = 180° - \angle FGC = 180° - 150° = 30° = \angle HGO

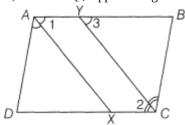
In Δ HGO, by using angle sum property, \angle OHG + \angle HGO + \angle HOG = 180°

$$\Rightarrow$$
50° + 30° + x = 180° \Rightarrow x = 180° - 80° =100°

OR

Given, ABCD is a parallelogram.

So, $\angle A = \angle C$ [: opposite angles of a parallelogram are equal]



$$\therefore \frac{\angle A}{2} = \frac{\angle C}{2}$$
 [dividing both the sides by 2]

$$\angle 1 = \angle 2$$
 [alternate angles]

But
$$\angle 2 = \angle 3$$
 [: AB || CD and CY is the transversal]

But they are pair of corresponding angles.

AXCY s a parallelogram.

29. Let the number of rows be x.

Then number of plants in each row = x

$$\therefore$$
 Number of plants in x rows = $x \times x = x^2$

But 2025 plants are to be planted in a garden.

$$x^2 = 2025$$

$$\therefore x = \sqrt{2025}$$

The prime factorisation of 2025 is

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$$2025 = 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 5 \times 5$$

$$\therefore x = \sqrt{3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 5 \times 5}$$

$$\therefore x = 3 \times 3 \times 5$$

Hence, the number of rows is 45 and the number of plants in each row is 45.

30.
$$1188 = 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 11$$

The primes 2 and 11 do not appear in groups of three. So, 1188 is not a perfect cube.

In the factorisation of 1188, the prime 2 appears only two times and the prime 11 appears once. So, if we divide 1188 by $2 \times 2 \times 11 = 44$, then the prime factorisation of the quotient will not contain 2 and 11.

Hence the smallest natural number by which 1188 should be divided to make it a perfect cube is 44.

And the resulting perfect cube is $1188 \div 44 = 27 = 3^3$

31. Price of TV = ₹ 13000

Sales tax charged on it = 12% of ₹ 13000

$$= \overline{\epsilon}_{100}^{\ \underline{12}} \times 13000$$

Hence, the amount that Vinod will have to pay if he buys it is ₹ 14560.

OR

$$= \frac{10}{100} \times 4500 = ₹450$$

Price after first discount = ₹ 4500 - ₹ 450= ₹ 4050

Second discount = 5% of reduced price

$$= \frac{5}{100} \times Rs.4050 = \frac{20250}{100} = ₹202.50$$

Net selling price of the DVD = ₹ 4050 - ₹ 202.50 = ₹3847.50.

$$33.1 = 2 \text{ m}$$

$$b = 1 m$$

$$h = 1.5 \text{ m}$$

Required area

$$= 2 (1 \times b + b \times h + h \times l) - 1 \times b$$

=
$$2(2 \times 1 + 1 \times 1.5 + 1.5 \times 2) \text{ m}^2 - (2 \times 1) \text{ m}^2$$

$$= 13 \text{ m}^2 - 2 \text{ m}^2$$

$$= 11 \text{ m}^2$$

Hence, she covered 11 m² of surface area.

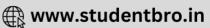
34.
$$(1 + m)^2 - (1 - m)^2$$

=
$$\{(l + m) - (l - m)\}$$
 $\{(l + m) + (l - m)\}$ [Applying Identity III]

$$=(2m)(2l)$$

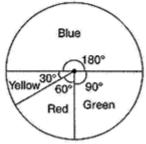
= 4lm

35. Colours Number of people Proportion Corresponding angle	
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Blue	18	$\frac{18}{36} = \frac{1}{2}$	$rac{1}{2} imes360^\circ=180$
Green	9	$\frac{9}{36} = \frac{1}{4}$	$rac{1}{4} imes 360^\circ = 90$
Red	6	$\frac{6}{36} = \frac{1}{6}$	$rac{1}{6} imes 360^\circ=60$
Yellow	3	$\frac{3}{36} = \frac{1}{12}$	$rac{1}{12} imes360^\circ=30$
Total	36		

Pie chart



36. Let Principal = P

Rate of Interest = R

Amount₁ (A₁) = ₹ 17,640

Time Period1 $(T_1) = 2$ years

$$A_1 = P\Big(1 + rac{R}{100}\Big)^{T_1}$$

$$17,640 = P\Big(1 + \frac{R}{100}\Big)^2$$

Amount₂ (A₂) = ₹ 18,522

Time $Period_2(T_2) = 3$ years

$$A_2=P\Big(1+rac{R}{100}\Big)^{T_2}$$

$$18,522 = P\Big(1 + rac{R}{100}\Big)^3$$

$$\frac{A_1}{A_2} = \frac{18,522}{17,640} = \frac{P(1 + \frac{R}{100})^3}{P(1 + \frac{R}{100})^2}$$

$$\frac{21}{20} = \frac{\left(1 + \frac{R}{100}\right)^3}{\left(1 + \frac{R}{100}\right)^2} = 1 + \frac{R}{100}$$

$$\frac{21}{20} - 1 = \frac{R}{100}$$

$$\frac{\frac{21}{20} - 1 = \frac{100}{100}}{R = \frac{21 - 20}{20} \times 100 = \frac{1}{20} \times 100 = 5\%$$

37.
$$\left(\frac{1}{2}p^3q^6\right)\left(\frac{-2}{3}p^4q\right)(pq^2)$$

$$71 - \frac{1}{20} \times 100 - \frac{1}{20} \times 100 - \frac{1}{20} \times 100 - \frac{1}{20} \times 100 - \frac{1}{20} \times \frac{$$

Area of the given figure = Area of Δ EFH + Area of rectangle EDCI + Area of trapezium FHJG + Area of trapezium ICBK + Area of Δ GJA + Area of Δ KBA

Now, Area of $\Delta EFH = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{Base} \times \text{Height}$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 40 \times 80$$

$$=1600\mathrm{m}^2$$

Area of rectangle EDCI = Length \times Breadth = 100 \times 160

Area of trapezium, FHJG = $\frac{1}{2}$ × [Sum of parallel sides] × Height

$$=\frac{1}{2} imes [40+160] imes 160$$

$$=\frac{\frac{2}{200}}{2}\times160$$

$$= 100 \times 160$$

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$$= 16000 \text{m}^2$$

Area of trapezium, ICBK = $\frac{1}{2}$ × [Sum of parallel sides] × Height

$$=\frac{1}{2} \times [60+100] \times 120$$

$$=rac{1}{2} imes 160 imes 120$$

$$=80 \times 120$$

$$=9600\mathrm{m}^2$$

Area of $\Delta AJG = \frac{1}{2} \times Base \times Height$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 160 \times 100$$

$$= 80 \times 100$$

$$= 8000 \text{ m}^2$$

Area of
$$\Delta KBA = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{Base} \times \text{Height}$$

$$=\frac{1}{2}\times60\times60$$

 $= 1800 \text{m}^2$

Therefore, the area of the complete figure = 1600 + 16000 + 16000 + 9600 + 8000 + 1800

$$= 53000 \text{ m}^2$$

OR

Let the dimensions be 2x, 3x and 4x in metres.

Total surface area =
$$208 \text{ m}^2$$

$$2[(2x)(3x) + (3x)(4x) + (4x)(2x)] = 208$$

$$2[6x^2 + 12x^2 + 8x^2] = 208$$

$$2[26x^2] = 208$$

$$52x^2 = 208$$

$$x^2 = \frac{208}{52}$$

$$x^2 = 4m$$

$$x = \sqrt{4m}$$

$$x = 2m$$

Length
$$=2x = 2(2m) = 4m$$

Breadth
$$=3x = 3(2m) = 6m$$

Height
$$=4x = 4(2m) = 8m$$

39. The given expression is $6x^2 - 13x + 6$

Here coefficient of $x^2 = 6$, coefficient of x = -13 and constant term = 6

So we write the middle term -13x as -4x, -9x

Thus we have,

$$6x^2 - 13x + 6 = 6x^2 - 4x - 9x + 6$$

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

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

OR

$$(5p^{2} - 25p + 20) \div (p - 1)$$

$$= \frac{5(p^{2} - 5p + 4)}{p - 1}$$

$$= \frac{5(p^{2} - p - 4p + 4)}{p - 1} \dots \text{ [Applying Identity IV]}$$

$$= \frac{5\{p(p - 1) - 4(p - 1)\}}{p - 1}$$

$$=\frac{p-1}{5(p-1)(p-4)}$$

$$=\frac{5(p-1)(p-4)}{n-1}$$

$$= 5 (p-4)$$

- 40. a. The graph is drawn.
 - b. From the graph it is clear that area when x = 4 is 16.
 - c. This graph is not a linear graph.

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