

33. At present age of the father is five times that of the age of his son. Three years hence, the father's age would be four times that of his son's age. Find the present ages of the father and the son.
- (1) 35 yrs, 7 yrs (2) 10 yrs
 (2) 35 yrs, 11 yrs (3) 12 yrs (4) 14 yrs
 (3) 45 yrs, 9 yrs
 (4) 25 yrs, 12 yrs
 (5) None of these
34. The age of man is 4 times that of his son. 5 years ago, the man was nine times as old as his son was at that time. What is the present age of the man?
- (1) 28 yrs (2) 32 yrs
 (3) 34 yrs (4) 36 yrs
 (5) None of these
35. 10 years ago, Sita's mother was 4 times older than her daughter. After 10 years, the mother will be twice older than the daughter. What is the present age of Sita?
- (1) 20 yrs (2) 22 yrs
 (3) 24 yrs (4) 25 yrs
 (5) None of these
36. One year ago the ratio between Sameer's and Ashok's age was 4 : 3. One year hence the ratio of their ages will be 5 : 4. What is the sum of their present ages in years?
- (1) 14 years (2) 16 years
 (3) 18 years (4) 20 years
 (5) None of these
37. Ten years ago A was half of B in age. If the ratio of their present ages is 3 : 4, what will be the total of their present ages?
- (1) 15 yrs (2) 20 yrs
 (3) 25 yrs (4) 30 yrs
 (5) None of these
38. The sum of ages of a mother and her daughter is 50 years. Also 5 years ago, the mother's age was 7 times the age of the daughter. What are the present ages of the mother and the daughter?
- (1) 40 years, 10 years (2) 32 years
 (2) 48 years, 12 years (3) 42 years
 (3) 32 years, 8 years (4) 44 years
 (4) 36 years, 9 years
 (5) None of these
39. The sum of the ages of a son and father is 56 yrs. After 4 yrs, the age of the father will be three times that of the son. What is the age of the son?
- (1) 8 yrs (2) 10 yrs
 (3) 12 yrs (4) 14 yrs
 (5) None of these
40. The ratio of the father's ages to the son's age is 4 : 1. The product of their ages is 196. What will be the ratio of their ages after 5 years?
- (1) 11 : 3 (2) 11 : 4
 (3) 12 : 3 (4) 12 : 4
 (5) None of these
41. The ratio of Rita's age to the age of her mother is 3 : 11. The difference of their ages is 24 yrs. What will be the ratio of their ages after 3 years?
- (1) 1 : 3 (2) 3 : 4
 (3) 2 : 3 (4) 1 : 2
 (5) None of these
42. The ratio of the ages of the father and the son at present is 6 : 1. After 5 years the ratio will become 7 : 2. What is the present age of the son?
- (1) 2 years (2) 3 years
 (3) 4 years (4) 5 years
 (5) None of these
43. A man's age is 150% of what it was 10 years ago, but 75% of what it will be after 10 years. What is his present age?
- (1) 25 years (2) 30 years
 (3) 35 years (4) 40 years
 (5) None of these
44. Ram's present age is one-sixth of his father's age. If the difference between their present ages is 35 years, what is his father's present age?
- (1) 32 years (2) 42 years
 (3) 52 years (4) 44 years
 (5) None of these

45. The ratio of the present ages of Sunita and Vinita is 4 : 5. Six years hence the ratio of their ages will be 14 : 17. What will be the ratio of their ages 12 years hence?
 (1) 15 : 19 (2) 13 : 15
 (3) 16 : 19 (4) 17 : 19
 (5) None of these
46. The ratio of the ages of a father and his son 10 years hence will be 5 : 3, while 10 years ago, it was 3 : 1. The ratio of the age of the son to that of the father today, is:
 (1) 1 : 2 (2) 1 : 3
 (3) 2 : 3 (4) 2 : 5
 (5) None of these
47. Michelle got married 9 years ago. Today her age is $1\frac{1}{3}$ times of her age at the time of marriage. At present her daughter's age is one-sixth of her age. What was her daughter's age two years ago?
 (1) 6 years (2) 7 years
 (3) 3 years
 (4) Can't be determined
 (5) None of these
48. The age of Sonal and Nitya are in the ratio of 9 : 5 respectively. After 8 years the ratio of their ages will be 13 : 9. What is the difference in years between their ages?
 (1) 4 years (2) 12 years
 (3) 6 years (4) 14 years
 (5) None of these
49. Ratio of Rani's and Komal's age is 3 : 5 respectively. Ratio of Komal's and Pooja's age is 2 : 3 respectively. If Rani is two-fifth of Pooja's age, what is Rani's age?
 (1) 10 years (2) 15 years
 (3) 24 years
 (4) Can't be determined
 (5) None of these
50. The ratio between the ages of a father and a son at present is 5 : 2 respectively. Four years hence the ratio between the ages of the son and his mother will be 1 : 2 respectively. What is the ratio between the present ages of the father and the mother respectively?
 (1) 3 : 4 (2) 5 : 4
 (3) 4 : 3
 (4) Can't be determined
 (5) None of these
51. If the ages of P and R are added to twice the age of Q, the total becomes 59. If the ages of Q and R are added to thrice the age of P, the total becomes 68. And if the age of P is added to thrice the age of Q and thrice the age of R, the total becomes 108. What is the age of P?
 (1) 15 yrs (2) 19 yrs
 (3) 17 yrs (4) 12 yrs
 (5) None of these
52. Present age of Rahul is 8 years less than Ritu's present age. If 3 years ago Ritu's age was x , which of the following represents Rahul's present age?
 (1) $x + 3$ (2) $x - 5$
 (3) $x - 3 + 8$ (4) $x + 3 + 8$
 (5) None of these
53. A says to B "I am twice as old as you are when I was as old as you were". The sum of their ages is 63 years. Find the difference of their ages.
 (1) 27 years (2) 21 years
 (3) 9 years (4) 6 years
 (5) None of these

Paramount concept:-
in Ques. 1,3,5 etc.

Father : Son
Present ratio = 6 : 1
Future ratio = 4 : 1

Present ratio diff. is yrs

$$\text{Father's Present age} = \frac{6 \times 4}{6 \times 1 - 4 \times 1} \times \frac{(4 - 1)}{\text{diff. in future ratios ratio}}$$

cross multiplied

$$\left(\begin{array}{c} 6 \\ 4 \end{array} \right) \times \left(\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 1 \end{array} \right)$$

1.2; Let the present age of son be x years and present age of father = $6x$ years
After 4 years, age of son & father will be $(x + 4)$ years and $(6x + 4)$ years respectively.

Now, according to the question,

$$\frac{6x + 4}{x + 4} = \frac{4}{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x + 4 = (x + 4) \times 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x + 4 = 4x + 16$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x - 4x = 16 - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 6$$

∴ Present age of son = 6 years.

Paramount concept:-

F S

6 : 1

Diff. of time = 4 years.

4 : 1

$$\text{Age of son} = \frac{4 \times 1}{6 \times 1 - 4 \times 1} \times (4 - 1)$$

$$= \frac{4}{2} \times 3 = 6 \text{ years.}$$

2.1; Let present ages of P & Q be $3x$ years and $4x$ years respectively.

4 years hence, ages of P and Q will be $(3x + 4)$ and $(4x + 4)$ years respectively.

Now, according to question

$$(4x + 4) - (3x + 4) = 5$$

$$\text{or, } 4x + 4 - 3x - 4 = 5$$

$$\text{or, } x = 5$$

$$\text{Present age of P} = 3x = 3 \times 5$$

$$= 15 \text{ years.}$$

Paramount concept:-

$$2.1; P : Q \Rightarrow 3 : 4$$

↓ 5 yrs. ↓

15 yrs. 20 yrs.

3.1; Let the present age of son be x years
father's present age = $3x$ years
4 years hence, son's age & father's age will be $(x + 4)$ years & $(3x + 4)$ years respectively.

Now according to question

$$\frac{3x + 4}{x + 4} = \frac{13}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow (3x + 4) \times 5 = (x + 4) \times 13$$

$$\Rightarrow 15x + 20 = 13x + 52$$

$$\Rightarrow 15x - 13x = 52 - 20$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 32$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 16$$

$$\therefore \text{father's present age} = 3x$$

$$= 3 \times 16 \text{ years}$$

$$= 48 \text{ years.}$$

Paramount concept:-

F S
3 : 1

Diff. of time = 4 years.

13 : 5

Father's present age

$$= \frac{4 \times 3}{3 \times 5 - 1 \times 13} \times (13 - 5) \text{ years}$$

$$= \frac{4 \times 3}{2} \times 8 \text{ years} = 48 \text{ years}$$

4.5; Let the present age of mother be x years.

∴ present age of son be $(30 - x)$ years.

6 years ago, mother's age = $(x - 6)$ years

and son's age = $30 - x - 6$

= $24 - x$ years.

According to the question,

$$(x - 6) - (24 - x) = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 6 - 24 + x = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - 30 = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 18 + 30$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 48$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 24$$

\therefore 6 years ago mother's age was
 $= 24 - 6 = 18$ years.

4.5; Paramount concept:-

Sum of ages = 30 yrs.

$$\text{Sum of ages 6 yrs. ago} = 30 - 6 \times 2 \\ = 18 \text{ yrs.}$$

$$\therefore \text{Age of Mother} = 18 \text{ Age of son} \\ = 0 \text{ yrs.}$$

- 5.1; Let the ages of A & B 4 years ago, be $11x$ years and $14x$ years respectively.
 \therefore Present ages of A & B will be $(11x + 4)$ years and $(14x + 4)$ years respectively
 \therefore 4 years later,

Age of A will be

$$= 11x + 4 + 4 = (11x + 8) \text{ years}$$

and age of B will be

$$= 14x + 4 + 4 = (14x + 8) \text{ years}$$

Now According to question,

$$\frac{11x + 8}{14x + 8} = \frac{13}{16}$$

$$\Rightarrow (11x + 8) \times 16 = (14x + 8) \times 13$$

$$\Rightarrow 176x + 128 = 182x + 104$$

$$\Rightarrow 128 - 104 = 182x - 176x$$

$$\Rightarrow 24 = 6x$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 4$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Present age of A} &= (11x + 4) \text{ years} \\ &= (11 \times 4 + 4) \text{ years} \\ &= (44 + 4) \text{ years} \\ &= 48 \text{ years.}\end{aligned}$$

Short Trick :-

$$\text{Age of A} = \frac{11 \times 8}{13 \times 16 - 13 \times 11} \times (16 - 13)$$

$$= \frac{11 \times 8 \times 3}{6} = 44 \text{ yrs.}$$

$$\text{Present age} = 44 + 4 = 48 \text{ yrs.}$$

- 6.3; Let the present age of two brothers be x years and $2x$ years.

5 years back, their age were $(x - 5)$ years and $(2x - 5)$ years respectively.

Now according to question

$$\frac{x - 5}{2x - 5} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 5) \times 3 = 2x - 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x - 15 = 2x - 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x - 2x = -5 + 15$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 10$$

After 5 years, their ages will be $(10 + 5)$ years = 15 years and $(2 \times 10 + 5)$ years = 25 years respectively.
 \therefore After 5 years, ratio of their ages.

$$= 15 : 25$$

$$= 3 : 5$$

Paramount concept:-

- 6.3; Five yrs. ago

$$\begin{array}{c} \boxed{1 : 3} \\ \text{Present } 2 \times (1 : 2) \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} 1 : 3 \\ 5 \text{ yrs.} \\ 2 : 4 \end{array}$$

$$\text{Present} = 10 : 20$$

$$\text{After 5 yrs.} = 15 : 25 \Rightarrow 3 : 5$$

- 7.3; Let the present ages of Rama & Shyama be $4x$ years & $5x$ years respectively.

After 5 years, their ages will be $(4x + 5)$ years and $(5x + 5)$ years respectively.

According to question

$$\frac{4x + 5}{5x + 5} = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow (4x + 5) \times 6 = (5x + 5) \times 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 24x + 30 = 25x + 25$$

$$\Rightarrow 25x - 24x = 30 - 25$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 5$$

Present age of Rama

$$= 4x = 4 \times 5 = 20 \text{ years}$$

Short-cut method

Rama Shyama

$$4 : 5$$

Diff. of time = 5

$$5 : 6$$

$$x = 5 - 4 = 6 - 5 = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Present age of Rama} &= \frac{5}{1} \times 4 \\ &= 20 \text{ years.}\end{aligned}$$

OR

$$\begin{aligned}&= \frac{4 \times 5}{5 \times 5 - 6 \times 4} \times (6 - 5) = \frac{20}{25 - 24} \times 1 \\ &= \frac{20}{25 - 24} \times 1 = 20 \text{ yrs.}\end{aligned}$$

8.1; Let the ages of father and his son 4 years ago be, $19x$ and $6x$ years respectively.

\therefore their present ages are $(19x + 4)$ years and $(6x + 4)$ years respectively.

Now, according to the question

$$(19x + 4) - (6x + 4) = 26$$

$$\Rightarrow 19x + 4 - 6x - 4 = 26$$

$$\Rightarrow 13x = 26$$

$$x = 2$$

Ratio of their present age

$$= (19x + 4) : (6x + 4)$$

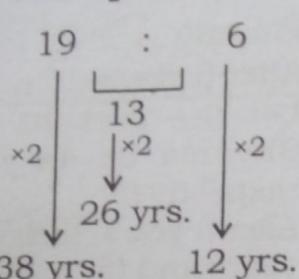
$$= (19 \times 2 + 4) : (6 \times 2 + 4)$$

$$= (38 + 4) : (12 + 4)$$

$$= 42 : 16 = 21 : 8$$

8.1; Paramount concept:-

$$4 \text{ yrs ago} =$$



$$\text{Present} = 42 : 16$$

$$= 21 : 8$$

9. 3; Let the present ages of father and his son be x years & y years respectively. 3 years earlier, their ages were $(x - 3)$ years and $(y - 3)$ years respectively. According to 1st condition of question.

$$\Rightarrow x - 3 = 7(y - 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 3 = 7y - 21$$

$$x - 7y = -21 + 3$$

$$x - 7y = -18 \dots (\text{i})$$

3 years hence, their ages will be $(x + 3)$ years and $(y + 3)$ years respectively.

According to 2nd condition of the question.

$$\Rightarrow x + 3 = 4(y + 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 3 = 4y + 12$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 4y = 12 - 3$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 4y = 9 \dots (\text{ii})$$

By subtracting eq (i) from eq (ii), we get

$$3y = 27$$

$$y = 9$$

Putting value of y in eq. (i), we get

$$x - 7 \times 9 = -18$$

$$x - 63 = -18$$

$$x = -18 + 63$$

$$x = 45$$

\therefore Father's present age = 45 years and Son's present age = 9 years.

Paramount concept:-

$$\mathbf{F} \quad \mathbf{S}$$

$$7 : 1$$

Diff. of time = $3 + 3 = 6$ years.

$$4 : 1$$

age of father 3 yrs ago

$$= \frac{7 \times 6}{7 \times 1 - 4 \times 1} \times (4 - 1)$$

$$= \frac{42}{3} \times 3 = 42 \text{ yrs.}$$

Present age = $42 + 3 = 45$ yrs.

age of son 3 yrs. ago

$$= \frac{1 \times 6}{7 \times 1 - 4 \times 1} \times (4 - 1)$$

$$= \frac{6}{3} \times 6 = 6 \text{ yrs.}$$

Present age = $6 + 3 = 9$ yrs.

Paramount concept:-

9. Do it by option.

3rd option satisfies the given condition

45 yr.	9 yr.
+3	+3
	$\xleftarrow{\times 4}$
48	12

10.1; Let the present ages of Mohan & Meera are $3x$ years & $4x$ years respectively.

\therefore 4 years earlier, their ages were $(3x - 4)$ years and $(4x - 4)$ years respectively.

According to question

$$\frac{3x - 4}{4x - 4} = \frac{5}{7}$$

$$\Rightarrow (3x - 4) \times 7 = (4x - 4) \times 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 21x - 28 = 20x - 20$$

$$\Rightarrow 21x - 20x = -20 + 28$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 8$$

\therefore Present age of Mohan = $3x = 3 \times 8$
 $= 24$ years
 and present age of Meera
 $= 4x = 4 \times 8 = 32$ years

Short Trick:-

Mohan	Meera
3	: 4
5	: 7
Mohan's present age	Diff. of time = 4 years
$= \frac{3 \times 4}{3 \times 7 - 5 \times 4} \times (7 - 5)$	
$= \frac{12}{1} \times 2 = 24$ yrs.	
Meera's present age	
$= \frac{4 \times 4}{3 \times 7 - 5 \times 4} \times (7 - 5)$	
$= \frac{16}{1} \times 2 = 32$ yrs.	

11.3; Let 2 years ago, age of A was $2x$ years and age of B was x years.

$$\text{Present age of A} = (2x + 2) \text{ years}$$

$$\text{Present age of B} = (x + 2) \text{ years}$$

According to question

$$(2x + 2) - (x + 2) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 2 - x - 2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2$$

$$\therefore \text{Present age of A} = 2x + 2 = 2 \times 2 + 2 = 4 + 2 = 6 \text{ years}$$

Short-cut-Method

$$11.3; \quad \begin{array}{rcl} A & : & B \\ 4 & : & 2 \\ +2 & & \\ \hline 6 & \text{yr.} & \end{array}$$

12.2; Let after 5 years, Mother's and her son's age will be $3x$ years and x years respectively.

\therefore their present ages are $(3x - 5)$ years and $(x - 5)$ years respectively.

5 years ago,

$$\text{Mother's age} = (3x - 5) - 5$$

$$= (3x - 10) \text{ years}$$

$$\text{and Son's age} = (x - 5) - 5$$

$$= (x - 10) \text{ years}$$

According to the question

$$3x - 10 = 7(x - 10)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 3x - 10 &= 7x - 70 \\ \Rightarrow 7x - 3x &= 70 - 10 \\ \Rightarrow 4x &= 60 \\ \Rightarrow x &= 15 \\ \therefore \text{Present age of Mother} &= 3x - 5 = 3 \times 15 - 5 \\ &= 45 - 5 = 40 \text{ years} \\ \text{and present age of son} &= x - 5 = 15 - 5 = 10 \text{ years.} \end{aligned}$$

From options

12.2; 40 yr.	10 yr.
+5	+5
$\xleftarrow{\times 3}$	
45 yr.	15 yr.

13.3; Let the present age of father and his son be $4x$ years and x years respectively.

\therefore 5 years ago, their ages $(4x - 5)$ years and $(x - 5)$ years respectively.

$$(4x - 5) + (x - 5) = 60$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x - 5 + x - 5 = 60$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x - 10 = 60$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x = 70$$

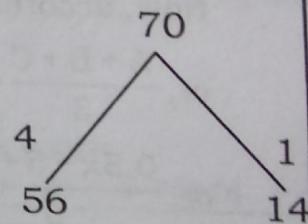
$$\Rightarrow x = 14$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, Present age of father} \\ = 4x = 4 \times 14 = 56 \text{ years.} \end{aligned}$$

Paramount concept:-

13.3; Sum of the ages 5yrs ago = 60

$$\text{Sum of present ages} = 60 + 5 + 5 =$$



14.1; Let 2 years ago, A's & B's ages were 4 x years and x years respectively.

Present ages of A = $(4x + 2)$ years and present ages of B = $(x + 2)$ years.

\therefore 8 years hence,

Age of A = $4x + 2 + 8 = (4x + 10)$ years and age of B = $x + 2 + 8 = (x + 10)$ years

According to question,

$$(4x + 10) - (x + 10) = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 10 - x - 10 = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 12$$

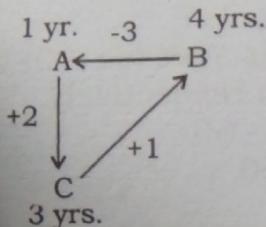
$$\Rightarrow x = 4$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \text{Ratio of present ages of A & B} \\&= (4x + 2) : (x + 2) \\&= (4 \times 4 + 2) : (4 + 2) \\&= 18 : 6 \\&= 3 : 1\end{aligned}$$

15.3; Let A's present age is x years
 \therefore B's present age = $x + 3$ years
 and C's present age = $x + 2$ years
 \therefore Difference between B's present age
 and C's present age
 $= (x + 3) - (x + 2) = x + 3 - x - 2$
 $= 1$ year.
 \therefore B is one year older than C.

Short-cut-Method

15.3;



If B is 4 yrs. old then A is of 1 yr. and C is of 3 yrs.
 Diff. between B and C is $4 - 3 = 1$ yr.

16.1; Suppose the average age of A, B and C is x . Then
 C 's age = $2x$

$$A\text{'s age} = \frac{x}{2} = 0.5x$$

$$B\text{'s age} = 5 \text{ years}$$

Now, according to the question

$$\text{or}, \frac{A+B+C}{3} = x$$

$$\text{or}, \frac{0.5x+5+2x}{3} = x$$

$$\text{or}, 2.5x + 5 = 3x$$

$$\text{or}, 0.5x = 5$$

$$\therefore x = 10$$

Hence, the average age of A, B and C is 10 years

16.1; Short-cut-Method

$$C = 10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ yr.}$$

$$A = \frac{10}{2} = 5 \text{ yrs}$$

$$B = 5 \text{ yr.}$$

$$\text{Average} = \frac{30}{3} = 10 \text{ yr.}$$

[solve it by options]

17.1; Let father's and his two son's present ages are x years, y years and z years respectively.

According to 1st condition of the question

$$x = 3(y + z) \dots (1)$$

20 years hence,

Father age = $(x + 20)$ years and ages of his two sons will be $(y + 20)$ years and $(z + 20)$ years.

According to the 2nd condition of the question

$$x + 20 = (y + 20) + (z + 20)$$

$$x + 20 = y + z + 40$$

$$x - (y + z) = 40 - 20$$

$$x - (y + z) = 20 \dots (2)$$

Putting the value of x in eq. (2), we get

$$3(y + z) - (y + z) = 20$$

$$2(y + z) = 20$$

$$y + z = 10$$

Putting the value of $(y + z)$ in eq. (1), we get

$$x = 3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ years}$$

\therefore Father's present age = 30 years.

From options:

17.1; It can be broken in the form of

$$6x : x + x$$

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$$30 : 5 + 5$$

$$+20 : +20 + 20$$

$$50 : 25 + 25$$

18.3; Suppose, father's present ages is $4x$ and the sum of the ages of three children is x .

Now, according to the question

$$\frac{4x+6}{x+18} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{or}, 4x + 6 = 2x + 36$$

$$\text{or}, 2x = 30$$

$$\therefore x = 15$$

Therefore, father's present age
 $= 4x = 4 \times 15 = 60$ years

18.3; Go through the given options

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{1st condition} \rightarrow 12x : (x + x + x) 4 \\ \qquad\qquad\qquad \boxed{60} : (5 + 5 + 5) \\ \qquad\qquad\qquad \times 4 \qquad\qquad\qquad \downarrow \\ \text{After 6 yrs.} \qquad\qquad\qquad \boxed{60+6} : 15 + (6 + 6 + 6) \\ \text{2nd condition} \rightarrow \qquad\qquad\qquad \boxed{66} : 33 \\ \qquad\qquad\qquad \times 2 \end{array}$$

19.2; Let after 'x' years father's age will be twice of his son's age.

$$\begin{aligned} 41 + x &= 2(16 + x) \\ \Rightarrow 41 + x &= 32 + 2x \\ \Rightarrow x &= 9 \\ \therefore \text{After 9 years father will be twice as old as his son.} \end{aligned}$$

Short-cut-Method

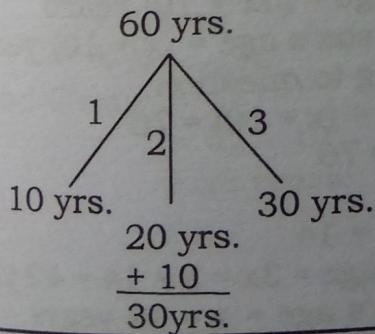
$$19.2; \begin{array}{rcccl} 41 & & 16 & & \\ +9 & & +9 \text{ (from option)} & & \\ \hline 50 & \xleftarrow{\times 2} & 25 & & \end{array}$$

20.1; Let 10 years ago ages of A, B and C were x , $2x$ and $3x$ years respectively.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{Present age of A} &= (x + 10) \text{ years} \\ \text{Present age of B} &= (2x + 10) \text{ years} \\ \&\text{Present age of C} = (3x + 10) \text{ years} \\ \text{Sum of their ages} & \\ (x + 10) + (2x + 10) + (3x + 10) &= 90 \\ \Rightarrow 6x + 30 &= 90 \\ \Rightarrow 6x &= 90 - 30 \\ \Rightarrow 6x &= 60 \\ \Rightarrow x &= 10 \\ \therefore \text{Present age of B} &= (2x + 10) \text{ years} \\ &= (2 \times 10 + 10) \text{ years} \\ &= (20 + 10) \text{ years} \\ &= 30 \text{ years} \end{aligned}$$

Paramount concept:-

$$\begin{aligned} 20.1; \text{Sum of present ages} &= 90 \text{ yrs.} \\ \text{Sum ages 10 yrs ago} &= 90 - (10 \times 3) \end{aligned}$$



21.1; Let the present age of father be x years

\therefore Present age of his son = $(45 - x)$ years
Five years ago, father age was = $(x - 5)$ years

and his son's age was = $(45 - x - 5)$ years
 $= (40 - x)$ years

According to the question

$$(x - 5)(40 - x) = 4 \times (x - 5)$$

$$40 - x = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 36$$

\therefore Father age = 36 years

\therefore Son's age = $45 - x = 45 - 36 = 9$ years

or

Let the present age of father and his son's be x years and y years respectively.

According to 1st condition of question.

$$x + y = 45 \dots (1)$$

5 years ago father age = $(x - 5)$ years and his son's age = $(y - 5)$ years

According to 2nd condition of question

$$(x - 5) \times (y - 5) = 4 \times (x - 5)$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 5) = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 9$$

Putting the value of y in eq. (1), we get

$$x + 9 = 45$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 36$$

Father's age = 36 years

Son's age = $45 - x = 9$ years

Paramount concept:-

21.3; Sum of their present ages = 45 yrs.
Sum of their ages 5 yrs. ago = 35 yrs.

$$F \times S = 4 \times F$$

$$S = 4 \text{ yrs.}$$

father = Son

$$31 = 4$$

$$\downarrow \times 4$$

$$31 \times 4 = 124$$

$$\therefore \text{Present age} = (31 + 5) \& (4 + 5)$$

$$= 36 \text{ yr. \& } 9 \text{ yr.}$$

22.2; Let the father's and his son's age be $7x$ years and $4x$ years respectively.
According to question

$$7x \times 4x = 1008$$

$$28x^2 = 1008$$

$$x^2 = 36$$

$$x = 6$$

$$\text{Father's present age} = 7x = 7 \times 6 = 42 \text{ years}$$

$$\text{his Son's present age} = 4x = 4 \times 6 = 24 \text{ years}$$

After 6 years,

$$\text{Father's age} = 42 + 6 = 48 \text{ years}$$

$$\text{his Son's age} = 24 + 6 = 30 \text{ years}$$

$$\text{After 6 years, the ratio of their ages} = 48 : 30 = 8 : 5$$

Paramount concept:-

22.2; Father Son

$$7x \quad 4x$$

$$28x^2 = 1008 \Rightarrow x^2 = 36$$

$$x = 6$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{Present age} \rightarrow 42 \text{ yr.} & 24 \text{ yr.} \\ & +6 \\ & +6 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{After 6 years} \rightarrow 48 \text{ yr.} & 30 \text{ yr.} \\ 8 & : 5 \end{array}$$

23.2; Let Sujeet's & Sameer's age be $4x$ years and $3x$ years respectively.

$$\text{After 6 years, Sujets age} = (4x + 6) \text{ years}$$

According to question

$$4x + 6 = 26$$

$$4x = 20$$

$$x = 5$$

$$\text{Sameer's age} = 3x = 3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ years.}$$

Paramount concept:-

23.2; Sujet Sameer

$$4$$

$$3$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Present age of sujeet} = 26 - 6 \\ = 20 \text{ yr.} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{If } 4 \text{ units} \rightarrow 20 \text{ yr.} \\ \text{then } 3 \text{ units} \rightarrow 15 \text{ yr.} \end{array}$$

24.4; Mahesh present age = 5 years
So, Anup's present age = $(5 - 2)$
 $= 3$ years

According to question, $\frac{R-6}{18} = 3$

$$R = 18 \times 3 + 6 = 54 + 6 = 60 \text{ yrs.}$$

Randheer's present age = 60 yrs.

25.1; Let Vimal's age and Arun's age be $3x$ years & $5x$ years respectively.

According to question

$$3x + 5x = 80$$

$$8x = 80$$

$$x = 10$$

$$\text{Vimal's age} = 3x = 3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ years}$$

$$\text{Arun's age} = 5x = 5 \times 10 = 50 \text{ years}$$

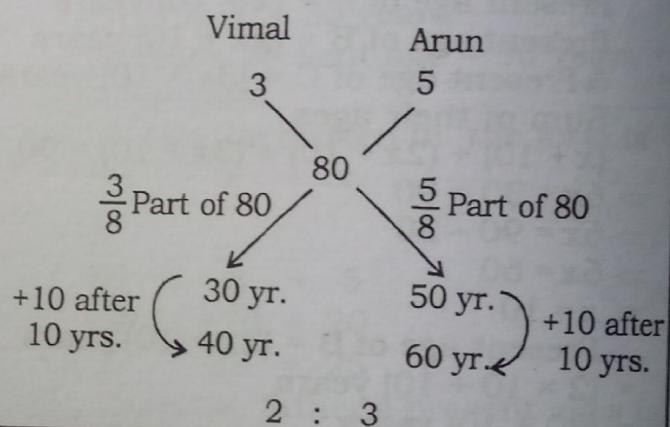
After 10 years

$$\text{Vimal's age} = 30 + 10 = 40 \text{ years}$$

$$\text{Arun's age} = 50 + 10 = 60 \text{ years}$$

\therefore Ratio of their ages after 10 years
 $40 : 60 = 2 : 3$.

25.1; Paramount concept:-



26.1; Let Shyam and his son's ages are $3x$ years and x years respectively.

After 10 years,

$$\text{Shyam age} = (3x + 10) \text{ years}$$

$$\text{and his son's age} = (x + 10) \text{ years}$$

According to question

$$(3x + 10) + (x + 10) = 76$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 20 = 76$$

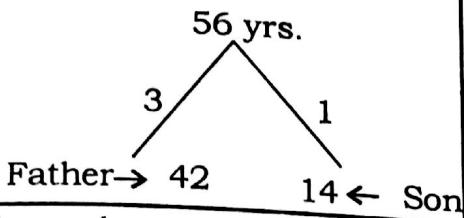
$$\Rightarrow 4x = 56$$

$$\text{Hence, } x = 14$$

\therefore Father's age = $3x = 3 \times 14 = 42$ years
his son's age = $x = 14$ years.

26.1; Paramount concept:-

Sum of age after 10 yrs. = 76 yrs.
Sum of present ages =



27.1; Let B's age be x years

So, A's age = $(x + 20)$ years

According to question

$$A = 6B$$

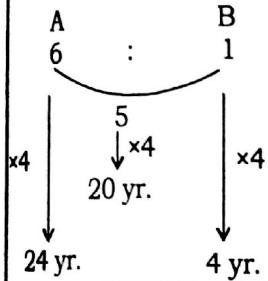
$$\Rightarrow x + 20 = 6B$$

$$\Rightarrow 5B = 20$$

$$\Rightarrow B = 4$$

A's age = $B + 20 = 4 + 20 = 24$ years
and B's age = 4 years.

27.1; Paramount concept:-



Diff. between A & B is 5 units. According to ques.
5 units = 20 yrs. Hence
A : B i.e. 6 : 1 is multiplied by 4 to get the exact ages of A & B

28.2; Let A's age = x years

∴ B's age = $2x$ years

and C's age = $(x + 17)$ years

According to question

Sum of their ages = 185

$$x + 2x + (x + 17) = 185$$

$$4x + 17 = 185$$

$$4x = 185 - 17$$

$$4x = 168$$

$$x = 42$$

A's age = x

$$= 42 \text{ years}$$

B's age = $2x$

$$= 2 \times 42$$

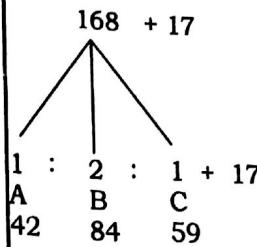
$$= 84 \text{ years}$$

and C's age = $x + 17$

$$= 42 + 17$$

$$= 59 \text{ years.}$$

28.2; Paramount concept:-



$$A : B : C$$

1 : 2 : 1 + 17 (because C is 17 more than A. 17 is removed from 185 to make the calculation easy.)
Remaining is divided into ratio 1 : 2 : 1 and then to obtain C, 17 is added to the result obtained

29.2; Let the mother's age = x years

∴ Her daughter's age = $(40 - x)$ years

After 5 years,

Mother's age = $(x + 5)$ years

and her daughter age

$$= (40 - x) + 5$$

$$= 45 - x \text{ years}$$

After 5 years

∴ Sum of their ages

$$= (x + 5) + (45 - x)$$

$$= x + 5 + 45 - x$$

$$= 50 \text{ years.}$$

29.2; Short-cut-Method

Sum of present after = 40 yrs.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sum of ages after 5 yrs} &= 40 + (5+5) \\ &= 50 \text{ yr.} \end{aligned}$$

30.1; Let the age of Geeta and her mother be x years and $5x$ years.

After 7 years

Age of Geeta = $(x + 7)$ years

and Age of her mother = $(5x + 7)$ years

According to question

$$\frac{x+7}{5x+7} = \frac{3}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow 8 \times (x + 7) = 3 \times (5x + 7)$$

$$\Rightarrow 8x + 56 = 15x + 21$$

$$\Rightarrow 15x - 8x = 56 - 21$$

$$\Rightarrow 7x = 35$$

$$\Rightarrow 5 = x$$

$$\text{Age of Geeta} = x = 5 \text{ years}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Age of her mother} &= 5x = 5 \times 5 \\ &= 25 \text{ years.} \end{aligned}$$

Short-cut-Method

Geeta Mother

1 : 5

Diff. of time = 7 years

3 : 8

Geeta's age = $\frac{1 \times 7}{5 \times 3 - 1 \times 8} (8 - 3)$

= $\frac{7}{7} \times 5 = 5$ years

Mother's age = $\frac{5 \times 7}{5 \times 3 - 1 \times 8} (8 - 3)$

= $\frac{5 \times 7}{7} \times 5 = 5 \times 5$

= 25 years

31.2; Let the present age of Kamla be 'x' years

∴ 6 years ago her age = $(x - 6)$ years

According to the question

$x = \frac{1}{4} \times (x - 6)$

$\Rightarrow x = \frac{5}{4} (x - 6)$

$\Rightarrow 4x = 5x - 30$

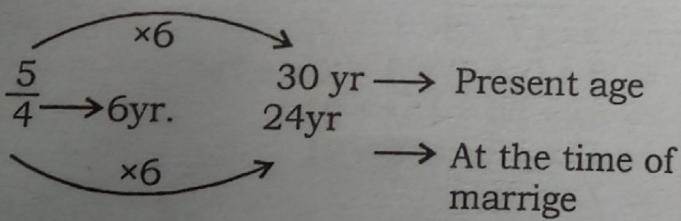
$\Rightarrow 30 = 5x - 4x$

$\Rightarrow x = 30$

So, her son's age = $\frac{1}{10} \times 30$ years
= 3 years.

Paramount concept:-

31.2;



Age of son = $\frac{1}{10} \times 30 = 3$ yr.

- 32.1; Let 10 years ago, age of Ajay was 'x' years.
 \therefore 10 years ago, age of Sachin = $2x$ years
 Present age of Ajay = $(x + 10)$ years
 Present age of Sachin = $2x + 10$
 10 years hence, Sachin's age will be $(2x + 10) + 10$ years
 According to question
 $2x + 10 + 10 = 40$
 $\Rightarrow 2x = 20$
 $\Rightarrow x = 10$
 \therefore Present age of Ajay
 $= x + 10 = 10 + 10 = 20$ years

32.1; Short-cut-Method

Age of Sachin after 10 yrs. = 40 yrs.
 Age of Sachin presently = 30 yrs.
 Age of Sachin 10 yrs. ago = 20 yrs.
 Age of Ajay 10 yrs. ago = 10 yrs.
 Present Age of Ajay = 20 yrs.

- 33.3; Let the present age of son = x years
 \therefore Present age of his father = $5x$ years
 3 years hence, son's age will be $(x + 3)$ years
 & his father's age will be $(5x + 3)$ years
 According to question
 $5x + 3 = 4(x + 3)$
 $\Rightarrow 5x + 3 = 4x + 12$
 $\Rightarrow 5x - 4x = 12 - 3$
 $\Rightarrow x = 9$
 \therefore Present age of father = $5x$
 $= 5 \times 9$
 $= 45$ years

and present age of son = $x = 9$ years.

- 34.2; Let the age of man be $4x$ years and age of his son be x years
 5 years ago the ages of man and his son were $(4x - 5)$ years and $(x - 5)$ years respectively.
 According to question,
 $(4x - 5) = 9(x - 5)$
 $\Rightarrow 4x - 5 = 9x - 45$
 $\Rightarrow 4x - 9x = -45 + 5$
 $\Rightarrow -5x = -40$
 $\Rightarrow 5x = 40$
 $\Rightarrow x = 8$

Present age of father = $4x$
 $= 4 \times 8$
 $= 32$ years

Short-cut Method

Father Son

$$4 : 1$$

Diff. of time = 5 years

$$0 : 1$$

$$\text{Father's present age} = \frac{4 \times 5}{1 \times 9 - 1 \times 4} (9 - 1) \\ = \frac{4 \times 5 \times 8}{5} = 32 \text{ yrs.}$$

35.1; Let 10 years ago, the ages of Sita and her mother were ' x ' years and ' $4x$ ' years respectively.

\therefore Present age of Sita = $(x + 10)$ years & present age of her mother

$$= (4x + 10) \text{ years}$$

\therefore 10 years hence,

$$\text{Sita's age} = (x + 10) + 10 = (x + 20) \text{ years and her mother's age} \\ = (4x + 10) + 10 = (4x + 20) \text{ years}$$

According to question

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 20 = 2(x + 20)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 20 = 2x + 40$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x - 2x = 40 - 20$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 20$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 10$$

Present age of Sita

$$= x + 10 = 10 + 10 = 20 \text{ years}$$

Short-cut Method

Mother Sita

$$4 : 1$$

$$2 : 1$$

Diff. of time

$$= 10 + 10$$

$$= 20 \text{ years}$$

Sita's age 10 yrs. ago

$$= \frac{1 \times 20}{1 \times 4 - 1 \times 2} \times (2 - 1)$$

$$= \frac{20}{4 - 2} + 10 = \frac{20}{2}$$

$$\text{Sita's present age} = 10 + 10 \\ = 20 \text{ years.}$$

36.2; Let one year ago, ages Sameer and Ashok were $4x$ years and $3x$ years respectively.

\therefore Present age of Sameer = $(4x + 1)$ years

& Present age of Ashok = $(3x + 1)$ years

One year hence,

$$\text{Age of Sameer} = (4x + 1) + 1 \\ = (4x + 2) \text{ years}$$

$$\text{Age of Ashok} = (3x + 1) + 1 \\ = 3x + 2 \text{ years}$$

According to question

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

$$\Rightarrow 4 \times (4x + 2) = 5 \times (3x + 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 16x + 8 = 15x + 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 16x - 15x = 10 - 8$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2$$

Sum of their present

$$= (4x + 1) + (3x + 1) = 7x + 2$$

$$= 7 \times 2 + 2 = 14 + 2 = 16 \text{ years.}$$

36.2; Paramount concept:-

Sameer

$$\begin{matrix} 4 \\ 5 \times 2 \end{matrix}$$

10 yr.

Ashok

$$\begin{matrix} 3 \\ 4 \times 2 \end{matrix}$$

8 yr. = 18 yr.

37.5; Let 10 years ago, A's and B's ages were ' x ' years and ' $2x$ ' years respectively.

\therefore A's present age = $(x + 10)$ years and B's present age = $(2x + 10)$ years

According to question.

$$\frac{x + 10}{2x + 10} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4(x + 10) = 3(2x + 10)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 40 = 6x + 30$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x - 4x = 40 - 30$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 5$$

Total of their ages = $\{(x + 10) + (2x + 10)\}$ years

$$= (3x + 20) \text{ years} = (3 \times 5 + 20) \text{ years}$$

$$= (15 + 20) \text{ years} = 35 \text{ years}$$

Short-cut Method

A : B

$$1 : 2$$

$$3 : 4$$

Diff. of time = 10 yrs
(A+B)'s present age

$$= \frac{10(2 - 1)}{3 \times 2 - 4 \times 1} \times (3 + 4)$$

$$= \frac{10}{2} \times 7 = 35 \text{ yrs}$$