

RACK AND PINION

Z=15, m=8, ϕ = 20°, af= 1, df=1.25 dp= PCD= z x m, db=base circle = PCD x cos ϕ , tip=dt= (z+2af) x m, root= dr = (z-2df) x m

- 1. Draw circles for PCD, base, tip and root.
- 2. Draw the involute profile p-p as shown. At a distance $\pi m/2$ along the pitch circle draw a mirror image of p-p as p'-p'. draw an extension line b-t from base to tip circle. Complete the tooth profile.
- 3. At pt below draw a line a-b. Draw a line c-d at 20 degree with the vertical. Complete the rack profile as shown. p-t means pitch to tip distance and p-r means pitch to root distance.
- 4. Draw an inclined line at 20 degree through the point pt to denote pressure angle.
- 5. Copy the earlier drawn teeth to touch the rack at pitch point pt.
- 6. complete for three profiles.