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FOR 10th STANDARD STUDENTS MARCH - 2016

Time: 2.00 Hours

No. of total questions: 80

Maximum Marks: 320

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- 1 This guestion booklet will be sealed at the middle of the right margin. candidates shoud not open the guestion booklet until the long bell is rung at 10.30 am to start answering. (10.30 am ന് Long Bell കേട്ടതിന് ശേഷം മാത്രമേ Question paper seal പൊട്ടിക്കാൻ പാടുള്ളൂ)
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- 3. The question paper contain 80 questions which are based on the SSLC level. Out of 80 objective type questions 60 questions from Mathematics and the rest will be from general science (Physics, Chemistry, Biology). Very difficulty questions and questions which are needed more time to answer should be attended considering the alloted time for the examination. Wrong answers carry minus mark. (60 ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ Mathamatics വിഷയത്തെയും 20 ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ ജനറൽ സയൻസിനെ ആസ്പദമാക്കിയും ആകെ 80 ചോദ്യങ്ങളുൾപെട്ടതായിരിക്കും ചോദ്യപേഷർ . കൂടുതൽ സമയമെടുത്ത് ചെയ്യേണ്ടതോ പ്രയാസമേറിയതോ ആയ ചോദ്വങ്ങൾ അവസാനഘട്ടത്തിലേക്ക് മാറ്റിവെച്ച് സമയബന്ധിതമായി പരീക്ഷയെഴു തുവാൻ ശ്രമിക്കുക. തെറ്റായ ഉത്തരത്തിന് നെഗറ്റീവ് മാർക്ക് വരുന്നതാണ്.)
- 4. White paper, Logarithm Table, Slide ruler, Calculator, Mobile Phone & other Electronic devices etc.. will not be allowed to bring in the examination hall (പേഷർ, ലോഗരിതം ടേബിൾ, സ്റ്റൈഡ് റൂളർ, കാൽക്കുലേറ്റർ, മൊബൈൽ ഫോൺ, ഇലക്ട്രോ ണിക്സ് സംവിധാനങ്ങളുടെ മറ്റു രൂപങ്ങൾ എന്നിവ പരീക്ഷാ ഹാളിൽ അനുവദനീയമല്ല).
- 5. Each correct answer carries 4 marks. 1 mark will be deducted for each wrong answer (ഇതിൽ ഓരോ ശരിയുത്തരത്തിനും 4 മാർക്ക് ആയിരിക്കും. ഓരോ തെറ്റായ ഉത്തരത്തിനും 1 മാർക്ക് (negative mark) വീതം കുറയ്ക്കുന്നതാണ്)
- 6. Mark for unattended questions will be zero (ഉത്തരമെഴുതാത്ത ഓരോ ചോദ്വത്തിനും 0 (പൂജ്വം) മാർക്ക് ആയിരിക്കും).
- 7. Each question is provided with 5 choices (A) (B) (C) (D) & (E) having one correct answer. (എല്ലാ ചോദ്വങ്ങൾക്കും (A) (B) (C) (D) (E) എന്നിങ്ങനെ 5 ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ കൊടുത്തിരിക്കും. ഇവയിൽ ഒന്നു മാത്രമാണ് ശരിയായ ഉത്തരം).
- 8. Choose the correct answer and darken the bubble corresponding to the question number. (തന്നിരിക്കുന്ന ഉത്തരങ്ങളിൽ ശരിയായ ഉത്തരം ഒന്നു മാത്രമായിരിക്കും. അത് തെരഞ്ഞെടുത്തു നിശ്ചിത നമ്പറിനു നേരെയുള്ള നിശ്ചിത കുമിള മാത്രം കറുപ്പിക്കുക).

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1.	Which factor is against Mendel's Theory? [a] Linkage [d] Law of independent assortment	[b] Dominance [e] Law of purity of genete	[c] Segregation
2.	The only hominide which exist today [a] Orangutan [d] Chipanzee	[b] Gorilla [e] Gibbon	[c] Man
3.	The most stable molecule in organic world [a] CO ₂ [d] Oxygen	[b] DNA [e] Hydrogen	[c] RNA
4.	Largest endocrine gland in human body [a] Adrenal	[b] Thyroid	[c] Thymus
	[d] Parathyroid	[e] Pineal	
5.	Stomata: Plant ; contractile vacuole: [a] Earthworm [d] Frog	[b] Fish [e] Cockroach	[c] Amoeba
6	Chlorophyl contains [a] Potassium [d] Magnesium	[b] Iron [e] Sulphur	[c] Manganese
7	Which among the following compounds show i	partial ionic character?	
	[a] NaCl [d] CH ₄	[b] CCI ₄ [e] CaCI ₂	[C]NH ₃
8.	P is a d block element of 4th period. The atomi with another element Q in the 16 th group. If or the formula of the compound formed is :	c number is not 24 and 29. The electron is lost from the d	This element combines subshell of the element P,
	[a] P_2Q [d] P_2Q_3	[b] PQ ₂ [e] PQ ₃	[c] PQ

VERSION : D SUBJECT CODE : PCMB 9 A,B,C and D are four metals in the reactivity series. A can displace B from its salt solution. But B can't displace C and at the same time, C can displace A from its salt solution. When a rod of D is placed in a salt solution of C, the rod of D is seen coated by traces of C. Then the most reactive metal among these is [a] D [b] C [c]A [d] B [e] None of these 10 The ore of copper contains FeO as the main impurity. The most suitable flux that can be used during the extraction of copper is : [a] CaO [b]SiO₂ [c] Coke [e] CuŠO₄ [d] CaSiO₃ 11. When a salt X is heated with conc. H_2SO_4 a product which turns wet blue litmus red is formed. When silver nitrate is added to it, a curdy white precipitate is formed. The salt X is likely to be [b] NaCI [c] HCI [a] NaNO₃ CE [d] HNO₃ [e] Na, SO CH₂-CH₂-CH-CH₂-CH₃ 12. CH,- CH,-CH,. The IUPAC name of the compound is [b] 4-ethylpentane [c] 4-ethylhexane [a] 3-propylpentane [e] 3- ethylhexane [d] 3-methylhexane The equation for the decomposition of hydrogen peroxide is given below. $2H_2O_2 \rightarrow 2H_2O+O_2$ 13. The mass of Oxygen obtained when 17g of hydrogen peroxide decomposes is [a] 64g [b] 32g [c] 16g [d] 8g [e]4g 14. A heater is labelled 800W, 400V What is the power of the instrument when it is given a potential diference of 200V [a] 200W [b] 400W [c] 800W [d] 600W [e] 100W

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15	Commercial unit of electric en [a] 360 J [d] 3600000 J	ergy is kilowatt hour (kwh) convert 1 kwh in to [b] 36000J [e] None of these	joule? [c] 3600J
16.		$ \begin{array}{c} 1\Omega \\ N^{N} \\ 2\Omega \\ \hline \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\$	
	What is the effective resistance	in this circuit?	
	$[a] 2\Omega$	[b] 1 Ω	$[c] 3_{\Omega}$
	$[d]4_{\Omega}$	$[e] 5_{\Omega}$	
17.	Incomplete burning of fuel is	due to the lack of availability of	
	[a] Heat	[b] Carbondi oxide	[c] Oxygen
	[d] Hydrogen	[e] Nitrogen	
18.	You know fuse wire is an alloy	. What are the component metals present in it?)
	[a] Tin, Aluminium	[b] Tin, Lead	[c] Tin, Silver
	[d] Tin, Tungsten	[e] Tin, Iron	
19.	What phenomina of light is the sun rise and sunset ?	e reason behind the blue appearence of sky a	nd the reddishness at
	[a] Defraction	[b] Scattering	[c] Reflection
	[d] Interference	[e] None of these	[-]
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20.	To determine the approximate a distance object formed by the	value of the focal length of a given concave mine mirror on a screen. The image obtained on t	rror, you focus the image of he screen , as compared to
	the object is always:		
	[a] Laterally inverted and dim	ninished [b] Inverted and dimin	ished
	[c] Erect and diminished [e] None of these	[d] Erect and highly d	iminished

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If the line joining the points (a, 4), (0,5) and the line joining the points (2,0) (7,b) are parallel. Then the

	value of $ab = \dots$		
	[a] 1	[b] 5	[c] -5
	[d] -1	[e] 0	
22.	$P(x) = ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$, and (b)	(a+d) - (a+c) = 0 then which a	of the following is a factor of $P(x)$?
	[a] $x+1$	[b] $x-1$	[c] $x + 2$
	[d] $x - 2$	[e] $x - 3$	
23.	$P(x) = x^6 + px^5 + qx^4 - x^2 - x - 3$	3. is divisible by $x^4 - 1$ then the	e value of $p^2 + q^2$ is
	[a] 1	[b] 9	[c] 10
	[d] 13	[e] 11	
24	If $x = 2$ is a common factor of x^3	$4x^2 + ax + b$ and $x^3 - ax^2 + b$	$b_{w} \downarrow 0$ then the value of a and b are :
<i>2</i> 1.	$a_{\chi} = 2$ is a common factor of χ	-4x + ax + b and $x - ax + b[b] (2 - 4)$	bx + 8 then the value of a and b are : [c] (4.0)
	[d](0,4)]	[e](-3,5)	[0](1,0)
			2
25.	If $a-7=0, b+10=0$ and $x^2=$	ax + b then one of the value of	x is 1
	[a] 7	[b] -10	[c] _3
	[d] 4	[e] 2 —	
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26	The sides of the square ABCD is a	ESTD: 1989	$p_{\rm rest}$
20.	$\begin{bmatrix} a \end{bmatrix} \infty$	[b] 1	
	[d] 2	[e] _2	
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27.	If the lines $ax + by - c = 0$ and m:	x + ny - p = 0 are parpendicul	ar then the value of $\frac{am}{bn}$ is :
	[a] _1	[b] 1	[c] 0
	[d] 2	[e] _2	

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28. In $\triangle ABC$, A(3,5), B(7,8), C(1,-10) Find the equation of the median through A? [a] 6x + y = 23 [b] 6x - y = 23 [c] x + 6y = 23[d] x - 6y = 23 [e] x + 23y = 6

29. 'A' working alone would take 9 hrs to complete a job while'B' working alone would take 3 hours more to finish the job. What is the time taken for completing the work by A and B working together

[a]
$$\frac{7}{36}$$
 [b] $\frac{36}{7}$ [c] 12
[d]21 [e] $\frac{2}{15}$

30. If 'A' and 'B' can do a job in 24 days 'B' and 'C' in 18 days and 'C' and 'A' in 36 days. If they all working together the job will be over in



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- 32. The points (k,3)(2, -4) and (-k+1, -2) are collinear then find k?
 - [a] $\frac{-1}{3}$ [b] $\frac{1}{3}$ [c] $\frac{1}{9}$ [d] $\frac{-1}{9}$ [e] 1

33. Sum of first n + 1 terms of an arithmatic sequence is $3n^2 + 11n + 8$ then its algebraic form [nth term] is [a] 3n + 11 [b] 11n + 8 [c] 6n + 2[d] 6n - 2 [e] 2n + 1

34. First term and common difference of an arithemetic sequence are equal. If the sum of first two terms is 10. What is its third term

- 35. 10th term of an arithmetic sequence is $\frac{1}{15}$ and 15th term is $\frac{1}{10}$ what is its 150th term?
 - [a] 1 [d] $\frac{1}{5}$ [b] -1 [c] $\frac{1}{25}$ [c] $\frac{1}{25}$
- 36. Lateral faces of a square pyramid are equilateral triangles and its lateral height is 5√3cm. What is its height?
 [a] 5 cm
 [b] 6√3 cm
 [c] 5√3 cm
 [d] 15cm
 [e] 5√2 cm

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[c] $6\sqrt{2}$

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37.

A large square is divided in to a small square surrounded by 4 congruent rectangles. The perimeter of each rectangles are 14 cm. What is the area of large square?

$[a] 14 \text{ cm}^2$	[b] 7cm ²	[c] 196 cm ²
$[d] 49 \text{ cm}^2$	$[e] 35 cm^2$	

38.	8. In $\triangle ABC$, AB = 9cm, AC = 15cm, BC = 12cm. What is its inradius		
	[a] 3 cm	[b] 7.5 cm	[c] 6 cm
	[d] 15 cm	[e] 9 cm	

39. What is the maximum value of k, If the polynomial $2x^2 + kx + 16$. can be written as the product of two first degree polynomials?

[b] $3\sqrt{4}$

[e] $2\sqrt{3}$

- [a] $8\sqrt{2}$
- [d] $6\sqrt{3}$

40. A line cuts x- axis at '5' and y- axis at '6'. What is its slope?

- [a] $\frac{6}{5}$ [b] $\frac{5}{6}$ [c] 1 [d] $\frac{-6}{5}$
- 41. If the sides of a right angled triangle are the terms of arithemetic sequence with common difference 6, what is the hypotenuse ?

[a] 30	[b] 8	[c] 10
[d] 20	[e] 4	

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42.	What is the minimum value of the polir [a] 11	tomial $11 + 20 x - 4x^2$? [b] 36	[c] 25
	[d] 4	[e] 18	
43.	If $4\sin^2 x - 4\sin x + 1 = 0$ then what if	$s \cos x ?$	
	$[a] \frac{1}{2}$	[b] $\frac{1}{3}$	$[c] \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
	$[d] \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	$[e] \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$	
44.	If $x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} = 7$ then value of $x + \frac{1}{x}$ is		
	[a] 4	105 INST	[c] 3
	[d] 6	[e] 1	
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45.	If the hypotenuse of a right angled tr difference between the lengths of the	iangle is 41cm and the area of perpendicular sides of the trian	the triangle is 180 cm ² , then the ngle must be
	[a] 20	[b] 21 ESTD: 1989	[c] 30
	[d] 31	[e] 24	1
46.	If $x = \sqrt{6 + \sqrt{6 + \sqrt{6}}} + \dots$ then	the value of x is	
	[a] 0	[b] 2	[c] 6
	[d] 1	[e] 3	

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47.	If $\sin A = \frac{3}{5}$ then what is $\cos A$?		
	[a] $\frac{3}{4}$	[b] $\frac{1}{3}$	[c] $\frac{1}{4}$
	$[d] \frac{4}{5}$	$[e] \frac{2}{3}$	
48.	The angle of elevation of the top of a vertica of the tower and in the same line with it are 3 [a] 16m	ll tower from points at distance 5 [°] and 65 ^{°.} Then the height of t [b] 9m	16m and 9 m from the foot he tower is [c] 25m
	[d] 12m	[e] 13 m	
49.	A man standing some distance away from the and after stepping back 10 m he sees the top [a] $8\sqrt{3}$ m [d] $4\sqrt{3}$ m	e foot of a tree sees the top at a at an angle of 30°. What is the [b] $2\sqrt{3}$ m [e] $5\sqrt{3}$ m	in angle of elevation 60° , height of the tree? [c] $10\sqrt{3}$ m
50.	The ratio of areas of the circum circle and in c $\begin{bmatrix} a \end{bmatrix}$ 2 : 1	ircle of an equilateral triangle is [b] 4 : 1	s [c] 3 : 1
	[d] 9 : 1	[e] 8 : 1	
51.	Two poles are 'x' metre apart . At the middle of elevation of their tops to be 60° and 30° re	point of the line joining their f spectively, then the ratio of the	eets a man finds the angle heights of poles is
	[a] $\sqrt{3}$:1 [d] 3:1	[b] $\sqrt{2} : \sqrt{3}$ [e] 2 : 1	$[c]_{1:\sqrt{2}}$

52. If the smallest side of a right angle triangle is 13cm, then which of the following can be its hypotenuse? [a] 84 [b] 85 [c] 83

[e] 80

[d] 82



53.

In the figure ABC is an equilateral triangle and PQRSTU is a regular hexagon. If a point is marked without looking the figure. What is the probability that in side the regular hexagon?

- [a] $\frac{1}{2}$ [d] $\frac{1}{3}$ [b] $\frac{2}{3}$ [c] $\frac{3}{2}$ [c] $\frac{3}{2}$ [c] $\frac{3}{2}$ [c] $\frac{3}{2}$
- 54. Mean of 11 observations is 19. If the mean of first 5 observations is 17 and that of last 5 observations is 18 then what is the 6th observation?
 [a] 35
 [b] 36
 [c] 33

[e] 34

[d] 32

- 55. In a school, average score of girls is 78 and that of boys is 72, the average for the school is 75. The ratio of number of boys to the number of girls is
 [a] 1:2
 [b] 2:1
 [c] 1:1
 - [d] 75 : 78

[e] 6 : 1





In the figure 'O' is the cetre. If $AB = 1$	2 cm then what is the length of CD?	
[a] 6	[b] 12	[c] 18
[d] 10	[e] 8	



A B C

59.

In the figure O is the common centre of both circles and OA = 25 cm, OB = 24 cm what is the length of $\sqrt{AC^2 - BC^2}$? [a] 7 [b] 14 [c] 34 [d] 15 [e] 5







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62.

In the figure 'O' is the centre, $\angle ODC = 40^{\circ}$, $\angle APD = 90^{\circ}$ Then what is $\angle ACB$? [a] 40 [b] 50 [c] 45 [d] 55 [e] 30

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[d] $\frac{-3}{2}$

AB? [a] 4 [c] 16 [b] 8 [c] 16 [c] 12 [e] 14 $P(x) = ax^{3} + bx^{2} + cx + d \text{ and if } \frac{d-c}{a-b} = 4 \text{ then which of the follow} \text{ ing is a factor of } P(x)$ [a] x+1[b] $x^{2}-9$ [c] $x^{2}-1$ [c] $x^{2}-1$ [c] $x^{2}-1$ If the line AB is perpandicular bisector of the line PQ and slope of AB is $\frac{3}{2}$ what is the slope of PQ [a] $\frac{3}{2}$ [b] $\frac{-2}{3}$ [c] $\frac{2}{3}$

AC is a tangent line and P is the midpoint of AC, If AB = AC and AQ = 4cm. Then find the length of

68. Volume of a solid hemisphere is 30 cm³. Find the volume of a cone of maximum size which carved out from this hemisphere.?
[a] 30 cm³
[b] 15cm³
[c] 60cm³
[d] 120 cm³
[e] 7.5 cm³

[e] 1



AP, BQ, CR, DS are angle bisectors of $\angle A, \angle B, \angle C, \angle D$ respectively. If $\angle PSR = 110$ that what is $\angle PQR$?



73.



If PQ = 3cm, PQRC is a square. Then what is the length of AB?





D 90⁰ C 9cm 60⁰ B

74.



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In the figure AB, CD, PQ are tangents . If AB = 12 cm, AM = 3 cm. What is the length of PQ? [a] 6 [c] 12 [b]9 [d] 15 If $\cos\theta + \cos\theta = \sqrt{2}$. $\sin(90 - \theta)$ then $\cos\theta = \dots$ 78. [b] $\sqrt{2} - 1$ [e] 0 [c] $\sqrt{2} + 1$

[a] 1 [d] _1

The area of a square is the same as the area of a circle. The perimeters of the circle and square are in the 79. ratio [a] 1 : 1 [c] 4:π b] 2:π $[d]\sqrt{2}:\pi$

The sum of three numbers is 98. The ratio of the first to the second number is $\frac{2}{3}$ and the ratio of the 80.

second to the third is $\frac{5}{8}$, Then the second number is [a] 15 [b] 30 [c] 20 [d] 23 [e] 32



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