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Subject: Mathematics

Class- X

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Answer key of Worksheet-27

Chapter- Heights and Distance

Topic- Basic concepts of Heights and Distance

1. Choose the correct alternative. (Red coloured underlined option is the correct one)

$$1 \times 15 = 15$$

a) A man is standing at point A and looking at the top of a tank. It makes the angle of elevation 30° with the man's eye. Distance between the man and the bottom of the tank is 120 m. Find height of the tank.

i) $(40\sqrt{3} + \text{height of the man})$ m ii) $120\sqrt{3}$ m iii) $40\sqrt{3}$ m iv) none of these

b) If a tower that is 30 m high casted a shadow $10\sqrt{3}$ m long on the ground, then what is the angle of elevation of the sun?

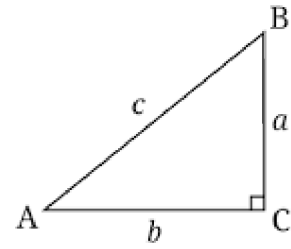
i) 30° ii) 45° iii) 60° iv) none of these

c) Two ships are sailing in the sea on the two sides of a lighthouse. The angle of elevation of the top of the lighthouse is observed from the ships are 30° and 45° respectively. If the lighthouse is 100 m high, the distance between the two ships is:

i) 173 m ii) 273 m iii) 200 m iv) 300 m

d) A man standing at a point P is watching the top of a tower, which makes an angle of elevation of 30° with the man's eye. The man walks some distance towards the tower to watch its top and the angle of the elevation becomes 45° . What is the distance between the base of the tower and the point P?

i) 9 units ii) 12 units iii) $3\sqrt{3}$ units iv) data inadequate



e) In the adjacent figure Angle $A = 30^\circ$ and $AB = 150$ m

find BC.

- i) 100 m **ii) 75 m** iii) 50 m iv) none of these

f) A tree was broken and fallen on the ground due to storm. It has fallen 4 m away from the bottom of the tree and made 45° angle with the ground. Find the length of the tree.

- i) $4\sqrt{4}m$ ii) $(4 + \sqrt{2})m$ **iii) $(4 + 4\sqrt{2})m$** iv) none of these

g) Shadow of a Palm tree with $12\sqrt{3}$ m is 36 m. Find the angle of elevation of the sun.

- i) 30°** ii) 45° iii) 60° iv) none of these

h) If the height of a vertical pole is equal to the length of its shadow. Find the angle of elevation of the sun.

- i) 45°** ii) 60° iii) 30° iv) none of these

i) Find the angle of elevation of the sun when the length of the shadow of a tree is $\sqrt{3}$ times the height of the tree.

- i) 30°** ii) 60° iii) 45° iv) none of these

j) A 30 m ladder is placed against a 15 m long wall so that it reaches top of the wall. Then elevation of the wall is

- i) 45° ii) 60° **iii) 30°** iv) none of these

k) John saw a house in the adjacent valley standing on the top of a vertical cliff at an angle of depression 60° . The cliff is 60 m tall. How far is the house from the base of the cliff?

- i) $10\sqrt{3}m$ **ii) $20\sqrt{3}m$** iii) $60\sqrt{3}m$ iv) none of these

l) If angle of elevation of the sun is 45° and length of the shadow of the coconut tree in a pond is 18 m. Find the actual length of the coconut tree.

- i) 18 m** ii) 20 m iii) $18\sqrt{3}m$ iv) none of these

m) The height of an observer is h meters. He stands on a horizontal ground at a distance $\sqrt{3} h$ metres from a vertical wall of height $4h$ metres. Find the angle of elevation of the top of the wall as seen by the observer.

i) 60° ii) 30° iii) 45° iv) none of these

n) when the angle of elevation increases from 30° to 60° , the shadow of a tower decreases by 50 m. Find the height of the tower.

i) 20 m ii) 30 m iii) 25 m iv) none of these

o) The angle of depression of a point situated at a distance of 70 m from the base of a tower is 60° . The height of the tower is

i) $70\sqrt{3} m$ ii) $\frac{70\sqrt{3}}{3} m$ iii) 70 m iv) none of these

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