1. In a class test, the sum of Shefali's marks in Mathematics and English is 30. Had she got 2 marks more in Mathematics and 3 marks less in English, the product of their marks would have been 210. Find her marks in two subjects. [Ex 4.3, Q5]

Sol:- Given (Math marks) + (English marks) = 30 and (Math marks + 2) \times (English marks - 3) = 210

Let marks in Math be *x* and in English be *y*

First condition: x + y = 30 i)

Second condition: (x + 2)(y - 3) = 210

⇒
$$(x + 2)(30 - x - 3) = 210$$
 {Replace value of y by i)}
⇒ $(x + 2)(27 - x) = 210$ ⇒ $27x + 54 - 2x - x^2 = 210$
⇒ $x^2 - 25x + 156 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 13x - 12x + 156 = 0$$
 {Students can do this by quadratic formula}

$$\Rightarrow x(x-13) - 12(x-13) = 0 \Rightarrow (x-13)(x-12) = 0$$

\Rightarrow x - 13 = 0 or x - 12 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 13 or 12

If She has 13 marks in Math then in English 30 - 13 = 17 marks.

If She has 12 marks in Math then in English 30 - 12 = 18 marks.

Alternate Method:- This sum also can be solved in one variable.

Suppose marks in Math are x then in English she has 30 - x Solve as above

2. A train travels 360 km at a uniform speed. If the speed had been 5km/h more, it would have taken 1 hour less for the same journey. Find the speed of the train.

[Ex 4.3, Q8]

Sol:- Let the speed of the train be x km/h and Distance covered = 360 km

$$\therefore \text{ Time taken by a train} = \frac{360}{x} \text{ hours}$$

If speed of the train is increased by 5 km/h then time taken by train to cover

distance 360 km =
$$\frac{360}{x+5}$$
 hours

Given: $\binom{\text{Time taken by train}}{\text{at speed of } (x+5)km/h} = \binom{\text{Time taken by train}}{\text{at speed of } x km/h} - 1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{360}{x+5} = \frac{360}{x} - 1 \qquad \Rightarrow \frac{360}{x+5} - \frac{360}{x} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{360x - 360(x+5)}{(x+5)x} - 1 \qquad \Rightarrow \frac{360x - 360x - 1800}{(x+5)x} - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -1800 = -(x^2 + 5x) \text{ Or } x^2 + 5x - 1800 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{2} + 45x - 40x - 1800 = 0 \Rightarrow (x + 45)(x - 40) = 0 \Rightarrow x(x + 45) - 40(x + 45) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 40 \text{ or } -45$$
Hence speed of train = 40 km/h

- 3. A motor boat whose speed is 18 km/h in still water takes 1 hour more to go 24km upstream than to return downstream to the same post. Find the speed of the stream.

 [Example 15]
- **Sol:** Let the speed of stream be x km/h

Given speed of boat in still water = 15 km/h and Distance covered in both cases=24km We know

$${Speed\ of\ boat\ in \choose downstream} = {Speed\ of\ boat\ in \choose still\ water} + (Speed\ of\ stream) = (18+x)km/h$$
 and
$${Speed\ of\ boat\ in \choose upstream} = {Speed\ of\ boat\ in \choose still\ water} - (Speed\ of\ stream) = (18-x)km/h$$

4. Two water taps together can fill a tank in $9\frac{3}{8}$ hours. The tap of larger diameter takes 10 hours less than the smaller one to fill the tank separately. Find the time in which each tap can separately fill the tank. [Ex 4.3, Q9]

Sol:- Given
$$\binom{\text{Time taken by tap of}}{\text{larger diameter}} = \binom{\text{Time taken by tap of}}{\text{smaller diameter}} - 10$$

Let the time taken by smaller pipe to fill the tank x hours and the time taken by larger pipe to fill the tank (x-10) hours Given, time taken by both pipes to fill the tank $=9\frac{3}{8}=\frac{75}{8}$ hours

In one hour, smaller pipe will fill $\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^{th}$ part of tank.

In one hour, larger pipe will fill $\left(\frac{1}{x-10}\right)^{th}$ part of tank.

In one hour, both will fill $\frac{8}{75}$ hours.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x - 10} = \frac{8}{75}
\Rightarrow \frac{2x - 10}{x^2 - 10x} = \frac{8}{75}
\Rightarrow 150x - 750 = 8x^2 - 80x
\Rightarrow 4x^2 - 115x + 375 = 0
\Rightarrow 4x^2 - 100x - 15x + 375 = 0
\Rightarrow (x - 25)(4x - 15) = 0
\Rightarrow \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x - 10} = \frac{8}{75}
\Rightarrow 75(2x - 10) = 8(x^2 - 10x)
\Rightarrow 8x^2 - 230x + 750 = 0
{Divide both sides by 2}
\Rightarrow 4x(x - 25) - 15(x - 25) = 0
\Rightarrow x = 25, \frac{15}{4} \text{ Rejected}$$

If smaller pipe take 25 hours to fill then larger pipe takes 25 - 10 = 15 hours If smaller pipe take $\frac{15}{4}$ hours to fill then larger pipe takes $\frac{15}{4} - 10 = \frac{-25}{4}$ hours (which is not possible)

- 5. A pole has to be erected at a point on the boundary of a circular park of diameter 13 m in such a way that the differences of its distances from two diametrically opposite fixed gates A and B on the boundary is 7 m. At what distances from the two gates should be erected? [Example 17]
- Sol:- Suppose in the circular park, the pole is situated at P and AB = 13m is a diameter. Given: Difference between AP and BP is 7m *i. e.* AP BP = 7m

Suppose BP = x then AP = 7 + x

Since AB is a diameter, so $\angle APB = 90^{\circ}$.

In Right Angled Triangle $\triangle ABP$, $AB^2 = BP^2 + AP^2$

$$\Rightarrow 13^2 = x^2 + (7+x)^2 \qquad \Rightarrow 169 = x^2 + 49 + x^2 + 14x$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 + 14x - 120 = 0$$
 or $x^2 + 7x - 60 = 0$ {Divide by 2}

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 12x - 5x - 60 = 0$$
 $\Rightarrow x(x+12) - 5(x+12) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (x+12)(x-5) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 5, -12$$
 (-12 Rejected, side can't be negative)

Hence BP =
$$x = 5 m$$
 and AP = $x + 7 = 5 + 7 = 12 m$