

Races & games of skill - Online Quiz

Following quiz provides Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) related to **Races & games of skill**. You will have to read all the given answers and click over the correct answer. If you are not sure about the answer then you can check the answer using **Show Answer** button. You can use **Next Quiz** button to check new set of questions in the quiz.



Q 1 - At a game billiards, A can give B 10 points in 60 and he can give C 15 in 60. How many can B can give C in a game of 90?

A - 9

B - 8

C - 7

D - 6

Answer : A

Explanation

If A score 60 points, B score 50 points and C score 45 points.
When B scores 50 points, C scores 45 points.
When B scores 90 points, C scores $(45/50 * 90)$ points = 81 points.
 \therefore B can give C, 9 points in a game of 90.

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Q 2 - A can run 20 m while B runs 25 m. In a km race, B beats A by:

A - 125m

B - 200m

C - 225m

D - 250m

Answer : B

Explanation

In a 25m race, B beats A by 5 m.
In a km race , B beats A by $(5/25 * 1000)$ m = 200m

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Q 3 - A can run 1 km in 4 min.54 sec. and B in 5 min. How many meters start can A give B in a km race so that the race may end in a dead heat?

A - 16m

B - 18m

C - 20m

D - 22m

Answer : C

Explanation

Distance covered by B in 6 sec. $= (1000/300 \times 6)m = 20m$

\therefore A beats B by 20 m.

For a dead heat race, A must give B a start of 20m.

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Q 4 - In a 500 m race, the ratio of the speeds of A and B is 3:4. A has a start of 140m. A wins by:

A - 10m

B - 20m

C - 40m

D - 60m

Answer : B

Explanation

.To reach the winning post A has to cover $(500-140)\text{m} = 360\text{m}$

While A covers 3 m , B covers 4 m.

While A covers 360m , B covers $(4/3 \times 360)\text{m} = 480\text{m}$

\therefore A wins by 20 m.

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Q 5 - A runs $7/4$ times as fast as B. if A gives B a start of 60m , how far must the winning post be in order that A and B reach it at the same time ?

A - 140m

B - 105m

C - 80m

D - 45m

Answer : A

Explanation

Ratio of the rates of A and B = 7:4

3m are gained by A in a race of 7m .

60m are gained by A in a race of $(7/3 \times 60)m = 140m$.

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Q 6 - In a race of 200 m, A can beat B by 31m and C by 18m. In a race of 350m, C will beat B by

A - 22.75m

B - 18m

C - 25m

D - 32m

Answer : C

Explanation

A : B : C = 200 : 169 : 182

$\therefore C/B = (182 \times 350 / 182) / (169 \times 350 / 182) = 350 / 325$

Thus when C covers 350m, B covers 325m.
 \therefore C beats B by 25 m .

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Q 7 - At a game of billiards, A can give B 15 points in 60 and A can give C 20 in 60. How many can B give C in a game of 90 ?

A - 10 points

B - 12 points

C - 14 points

D - 16 points

Answer : A

Explanation

A: B :C = 60:45: 40

\therefore B:C = $45/40 = 9/8 = 9*10/8*10 = 90/80$

Thus , if B score 90 points , then C score 80 points.

B can give C 10 points in a game of 90.

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