

## Solution of Triangles

## SOLUTIONS

## EXERCISE - O

1. **Ans. (D)**

$$\sin^3 A + \sin^3 B + \sin^3 C = 3 \sin A \sin B \sin C$$

property if  $a^3 + b^3 + c^3 = 3abc$  then  $a + b + c = 0$  or  $a = b = c$

$$\Rightarrow \sin A + \sin B + \sin C = 0 \text{ OR } \sin A = \sin B = \sin C \Rightarrow \sin A + \sin B + \sin C = 0, A = B = C = 60^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} = 0$$

$A$  or  $B$  or  $C = \pi$  (Not possible)

2. **Ans. (D)**

Using sine Rule

$$\frac{c}{\sin 105^\circ} = \frac{b}{\sin 45^\circ}$$

$$c = \frac{b \cdot \sin 105^\circ}{\sin 45^\circ} = \frac{2 \cos 15^\circ}{\sin 45^\circ}$$

$$c = \frac{2(\sqrt{3}+1)}{2\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{1} = \sqrt{3}+1$$

3. **Ans. (A)**

$$a = 13, b = 14, c = 15$$

$$\text{area of } \Delta = \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$$

$$s = \frac{13+14+15}{2} = \frac{42}{2} = 21$$

$$\text{area} = \sqrt{21(8)(7)(6)} = 84$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{1}{2} bcsin A = 84 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \times 14 \times 15 \sin A = 84$$

$$\sin A = \frac{84}{7 \times 15} = \frac{12}{15} = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$A = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{5}\right)$$

4. **Ans. (C)**

Using cosine rule in  $\Delta ABC$

$$\cos A = \frac{8^2 + 6^2 - 7^2}{2 \cdot 8 \cdot 6} = \frac{51}{2 \cdot 8 \cdot 6} \quad \dots(1)$$

cosine rule in  $\Delta ADC$

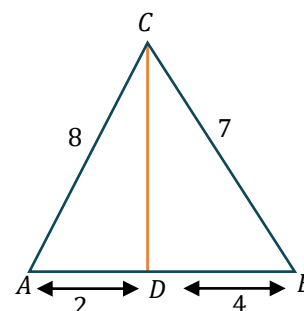
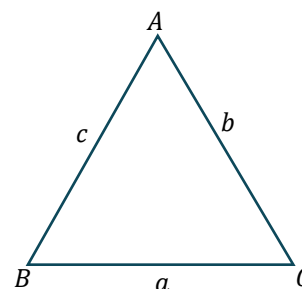
$$\cos A = \frac{8^2 + 2^2 - CD^2}{2 \cdot 8 \cdot 2} \quad \dots(2)$$

from (1) and (2)

$$\frac{8^2 + 2^2 - CD^2}{2 \cdot 8 \cdot 2} = \frac{51}{2 \cdot 8 \cdot 6}$$

$$68 - CD^2 = 17$$

$$CD^2 = 51 \text{ or } CD = \sqrt{51}$$



5. **Ans. (C)**

$$2b = a + c \text{ and } A - C = 90^\circ$$

$$\text{using sine rule } \frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C} = 2R$$

$$2(2R\sin B) = 2R\sin A + 2R\sin C$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(2R\sin B) = 2R \left[ 2\sin\left(\frac{A+C}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{A-C}{2}\right) \right] \Rightarrow \sin B = \sin\left(90 - \frac{B}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{90^\circ}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin\frac{B}{2}\cos\frac{B}{2} = \cos\frac{B}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \left[ \cos\frac{B}{2} \neq 0 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin\frac{B}{2} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin B = 2\sin\frac{B}{2}\cos\frac{B}{2} = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{7}}{2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}$$

6. **Ans. (C)**

$$a^3 + b^3 + c^3 = c^2(a + b + c)$$

$$\Rightarrow a^3 + b^3 + c^3 = c^2a + c^2b + c^3$$

$$\Rightarrow a^3 + b^3 = c^2(a + b)$$

$$\Rightarrow (a + b)(a^2 - ab + b^2) = c^2(a + b)$$

$$\therefore a^2 - ab + b^2 = c^2$$

$$\therefore \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \cos C = \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } \angle C = 60^\circ$$

and it is not necessary if  $\angle C = 60^\circ$  then  $a = b = c$

7. **Ans. (C)**

$$\frac{1}{a+c} + \frac{1}{b+c} = \frac{3}{a+b+c} \Rightarrow \frac{a+b+c}{a+c} + \frac{a+b+c}{b+c} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \frac{b}{a+c} + \frac{a}{b+c} + 1 = 3 \Rightarrow \frac{b}{a+c} + \frac{a}{b+c} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow b(b+c) + a(a+c) = (a+c)(b+c)$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 + bc + a^2 + ac = ab + ac + bc + c^2$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 + a^2 = ab + c^2$$

$$\text{or } \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} = \frac{1}{2} \quad (\text{By transforming})$$

$$\cos C = \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } \angle C = 60^\circ$$

8. **Ans. (C)**

$$b = (\sqrt{3} - 1)a \text{ and } \angle C = 30^\circ$$

$$\frac{a}{b} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3} - 1}$$

$$\frac{a-b}{a+b} = \frac{1 - (\sqrt{3} - 1)}{1 + \sqrt{3} - 1} = \frac{2 - \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Now using tangent rule

$$\tan\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right) = \frac{a-b}{a+b} \cot \frac{C}{2} = \frac{2-\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \cot\left(\frac{30^\circ}{2}\right)$$

$$\tan\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right) = \frac{2-\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} \times 2 + \sqrt{3} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\frac{A-B}{2} = 30^\circ \text{ or } A-B = 60^\circ$$

9. **Ans. (C)**

$\therefore$  Angles  $A, B, C$  are in A.P.

$$\Rightarrow 2B = A + C \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\therefore \text{In a triangle } A + B + C = 180^\circ \quad \dots(2)$$

$$\text{from (1) \& (2) } \Rightarrow 3B = 180^\circ \Rightarrow B = 60^\circ$$

from sine rule

$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$$

$$\therefore \frac{b}{c} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \Rightarrow \frac{\sin B}{\sin C} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2\sin C} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \quad (\because B = 60^\circ)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin C = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \angle C = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\therefore A + B + C = \pi$$

$$\Rightarrow A + \frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{4} = \pi \Rightarrow \angle A = \frac{5\pi}{12}$$

10. **Ans. (D)**

Given  $AD = 4$

$$\angle DAB = \frac{\pi}{6} = 30^\circ$$

$$\angle ABE = \frac{\pi}{3} = 60^\circ$$

Let medians intersect at  $G$

$$\text{Thus : } AG = \frac{2}{3} AD = \frac{2}{3} \times 4 = \frac{8}{3}$$

$$AG = \frac{8}{3} \quad \dots(1)$$

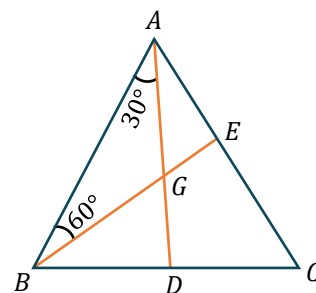
Also in  $\triangle AGB$

$$\therefore \angle GAB + \angle ABG + \angle AGB = 180^\circ$$

$$30^\circ + 60^\circ + \angle AGB = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle AGB = 90^\circ$$

Thus  $\triangle AGB$  = Right angled triangle



$$\frac{BG}{AG} = \cot 60^\circ$$

$$BG = \frac{8}{3} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{ar}\Delta ABC = 3\text{ar}\Delta AGB = 3 \left[ \frac{1}{2} \cdot BG \cdot AG \right] = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{8}{3} = \frac{32\sqrt{3}}{9}$$

11. **Ans. (B)**

$$a + b + c = 2s$$

$$a + b - c = 2s - 2c; b + c - a = 2s - 2a;$$

$$c + a - b = 2s - 2b$$

Now

$$(a + b + c)(a + b - c)(b + c - a)(c + a - b) = \frac{8a^2b^2c^2}{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2s(2s - 2c)(2s - 2a)(2s - 2b) = \frac{8a^2b^2c^2}{a^2 + b^2 + c^2} \Rightarrow 16s(s - a)(s - b)(s - c) = \frac{8a^2b^2c^2}{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 16\Delta^2 = \frac{8a^2b^2c^2}{a^2 + b^2 + c^2} \left\{ R = \frac{abc}{4\Delta} \Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 8 \left( \frac{abc}{4\Delta} \right)^2 \right.$$

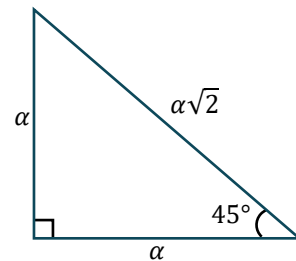
$$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 8R^2$$

If  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 8R^2$  triangle is right angled  $\Delta$

12. **Ans. (C)**

$$R = \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{2}}, r = \frac{\Delta}{s} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}\alpha^2}{\frac{\alpha\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{2}+1)}{2}} = \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{2}+1)}$$

$$\frac{r}{R} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}+1} = \sqrt{2}-1 = \tan \frac{\pi}{8}$$



13. **Ans. (C)**

$$\angle AKB = 105^\circ$$

Applying sine rule in triangle  $AKB$

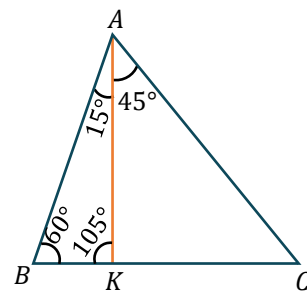
$$\frac{AB}{\sin 105^\circ} = \frac{AK}{\sin 60^\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AK}{AB} = \frac{\sin 60^\circ}{\sin 105^\circ}$$

$$\left( \because \sin 105^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}} \text{ \& } \sin 60^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AK}{AB} = \frac{\sqrt{3}(2\sqrt{2})}{2(\sqrt{3}+1)} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{3}+1} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{\sqrt{3}-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AK}{AB} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{2}(\sqrt{3}-1) = \frac{\sqrt{2}(3-\sqrt{3})}{2}$$



14. Ans. (B)

$$\because AB^2 + BC^2 = AC^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 + BC^2 = 25 \Rightarrow BC = 4$$

$$\text{Given that } \frac{BD}{DC} = \frac{AB}{AC} = \frac{3}{5}$$

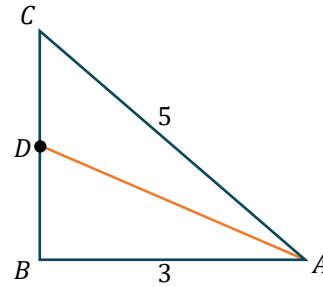
$$\text{Let } BD = 3k \text{ \& } DC = 5k$$

$$\because BD + DC = BC = 4 \Rightarrow 3k + 5k = 4 \Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore BD = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{In } \triangle ABD : AD^2 = AB^2 + BD^2 \Rightarrow AD = \sqrt{9 + \frac{9}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{45}}{2}$$

$$\text{Hence } AD = \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{2}$$



15. Ans. (D)

$$a : b : c = 1 : \sqrt{3} : 2$$

$$\text{Let } a = k, b = \sqrt{3}k, c = 2k$$

By cosine rule :

$$\cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} = \frac{3k^2 + 4k^2 - k^2}{2(\sqrt{3}k)(2k)} \Rightarrow \cos A = \frac{6k^2}{4\sqrt{3}k^2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \angle A = 30^\circ$$

$$\text{Similarly } \cos B = \frac{a^2 + c^2 - b^2}{2ac} = \frac{k^2 + 4k^2 - 3k^2}{2(k)(2k)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos B = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \angle B = 60^\circ$$

$$\because \angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle C = 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow A : B : C = 30^\circ : 60^\circ : 90^\circ = 1 : 2 : 3$$

16. Ans. (A)

$$\frac{\sin A}{\sin C} = \frac{\sin(A-B)}{\sin(B-C)}$$

$$(\because \sin A = \sin(\pi - (B + C)) = \sin(B + C))$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin(B+C)}{\sin(A+B)} = \frac{\sin(A-B)}{\sin(B-C)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin(B+C) \cdot \sin(B-C) = \sin(A-B) \sin(A+B)$$

$$(\because \sin(A+B) \sin(A-B) = \sin^2 A - \sin^2 B)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 B - \sin^2 C = \sin^2 A - \sin^2 B \Rightarrow 2\sin^2 B = \sin^2 A + \sin^2 C$$

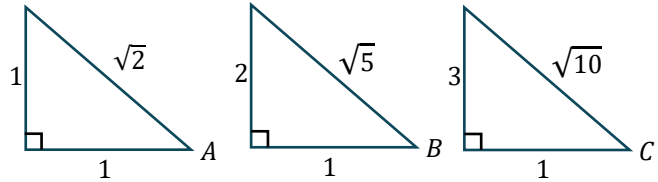
$$\because \frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C} = k \Rightarrow 2\left(\frac{b}{k}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{a}{k}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{c}{k}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2b^2 = a^2 + c^2$$

Hence,  $a^2, b^2, c^2$  are in A.P.

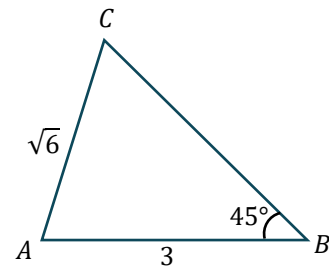
17. Ans. (A)

Given  $\tan A : \tan B : \tan C = 1 : 2 : 3$   
 Let  $\tan A = k, \tan B = 2k$  &  $\tan C = 3k$   
 We know that in a triangle  
 $\tan A + \tan B + \tan C = \tan A \cdot \tan B \cdot \tan C$   
 $\Rightarrow k + 2k + 3k = (k)(2k)(3k)$   
 $\Rightarrow k = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow \tan A = 1, \tan B = 2$  &  $\tan C = 3$   
 $\sin A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \sin B = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, \sin C = \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}$   
 $\therefore a^2 : b^2 : c^2 = \sin^2 A : \sin^2 B : \sin^2 C$   
 (from sine rule)  
 $\Rightarrow a^2 : b^2 : c^2 = \frac{1}{2} : \frac{4}{5} : \frac{9}{10} = 5 : 8 : 9$



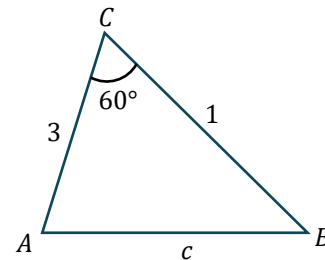
18. Ans. (C)

from sine rule  
 $\frac{AC}{\sin B} = \frac{AB}{\sin C} \Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{6}}{\sin 45^\circ} = \frac{3}{\sin C}$   
 $\Rightarrow \sqrt{12} = \frac{3}{\sin C} \Rightarrow \sin C = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$   
 $\Rightarrow \angle C = 60^\circ$   
 $\therefore A + B + C = 180^\circ$   
 $\Rightarrow A = 75^\circ$



19. Ans. (A)

from cosine rule :  $\cos C = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab}$   
 $\Rightarrow \cos 60^\circ = \frac{(1)^2 + (3)^2 - c^2}{2(1)(3)}$   
 $\Rightarrow 3 = 1 + 9 - c^2 \Rightarrow c^2 = 7 \Rightarrow c = \sqrt{7}$   
 from sine rule :  $\frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{3}{\sin B} = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{\sin 60^\circ} \Rightarrow \sin B = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{7}} \Rightarrow \sin^2 B = \frac{27}{28}$



20. Ans. (C)

Given :  $3B - C = 30^\circ$  ... (1)  
 $A + 2B = 120^\circ$   
 $\therefore A + B + C = 180^\circ$   
 $A + B + B = 120^\circ$   
 $180^\circ - C + B = 120^\circ$   
 $\Rightarrow C - B = 60^\circ$  ... (2)

$$(1) + (2) \Rightarrow 2B = 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow B = 45^\circ \Rightarrow A = 30^\circ \text{ \& } C = 105^\circ$$

$$\text{from sine rule : } \frac{a}{\sin 30^\circ} = \frac{b}{\sin 45^\circ} = \frac{c}{\sin 105^\circ} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{k}{2}, b = \frac{k}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ \& } c = \frac{k(\sqrt{3}+1)}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{Given : } s = 3 + \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2} = \frac{a+b+c}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b+c = \frac{k}{2} + \frac{k}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{k(\sqrt{3}+1)}{2\sqrt{2}} = 6 + 2\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$k\sqrt{2} + 2k + k(\sqrt{3}+1) = 2\sqrt{2}(6 + 2\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{2})$$

$$k\sqrt{2} + 3k + \sqrt{3}k = 12\sqrt{2} + 4\sqrt{6} + 8$$

$$k(\sqrt{2} + 3 + \sqrt{3}) = 4\sqrt{2}(3 + \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}) \Rightarrow k = 4\sqrt{2}$$

$\therefore$  largest angle is  $C$

$$\Rightarrow \text{largest side} = c = \frac{k(\sqrt{3}+1)}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$c = \frac{4\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{3}+1)}{2\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow c = 2(\sqrt{3}+1)$$

21. Ans. (A,B,D)

$$\sin C = \frac{4}{5} \Rightarrow \cos C = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\text{Also } \tan A = \frac{24}{7} \Rightarrow \sin A = \frac{24}{25} \text{ \& } \cos A = \frac{7}{25}$$

Using sine law in  $\triangle ABC$

$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{c}{\sin C} \Rightarrow \frac{a}{\left(\frac{24}{25}\right)} = \frac{50}{\left(\frac{4}{5}\right)} \quad (\text{Given } c = 50)$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 60$$

$$\text{Now } \sin B = \sin(\pi - (A + C)) = \sin(A + C)$$

$$= \sin A \cos C + \cos A \sin C = \left(\frac{24}{25}\right)\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) + \left(\frac{7}{25}\right)\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = \frac{100}{125} = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\text{Now area of } \triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2}ac \sin B$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(60)(50)\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = 1200$$

$$\text{Using } \frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} \Rightarrow \frac{60}{\left(\frac{24}{25}\right)} = \frac{b}{\left(\frac{4}{5}\right)} \Rightarrow b = 50$$

So  $\triangle ABC$  is an isosceles.

In isosceles  $\triangle$ , circumcentre, centroid, orthocentre and incentre are collinear.

22. Ans. (A,D)

Given  $\angle A = 120^\circ$

$$a + b = 20 \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\text{and } a + c = 21 \quad \dots(2)$$

subtract (1) from (2)

$$a + c - a - b = 1$$

$$c - b = 1$$

$$c = b + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow c > b \Rightarrow AB > AC \Rightarrow AB \neq AC$$

$\Rightarrow \angle C \neq \angle B \Rightarrow$  so it is not isosceles  $\Delta$

$$\cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc}$$

$$\cos 120^\circ = \frac{b^2 + (b+1)^2 - (20-b)^2}{2b(b+1)}$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} = \frac{b^2 + (b+1)^2 - (20-b)^2}{2b(b+1)}$$

$$-b^2 - b = 2b^2 + 1 + 2b - 400 - b^2 + 40b$$

$$2b^2 + 43b - 399 = 0$$

$$b = \frac{-43 \pm \sqrt{5041}}{4} = \frac{-43 \pm 71}{4}$$

$$\therefore b = \frac{-43+71}{4} = 7$$

$$\text{Area of } \Delta = \frac{1}{2} bcsin A$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 7 \times 8 \times \sin 120^\circ = 28 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = 14\sqrt{3}$$

23. Ans. (B,C)

$$(A) \quad (a + c - b)(a - c + b) = 4bc$$

$$(a + (c - b))(a - (c - b)) = 4bc$$

$$a^2 - (c - b)^2 = 4bc$$

$$a^2 - (c^2 + b^2 - 2bc) = 4bc$$

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 + 2bc$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 + c^2 - a^2 = -2bc$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos A = -1$$

which is not possible.

$$(B) \quad b^2 \sin 2C + c^2 \sin 2B = ab$$

$$\Rightarrow (4R^2 \sin^2 B) 2 \sin C \cos C + (4R^2 \sin^2 C) 2 \sin B \cos B = ab$$

$$\Rightarrow 8R^2 \sin B \sin C [\sin B \cos C + \sin C \cos B] = (2R \sin A)(2R \sin B)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sin C \sin(B + C) = \sin A$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sin C = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin C = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle C = \frac{\pi}{6} \text{ or } \frac{5\pi}{6} \text{ so } \Delta \text{ is possible.}$$

(C) For  $a = 3, b = 5, c = 7$  and  $C = \frac{2\pi}{3}$

$$\cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} = \frac{5^2 + 7^2 - 3^2}{2(5)(7)} = \frac{65}{70} < 1$$

similarly

$$\cos B = \frac{a^2 + c^2 - b^2}{2ac} = \frac{3^2 + 7^2 - 5^2}{2(3)(7)} = \frac{33}{42} < 1$$

So in this case triangle is possible

(D) As,  $\cos\left(\frac{A-C}{2}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{A+C}{2}\right)$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\left(\frac{A-C}{2}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{A+C}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin\frac{A}{2} \cdot \sin\frac{C}{2} = 0$$

which is not possible in  $\Delta ABC$

24. **Ans. (A,C,D)**

Given  $AD = 6, BE = 8, CF = 10$

Area of  $\Delta ABC$  whose median lengths are given

$$= \frac{4}{3} \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$$

$$= \frac{4}{3} \sqrt{(12)(12-6)(12-8)(12-10)} = 32$$

$$\& \text{ Area of } \Delta DEF = \frac{1}{4} (\text{Area of } \Delta ABC) = \frac{1}{4}(32) = 8$$

$$\text{Now Area of } \Delta ABD = \frac{1}{2} (\text{Area of } \Delta ABC) = \frac{1}{2}(32) = 16$$

$$\text{Now Area of } \Delta ABD = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{Base} \times \text{height}$$

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} \times AD \times BG = \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times \frac{16}{3} = 16$$

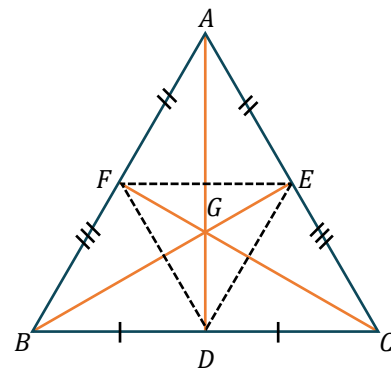
It means  $AD$  is perpendicular to  $BE$

25. **Ans. (B,D)**

Given  $A : B : C = 1 : 2 : 3$

Let  $A = x, B = 2x, C = 3x$

$$\Rightarrow A + B + C = \pi \Rightarrow 6x = \pi \Rightarrow x = \frac{\pi}{6} \Rightarrow A = \frac{\pi}{6}, B = \frac{\pi}{3}, C = \frac{\pi}{2}$$



$$(A) \frac{c}{\sin C} = 2R \Rightarrow R = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{c}{\sin \frac{\pi}{2}} = \frac{c}{2}$$

$$(B) a : b : c = \sin A : \sin B : \sin C$$

$$= \sin \frac{\pi}{6} : \sin \frac{\pi}{3} : \sin \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} : \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} : 1$$

$$= 1 : \sqrt{3} : 2$$

$$(C) \text{ Let } a = k, b = \sqrt{3}k, c = 2k$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{perimeter} = (a + b + c) = k + \sqrt{3}k + 2k$$

$$= (3 + \sqrt{3})k$$

$$(D) \text{ Area of } \triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2}ab$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(k)(\sqrt{3}k) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}k^2$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \left( \frac{c}{2} \right)^2 \quad \left( \because k = \frac{c}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8}c^2$$

26. Ans. (A,C,D)

$$(A) \text{ Use sine law } \frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sin A} = \frac{2}{\sin B}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin A = \sin B$$

$$(B) \text{ Use cosine law in } \triangle ABC$$

$$\cos 30^\circ = \frac{1^2 + 2^2 - c^2}{2(1)(2)} \Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{5 - c^2}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow c = \sqrt{5 - 2\sqrt{3}}$$

$$(C) \text{ As } c > a \Rightarrow \angle C > \angle A$$

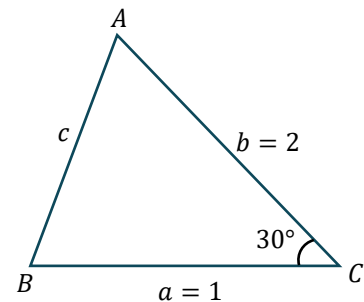
$\therefore$  Angle B must be obtuse

$\Rightarrow$  Measure of angle A is less than  $30^\circ$

$$(D) \Delta = \frac{1}{2}ab\sin C = \frac{1}{2}(1)(2)\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore R = \frac{abc}{4\Delta} = \frac{(1)(2)(c)}{4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)} = c$$

$\Rightarrow$  Circumradius of  $\triangle ABC$  is equal of side AB.



27. Ans. (C)

28. Ans. (D)

(Sol. 27 and 28)

$$\text{Let } \tan \frac{A}{2} = x; \tan \frac{B}{2} = y; \tan \frac{C}{2} = z$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{r}{AR}, y = \frac{r}{BP}, z = \frac{r}{CQ}$$

Put the values of  $AR, BP$  and  $CQ$  in given relation, we get

$$\frac{2x}{r} + \frac{5y}{r} + \frac{5z}{r} = \frac{6}{r}$$

$$\rightarrow 2x + 5y + 5z = 6 \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\text{Also in the triangle, } xy + yz + zx = 1 \quad \dots(2)$$

It we interchange  $y$  and  $z$  then both equations (1) and (2) remain unchanged

$$\Rightarrow ABC \text{ is isocles with } \angle B = \angle C \Rightarrow y = z$$

So form (1) and (2), we get

$$x = 3 - 5y \quad \dots(3)$$

$$\text{and } 2xy + y^2 = 1 \quad \dots(4)$$

$$\text{Solving we get, } x = \frac{4}{3}, y = z = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore AR = \frac{3r}{4}, BP = 3r, CQ = 3r$$

$$\text{Now perimeter } 2s = 2(AR) + 2(BP) + 2(CQ) = \frac{27r}{2}$$

Given perimeter is smallest integer  $\rightarrow r = 2$

$$\therefore s = \frac{27}{2}$$

$$\therefore \Delta = rs = 2 \times \frac{27}{2} = 27 \text{ sq. unit.}$$

29. Ans. (A  $\rightarrow$  S; B  $\rightarrow$  P; C  $\rightarrow$  Q; D  $\rightarrow$  R)

$$(A) \quad r = \frac{\Delta}{s}, r_1 = \frac{\Delta}{s-a}, r_2 = \frac{\Delta}{s-b}, r_3 = \frac{\Delta}{s-c}$$

$$rr_1r_2r_3 = \frac{\Delta^4}{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} = \frac{\Delta^4}{\Delta^2}$$

$$= \Delta^2$$

$$(A) \rightarrow (S)$$

$$(B) \quad r_1r_2r_3 = \frac{\Delta^3}{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} \times \frac{s}{s}$$

$$r_1r_2r_3 = \frac{\Delta^3}{\Delta^2} \times s$$

$$r_1r_2r_3 = \Delta s, r = \frac{\Delta}{s} \Rightarrow \Delta = rs$$

$$r_1r_2r_3 = rs^2$$

$$(B) \rightarrow (P)$$

(C)  $r_1 + r_2 - r_3 + r$

$$r_1 = 4R \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}$$

$$r_2 = 4R \cos \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}$$

$$r_3 = 4R \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}$$

$$r = 4R \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}$$

$$r_1 + r_2 = 4R \cos \frac{C}{2} \left\{ \sin \left( \frac{A+B}{2} \right) \right\}$$

$$r - r_3 = 4R \sin \frac{C}{2} \left\{ -\cos \left( \frac{A+B}{2} \right) \right\}$$

$$r_1 + r_2 + r - r_3 = 4R \left\{ \sin \left( \frac{A+B-C}{2} \right) \right\}$$

$$= 4R \left\{ \sin \left( \frac{\pi - 2C}{2} \right) \right\}$$

$$r_1 + r_2 - r_3 + r = 4R \cos C$$

(C)  $\rightarrow$  (Q)

(D)  $\frac{1}{bc} + \frac{1}{ca} + \frac{1}{ab} = \frac{a+b+c}{abc} = \frac{2s}{abc}$

$$= \frac{2 \left( \frac{s}{\Delta} \right)}{\left( \frac{abc}{\Delta} \right)} = \frac{2/r}{4R}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{bc} + \frac{1}{ca} + \frac{1}{ab} = \frac{1}{2Rr}$$

(D)  $\rightarrow$  (R)

30. Ans. (A  $\rightarrow$  R; B  $\rightarrow$  P; C  $\rightarrow$  T; D  $\rightarrow$  Q)

(A)  $r = \frac{\Delta}{s} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 8}{\left( \frac{6+8+10}{2} \right)} = 2$

(B)  $r_1 = \frac{\Delta}{s-a} = \frac{24}{12-6} = 4$

(C)  $R = \frac{10}{2} = 5$

(D)  $\Delta = \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 8 = 24$

EXERCISE - S

1. Ans. (3)

$AD = \text{altitude} = h$

Now using the concept of area

$$\text{ar}\triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{base} \times h = \frac{1}{2} ah \quad \dots(1)$$

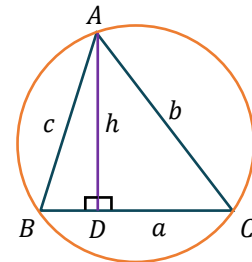
Also

$$\text{ar}\triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} bc \sin A = \frac{1}{2} bc \cdot \frac{a}{2R} \quad \left\{ \frac{a}{\sin A} = 2R \right\}$$

$$\text{ar}\triangle ABC = \frac{abc}{4R} \quad \dots(2)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} ah = \frac{abc}{4R}$$

$$h = \frac{bc}{2R} \text{ or } R = \frac{bc}{2h} = \frac{1 \times 1}{2 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2}}$$



2. Ans. (91)

V.Imp. :

$$BF = BD = 13$$

$$AE = AD = 7$$

$$\text{let } CE = CF = r$$

Area of  $\triangle ABC$

$$= \frac{1}{2} AC \times BC = \frac{1}{2} (7 + r)(13 + r)$$

$$\text{or } \triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} [r^2 + 20r + 91] \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\text{Also } (r + 7)^2 + (13 + r)^2 = 20^2$$

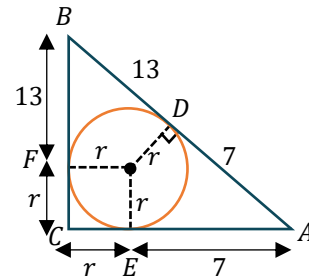
$$2r^2 + 40r + 218 = 400$$

$$2r^2 + 40r = 182$$

$$r^2 + 20r = 91 \quad \dots(2)$$

Put (2) in (1)

$$\text{ar}\triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} [91 + 91] = 91$$



3. Ans. (4)

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{a}{b+c}, \cos \beta = \frac{b}{c+a}, \cos \gamma = \frac{c}{a+b}$$

$$\text{To find : } \tan^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} + \tan^2 \frac{\gamma}{2}$$

Also  $a, b, c$  are in A.P.

$$\therefore 2b = a + c$$

$$\tan^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} + \tan^2 \frac{\gamma}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1-\cos\alpha}{1+\cos\alpha} + \frac{1-\cos\gamma}{1+\cos\gamma} \Rightarrow \frac{1-\frac{a}{b+c}}{1+\frac{a}{b+c}} + \frac{1-\frac{c}{a+b}}{1+\frac{c}{a+b}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b+c-a}{a+b+c} + \frac{a+b-c}{a+b+c} \Rightarrow \frac{2b}{a+b+c} = \frac{2b}{b+2b} = \frac{2}{3} \quad (a+c=2b)$$

4. **Ans. (6)**

Given  $a = 2b$  and  $A = 3B$

From sine rule :  $\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2b}{\sin 3B} = \frac{b}{\sin B} \Rightarrow \frac{\sin 3B}{\sin B} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3\sin B - 4\sin^3 B}{\sin B} = 2 \quad (\because \sin 3\theta = 3\sin\theta - 4\sin^3\theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 - 4\sin^2 B = 2 \Rightarrow \sin B = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \angle B = 30^\circ$$

$$\therefore A = 3B = 90^\circ$$

$$\therefore A + B + C = 180^\circ \Rightarrow \angle C = 60^\circ$$

$$\frac{c}{b} = \frac{\sin C}{\sin B} = \frac{\sin 60^\circ}{\sin 30^\circ} = \sqrt{3}$$

5. **Ans. (3)**

Given :  $A, B, C$  are in A.P.

$$\Rightarrow 2B = A + C \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\therefore A + B + C = 180^\circ \quad \dots(2)$$

$$\text{from (1) \& (2)} \Rightarrow 3B = 180^\circ \Rightarrow B = 60^\circ$$

$$E = \frac{a}{c} \sin 2C + \frac{c}{a} \sin 2A = \frac{a}{c} 2\sin C \cos C + \frac{c}{a} (2\sin A \cos A)$$

$$\text{from sine rule } \frac{c}{\sin C} = \frac{a}{\sin A} \Rightarrow E = 2 \left( a \frac{\sin C}{c} \cos C + c \frac{\sin A}{a} \cos A \right)$$

$$= 2 \left( a \frac{\sin A}{a} \cos C + c \frac{\sin C}{c} \cos A \right) = 2(\sin A \cos C + \cos A \sin C)$$

$$E = 2\sin(A + C) = 2\sin B = 2 \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{E = \sqrt{3}}$$

6. **Ans. (7)**

$$3a + 3b = 4c$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b = \frac{4c}{3} \Rightarrow s = \frac{a+b+c}{2} = \frac{\frac{4c}{3} + c}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{7c}{6}$$

$$\cot \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{s(s-a)}{(s-b)(s-c)}}$$

$$\cot \frac{B}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{s(s-b)}{(s-a)(s-c)}}$$

$$\cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2} = \frac{s}{s-c} = \frac{7c/6}{\frac{7c}{6}-c}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{7c/6}{c/6} = 7$$

7. **Ans. (1)**

$$r_1 = \Delta, r_1 = r + r_2 + r_3$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta}{s-a} = \frac{\Delta}{s} + \frac{\Delta}{s-b} + \frac{\Delta}{s-c} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{s-a} - \frac{1}{s} = \frac{1}{s-b} + \frac{1}{s-c}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{s-s+a}{s(s-a)} = \frac{s-b+s-c}{(s-b)(s-c)} \Rightarrow \frac{a}{s(s-a)} = \frac{2s-(b+c)}{(s-b)(s-c)}$$

$$\Rightarrow s = \frac{a+b+c}{2} \Rightarrow 2s - (b+c) = a$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{s(s-a)} = \frac{a}{(s-b)(s-c)} \Rightarrow (s-b)(s-c) = s(s-a)$$

$$\Rightarrow r_1 = \Delta \Rightarrow \frac{\Delta}{s-a} = \Delta \Rightarrow s-a=1 \Rightarrow s = (s-b)(s-c)$$

$$\Delta = \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} = \sqrt{s \times s}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta = s \Rightarrow \frac{\Delta}{s} = 1$$

$$\boxed{r = \frac{\Delta}{s} = 1} \text{ :-}$$

8. **Ans. (3)**

$$\frac{12}{13} = \frac{1 - \tan^2 \left( \frac{A-B}{2} \right)}{1 + \tan^2 \left( \frac{A-B}{2} \right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2 \left( \frac{A-B}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{25}$$

$$\tan \left( \frac{A-B}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\tan \left( \frac{A-B}{2} \right) = \frac{a-b}{a+b} \cot \left( \frac{C}{2} \right)$$

$$\frac{1}{5} = \frac{3-2}{3+2} \cot \left( \frac{C}{2} \right) \Rightarrow \cot \frac{C}{2} = 1$$

$$C = 90^\circ$$

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} \times ab \sin C = \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 3 = 3$$

9. **Ans. (9)**

$$\because a = 6, b = 3 \text{ and } \cos(A - B) = 4/5$$

$$\because \tan\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right) = \frac{a-b}{a+b} \cot \frac{C}{2} \quad \dots (i)$$

$$\because \tan^2\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right) = \frac{1-\cos(A-B)}{1+\cos(A-B)} = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$\therefore \tan\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore \text{from (i), we get } \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{3} \cot \frac{C}{2} \Rightarrow C = 90^\circ$$

$$\therefore \text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} ab = 9 \text{ sq. unit}$$

10. **Ans. (8)**

$$\because \Delta = 100 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$r_1 = \frac{\Delta}{s-a} = 10 \Rightarrow s-a = 10 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$r_2 = \frac{\Delta}{s-b} = 50 \Rightarrow s-b = 2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$(i) - (ii)$$

$$\therefore b-a = 8$$

### EXERCISE - JEE (Main) PYQ

1. **Ans. (4)**

**Case-1**

$$5 + 5r > 5r^2$$

$$r^2 - r - 1 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(r - \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right) \left(r - \frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}\right) < 0 \Rightarrow r \in \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}, \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)$$

**Case-2**

$$5r^2 + 5r > 5$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 + r - 1 > 0 \Rightarrow r < \frac{-1-\sqrt{5}}{2}, r > \frac{-1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

**Case-3**

$$5 + 5r^2 > 5r$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 - r + 1 > 0$$

$$r \in R$$

from case-1, case-2 and case-3

$$r \in \left(\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{2}\right)$$

Option (4) is correct.

2. **Ans. (1)**

$$A + B = 120^\circ$$

$$\tan \frac{A-B}{2} = \frac{a-b}{a+b} \cot \left( \frac{C}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}+1-\sqrt{3}+1}{2(\sqrt{3})} \cot(30^\circ) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \sqrt{3} = 1$$

$$\frac{A-B}{2} = 45^\circ \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} A-B=90^\circ \\ A+B=120^\circ \end{matrix}$$

$$2A = 210^\circ$$

$$A = 105^\circ$$

$$B = 15^\circ$$

∴ Option (1)

3. **Ans. (2)**

$$\text{Given } a + b = x \text{ and } ab = y$$

$$\text{If } x^2 - c^2 = y \Rightarrow (a+b)^2 - c^2 = ab$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 - c^2 = -ab \Rightarrow \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos C = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \angle C = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$R = \frac{c}{2\sin C} = \frac{c}{\sqrt{3}}$$

4. **Ans. (3)**

$$b + c = 11\lambda, c + a = 12\lambda, a + b = 13\lambda$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 7\lambda, b = 6\lambda, c = 5\lambda$$

(using cosine formula)

$$\cos A = \frac{1}{5}, \cos B = \frac{19}{35}, \cos C = \frac{5}{7}$$

$$\alpha : \beta : \gamma \Rightarrow 7 : 19 : 25$$

5. **Ans. (3)**

$$a < b < c \text{ are in A.P.}$$

$$\angle C = 2\angle A \text{ (Given)}$$

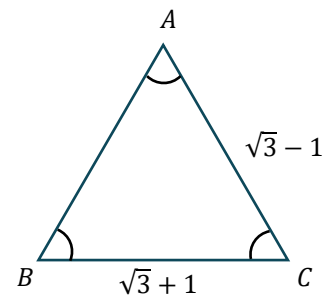
$$\Rightarrow \sin C = \sin 2A \Rightarrow \sin C = 2\sin A \cos A$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin C}{\sin A} = 2\cos A \Rightarrow \frac{c}{a} = 2 \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc}$$

$$\text{put } a = b - \lambda, c = b + \lambda, \lambda > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{b}{5} \Rightarrow a = b - \frac{b}{5} = \frac{4}{5}b, c = b + \frac{b}{5} = \frac{6b}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{required ratio} = 4 : 5 : 6$$



6. **Ans. (3)**

Let  $\angle A = \theta - \lambda, \angle B = \theta, \angle C = \theta + \lambda$

So,  $3\theta = 180 \Rightarrow \theta = 60^\circ$

$\sin A = \frac{1}{2}$ , by Sine Rule

$\Rightarrow A = 30^\circ, a = 2, b = 2\sqrt{3}, c = 4, \angle C = 90^\circ$

$\Delta = \frac{1}{2} \times 2\sqrt{3} \times 2 = 2\sqrt{3}$  sq. cm

7. **Ans. (3)**

Let orthocentre is  $H(x_0, y_0)$

$$m_{AH} \cdot m_{BC} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{y_0 - 7}{x_0 + 1} \right) \left( \frac{1 + 5}{-7 - 5} \right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x_0 - y_0 + 9 = 0 \quad \dots(1)$$

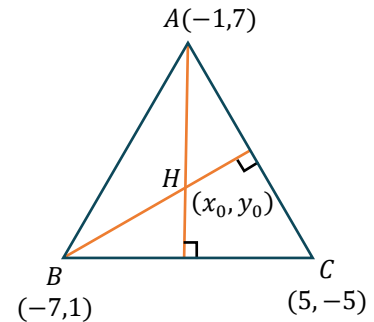
$$\text{and } m_{BH} \cdot m_{AC} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{y_0 - 1}{x_0 + 7} \right) \left( \frac{7 - (-5)}{-1 - 5} \right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow x_0 - 2y_0 + 9 = 0 \quad \dots(2)$$

Solving equation (1) and (2) we get

$$(x_0, y_0) = (-3, 3)$$



8. **Ans. (3)**

$$\text{As, } \cos B = \frac{3}{5} \Rightarrow B = 53^\circ$$

$$\text{As, } R = 5 \Rightarrow \frac{c}{\sin c} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5}{10} = \sin c \Rightarrow C = 30^\circ$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{b}{\sin B} = 2R \Rightarrow b = 2(5) \left( \frac{4}{5} \right) = 8$$

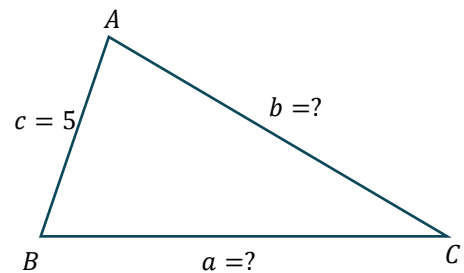
Now, by cosine formula

$$\cos B = \frac{a^2 + c^2 - b^2}{2ac} \Rightarrow \frac{3}{5} = \frac{a^2 + 25 - 64}{2(5)a} \Rightarrow a^2 - 6a - 39 = 0$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{192}}{2} = \frac{6 \pm 8\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 3 + 4\sqrt{3}; (\text{Reject } a = 3 - 4\sqrt{3})$$

$$\text{Now, } \Delta = \frac{abc}{4R} = \frac{(3 + 4\sqrt{3})(8)(5)}{4(5)} = 2(3 + 4\sqrt{3}) \Rightarrow \Delta = (6 + 8\sqrt{3})$$



9. Ans. (15)

$$\Delta = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 5 \cdot 12 \sin A = 30$$

$$\sin A = 1$$

$$A = 90^\circ \Rightarrow BC = 13$$

$$BC = 2R = 13$$

$$r = \frac{\Delta}{s} = \frac{30}{15} = 2$$

$$2R + r = 15$$

10. Ans. (3)

$$a = 20 - 2x^2, b = 10 + x^2, c = 10 + x^2$$

$$s = \frac{a+b+c}{2} = 20$$

$$\Delta = \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} = \sqrt{20(2x^2)(10-x^2)(10-x^2)}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{10} \sqrt{x^2(10-x^2)^2} = 2\sqrt{10} |10x - x^3|$$

$$\text{Let } y = 10x - x^3$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 10 - 3x^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{10}{3}$$

$$3x^2 = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 3k^2 = 10.$$

11. Ans. (3)

$$\cos A + \cos C = 2(1 - \cos B)$$

$$2 \cos \frac{A+C}{2} \cos \frac{A-C}{2} = 4 \sin^2 B/2$$

$$\text{as } \cos \left( \frac{A+C}{2} \right) = \sin \frac{B}{2}$$

$$\text{so } \cos \frac{A-C}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{B}{2}$$

$$2 \cos B/2 \cos \frac{A-C}{2} = 4 \sin B/2 \cos B/2$$

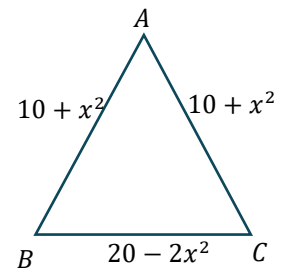
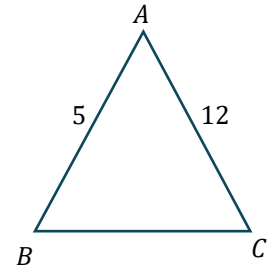
$$2 \sin \left( \frac{A+C}{2} \right) \cos \left( \frac{A-C}{2} \right) = 4 \sin B/2 \cos B/2$$

$$\sin A + \sin C = 2 \sin B$$

$$a + c = 2b \Rightarrow a = 3, c = 7, b = 5$$

$$\cos A - \cos C = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} - \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab}$$

$$= \frac{25 + 49 - 9}{70} - \frac{9 + 25 - 49}{30} = \frac{65}{70} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{20}{14} = \frac{10}{7}$$



EXERCISE - JEE (Advanced) PYQ

1. **Ans. (4)**

Applying sine-law in  $\triangle ABC$

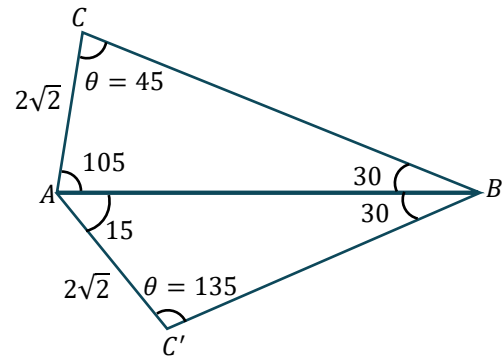
$$\frac{4}{\sin \theta} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{\sin 30^\circ}$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \theta = 45^\circ, 135^\circ$$

Area of  $\triangle ABC$  - Area  $\triangle AC'B$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 2\sqrt{2} \times 4 (\sin 105^\circ - \sin 15^\circ)$$

$$= 4\sqrt{2} \times 2 \cos 60^\circ \times \sin 45^\circ = 4\sqrt{2} \times 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 4.$$



2. **Ans. (D)**

$A, B, C \rightarrow AP,$

$$A + B + C = 180^\circ$$

$$B = 60^\circ, A + C = 120^\circ$$

$$\frac{a}{c} \cdot 2 \sin C \cos C + \frac{c}{a} \cdot 2 \sin A \cos A$$

$$2a \left( \frac{\sin A}{a} \right) \cos C + 2c \left( \frac{\sin C}{c} \right) \cos A$$

$$2 \sin(A + C) = 2 \sin 120^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

3. **Ans. (3)**

$$15\sqrt{3} = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C \rightarrow \sin C = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\rightarrow C = \frac{2\pi}{3} \text{ (C is obtuse)}$$

$$\cos C = -\frac{1}{2} = \frac{36 + 100 - c^2}{2(6)(10)} \rightarrow c^2 = 196 \rightarrow c = 14$$

$$s = 15$$

$$r = \frac{\Delta}{s} = \frac{15\sqrt{3}}{15} = \sqrt{3}$$

$$r^2 = 3$$

4. **Ans. (B)**

$$\cos C = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{(x^2 + x + 1)^2 + (x^2 - 1)^2 - (2x + 1)^2}{2(x^2 + x + 1)(x^2 - 1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^4(2 - \sqrt{3}) + x^3(2 - \sqrt{3}) - 3x^2 - x(2 - \sqrt{3}) + (\sqrt{3} + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 1)[(2 - \sqrt{3})x^2 + (2 - \sqrt{3})x - (\sqrt{3} + 1)] = 0$$

$$\text{Now } \begin{cases} x^2 + x + 1 + x^2 - 1 > 2x + 1 \\ x^2 + x + 1 + 2x + 1 > x^2 - 1 \\ 2x + 1 + x^2 - 1 > x^2 + x + 1 \end{cases} \quad (\because \text{sum of two sides is greater than third side})$$

$$\Rightarrow x > 1 \Rightarrow x = 1 + \sqrt{3}$$

Alternate :

$$\tan \frac{\pi}{12} = \sqrt{\frac{(s-b)(s-a)}{s(s-c)}}$$

$$s = x^2 + \frac{3x+1}{2}, s-b = \frac{3(x+1)}{2}, s-a = \frac{x-1}{2}, s-c = x^2 - \frac{(x+1)}{2}$$

$$\tan \frac{\pi}{12} = \sqrt{\frac{\frac{3}{2}(x+1) \cdot \frac{(x-1)}{2}}{\left(x^2 + \frac{3x+1}{2}\right) \left(x^2 - \frac{x+1}{2}\right)}}$$

Simplifying

$$2 - \sqrt{3} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2x+1}$$

$$x = \sqrt{3} + 1$$

5. **Ans. (C)**

$$\frac{2 \sin P - 2 \sin P \cos P}{2 \sin P + 2 \sin P \cos P} = \frac{(1 - \cos P)}{(1 + \cos P)} = \tan^2 \frac{A}{2} = \frac{\Delta^2}{s^2(s-a)^2} = \frac{((s-b)(s-c))^2}{\Delta^2}$$

$$s = 4$$

$$= \left( \frac{\left(4 - \frac{7}{2}\right) \left(4 - \frac{5}{2}\right)}{\Delta} \right)^2 = \left( \frac{3}{4\Delta} \right)^2$$

6. **Ans. (B,D)**

$$PQ = 4k + 2$$

$$QR = 4k + 6$$

$$PR = 4k + 4$$

$$\cos P = \frac{1}{3} = \frac{(4k+2)^2 + (4k+4)^2 - (4k+6)^2}{2(4k+2)(4k+4)}$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 - 3k - 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 4, k = -1 \text{ (reject)}$$

side lengths 18, 22, 20

7. **Ans. (B)**

$$a + b = x$$

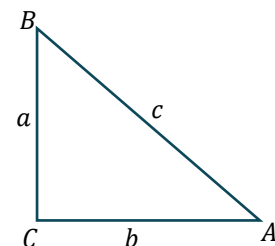
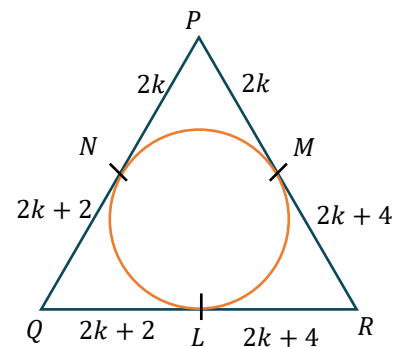
$$ab = y$$

$$(a+b)^2 - c^2 = ab$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 - c^2 = -ab$$

$$\cos C = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow C = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

Now



$$\frac{r}{R} = \frac{\frac{\Delta}{s}}{\frac{abc}{4\Delta}} = \frac{4\Delta^2}{(a+b+c)abc} = \frac{8\left(\frac{1}{2}ab\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2}{(x+c)(yc)}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{2}y^2 \cdot 3}{(x+c)cy} = \frac{3y}{2c(x+c)}$$

8. **Ans. (A,C,D)**

$$\text{Let } \frac{s-x}{4} = \frac{s-y}{3} = \frac{s-z}{2} = k$$

$$s-x = 4k \Rightarrow y+z-x = 8k$$

$$s-y = 3k \Rightarrow x+z-y = 6k$$

$$s-z = 2k \Rightarrow x+y-z = 4k$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 5k, y = 6k, z = 7k \Rightarrow 3s - (x+y+z) = 9k$$

$$s = 9k$$

Let  $r$  be inradius

$$\Rightarrow \pi r^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3}$$

$$\pi \left(\frac{\Delta}{s}\right)^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3}$$

$$\Delta = \sqrt{\frac{8}{3}} \cdot s$$

$$\sqrt{s(s-x)(s-y)(s-z)} = \sqrt{\frac{8}{3}} \cdot s$$

$$\sqrt{9k \cdot 4k \cdot 3k \cdot 2k} = \sqrt{\frac{8}{3}} \cdot 9k$$

$$\sqrt{24 \cdot 9k^2} = \sqrt{\frac{8}{3}} \cdot 9k$$

$$k = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 5, y = 6, z = 7$$

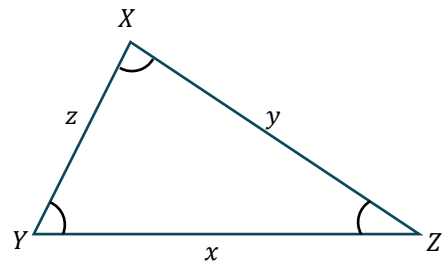
$$\Delta = \sqrt{\frac{8}{3}} \cdot 9k = \sqrt{\frac{8}{3}} \cdot 9 = 6\sqrt{6}$$

$$R = \text{circumradius} = \frac{xyz}{4\Delta} = \frac{5 \cdot 6 \cdot 7}{4 \cdot 6\sqrt{6}} = \frac{35}{4\sqrt{6}}$$

$$\sin \frac{X}{2} \sin \frac{Y}{2} \sin \frac{Z}{2} = \frac{r}{4R} = \frac{\frac{\Delta}{s}}{\frac{xyz}{4\Delta}} = \frac{\Delta^2}{s \cdot xyz} = \frac{36 \cdot 6}{9 \cdot 5 \cdot 6 \cdot 7} = \frac{4}{35}$$

$$\cos Z = \frac{x^2 + y^2 - z^2}{2xy} = \frac{25 + 36 - 49}{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 6} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\sin^2 \left( \frac{X+Y}{2} \right) = \cos^2 \frac{Z}{2} = \frac{1 + \cos Z}{2} = \frac{1 + \frac{1}{5}}{2} = \frac{3}{5}$$



**9. Ans. (B,C,D)**

11. Ans. (B,C)

$$\tan \frac{X}{2} + \tan \frac{Z}{2} = \frac{2y}{x+y+z}$$

$$\frac{\Delta}{s(s-x)} + \frac{\Delta}{s(s-z)} = \frac{2y}{2s}$$

$$\frac{\Delta}{s} \left( \frac{2s-(x+z)}{(s-x)(s-z)} \right) = \frac{y}{s}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta y}{s(s-x)(s-z)} = \frac{y}{s} \Rightarrow \Delta^2 = (s-x)^2 (s-z)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow s(s-y) &= (s-x)(s-z) \Rightarrow (x+y+z)(x+z-y) \\ &= (y+z-x)(x+y-z) \Rightarrow (x+z)^2 - y^2 = y^2 - (z-x)^2 \\ \Rightarrow (x+z)^2 + (x-z)^2 &= 2y^2 \Rightarrow x^2 + z^2 = y^2 \Rightarrow \angle Y = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle Y = \angle X + \angle Z$$

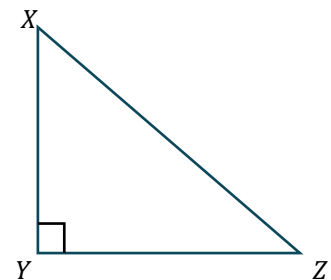
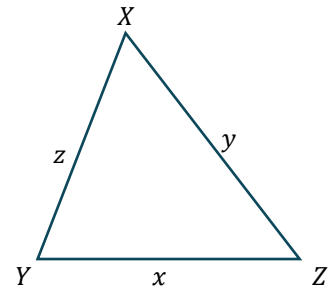
$$\tan \frac{X}{2} = \frac{\Delta}{s(s-x)}$$

$$\tan \frac{X}{2} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}xz}{\frac{(y+z)^2 - x^2}{4}}$$

$$\tan \frac{X}{2} = \frac{2xz}{y^2 + z^2 + 2yz - x^2}$$

$$\tan \frac{X}{2} = \frac{2xz}{2z^2 + 2yz} \quad (\text{using } y^2 = x^2 + z^2)$$

$$\tan \frac{X}{2} = \frac{x}{y+z}$$



12. Ans. (2)

With standard notations given

$$c = \sqrt{23}, a = 3, b = 4$$

Now,

$$\frac{\cot A + \cot C}{\cot B} = \frac{\frac{\cos A}{\sin A} + \frac{\cos C}{\sin C}}{\frac{\cos B}{\sin B}} = \frac{\frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc \sin A} + \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab \sin C}}{\frac{c^2 + a^2 - b^2}{2ac \sin B}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{4\Delta} + \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{4\Delta}}{\frac{c^2 + a^2 - b^2}{4\Delta}} = \frac{2b^2}{a^2 + c^2 - b^2}$$

$$= \frac{32}{9 + 23 - 16} = 2$$

13. Ans. (A,B)

$$(1) \cos P = \frac{q^2 + r^2 - p^2}{2qr}, q^2 + r^2 \geq 2qr \text{ (by } AM \geq GM \text{)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos P \geq 1 - \frac{p^2}{2qr}$$

(2) By triangle inequality  $q + p > r$

by projection formula

$$r \cos P + p \cos R + q \cos R + r \cos Q > p \cos Q + q \cos P$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos R > \frac{(q-r)}{(p+q)} \cos P + \frac{(p-r)}{(p+q)} \cos Q$$

(3) By  $AM \geq GM$ .

$$q + r \geq 2\sqrt{qr}$$

$$\frac{q+r}{p} \geq \frac{2\sqrt{qr}}{p}$$

$$\frac{\sin P}{p} = \frac{\sin Q}{q} = \frac{\sin R}{r} \text{ (by Sine rule)}$$

$$\frac{q+r}{p} \geq \frac{2\sqrt{\sin Q \sin R}}{\sin P}$$

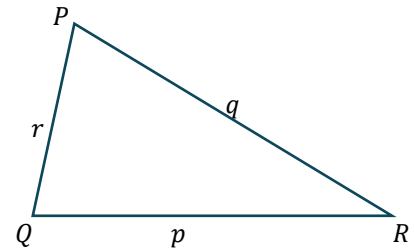
$$(4) \text{ If } \cos Q > \frac{p}{r} \Rightarrow r \cos Q > p \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\cos R > \frac{p}{q} \Rightarrow q \cos R > p \quad \dots(ii)$$

Add (i) and (ii)

$$r \cos Q + q \cos R > 2p \Rightarrow p > 2p$$

$$\Rightarrow p < 0, \text{ false}$$



14. Ans. (A,B)

Figure as shown, can be drawn on the basis of given data.

Applying sine rule in  $\triangle PQR$

$$\frac{\alpha}{\sin 30^\circ} = \frac{1}{\sin 80^\circ} \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1}{2 \sin 80^\circ}$$

applying Sine rule in  $\triangle PRS$

$$\frac{\beta}{\sin 40^\circ} = \frac{1}{\sin \theta^\circ} \Rightarrow \beta \sin \theta^\circ = \sin 40^\circ$$

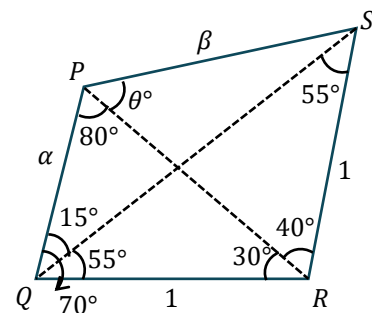
From (i) & (ii).

$$4\alpha\beta \sin \theta^\circ = 4 \cdot \frac{1}{2 \sin 80^\circ} \sin 40^\circ = \frac{1}{\cos 40^\circ}$$

$$30^\circ < 40^\circ < 45^\circ \Rightarrow \cos 45^\circ < \cos 40^\circ < \cos 30^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} < \cos 40^\circ < \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} < \frac{1}{\cos 40^\circ} < \sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} < 4\alpha\beta \sin \theta^\circ < \sqrt{2}$$



15. Ans. (1007.99 to 1008.01)

$$n - d = 2 \sin \alpha \quad \dots(1)$$

$$n + d = 2 \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \alpha \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow n + d = 2 \cos \alpha \quad \dots(2)$$

$$n = 2 \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - 2\alpha \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 2 \cos 2\alpha \quad \dots(3)$$

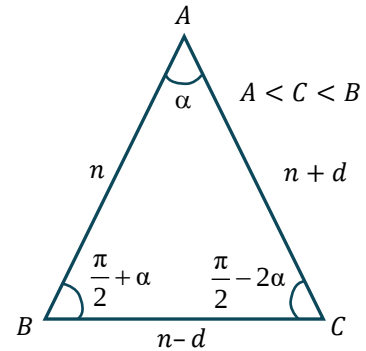
$$\Rightarrow 2 \cos 2\alpha = \sin \alpha + \cos \alpha \Rightarrow 2(\cos \alpha - \sin \alpha) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin 2\alpha = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\text{Then, } a = \frac{1}{2} \cdot n \cdot (n + d) \cdot \sin \alpha = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2 \cos 2\alpha \cdot 2 \cos \alpha \cdot \sin \alpha$$

$$= \sin 2\alpha \cdot \cos 2\alpha = \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{\sqrt{7}}{4} = \frac{3\sqrt{7}}{16}$$

$$(64a)^2 = \left( 64 \times \frac{3\sqrt{7}}{16} \right)^2 = 16 \times 9 \times 7 = 1008$$



16. Ans. (0.24 to 0.26)

From above equation in Ques. 15

$$r = \frac{\Delta}{s} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{n(n+d) \sin \alpha}{\left( \frac{3n}{2} \right)} = \frac{(n+d) \cdot \sin \alpha}{3}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cos \alpha \cdot \sin \alpha}{3} \quad (\text{from (2)})$$

$$r = \frac{\sin 2\alpha}{3} = \frac{1}{4}$$

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SECTION-A

1. Ans. (3)

$$\because A : B : C = 3 : 5 : 4 \quad \therefore A = 45^\circ, B = 75^\circ, C = 60^\circ$$

$\because$  from Sine - rule

$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C} = k \Rightarrow \frac{a}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} = \frac{b}{\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}}} = \frac{c}{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = k \quad (\because \sin 75^\circ = \sin(45^\circ + 30^\circ))$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{k}{\sqrt{2}}, b = \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}} \right) k \text{ and } c = \frac{k\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\therefore a + b + c \sqrt{2} = \frac{k}{\sqrt{2}} + \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}} \right) k + \left( \frac{k\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \sqrt{2} = \frac{k}{2\sqrt{2}} [2 + (\sqrt{3}+1) + 2\sqrt{3}] = \frac{3k(\sqrt{3}+1)}{2\sqrt{2}} = 3b$$

2. Ans. (3)

$$\because \frac{bc \sin^2 A}{\cos A + \cos B \cos C} = \frac{k^2 \sin B \sin C \sin^2 A}{-\cos(B+C) + \cos B \cos C} = \frac{k^2 \sin B \sin C \sin^2 A}{\sin B \sin C} = k^2 \sin^2 A = a^2.$$

3. Ans. (1)

$$\therefore \sin C = \frac{1 - \cos A \cos B}{\sin A \sin B} \leq 1 \Rightarrow \cos(A - B) \geq 1 \Rightarrow \cos(A - B) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow A - B = 0 \Rightarrow A = B \quad \therefore \sin C = \frac{1 - \cos^2 A}{\sin^2 A} = 1 \Rightarrow C = 90^\circ$$

4. Ans. (1)

$$bc = 2b^2 \cos A + 2c^2 \cos A - 4bc \cos^2 A$$

$$\Rightarrow bc = 2 \cos A (b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A) \Rightarrow bc = (2 \cos A) a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{bc}{2a^2} = \cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} \Rightarrow b^2 c^2 = a^2 (b^2 + c^2 - a^2) \Rightarrow (a^2 - b^2)(a^2 - c^2) = 0$$

Thus, triangle is isosceles

5. Ans. (3)

$$\therefore \cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{s(s-b)}{(s-a)(s-c)}} \sqrt{\frac{s(s-c)}{(s-a)(s-b)}} = \frac{s}{s-a} = \frac{2s}{2s-2a}$$

$$= \frac{a+b+c}{b+c-a} = \frac{4a}{2a} = 2 \quad (\because b+c=3a)$$

6. Ans. (2)

$$\therefore \frac{b^2 - c^2}{2aR} = \frac{4R^2 (\sin^2 B - \sin^2 C)}{2 \cdot 2R \sin A \cdot R} = \frac{\sin(B+C) \cdot \sin(B-C)}{\sin A} = \sin(B-C)$$

7. Ans. (2)

$$a = 3k; b = 7k; c = 8k$$

$$\therefore s = 9k.$$

$$\therefore \Delta = \sqrt{9k \cdot 6k \cdot 2k \cdot k} = k^2 6\sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore R = \frac{abc}{4\Delta} = \frac{(3k)(7k)(8k)}{4 \times k^2 \times 6\sqrt{3}} = \frac{7k}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore r = \frac{\Delta}{s} = \frac{k^2 6\sqrt{3}}{9k} = \frac{2k}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore R:r = 7:2$$

8. Ans. (2)

$$\therefore \ell = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2b^2 + 2c^2 - a^2}$$

$$\therefore 4\ell^2 = 2b^2 + 2c^2 - a^2$$

$$= a^2 + 2(b^2 + c^2 - a^2) = a^2 + 2(2bc \cos A)$$

$$4\ell^2 = a^2 + 4bc \cos A$$

9. Ans. (2)

$$\therefore \text{required distance} = \frac{2\Delta}{a}$$

$$\therefore \Delta = \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$$

$$a = 13; b = 12; c = 5 \Rightarrow s = 15$$

$$\therefore \Delta = \sqrt{15 \times 2 \times 3 \times 10} = 5 \times 3 \times 2 = 30$$

$$\therefore \text{required distance} = \frac{2 \times 30}{13} = \frac{60}{13}$$

10. Ans. (4)

$$\because a^2 = b^2 + c^2$$

$$\because \tan C = \frac{c}{b}$$

$$\because \tan C = \frac{2 \tan \frac{C}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{C}{2}} = \frac{c}{b}$$

$$\frac{2t}{1-t^2} = \frac{c}{b} \quad \text{where } t = \tan \frac{C}{2}$$

$$t^2(c) + (2b)t - c = 0$$

$$\therefore t = \frac{-2b \pm \sqrt{4b^2 + 4 \times c^2}}{2c}$$

$$t = \frac{-b \pm a}{c}$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{a-b}{c} = \tan \frac{C}{2}$$

11. Ans. (4)

$AD = \text{altitude} = h$

Now using the concept of area

$$ar\Delta ABC = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{base} \times h = \frac{1}{2} ah \quad \dots(1)$$

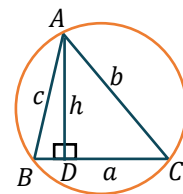
Also

$$ar\Delta ABC = \frac{1}{2} bc \sin A = \frac{1}{2} bc \cdot \frac{a}{2R} \quad \left\{ \frac{a}{\sin A} = 2R \right\}$$

$$ar\Delta ABC = \frac{abc}{4R} \quad \dots(2)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} ah = \frac{abc}{4R}$$

$$h = \frac{bc}{2R} \text{ or } R = \frac{bc}{2h} = \frac{1 \times 1}{2 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2}}$$



12. Ans. (1)

V.Imp. :

$$BF = BD = 13$$

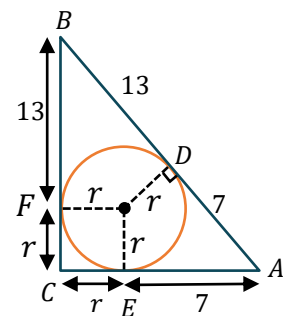
$$AE = AD = 7$$

$$\text{let } CE = CF = r$$

Area of  $\Delta ABC$

$$= \frac{1}{2} AC \times BC = \frac{1}{2} (7+r)(13+r)$$

$$ar\Delta ABC = \frac{1}{2} [r^2 + 20r + 91] \quad \dots(1)$$



$$\text{Also } (r + 7)^2 + (13 + r)^2 = 20^2$$

$$2r^2 + 40r + 218 = 400$$

$$2r^2 + 40r = 182$$

$$r^2 + 20r = 91$$

...(2)

Put (2) in (1)

$$\text{ar}\Delta ABC = \frac{1}{2} [91 + 91] = 91$$

13. **Ans. (4)**

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{a}{b+c}, \cos \beta = \frac{b}{c+a}, \cos \gamma = \frac{c}{a+b}$$

$$\text{To find : } \tan^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} + \tan^2 \frac{\gamma}{2}$$

Also  $a, b, c$  are in A.P.

$$\therefore 2b = a + c$$

$$\tan^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} + \tan^2 \frac{\gamma}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1 - \cos \alpha}{1 + \cos \alpha} + \frac{1 - \cos \gamma}{1 + \cos \gamma} \Rightarrow \frac{1 - \frac{a}{b+c}}{1 + \frac{a}{b+c}} + \frac{1 - \frac{c}{a+b}}{1 + \frac{c}{a+b}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b+c-a}{a+b+c} + \frac{a+b-c}{a+b+c} \Rightarrow \frac{2b}{a+b+c} = \frac{2b}{b+2b} = \frac{2}{3} \quad (a+c=2b)$$

14. **Ans. (4)**

Given  $a = 2b$  and  $A = 3B$

$$\text{From sine rule : } \frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2b}{\sin 3B} = \frac{b}{\sin B} \Rightarrow \frac{\sin 3B}{\sin B} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3\sin B - 4\sin^3 B}{\sin B} = 2$$

$$(\because \sin 3\theta = 3\sin \theta - 4\sin^3 \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 - 4\sin^2 B = 2 \Rightarrow \sin B = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \angle B = 30^\circ$$

$$\therefore A = 3B = 90^\circ$$

$$\therefore A + B + C = 180^\circ \Rightarrow \angle C = 60^\circ$$

$$\frac{c}{b} = \frac{\sin C}{\sin B} = \frac{\sin 60^\circ}{\sin 30^\circ} = \sqrt{3}$$

15. **Ans. (3)**

$$\text{In } \Delta AHC \quad p^2 + (16+x)^2 = (26)^2$$

...(i)

$$\text{In } \Delta BCH \quad p^2 + (16-x)^2 = (10)^2$$

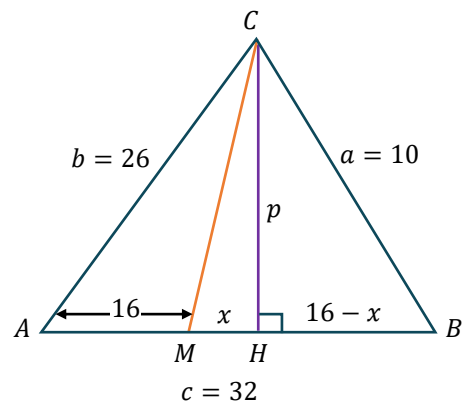
...(ii)

from (i) & (ii)

$$\Rightarrow (16+x)^2 - (16-x)^2 = (26)^2 - (10)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (32)(2x) = (36)(16)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 9.$$



16. **Ans. (1)**

$$\frac{\tan C}{\sin B} = \frac{\sin C}{\cos C \sin B} \quad \dots(1)$$

From sine rule :

$$\frac{\sin C}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{b} = \frac{10}{9} \quad \dots(2)$$

From cosine rule :

$$\begin{aligned} \cos C &= \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} \\ \cos C &= \frac{64 + 81 - 100}{2(8)(9)} = \frac{145 - 100}{2(8)(9)} \\ \Rightarrow \cos C &= \frac{45}{2(8)(9)} = \frac{5}{16} \quad \dots(3) \end{aligned}$$

Putting these values in equation (1)

$$\frac{\sin C}{\cos C \sin B} = \frac{10}{9} \cdot \frac{16}{5} = \frac{32}{9}$$

17. **Ans. (3)**

∴ Largest angle lies opposite to largest side.

Let  $a = \sin \alpha$ ,  $b = \cos \alpha$  &  $c = \sqrt{1 + \sin \alpha \cos \alpha}$

Largest side =  $c \Rightarrow \angle C$  is largest angle

$$\begin{aligned} \cos C &= \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} \\ \cos C &= \frac{\sin^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \alpha - (1 + \sin \alpha \cos \alpha)}{2(\sin \alpha)(\cos \alpha)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos C = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow C = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

18. **Ans. (2)**

From Napier's analogy :

$$\tan\left(\frac{B-C}{2}\right) = \frac{b-c}{b+c} \cot \frac{A}{2} \quad \dots(1)$$

Given :  $b : c$

$$\sqrt{3} + 1 : 2$$

Let  $b = (\sqrt{3} + 1)k$  and  $c = 2k$

$\angle A = 60^\circ$

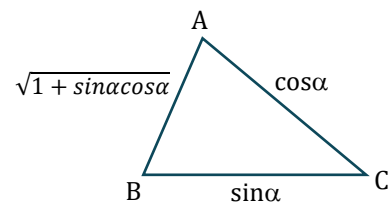
putting these values in (1)

$$\tan\left(\frac{B-C}{2}\right) = \frac{(\sqrt{3}+1)k - 2k}{(\sqrt{3}+1)k + 2k} \cot\left(\frac{60^\circ}{2}\right)$$

$$\tan\left(\frac{B-C}{2}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{\sqrt{3}+3} (\sqrt{3}) = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{\sqrt{3}+1} \times \frac{(\sqrt{3}-1)}{(\sqrt{3}-1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan\left(\frac{B-C}{2}\right) = 2 - \sqrt{3} \quad (\because \tan 15^\circ = 2 - \sqrt{3})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{B-C}{2} = 15^\circ \Rightarrow B - C = 30^\circ$$



19. Ans. (4)

$$\text{Given } \Delta = a^2 - (b - c)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta = (a - b + c)(a + b - c)$$

$$\sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} = (2s-2b)(2s-2c)$$

$$(\because a - b + c = 2s - 2b)$$

$$\sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} = 4(s-b)(s-c) \Rightarrow 1 = 4\sqrt{\frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{s(s-a)}}$$

$$\left( \because \tan \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{s(s-a)}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = 4 \tan \frac{A}{2} \Rightarrow \tan \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow \sin A = \frac{2 \tan A/2}{1 + \tan^2 A/2} = \frac{2(1/4)}{1 + 1/16} = \frac{8}{17}$$

20. Ans. (3)

$$\text{Given } \cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{b+c}{a}$$

From sine rule :

$$b = k \sin B, c = k \sin C \text{ \& } a = k \sin A$$

$$\cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{k(\sin B + \sin C)}{k \sin A}$$

$$\frac{\cos A/2}{\sin A/2} = \frac{2 \sin \left( \frac{B+C}{2} \right) \cdot \cos \left( \frac{B-C}{2} \right)}{2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cdot \cos \frac{A}{2}}$$

$$(\because B + C = \pi - A)$$

$$2 \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} = 2 \sin \left( \frac{\pi - A}{2} \right) \cos \left( \frac{B-C}{2} \right)$$

$$\cos^2 \frac{A}{2} = \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \left( \frac{B-C}{2} \right) \Rightarrow \cos \frac{A}{2} = \cos \left( \frac{B-C}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow A = B - C \Rightarrow A + C = B$$

$$\because A + B + C = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 2B = 180^\circ \Rightarrow B = 90^\circ$$

### SECTION-B

1. Ans. (1)

$$\because a : b : c = 4 : 5 : 6$$

$$\therefore a = 4k, b = 5k, c = 6k$$

$$\because \cos B = \frac{c^2 + a^2 - b^2}{2ac} = \frac{9}{16}$$

$$\because \cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} = \frac{25 + 36 - 16}{2 \times 5 \times 6} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\because \cos 3A = 4 \cos^3 A - 3 \cos A$$

$$= 4 \times \frac{27}{64} - 3 \times \frac{3}{4} = \frac{27}{16} - \frac{9}{4} = \frac{27 - 36}{16} = \frac{-9}{16}$$

$$\cos 3A = -\cos B = \cos (\pi - B)$$

$$\therefore 3A + B = \pi$$

2. **Ans. (3)**

Let  $BP = PQ = QC = x$

In  $\triangle ABP$ , using cosine rule

$$9 = c^2 + x^2 - 2cx \cos B$$

$$\text{But } \cos B = \frac{c}{3x} \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 = x^2 + \frac{c^2}{3}$$

similarly using cosine rule in  $\triangle ACQ$ , we get

$$16 = x^2 + \frac{b^2}{3} \quad \dots(2)$$

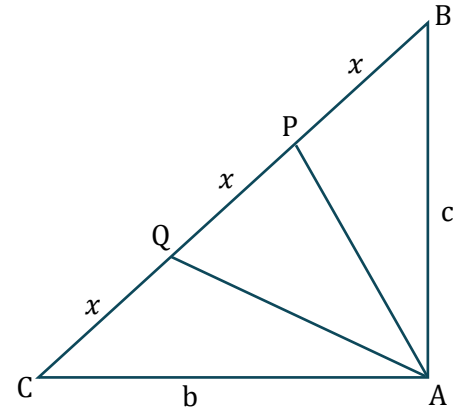
$$\text{Adding (1) and (2), we get } 25 = 2x^2 + \left( \frac{b^2 + c^2}{3} \right)$$

$$\therefore 25 = 2x^2 + \frac{(3x)^2}{3}$$

$$\therefore 25 = 2x^2 + 3x^2$$

$$\therefore x^2 = 5$$

$$\therefore BC = 3x = 3\sqrt{5}$$



3. **Ans. (7)**

$$\therefore s - a = 3 \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\text{and } s - c = 2 \quad \dots(2)$$

by (1) - (2), we get

$$c - a = 1$$

$$(1) + (2), \text{ we get } 2s - a - c = 5 \Rightarrow b = 5$$

$\therefore \triangle ABC$  is right angled at  $B$

$$\therefore a^2 + c^2 = 25 \quad \dots(3)$$

$$\therefore (c - a)^2 + 2ac = 25$$

$$ac = 12 \quad \dots(4)$$

$$\therefore a(1 + a) = 12 \Rightarrow a^2 + a - 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a + 4)(a - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 3 \text{ and } c = 4.$$

4. **Ans. (5)**

$$A = \frac{1}{2} b^2 \sin 2\theta = b^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

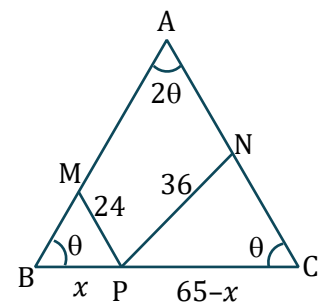
$$\text{Now, } \frac{x}{24} = \frac{65-x}{36}$$

$$\text{or } 60x = (24)(65) \text{ or } x = 26$$

$$\therefore \sin \theta = \frac{12}{13} \text{ and } \cos \theta = \frac{5}{13}$$

$$\text{Again, } \frac{b}{\sin \theta} = \frac{65}{\sin 2\theta}$$

$$(\because \triangle PMB \cong \triangle PNC)$$



$$\text{or } b = \frac{65}{2\cos\theta} = \frac{(65)(13)}{(2)(5)} = \frac{13^2}{2}$$

From eq. (i) we get

$$A = \frac{13^4}{4} \times \frac{12}{13} \times \frac{5}{13} = (169)(15) = 2535$$

5. **Ans. (1)**

$$\text{We known } \Delta = sr = (70/2) \times 6 = 210$$

$$\Rightarrow (1/2)ab = 210 \Rightarrow ab = 420$$

$$\text{Now } (a+b)^2 = (70-c)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 + 2ab = 4900 - 140c + c^2$$

$$\Rightarrow c = \frac{4900 - 2 \times 420}{140} = 29 \quad [\because a^2 + b^2 = c^2]$$

$$\Rightarrow (a-b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab = c^2 - 2ab = 841 - 840 = 1$$

6. **Ans. (4)**

$$\therefore r_1 + r_2 = \frac{\Delta c}{(s-a)(s-b)}$$

$$\therefore \Pi(r_1 + r_2) = \frac{\Delta^3 abc}{(s-a)^2(s-b)^2(s-c)^2} = \frac{\Delta^3(abc)s^2}{\Delta^4}$$

$$= \frac{(abc)s^2}{\Delta} = \frac{4R\Delta s^2}{\Delta} = 4Rs^2$$

$$\therefore \frac{\Pi(r_1 + r_2)}{Rs^2} = 4$$

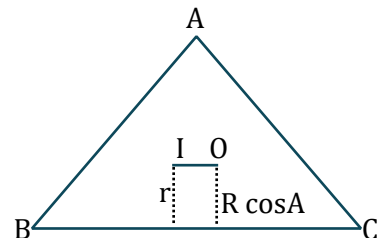
7. **Ans. (1)**

$$\therefore R \cos A = r$$

$$R \cos A = 4R \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}$$

$$\cos A = \cos A + \cos B + \cos C - 1$$

$$\cos B + \cos C = 1$$



8. **Ans. (2)**

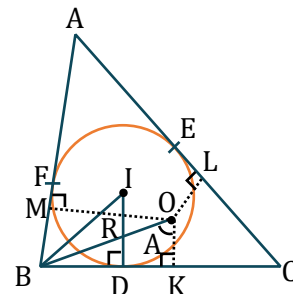
$$\therefore BD = s - b, BK = R \sin A$$

$$\Rightarrow DK = |BK - BD|$$

$$= |R \sin A - (s - b)| = \left| \frac{a}{2} - (s - b) \right| = \left| \frac{b - c}{2} \right| = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Similarly } EL = \left| \frac{a - c}{2} \right| = 1 \quad \& \quad FM = \left| \frac{a - b}{2} \right| = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow DK + EL + FM = 2$$



9. **Ans. (9)**

$$\text{Length of tangent} = s = \frac{4+7+7}{2} = 9$$

10. Ans. (1)

$$\tan A = \frac{a}{2f}$$

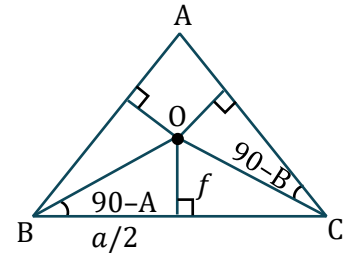
$$\tan B = \frac{b}{2g}$$

$$\tan C = \frac{c}{2h}$$

$$\text{Now } \sum \tan A = \prod \tan A$$

$$\sum \frac{a}{2f} = \frac{abc}{8fgh}$$

$$\sum \frac{a}{f} = \frac{abc}{4fgh} \Rightarrow K = 1$$



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1. Ans. (C)

$$\because (a+b+c)(b+c-a) = kbc$$

$$\Rightarrow (b+c)^2 - a^2 = kbc \Rightarrow b^2 + c^2 - a^2 = (k-2)bc$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} = \frac{k-2}{2} = \cos A$$

$$\because \text{In } \triangle ABC \quad -1 < \cos A < 1$$

$$\therefore -1 < \frac{k-2}{2} < 1$$

$$0 < k < 4$$

2. Ans. (B)

$$\Delta = (a+b-c)(a-b+c)$$

$$\Delta = 4(s-c)(s-b) \Rightarrow \frac{\Delta}{(s-b)(s-c)} = 4$$

$$\therefore \tan \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\therefore \tan A = \frac{2 \tan \frac{A}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{A}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan A = \frac{8}{15}$$

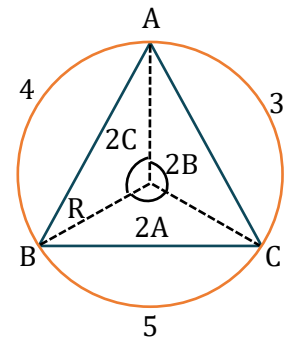
3. Ans. (A)

$$\text{angle} = \frac{\text{arc}}{\text{radius}} \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\because 4 + 5 + 3 = 2\pi R \Rightarrow R = 6/\pi$$

$$\because 2A = \frac{5}{R} = \frac{5\pi}{6}, 2B = \frac{3}{R} = \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ and } 2C = \frac{4}{R} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of } \triangle ABC &= \frac{1}{2} R^2 \left[ \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} + \sin \frac{5\pi}{6} + \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right] \\ &= \frac{R^2}{2} \left[ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + 1 \right] = \frac{R^2}{2} \left[ \frac{\sqrt{3}+3}{2} \right] = \frac{\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{3}+1)}{4} \times \frac{36}{\pi^2} = \frac{9\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{3}+1)}{\pi^2} \end{aligned}$$



4. Ans. (A)

$$\frac{(s-b)-(s-a)}{(s-c)-(s-b)} = \frac{s-a}{s-c} \Rightarrow \frac{\frac{\Delta}{r_2} - \frac{\Delta}{r_1}}{\frac{\Delta}{r_3} - \frac{\Delta}{r_2}} = \frac{\frac{\Delta}{r_1}}{\frac{\Delta}{r_3}} \Rightarrow \frac{(r_1-r_2)}{r_1 r_2 (r_2-r_3)} = \frac{r_3}{r_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2r_2 = r_1 + r_3$$

$$\Rightarrow r_1, r_2, r_3 \text{ are in A.P.} \Rightarrow r_1, r_2, r_3$$

5. Ans. (B,D)

$$\cos A \cos 2B + \sin A \sin 2B \sin C = 1$$

$$\sin A \sin 2B \sin C = 1 - \cos A \cos 2B$$

$$\sin C = \frac{1 - \cos A \cos 2B}{\sin A \sin 2B} \leq 1$$

$$\therefore 1 - \cos A \cos 2B \leq \sin A \sin 2B$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos A \cos 2B + \sin A \sin 2B \geq 1 \Rightarrow \cos(A - 2B) \geq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(A - 2B) = 1 \Rightarrow A = 2B \Rightarrow \sin C = \frac{1 - \cos^2 A}{\sin^2 A} = 1$$

$$\therefore A + B + C = 180^\circ$$

$$2B + B + 90^\circ = 180^\circ \Rightarrow B = 30^\circ \text{ \& } A = 60^\circ$$

$$\therefore B, A, C \text{ are in A.P.}$$

$$\text{Now } \cos A + \cos B + \cos C = 1 + \frac{r}{R}$$

$$\cos 60^\circ + \cos 30^\circ + \cos 90^\circ = 1 + \frac{r}{R}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + 0 = 1 + \frac{r}{R}$$

$$\frac{r}{R} = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2} = \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}} \right) \sqrt{2} = \sqrt{2} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right)$$

6. Ans. (A,C)

$$\text{Given } \Delta = 10\sqrt{3}, s = 10, \angle B = 60^\circ \text{ \& } a > b > c$$

$$(A) \quad r = \frac{\Delta}{s} = \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{10} = \sqrt{3}$$

$$(B) \quad r = (s-b) \tan \frac{B}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3} = (10-b) \tan 30^\circ \Rightarrow b = 7$$

$$\therefore a + c = 13 \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\Delta = 10\sqrt{3} = \frac{1}{2} ac \sin B = \frac{1}{2} ac \sin 60^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow ac = 40 \quad \dots(2)$$

from equation (1) & (2), we get

$$a^2 - 13a + 40 = 0 \Rightarrow a = 5, a = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 8, c = 5$$

(As  $a > b > c$ )

$\Rightarrow$  Length of longest side of triangle = 8

(C) As  $\frac{b}{\sin B} = 2R$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{7}{\sin 60^\circ} = 2R \Rightarrow R = \frac{7}{\sqrt{3}}$$

(D)  $r_1 = \frac{\Delta}{s-a} = \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{10-8} = 5\sqrt{3}$

$$r_2 = \frac{\Delta}{s-b} = \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{10-7} = \frac{10}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$r_3 = \frac{\Delta}{s-c} = \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{10-5} = 2\sqrt{3}$$

so the radius of largest escribed circle =  $5\sqrt{3}$

7. Ans. (A,B,C)

$$\therefore \frac{b}{\sin B} = 2R$$

$$\therefore \sin B = \frac{b}{2R} = \frac{10}{2(5\sqrt{2})}$$

$$\sin B = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow B = 45^\circ$$

(Here  $B \neq 135^\circ$  as  $c > b \Rightarrow \angle C > \angle B$ )

Also  $\frac{c}{\sin C} = 2R$

$$\Rightarrow \sin C = \frac{c}{2R}$$

$$\sin C = \frac{10\sqrt{2}}{2(5\sqrt{2})}$$

$$\sin C = 1 \Rightarrow C = 90^\circ$$

(A) Area of triangle  $ABC = \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 10 = 50$

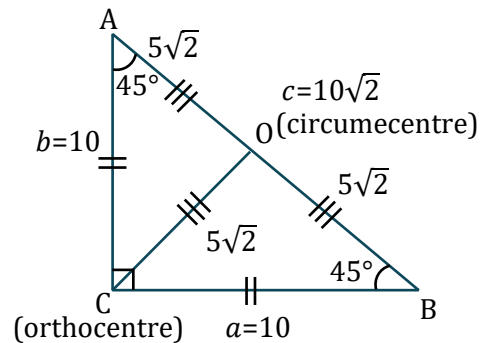
(B) Distance between orthocentre and circumcentre =  $5\sqrt{2}$

(C) Circum radius ( $R$ ) =  $5\sqrt{2}$  (Given)

$$\text{Inradius } (r) = \frac{\Delta}{s}$$

$$= \frac{50}{\frac{10\sqrt{2} + 10 + 10}{2}} = \frac{100}{20 + 10\sqrt{2}} = \frac{10}{2 + \sqrt{2}} = \frac{10(2 - \sqrt{2})}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{Sum of } R + r = 5\sqrt{2} + 5(2 - \sqrt{2}) = 10$$



(D) Length of internal angle bisector of  $\angle ACB$  is

$$= \frac{2ab \cos \frac{C}{2}}{a+b} = \frac{2 \times 10 \times 10 \times \cos 45^\circ}{10+10} = \frac{10}{\sqrt{2}} = 5\sqrt{2}$$

8. **Ans. (A,B)**

Given  $a = 4, b = 8, \angle C = 60^\circ$

$$\cos C = \frac{1}{2} = \frac{16+64-c^2}{2 \cdot (4) \cdot (8)} \Rightarrow c^2 = 48 \Rightarrow c = 4\sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{Use sine Rule } \frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{c}{\sin C} \Rightarrow \frac{4}{\sin A} = \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}/2} \Rightarrow A = 30^\circ$$

As  $\angle C = 60^\circ, \angle A = 30^\circ \Rightarrow \angle B = 90^\circ$

(A) Area of  $\triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} ac \sin B$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (4) (4\sqrt{3}) \sin 90^\circ = 8\sqrt{3}$$

(B)  $\Sigma \sin^2 A = \sin^2 A + \sin^2 B + \sin^2 C$

$$= \sin^2(30^\circ) + \sin^2(90^\circ) + \sin^2(60^\circ) = \frac{1}{4} + 1 + \frac{3}{4} = 2$$

(C) Now  $r = \frac{\Delta}{s} = \frac{2\Delta}{a+b+c} = \frac{2(8\sqrt{3})}{4+4\sqrt{3}+8} = \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{3+\sqrt{3}}$

(D) Length of internal angle bisector of angle  $C$

$$= \frac{2ab \cos \left( \frac{C}{2} \right)}{a+b} = \frac{2(4)(8) \cos 30^\circ}{4+8} = \frac{8}{\sqrt{3}}$$

9. **Ans. (A)**

Chord  $AC$  subtends  $\angle ABC$  and  $\angle APC$  on circumference of circle

$$\Rightarrow \angle APC = \angle ABC = B$$

In  $\triangle PDC$ :

$$\frac{DC}{x} = \tan \angle APC$$

$$\Rightarrow DC = x \tan B \quad \dots(i)$$

similarly, we can show

$$BD = x \tan C \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$(i) + (ii) : DC + BD = BC = a = x \tan B + x \tan C$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{2x} = \frac{\tan B + \tan C}{2} \quad \dots(iii)$$

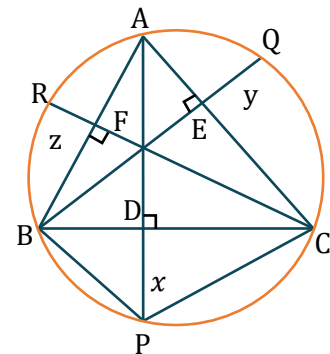
similarly, we can get

$$\frac{b}{2y} = \frac{\tan C + \tan A}{2} \quad \dots(iv)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{c}{2z} = \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{2} \quad \dots(v)$$

$$(iii) + (iv) + (v)$$

$$\frac{a}{2x} + \frac{b}{2y} + \frac{c}{2z} = \tan A + \tan B + \tan C$$



10. **Ans. (B)**

Clearly

11. **Ans. (B)**

Side of pedal triangle =  $I_2 I_3 \cos \theta = BC$

$$I_2 I_3 = \frac{a}{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{A}{2}\right)}$$

$$I_2 I_3 = 4R \cos\left(\frac{A}{2}\right)$$

12. **Ans. (B)**

$$II_1 = 4R \sin \frac{A}{2}$$

$$I_2 I_3 = 4R \cos \frac{A}{2}$$

$$\therefore II_1^2 + I_2 I_3^2 = 16R^2$$

13. **Ans. (A  $\rightarrow$  q; B  $\rightarrow$  p; C  $\rightarrow$  s; D  $\rightarrow$  r)**

$$(A) \quad \because 2B = A + C \Rightarrow B = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ and } A + C = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\because b^2 = ac \Rightarrow \sin^2 B = \sin A \cdot \sin C$$

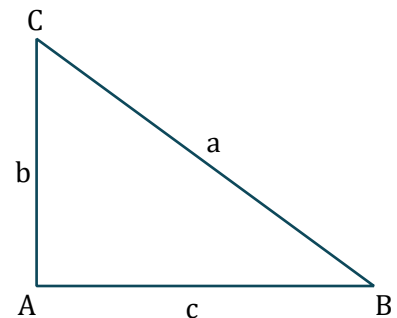
$$\Rightarrow \sin A \sin C = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(A - C) - \cos(A + C) = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(A - C) = 1 \Rightarrow A = C = \frac{\pi}{3} = B$$

$$\Rightarrow a = b = c \therefore \frac{a^2(a+b+c)}{3abc} = 1$$

$$\therefore A + C = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$



$$(B) \quad \because a^2 = b^2 + c^2 \text{ and } 2R = a$$

$$\therefore \frac{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}{R^2} = \frac{2a^2}{R^2} = 8$$

$$(C) \quad \because \Delta = \frac{1}{2} bc \sin A \Rightarrow \Delta = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 9 \cdot \sin A = \frac{9}{2} \times \frac{a}{2R}$$

$$\therefore a = 2$$

$$\therefore 2R\Delta = 9$$

$$(D) \quad \because a = 5, b = 3 \text{ and } c = 7$$

and because we know that

$$b \cos C + c \cos B = a$$

$$\therefore 3 \cos C + 7 \cos B = 5$$

14. Ans. (A → s; B → p; C → r; D → q)

(A)  $AA_1$  and  $BB_1$  are perpendicular

$$\therefore a^2 + b^2 = 5c^2$$

$$\therefore c^2 = \frac{a^2 + b^2}{5} = 5 \Rightarrow c = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\cos C = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} = \frac{16 + 9 - 5}{2 \times 4 \times 3} = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$\sin C = \frac{\sqrt{11}}{6}$$

$$\therefore \Delta = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C = \sqrt{11}$$

$$\therefore \Delta^2 = 11$$

(B)  $\therefore \text{G.M.} \geq \text{H.M.}$

$$(r_1 r_2 r_3)^{1/3} \geq \frac{3}{\frac{1}{r_1} + \frac{1}{r_2} + \frac{1}{r_3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow (r_1 r_2 r_3)^{1/3} \geq 3r$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{r_1 r_2 r_3}{r^3} \geq 27$$

(C)  $\tan^2 \frac{C}{2} = \frac{(s-a)(s-b)}{s(s-c)} \quad \therefore a = 5, b = 4 \quad 2s = 9 + c$

$$= \frac{(9+c-10)(9+c-8)}{(9+c)(9-c)} = \frac{c^2 - 1}{81 - c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{7}{9} = \frac{c^2 - 1}{81 - c^2} \Rightarrow c^2 = 36 \Rightarrow c = 6$$

(D)  $\therefore 2a^2 + 4b^2 + c^2 = 4ab + 2ac.$

$$\Rightarrow (a - 2b)^2 + (a - c)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2b = c$$

$$\therefore \cos B = \frac{a^2 + c^2 - b^2}{2ac} = \frac{7}{8}$$

$$\therefore 8 \cos B = 7$$

15. Ans. (5)

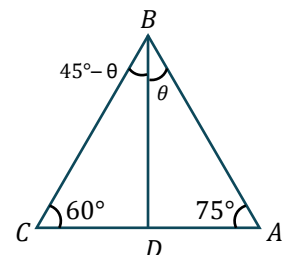
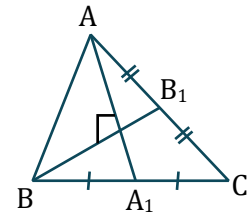
$$\text{Area of } \triangle BAD = \sqrt{3} \times \text{Area of } \triangle BCD$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} BD \times BA \sin \theta = \sqrt{3} \times \frac{1}{2} BC \times BD \sin (45^\circ - \theta)$$

$$\frac{BA}{BC} = \sqrt{3} \frac{\sin(45^\circ - \theta)}{\sin \theta} \quad \dots(1)$$

From Sine-Rule

$$\frac{BC}{\sin 75^\circ} = \frac{AB}{\sin 60^\circ}$$



$$\therefore \frac{BA}{BC} = \frac{\sin 60^\circ}{\sin 75^\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{3}\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}+1}$$

$\therefore$  From equation (1)

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}\cdot\sqrt{2}}{(\sqrt{3}+1)} = \sqrt{3} \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cot \theta - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{(\sqrt{3}+1)} = \cot \theta - 1 \Rightarrow \frac{2(\sqrt{3}-1)}{2} = \cot \theta - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \theta = \sqrt{3} \Rightarrow \theta = 30^\circ \Rightarrow \angle ABD = 30^\circ$$

**16. Ans. (6)**

(i and ii) Let  $a, b$  and  $c$  ( $a < b < c$ ) be the sides of given triangle.

$$\text{Also, } 2r = a + b - c$$

When  $r = 4$  then,  $(a, b) = (9, 40), (10, 24), (12, 16)$

$$\therefore \text{Greatest perimeter} = 9 + 40 + 41 = 90 \text{ units}$$

**17. Ans. (5)**

(i and ii) Let  $a, b$  and  $c$  ( $a < b < c$ ) be the sides of given triangle.

$$\text{Also, } 2r = a + b - c$$

when  $r = 5$  then  $(a, b) = (11, 60), (12, 35), (15, 20)$

$$\therefore \text{Greatest area} = \frac{11 \times 60}{2} = 330 \text{ sq. unit}$$

**18. Ans. (4)**

$$\text{L.H.S.} = \frac{1}{2} [a^2(b+c-a) + b^2(c+a-b) + c^2(a+b-c)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [a(b^2+c^2-a^2) + b(c^2+a^2-b^2) + c(a^2+b^2-c^2)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (2abc \cos A + 2abc \cos B + 2abc \cos C)$$

$$= abc \left( 1 + 4 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \right)$$

$$= 4R\Delta \left( 1 + 4 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \right)$$