

# Problems on Trains

## Imp formulae

$$1. \quad a \text{ km/hr} = \left( \frac{a \times 5}{18} \right) \text{ m/s}$$

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2. Time taken to pass a pole  $\Rightarrow l(m)$   
Time taken to pass  $b$  meters Object  
is  $(l+b)$  metres

3. Two trains same direction  
Relative speed  $= u - v$  (if  $u > v$ )

4. Two trains opposite direction  
Relative speed  $= u + v$

5. Time taken to cross each other  
will be  $\frac{(a+b)}{(u+v)}$  sec. [opposite direction]

6. Same direction  $\Rightarrow \frac{(a+b)}{(u-v)}$

7. A & B towards each other after  
crossing <sup>they take</sup>  $a$  and  $b$  sec in reaching B & A.

$$(A's \text{ speed}) : (B's \text{ speed}) = (\sqrt{b} : \sqrt{a})$$