

#### **GENERAL APTITUDE**

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- Speed = Distance / Time
- Distance = Speed x Time
- Ram travels from A to B traveling distance of 10 km in 4 hrs. His speed is
- 10/4 = 2.5 km/hr
- Ram moves from Pune to Satara at the same speed taking 1 day & 10 hrs. The distance between Pune & Satara is
- $(24+10) \times 2.5 = 34 \times 2.5 = 85 \text{ km}$
- Ram now wants to reach back to Pune in 17 hours So he should travel back at a speed of
- 85/17 = 5 km/hr



 If the same distance is traveled at different speeds S1 & S2 then average speed is given by-

 $Sa = \frac{(2 \times S1 \times S2)}{(S1 + S2)}$ 

If the same distance is traveled at different speeds S1, S2 & S3 then average speed is given by-

$$Sa = \frac{(3 \times S1 \times S2 \times S3)}{(S1S2 + S2S3 + S1S3)}$$

- Imp: Convert every term to same units
- 1 Km/hr =  $\frac{5}{18}$  m/s & 1 m/s =  $\frac{18}{5}$  km/hr
- If a bowler has a run up of 100 m & he runs at a speed of 36 km/hr the time he takes to complete his runup is
- $36 \times 5/18 \text{ m/s} = 10 \text{m/s}$
- $100m \div 10 \text{ m/s} = 10 \text{ s}$



If different distance D1,D2 & D3 travelled is at different speeds S1,S2 & S3 then average speed is given by-

Sa = 
$$\frac{(D1 + D2 + D3)}{(\frac{D1}{S1} + \frac{D2}{S2} + \frac{D3}{S3})}$$

 Q. A man covers 10kms at a speed of 5 km/hr, 30kms at a speed of 7 km/hr and 20kms at a speed of 15 km/hr. Find out the average speed.

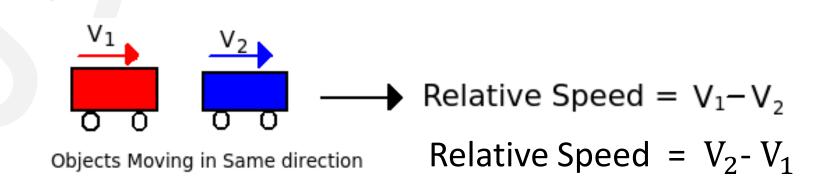
• Sa = 
$$\frac{(10+30+20)}{(\frac{10}{5}+\frac{30}{7}+\frac{20}{15})}$$
 = 7.77 km/hr



- Speed & distance are directly proportional.
- SαD
- Distance & Time are directly proportional.
- DαT
- Speed & time are inversely proportional.
- S α 1/T
- Relative speed is defined as the speed of a moving object with respect to another. When two objects are moving in the same direction, relative speed is calculated as their difference and if objects are moving in opposite direction then calculate as their sum.
- Relative speed = X-Y (same direction)
- Relative speed = X+Y (opposite direction)



# **Relative Speed-**





Objects Moving in Opposite Direction

Q. A car traveled 20% of the time at 40 km/hr, 50% of the time at 20 km/hr and rest of the journey at 30 km/hr. What is the average speed of the car over the whole journey?

A. 20 km/hr B. 27 km/hr

C. 30 km/hr

D. 25 km/hr

Soln:

Avg Speed = total dist / total time

Assume Journey = T hr

**Total Distance** = (0.2Tx40 + 0.5Tx20 + 0.3Tx30)

= 8T + 10T + 9T

= 27T

Average Speed = 27T/T = 27 kmph

Ans: B

Sa = 
$$\frac{(D1 + D2 + D3)}{(\frac{D1}{S1} + \frac{D2}{S2} + \frac{D3}{S3})}$$
  
=  $\frac{(20x40 + 50x20 + 30x20)}{(\frac{20x40}{40} + \frac{50x20}{20} + \frac{30x30}{30})}$   
=  $\frac{2700}{100}$  = 27 km/hr



Q. At 7:30 am two trains start from their respective stations A & B in opposite direction, 930 km apart at speeds of 60 km/hr & 90 km/hr respectively. At what time do they meet?

A.12:30 pm

B. 1:30 pm

C. 1:42 pm

D. 1:50 am

#### Soln:

- Time = Distance/ Speed
- Time = 930 km / (60+90)km/hr (relative Speed adds up)
- Time = 6.20 hours = 6 hrs 12 min
- Time of meeting 1:42 pm

Ans: C



Q. Walking at a speed of 4/5 of the original speed a person reaches office 8 min late (8 mins more than normal time). Find the time required usually.

A.24 min

B. 30 min

C. 32 min

D. 44 min

Soln:

<u>Original</u> <u>New</u>

Speed S 4S/5

Time T T+8

Speed x Time = Distance is constant

 $\rightarrow$ ST = 4S/5 x (T+8)

 $\rightarrow$ T = 4/5 x (T+8)

 $\rightarrow$  5T/4 = T+8

 $\rightarrow \frac{5T}{4}$  - T =8

→ Normal Time T = 32 mins

Ans: C

Two trains start from P and Q respectively at the same time and travel towards each other at a speed of 50 km/hr and 40 km/hr respectively. By the time they meet the first train has travelled 100 km more than second train. The distance between P and Q is:

A. 500 km

B. 630 km

C. 660 km

D. 900 km

#### Ans: D

At the time of meeting, let the distance travelled by Q, the second train be 'd' km

distance covered by first train =(d+100)km

d/40 = (d+100) / 50

d = 400

distance between P and Q =(d+d+100)=(400+400+100)=900km



Q. A boy rides his bicycle 10km at an average speed of 12km/hr and again travels 12km at an average speed of 10km/hr. His average speed for the entire trip is approximately

A. 10.4km/hr

B. 10.8 km/hr

C. 11 km/hr

D. 12.2km/hr

Soln:

Sa = 
$$\frac{(D1 + D2)}{(\frac{D1}{S1} + \frac{D2}{S2})}$$

Ans: B



Q. A boy starts from his house for college at a fixed time. If he walks at the rate of 5 kmph he is late by 7 mins. If he walks at 6 kmph he is 5 min early. Find College to home distance.

A. 5 km

B. 6 km

C. 7 km

D. 6.5 km

	<u>Original</u>	Case1	Case2
Speed	S	5	6
Time	t	t+7	t-5

Speed x Time = Distance is constant

$$\rightarrow$$
 st = 5 x (t+7)/60 = 6 x (t-5)/60

$$\Rightarrow 5t + 35 = 6t - 30$$

$$\rightarrow$$
 t = 65 mins

 $\rightarrow$  Using Case 1 Distance = 5 x (65+7)/60 = 6 km

#### Ans B



Q. One day a person travels to office at 5/6 of his usual speed. He takes t minutes more than normal time. What is his normal time?

A. 2t

B. 3t

C. 4t

D. 5t

Soln:

<u>Original</u> <u>New</u>

Speed S 5S/6

Time T T+t

Speed x Time = Distance is constant

 $\rightarrow$ ST = 5S/6 x (T+t)

 $\rightarrow$ T = 5/6 x (T+t)

 $\rightarrow$ 6T/5= T+t

 $\rightarrow$ T/5 = t  $\rightarrow$  Normal Time T = 5t

Ans: D



Q. If a train runs at 70 km/hr, it reaches its destination late by 12 minutes. But if it runs at 80 km/hr. it is late by 3 minutes. The correct time needed to cover the journey is?

A. 58 minutes

B. 2 hours

C. 1 hour

D. 59 minutes

Ans: C

Soln:

Speed 70 80

Time T+12 T+3

70(T+12) = 80(T+3)

10T = 600

T = 60 mins

Q. A boy goes to school from home at a speed of 10km/hr and return back at 30km/hr. Find his average speed.

A. 15 km/hr

B. 14.5 km/hr

C. 10 km/hr

D. 20 km/hr

Ans: A



Q. Two trains start from stations A and B and travel towards each other at a speed of 60 kmph and 80 kmph respectively. At the time of their meeting, the second train had travelled 180 km more than the first. The distance between A and B is:

- A. 1260 km
- B. 1620 km
- C. 1660 km
- D. 600 km
- E. 1800 km

Ans: A



Q. A person travels equal distance with speeds of 3 km/hr, 4 km/hr and 5 km/hr and taken a total time of 47 minutes. The total distance (in km) is:

A. 2 km

B. 3 km

C. 4 km D. 5 km

Ans: B

If the same distance is traveled at different speeds S1, S2 & S3 then average speed is given by-

$$Sa = \frac{(3 \times S1 \times S2 \times S3)}{(S1S2 + S2S3 + S1S3)} = \frac{(3 \times 3 \times 4 \times 5)}{(3x4 + 4x5 + 3x5)} = \frac{20x9}{47}$$

Total Dist = Speed x time  
= 
$$\frac{20x9}{47}$$
 x  $\frac{47}{60}$   
= 3 km



Q. A man covers half of his journey at 6 km/h and the remaining half at 3 km/h. His average speed is-

A. 9 km/hr

B. 4.5 km/hr

C. 4 km/hr

D. 3 km/hr

#### Soln:

• Average speed= 
$$\frac{2xy}{x+y} = \frac{2 \times 6 \times 3}{6+3} = \frac{36}{9} = 4 \text{ km/hr}$$

Ans: C



Q. A car traveled 20% of the time at 30 km/hr, 50% of the time at 40 km/hr and rest of the journey at 50 km/hr. What is the average speed of the car over the whole journey?

A. 40 km/hr B. 35 km/hr C. 41 km/hr

D. 45 km/hr

#### Soln:

Avg Speed = total dist / total time

Assume Journey = T hr

= (0.2Tx30 + 0.5Tx40 + 0.3Tx50)**Total Distance** 

= 6T + 20T + 15T

=41T

= 41T/T = 41 kmphAverage Speed

Ans: C

Sa = 
$$\frac{(D1 + D2 + D3)}{(\frac{D1}{S1} + \frac{D2}{S2} + \frac{D3}{S3})}$$
  
=  $\frac{(20x30 + 50x40 + 30x50)}{(\frac{20x30}{30} + \frac{50x40}{40} + \frac{30x50}{50})}$   
=  $\frac{4100}{100}$  = 41 km/hr

Q. On a journey, across Delhi, a Taxi averages 30 kmph for 60% of the distance, 20 kmph for 20% of it and 10kmph for the remainder. The average speed for the whole journey is:

A. 20km/hr

B. 22.5 km/hr

C. 24.625km/hr

D. 25km/hr

Ans: A



Q. A distance is covered by a cyclist at a certain speed. If a jogger covers half of the distance in double the time, the ratio of the speed of the jogger to that of the cyclist is:

A. 1:4

B. 4:1

C. 1:2

D. 2:1

Ans: A



Q. Walking at a speed of 20% more than the original a person requires 6 min less than normal time. Find the time required usually

A.24 min

B. 30 min

C. 36 min

D. 44 min

Ans C



Q. Walking at a speed of 12 km/hr a person reaches 10 min late. But if he walks at 20 km/hr he reaches 14 min early. Find the distance.

A.9 km

B. 12 km

C. 14 km

D. 15 km

Ans: B



Q. Two cars started simultaneously travelling toward each other from town A and town B 480km apart. It took first car travelling from town A to town B and car covered the distance in 8hrs and car from town B to town A covers distance in 12hrs. Find distance from town A when they meet?

A. 288km

B. 250km

C. 380km

D. 240km

#### Ans: A

- Speed of first car = Distance/ time = 480 /8 = 60km/hr
- Speed of second car = Distance/ time = 480 /12 = 40km/hr
- The cars will meet in = 480 / (60+40) = 4.8 hrs (relative Speed adds up as travelling in opposite directions)
- Dist from A where they will meet = speed of car from A x time
   = 60 x 4.8 = 288km



Q. A car travels 1/3 of the distance on a straight road with a velocity of 10 km/h, next one-third with a velocity of 20 km/h and the last one-third with a velocity of 60 km/h. Then the average velocity of the car (in km/h) during the whole journey is-

A. 18km/hr

B. 24km/hr

C. 30km/hr D. 20km/hr

Ans: A

Time = 
$$\frac{\text{Dist}}{\text{Speed}}$$

Total Time =  $\frac{1/3D}{10} + \frac{1/3D}{20} + \frac{1/3D}{60}$ 

=  $\frac{D}{30} + \frac{D}{60} + \frac{D}{180}$ 

=  $\frac{6D + 3D + 1D}{180}$ 

=  $\frac{10D}{180}$  hrs

Avg velocity = 
$$\frac{\text{Dist}}{\text{time}}$$
  
=  $\frac{D}{\frac{10D}{180}}$   
=  $\frac{180D}{10D}$   
= 18 km/hr

Q. A man riding his bicycle covers 150 metres in 25 seconds. What is his speed in km per hour?

A. 25 km/hr

B. 21.6 km/hr

C. 23 km/hr

D. 20 km/hr

Ans: B



Q. A motorist travelled the distance between two towns, which is 65 km, in 2 hours and 10 minutes. Find his speed in meter per minute.

- A. 200 meters/min
- B. 500 meters/min
- C. 600 meters/min
- D. 700 meters/min

Ans: B



#### • Trains

```
    Let S1 = speed of train, S2 = Speed of Object
    L1 = length of the train, L2 = Length of the object.
    t = time taken by train to completely pass the object
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Case A: Stationary object without considerable length

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L1 = S1xt
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Q. A train running at the speed of 60 km/hr crosses a pole in 9 seconds. What is the length of the train?

A. 120 metres

B. 180 metres

C. 324 metres

D. 150 metres

Ans: D

Case A: Stationary object without considerable length

L1 = S1xt

 $= 60x5/18 \times 9$ 

=150m



Q. A train covers 10kms in 10 mins. If it takes 6 secs to pass a pole ,the length of train is?

A. 100m

B. 110m

C. 210m

D. 120m

Ans: A

$$L1 = S1 \times t$$

$$S1 = D/t$$

$$= \frac{10x \ 1000m}{10x60sec}$$

= 50/3 m/sec

$$L1 = S1 \times t$$

$$=\frac{50}{3} \times 6$$

= 100m



#### • Trains

```
    Let S1 = speed of train, S2 = Speed of Object
    L1 = length of the train, L2 = Length of the object.
    t = time taken by train to completely pass the object
```

Case B: Stationary object with considerable length
L1+L2 = S1x t



Q. A train of length 600 m crosses a man standing on a platform in 45 sec & the same train crosses the complete platform in 2 min. What is the length of the platform?

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A. 500 m B. 700 m C. 900 m D. 1000 m • Soln:
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• Case A : L1 = S1x t (Train passing the man) •  $600 = S1 \times 45$  S1 = 600/45= 40/3

- Case B: L1+L2 = S1x t (Train passing the platform)
- $600+L2 = 40/3 \times 120$
- L2 = 1600 600
- L2 = 1000 m
- Ans D



Q. A train moves past a man standing and a bridge of 260m long in 8sec and 10sec. What is the speed of train?

A. 140m/s

B. 130m/s

C. 120m/s

D. 110m/s

Ans: B

Soln:

Case 1:

 $L1 = S1 \times t$ 

 $L1 = S1 \times 8$ 

Case 2:

 $L1 + L2 = S1 \times t$ 

 $L1 + 260 = S1 \times 10$ 

S1x8+260 = 10S1

8S1 + 260 = 10S1

2S1 = 260

S1 = 130 m/s

#### • Trains

```
    Let S1 = speed of train, S2 = Speed of Object
    L1 = length of the train, L2 = Length of the object.
    t = time taken by train to completely pass the object
```

Case C: Moving object without considerable length

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L1 = (S1\pm S2) \times t
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Q. A train of length 600m running at a speed of 60km/hr crossed a man coming from the opposite direction on a bike in 20 sec. Find the speed of the bike.

A.24 km/hr

B. 36 km/hr

C. 40 km/hr

D. 48 km/hr

#### Soln:

 $60 \text{ km/hr} = 60 \times 5/18 = 50/3 \text{ m/s}$ 

Case B: L1 =  $(St+Sb) \times t$  (Train passing the bike)

 $600 = (50/3 + Sb) \times 20$ 

Sb =  $40/3 \text{ m/s} \times 18/5 = 48 \text{ km/hr}$ 

Ans: D



#### • Trains

```
    Let S1 = speed of train, S2 = Speed of Object
    L1 = length of the train, L2 = Length of the object.
    t = time taken by train to completely pass the object
```

Case D: Moving Object with considerable length
L1+L2 = (S1±S2) x t



#### **Trains**

Q. Two trains of lengths 100 m and 200 m respectively running in opposite directions at a speed of 60 km/hr and 30 km/hr respectively. In what time will they cross each other?

A. 16 sec

B. 10 sec

C. 12 sec

D. 14 sec

#### Soln:

When two trains crosses each other in opposite direction then their Distance & Relative Speeds get added.

$$L1 + L2 = (S1 + S2) \times t$$

$$100 + 200 = (60 + 30) \times t$$

$$300m = 90 \text{ km/hr x t}$$

but

90 km/hr = 25 m/sec

$$300 = 25 \times t$$

$$t = 12 sec$$



### **Trains(Assignment)**

Q. Two trains of same length cross an electric pole in 12 sec & 20 sec respectively. Find in how much time do they cross each other while traveling in same direction?

A.45 sec

B. 50 sec C. 60 sec D. 75 sec

#### Soln:

Case A: L1 = S1x t (Trains passing the pole)

 $= S1 \times 12 \rightarrow S1 = L1/12$ 

 $= S2 \times 20 \rightarrow S2 = L1/20$ 

Case B: L1+L2 = (S1±S2) x t (Train passing other train)

2L1  $= (L1/12 - L1/20) \times t$ 

 $= (1/12 - 1/20) \times t$ 

2 =  $1/30 \times t$   $\rightarrow t = 60 \text{ sec.}$ 



### **Trains(Assignment)**

Q. Two trains of lengths 120 m and 180 m respectively running in opposite directions at a speed of 50 km/hr and 40 km/hr respectively. In what time will they cross each other?

A. 16 sec

B. 10 sec

C. 12 sec

D. 14 sec

#### Soln:

When two trains crosses each other in opposite direction then their Distance & Relative Speeds get added.

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s1 = 125/9 s2 = 100/9 s1+s2 = (125+100)/9 = 225/9
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Time taken = Total Distance/Relative speed of two trains

$$= (120+180) / 225/9$$

$$= (300) / (225/9)$$

$$= 12 sec$$



Q. Two trains of lengths 200 mt & 400 mt cross each other completely in 15 sec & 1.25 min respectively while going in opposite & same direction. Find the speed of the slower train.

A.24 m/s

B. 16 m/s

C. 40 m/s

D. 8 m/s

#### Soln:

Case A: L1+L2 = (S1+S2) x t (Trains passing opp direction)

 $200+400 = (S1+S2) \times 15$ 

 $S1+S2 = 40 \text{ m/s} \dots (1)$ 

Case B: L1+L2 = (S1-S2) x t (Trains passing same direction)

 $200+400 = (S1-S2) \times 75$ 

 $S1-S2 = 8 \text{ m/s} \dots(2)$ 

 $= 48 \rightarrow S1 = 24, S2=16$ 

Ans: B



Q. Person crosses a 600 m long street in 5 minutes. What is his speed in km per hour?

A. 3.6

B. 7.2

C. 8.4

D. 10

Ans: B



Q. An aeroplane covers a certain distance at a speed of 240 kmph in 5 hours. To cover the same distance in 1 2/3 hours, it must travel at a speed of:

A. 300 kmph

B. 360 kmph

C. 600 kmph

D. 720 kmph

Ans: D



Q. The ratio between the speeds of two trains is 7:8. If the second train runs 400 km in 4 hours, then the speed of the first train is:

A. 70 km/hr

B. 75 km/hr

C. 84 km/hr

D. 87.5 km/hr

Ans: D



Q. A man on tour travels first 160 km at 64 km/hr and the next 160 km at 80 km/hr. The average speed for the first 320 km of the tour is:

A. 35.55 km/hr

B. 36 km/hr

C. 71.11 km/hr

D. 71 km/hr



# **Trains(Assignment)**

Q. A train 125 m long passes a man, running at 5 km/hr in the same direction in which the train is going, in 10 seconds. The speed of the train is:

A. 45 km/hr

B. 50 km/hr

C. 54 km/hr

D. 55 km/hr

Ans: B



**Q.** Two trains run on parallel tracks in the same direction with speeds of 42 km/hr & 60 km/hr. A person sitting in the faster train crossed the slower train completely in 1.2 min. Find the length of the slower train.

A.240 m

B. 360 m

C. 420 m

D. 480 m

Ans: B

Note – Man in the train has same speed as train but no length

Using case 3 from trains → Moving object without length

$$L1 = (S1 - S2) \times t$$

# **Time & Distance**

### Boats & Streams

- If Speed of boat in still water = x kmph
- Speed of the stream = <u>y kmph</u> then
- Speed of the boat downstream Sd = (x+y) kmph
- Speed of the boat upstream Su = (x-y) kmph
- Speed of Boat in still water X = ½ (Sd + Su)
- Speed of the stream  $Y = \frac{1}{2} (Sd Su)$



#### **Boats & Streams**

Q. A boat goes 16 km upstream & returns back to original place in 6 hrs. If the speed of water is 2 kmph. Find the speed of boat in still water.

A.3 kmph

B. 4 kmph

C. 6 kmph

D. 8 kmph

#### Soln

Let speed of boat = x, Speed of water y = 2

Case A : Su = x-2

Case B : Sd = x+2

Total time = Tu + Td

6 = 16/(x-2) + 16/(x+2)

6(x-2)(x+2) = 16(x+2) + 16(x-2)

 $6x^2 - 24 = 16(2x)$ 

 $6x^2 - 32x - 24 = 0$ 

 $3x^2 - 16x - 12 = 0 \rightarrow 3x^2 - 18x + 2x - 12 = 0 \rightarrow (3x+2)(x-6) = 0$ 

 $\rightarrow$  x= 6 kmph



#### **Boats & Streams**

Q. A man notices that it takes him thrice the time to row up than to row down the same distance. Find the speed of the boat in still water if the speed of water is 5 kmph?

A. 8 kmph

B. 8.5 kmph

C. 10 kmph

D. 10.5 kmph

#### Soln

Td: Tu = 1:3  $\rightarrow$  Sd: Su = 3:1

Let speed of boat = x, Speed of water = 5

 $\rightarrow$ Sd = x+5, Su = x-5

 $\rightarrow$ Sd/Su = (x+5)/(x-5)

 $\Rightarrow 3/1 = (x+5)/(x-5)$ 

 $\rightarrow$ 3(x-5) = x+5

 $\rightarrow$ 3x-15 = x+5  $\rightarrow$  2x = 20  $\rightarrow$  x= 10 kmph.



Q. A person covers 200 m in 15 sec while going upstream & 5 km in 3 min while going downstream. Find the speed of boat in still water.

A. 44 m/s B. 74 m/s

C. 74 km/hr

D. 80 km/hr



Q. A man can row upstream at 7km/hr and downstream at 11 km/hr. Find the man rowing speed in still water?

A. 9 km/hr

B. 5 km/hr

C. 3 km/hr

D. 10 km/hr

Ans: A



Q. If the speed of a boat in still water is 20 m / s, and speed of the current is 10 m / s, then what is the time taken by the boat to travel a distance of 6 km upstream?

- A. 5 min
- B. 10 min
- C. 15 min
- D. 20 min

Ans: B



Q. A man rows at the rate of 12 kmph in still water. It takes him 4 hr 16 min to row to a place 24 km away & back. What is the speed of water?

A. 3 kmph

B. 2.5 kmph

C. 2 Kmph

D. 1.5 kmph

Ans: A



Q. A man notices that it takes him 5 times the time to row up than to row down the same distance. Find the speed of the boat in still water if the speed of water is 20 kmph?

A. 22 kmph

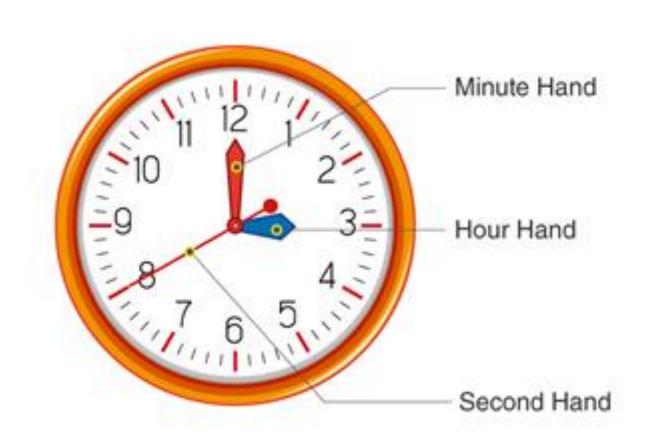
B. 25 kmph

C. 27 Kmph

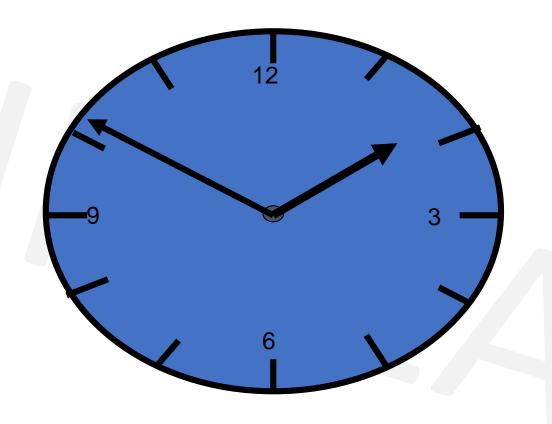
D. 30 kmph

Ans: D









- → 360°
- → 60 minute spaces of 6° each
- → 12 Hours space of 30° each



- The Face or dial of a watch is a circle whose circumference is divided into 60
- equal parts, called *minute spaces*.
- A clock has two hands, the smaller one is called the hour hand or short hand
- while the larger one is called the minute hand or long hand...
- i) In 60 minutes, the minute hand gains 55 minutes on the hour hand.
- ii) In every hour, both the hands coincide once.
- iii) The hands are in the same straight line when they are coincident or opposite to
- each other.
- iv) When the two hands are at right angles, they are 15 minute spaces apart.
- v)When the hand's are in opposite directions, they are 30 minute spaces apart.
- vi)Angle traced by hour hand in 12 hrs = 360°.
- vii)Angle traced by minute hand in 60 min. = 360°.



- 12 hr x  $30^{\circ} = 360^{\circ}$
- At night 12, day starts, both hands are at same place.
- Every hour they coincide once but between 11-12 it coincides at 12, so its 11 times only.
- The two hands coincide -
  - 11 times in 12 hours
  - 22 times in 24 hours
- The two hand are in opposite direction
  - 11 times in 12 hours
  - 22 times in 24 hours
  - Between 5-7 it happens only once at 6 o'clock.
- The two hand make right angles
  - 22 times in 12 hours
  - 44 times in 24 hours



• The hands of a clock coincide 11 times in every 12 hours (Since between 11 and 1, they coincide only once, *i.e.*, at 12 o'clock).

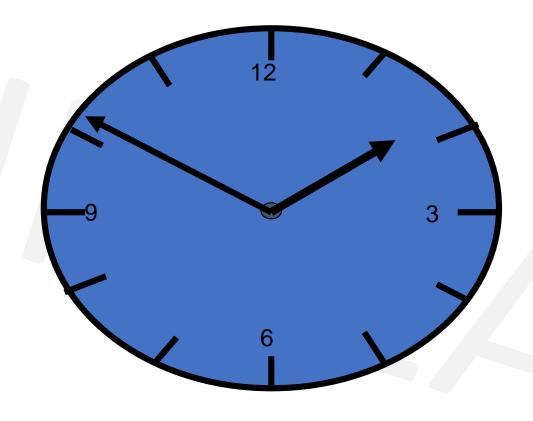
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4:22	4:22
5:27	5:27
6:33	6:33
7:38	7:38
8:44	8:44
9:49	9:49
10:55	10:55

The hands overlap about every 65 minutes, not every 60 minutes.

: The hands coincide 22 times in a day.



#### Remember



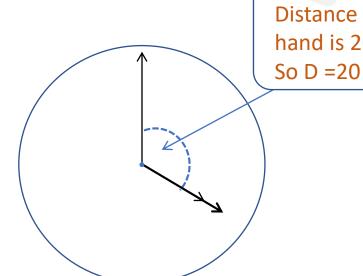
• Relative speed of minute hand with respect to hour hand =  $\frac{11}{12}$  ms/min

# Q. At what time between 4 and 5 o'clock will the hands of a watch be together/coincide?

A.  $10^{9}/_{11}$  min past 4 B.  $21^{10}/_{11}$  min past 4 C.  $11^{10}/_{11}$  min past 4 D.  $21^{9}/_{11}$  min past 4

#### Soln:

- Ans: D
- Draw diagram of clock here



Distance travelled by minute hand is 20min-spaces.

$$= \frac{\frac{S}{20}}{\frac{11/12}{11}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{20 \times 12}{11}}{\frac{240}{11}}$$

$$= 21 \frac{9}{11} \text{ mins. past 4}$$

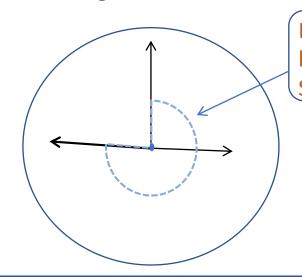
Q. At what time between 3 & 4 o'clock will the hands of the clock are in straight line but not in same direction.

A.  $40^{9}/_{11}$  min past 3 B.  $30^{10}/_{11}$  min past 3

C.  $49^{1}/_{11}$  min past 3 D.  $41^{9}/_{11}$  min past 3

#### Ans: C

Draw diagram of clock here



Distance travelled by minute hand is 45min-spaces. So D = 45

$$T = D/S$$

$$= \frac{45}{11/12}$$

$$= \frac{45 \times 12}{11}$$

$$= \frac{540}{11}$$

$$= 49 \frac{1}{11} \text{ mins. past 3}$$

Q. What is the angle between the hands of a clock at 7:23 am?

OR

A.90°

B. 85.5° C. 83.5° D. 81.5°

#### Soln:

angle = 
$$|30H - 11/2 M|$$
  
=  $30 \times 7 - \frac{11}{2} \times 23$   
=  $210 - 253/2$   
=  $210 - 126.5$   
=  $83.5^{\circ}$ 

|30H - 5.5 M|



Find the reflex angle between 2 hands of a clock at 10:25

A. 187.5° B. 192.5° C. 197.5° D. 207.5°

OR

|30H - 5.5 M|

#### Soln:

angle = |30H - 11/2M| $= 30 \times 10 - 11/2 \times 25$ =300-275/2=300-137.5 $= 162.5^{\circ}$ 

But reflex angle is greater than 180 ° and less than 360 °

 $360 - 162.5 = 197.5^{\circ}$ 



Q. If a clock strikes 13 in 36 seconds, then it will strike 6 in how many seconds?

A. 33/2

B. 15

C. 12

D. 22

Ans: B

There are 12 intervals of equal time to strike 13.

Time taken by each interval=36/12 = 3 sec

For 6 strike, there are 5 intervals.

Time taken to strike 6 = 5x 3 = 15 secs

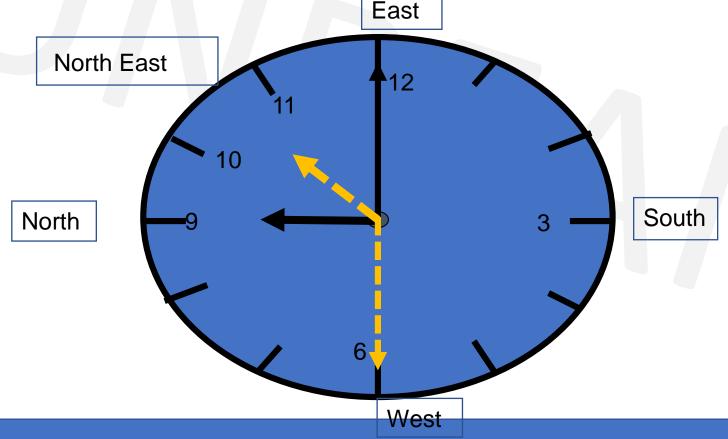


Q. Time piece kept in home is such that hour hand points to North at 9am.. In which direction minute hand and hour hand point respectively at 10:30am?

A. West, North-East B. East, North-West

C. North, South-East D. South, North-West

Ans: A





Q. How many rotations will the hour hand of a clock complete in 72 hours?

A. 3

B. 6

**C**. 9

D. 12

Ans: B



Q. What is the angle between the hands of a clock at 6:30 am?

A.15°

B. 35°

C. 85°

D. 21°

· Ans: A



Q. The angle between the minute hand and the hour hand of a clock when the time is 4:20, is:

A. 0°

B. 10°

C. 5°

D. 20°

Ans: B



#### **Clocks - Method1(Assignment)**

- The minute hands of a clock meet at intervals of 70 mins. How much does the clock gain or lose in one day?
- A.  $90^{10}/_{77}$  min B.  $93^{39}/_{77}$  min C.  $93^{35}/_{143}$  min D. None of these
- Soln:
- In a clock that runs correctly, hands overlap every 720/11 mins.
- In this clock hands are together after every 70 mins.
- So gain/loss in 70 mins = 720/11 70 mins = (720-770)/11 = -50/11
- 70 min  $\rightarrow$  50/11 min loss
- 24 x 60 min  $\rightarrow$  x
- So loss in one day =  $({}^{50}I_{11} \times 24 \times 60) / 70 = 93 {}^{39}I_{77} = 93 {}^{39}I_$
- · Ans: B



#### Clocks - Method2(Assignment)

- Q. The minute hands of a clock meet at intervals of 70 mins. How much does the clock gain or lose in one day?
- A.  $90^{10}/_{77}$  min B.  $93^{39}/_{77}$  min C.  $93^{35}/_{143}$  min D. None of these
- Soln:
- The minute hand of a clock overtakes the hour hand at intervals of M minutes of correct time.
- The clock gains or loses in a day by=(720/11-M)(60×24/M) minutes.
- Here M = 70.
- The clock gains or losses in a day by-
- Gain/loss =  $(720/11-M)(60\times24/M)$ =  $(720/11-70)(60\times24/70)$ =  $(\frac{720-770}{11})(\frac{6\times24}{7})$ =  $(\frac{-50}{11})(\frac{144}{7}) = \frac{-7200}{77}$ =  $93^{39}/_{77}$  min



Q. A clock is set at 4am. It loses 16 minutes in 24 hours. What will be the correct time when the clock indicates 9pm on the 4th day?

• A. 8pm B. 7pm

C. 10pm D. 11pm

- Ans C
- Time from 4am on a day to 9pm on the 4<sup>th</sup> day = 89 hours
- 23 hrs 44 minutes of this clock = 24 hours of the correct clock as this clock loses 16 minutes in 24 hours.
- 23 hrs 44 minutes = 23  $\frac{44}{60}$  = 23  $\frac{11}{15}$  =  $\frac{356}{15}$  hrs
- Now,  $\frac{356}{15}$  hrs of this clock = 24 hours of correct clock
- 89 hours of this clock = ?
- $\frac{24\times11}{356}$  \* 89 = 90 hours of the correct clock, i.e. the correct clock gains one hour over the incorrect clock.
- The correct time on the fourth day will be 10pm.
- OR
- time from first day 4am to 4th day 9pm = 89 hours
- 16mins loss in 24hrs
- ? in 89hrs
- so loss = 59.33mins == 1hr
- as loss is of 1hr, so correct clock will indicate 10pm when this clock will show 9pm



Q. At what time between 7 and 8 o'clock will the hands of a clock be in the same straight line but, not together? — means in opposite direction

B.5 
$$\frac{2}{11}$$
 min. past 7

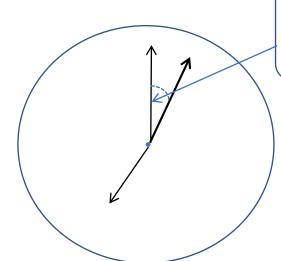
A. 5 min. past 7 B.5 
$$\frac{2}{11}$$
 min. past 7 C. 5  $\frac{3}{11}$  min. past 7 D. 5  $\frac{5}{11}$  min. past 7

D. 5 
$$\frac{5}{11}$$
 min. past 7

#### Soln:

Ans: D

Draw diagram of clock here



Distance travelled by minute hand is 5min-spaces.

T = D/S  
=
$$\frac{5}{11/12}$$
  
= $\frac{5 \times 12}{11}$   
= $\frac{60}{11}$   
=  $5\frac{5}{11}$  mins. past 7

Q. An accurate clock shows 8 o'clock in the morning. Through how many degrees will the hour hand rotate when the clock shows 2 o'clock in the afternoon?

A. 144°

B. 150°

C. 168°

D. 180°

- Soln:
- In one hour ---- the hour hand rotates 30°
- In 6 hours ----- the hour hand rotates 180°
- <u>OR</u>
- Number of hours from 8am till 2pm= 6hrs
   The rotation of an hour hand in one hour= 30°
   Total degree of rotation= 360°

Therefore, the Angle traced by the hour hand in 6 hours is=  $(360/12)x6 = 180^{\circ}$ 

Ans: D



Q. What is the angle between the hands of a clock at 7:20?

A. 100°

B. 1921/2°

C. 195° D. 197 1/2°

Ans: A

What is the angle between the hands of a clock at 2:30?

A. 144°

B. 150°

C. 105°

D. 180°

Ans: C

What is the angle between the hands of a clock at 3:30?

A. 144°

B. 150°

C. 105°

D. 75°

Ans: D



Q. The minute hand of a clock overtakes the hour hand at intervals of 65 mins of correct time. How much does the clock gain or lose in one day?

A.  $10^{10}/_{143}$  min

B.  $10^{21}/_{143}$  min C.  $10^{100}/_{143}$  min D. None of these

Ans: A



Q. A clock is so placed that at 12 noon its minute hand points towards North-east. In which direction does its hour hand point at 1:30 p.m?

A. West

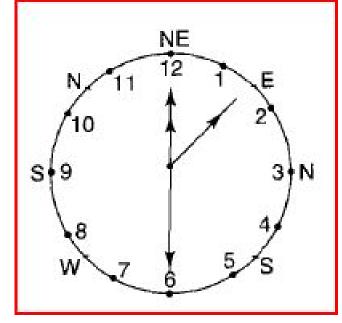
B. East

C. North

D. South

Ans: B

Diagram is shown as per the conditions in the question. Clearly at 1.30 p.m hour hand shall point - East.





#### **IMPORTANT FORMULAE**

- I.1.Area of a rectangle=(length x breadth)
- Therefore length = (area/breadth) and breadth=(area/length)
- 2.Perimeter of a rectangle = 2 x (length + breadth)
- II.Area of a square = (side)^2 =1/2(diagonal)^2
- III Area of four walls of a room = 2\*(length + breadth)\*(height)
- IV 1.Area of the triangle=1/2(base\*height)
- 2. Area of a triangle =  $(s^*(s-a)(s-b)(s-c))^(1/2)$ , where a,b,c are the sides of a triangle &  $s = \frac{1}{2}(a+b+c)$
- 3.Area of the equilateral triangle =((3^1/2)/4)\*(side)^2



#### **IMPORTANT FORMULAE**

- V<sub>-</sub>1.Area of the parellogram =(base \*height)
- 2.Area of the rhombus=1/2(product of the diagonals)
- 3.Area of the trapezium=1/2(size of parallel sides)\*distance between them.
- **VI** 1.Area of a circle =pi\*r^2, where r is the radius
- 2. Circumference of a circle = 2ΠR.
- 3. Length of an arc =  $2\Pi R\theta/(360)$  where  $\theta$  is the central angle
- 4. Area of a sector = (1/2) (arc x R) =  $pi*R^2*\theta/360$ .
- VII. 1. Area of a semi-circle = (pi)\*R^2.
- 2. Circumference of a semi-circle = (pi)\*R.
- where, pi = 3.142



#### **VOLUME AND SURFACE AREA – IMPORTANT FORMULAE**

- I. CUBOID
- Let length = I, breadth = b and height = h units. Then,
- 1. Volume = (I x b x h) cubic.units.
- 2. Surface area= 2(lb + bh + lh) sq.units.
- **3. Diagonal**.= $\sqrt{l^2 + b^2 + h^2}$  units
- II. CUBE
- Let each edge of a cube be of length a. Then,
- 1. Volume =  $a^3$  cubic units.
- 2. Surface area =  $6a^2$  sq. units.
- 3. Diagonal =  $\sqrt{3}$  a units.
- III. CYLINDER
- Let radius of base = r and Height (or length) = h. Then,
- 1. Volume = ( r2h) cubic units.
- 2. Curved surface area =  $(2 \square \text{ rh})$ . units.
- 3. Total surface area =2 ∏ r (h+r) sq. units



#### **VOLUME AND SURFACE AREA – IMPORTANT FORMULAE**

- IV. CONE
- Let radius of base = r and Height = h. Then,
- 1. Slant height,  $I = \sqrt{h2+r2}$
- 2. Volume =  $(1/3) \prod r^2 h$  cubic units.
- 3. Curved surface area = (☐ rl) sq. units.
- 4. Total surface area =  $(\prod rl + \prod r^2)$  sq. units.
- V. SPHERE
- Let the radius of the sphere be r. Then,
- 1. Volume =  $(4/3) \prod r^3$  cubic units.
- 2. Surface area =  $(4 \prod r^2)$  sq. units.
- VI. HEMISPHERE
- Let the radius of a hemisphere be r. Then,
- 1. Volume =  $(2/3) \prod r^3$  cubic units.
- 2. Curved surface area =  $(2 \prod r^2)$  sq. units.
- 3. Total surface area =  $(3 \sqcap r^2)$  units.



### **Surds and Indices**

#### Rules of Indices: -

i. 
$$a^n * a^m = a^{m+n}$$

ii. 
$$\frac{a^m}{a^n} = a^{m-n}$$

iii. 
$$(a^n)^m = a^{mn}$$

iv. 
$$(ab)^n = a^n * b^n$$

v. 
$$\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^n = \frac{a^n}{b^n}$$

vi. 
$$a^0 = 1$$
 (where  $a \neq 0$ )

vii. 
$$a^{-n} = \frac{1}{a^n}$$

### Rules of Surds: -

i. 
$$\sqrt[n]{a} = a^{\frac{1}{n}}$$

ii. 
$$\sqrt[n]{ab} = a^{\frac{1}{n}} * b^{\frac{1}{n}}$$

iii. 
$$\sqrt[n]{\frac{a}{b}} = \frac{a^{\frac{1}{n}}}{b^{\frac{1}{n}}}$$

iv. 
$$\left(\sqrt[n]{a}\right)^n = a$$

v. 
$$\left(\sqrt[n]{a}\right)^m = a^{\frac{m}{n}}$$



### **Races**

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- A contest of speed in running, riding, driving, sailing or rowing is called a race.
- If in a race Ram is at starting point & Shyam starts from 20 mts ahead, then it is said that Ram has given Shyam a start of 20 mts or Ram gives Shyam 20 mts.
- This means that if they start from same point Ram would beat Shyam by 20 mts.



### **Races**

Q. In a 100 mt race A gives B a start of 25 mt & still wins by 9 sec. Find the speed of A if speed of B is 6 kmph.

A.8 kmph

B. 9 kmph

C. 10 kmph

D. 12 kmph

Soln

!-----!

A<---25--->B<-----> A=t-9, B=t

Sb = 6 kmph =  $6 \times 5/18 = 5/3 \text{ m/s}$ 

Tb = Db/Sb = 75/(5/3) = 45 sec

Ta = Tb-9 = 36 sec

Sa = Da/Ta = 100/36 m/s

 $= 100/36 \times 18/5$ 

= 10 kmph

Ans C



# Races(Assignment)

Q. In a 100 m race, A can beat B by 25 m and B can beat C by 4 m. In the same race, A can beat C by:

A. 21 m

B. 26 m

C. 28 m

D. 29 m

• Soln:-

A : B = 100 : 75

B:C=100:96

A:C=
$$(\frac{A}{B} \times \frac{B}{C}) = (\frac{100}{75} \times \frac{100}{96}) = 100:72$$

A beats C by (100–72)=28 m.

Ans: C

### **Circular Motion**

- Use of both relative speed & LCM
- Let Sa, Sb = speeds of two persons.

Sr = Their relative speed

Distance traveled in 1 round = circumference

Case A: Both running in Same direction

Both meet again first time when → Time = dist/Sr = Circumference/Sa-Sb

Case B: Both running in opposite directions(DistA+ DistB = Circumference)

Both meet first time when → Time = Circumference/Sa+Sb

Case C: Both running in same/opposite directions

Both meet again at starting point at LCM of their Lap times.



### Circular Motion(Races)

Two friends P & Q start from same point at the same time on a circular track 336 meters long in opposite directions at 6 m/s & 8 m/s respectively. After how much time will they meet again at the starting point for the first time?

A. 56 sec

B. 112 sec C. 168 sec D. 214 sec

Ans: C

Step1 – find the time taken by each member /player to complete 1 round

Step2 – Calculate LCM(Lap time)

LapTm(P) = 
$$\frac{\text{Circumference}}{\text{Sp}} = \frac{336}{6} = 56 \text{ sec}$$

$$LapTm(Q) = \frac{Circumference}{SQ} = \frac{336}{8} = 42 \text{ sec}$$

LCM(42,56) = 168 sec

## **Circular Motion(Assignment)**

Q. A, B & C start together running along a circular track of 500 m at 8 km/hr, 5 km/hr & 3 km/hr respectively. After how much time will all three meet again at the starting point for the first time?

A. 20 min

B. 24 min

C. 30 min

D. 36 min

Ans: C





