

PROPERTIES OF TRIANGLES-I

WORK SHEET-7

TEACHING TASK

1. Given A:B:C = 2:3:5

We have $A = \frac{2}{10} \times 180^\circ = 36^\circ$

$$B = \frac{3}{10} \times 180^\circ = 54^\circ$$

$$C = \frac{5}{10} \times 180^\circ = 90^\circ$$

here, greatest angle = C = 90°

Least angle = A = 36°

We have $\frac{c}{\sin 90^\circ} = \frac{a}{\sin 36^\circ}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{c}{a} = \frac{\sin 90^\circ}{\sin 36^\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{c}{a} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{10-2\sqrt{5}}}{4}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow c : a = 4 : \sqrt{10-2\sqrt{5}}$$

Ans : B

2. Given A+C = 2B

$$\Rightarrow A+B+C = 3B$$

$$\Rightarrow 180^\circ = 3B$$

$$\Rightarrow B = 60^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow A+C = 120^\circ$$

We have $\cos B = \frac{a^2 + c^2 - b^2}{2ac}$

$$\Rightarrow \cos 60^\circ = \frac{a^2 + c^2 - b^2}{2ac}$$

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

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

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

Now $\frac{a+c}{\sqrt{a^2 - ac + c^2}} = \frac{a+c}{\sqrt{b^2}} = \frac{a+c}{b}$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Now, } \frac{a+c}{b} &= \frac{2R \sin A + 2R \sin C}{2R \sin B} \\
&= \frac{\sin A + \sin C}{\sin B} \\
&= \frac{2 \sin\left(\frac{A+C}{2}\right) \cdot \cos\left(\frac{A-C}{2}\right)}{\sin B} \\
&= \frac{2 \sin\left(\frac{120^\circ}{2}\right) \cdot \cos\left(\frac{A-C}{2}\right)}{\sin 60^\circ} \\
&= \frac{2 \sin 60^\circ \cdot \cos\left(\frac{A-C}{2}\right)}{\sin 60^\circ} \\
&= 2 \cos\left(\frac{A-C}{2}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

Ans : A

$$\begin{aligned}
3. \quad & \text{Given } c^4 - 2(a^2 + b^2)c^2 + a^4 + a^2b^2 + b^4 = 0 \\
& \Rightarrow a^4 + b^4 + c^4 + 2a^2b^2 - 2c^2b^2 - 2a^2c^2 = a^2b^2 \\
& \Rightarrow (a^2 + b^2 - c^2)^2 = a^2b^2 \\
& \Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 - c^2 = ab \quad \dots\dots\dots (1)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Now, } \cos C &= \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} \\
&= \frac{ab}{2ab} \quad (\because \text{from (1)}) \\
&= \frac{1}{2}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore c = 60^\circ$$

Ans : C

4. Let a,b be two sides of a triangle.
Let a,b be the roots of $x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}x + 2 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{We have } a+b &= 2\sqrt{3} \\
ab &= 2
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Now } \cos C &= \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} \\
\Rightarrow \cos \frac{\pi}{3} &= \frac{(a+b)^2 - 2ab - c^2}{2ab}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = \frac{(2\sqrt{3})^2 - 2(2) - c^2}{2(2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 = 8 - c^2$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2 = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow c = \sqrt{6}$$

\therefore The perimeter of the triangle

$$= a+b+c$$

$$= 2\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{6}$$

Ans : B

5. In ΔABC

$$\text{Given } (a+b+c)(b+c-a) = \lambda bc$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b+c)(a+b+c-2a) = \lambda bc$$

$$\Rightarrow (2s)(2s-2a) = \lambda bc$$

$$\Rightarrow 4s(s-a) = \lambda bc$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{s(s-a)}{bc} = \frac{\lambda}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{s(s-a)}{bc}} = \sqrt{\frac{\lambda}{4}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{\lambda}{4}}$$

We know $-1 \leq \cos \frac{A}{2} \leq 1$

$$\Rightarrow -1 \leq \frac{\sqrt{\lambda}}{2} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -2 \leq \sqrt{\lambda} \leq 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \lambda^2 \leq 4$$

λ can not be equal to either 0 or 4

$$\therefore 0 < \lambda < 4$$

Ans : C

6. Give $\tan \frac{A}{2} \cdot \tan \frac{B}{2} + \tan \frac{B}{2} \cdot \tan \frac{C}{2} = \frac{2}{3}$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{s-c}{s} + \frac{s-a}{s} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2s-a-c}{s} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b+c-a-c = \frac{2s}{3}$$

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

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

Ans : B

7. Let $\triangle ABC$ be an equilateral triangle with side 1 unit

We have $\alpha = \beta = \gamma = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

$$\Delta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

Now $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma} - \frac{2ab}{(a+b+c)\Delta} \cdot \cos^2 \frac{c}{2}$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{2 \times 1 \times 1}{(1+1+1) \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}} \cdot \cos^2 \left(\frac{60^\circ}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{3}{4}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} = 0$$

Ans : A

8. Given H is the orthocentre of $\triangle ABC$ we know, the distance of H from the vertex A is $2R \sin A$

$$AH = x = 2R \cos A$$

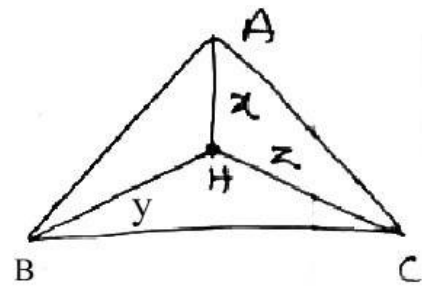
$$y = 2R \cos B$$

$$z = 2R \cos C$$

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

We know, $\frac{a}{2R} = \sin A$, $\frac{b}{2R} = \sin B$, $\frac{c}{2R} = \sin C$

$$= \frac{\sin A}{\cos A} + \frac{\sin B}{\cos B} + \frac{\sin C}{\cos C}$$



$$= \tan A + \tan B + \tan C$$

In ΔABC , we know that

$$\tan A + \tan B + \tan C = \tan A \cdot \tan B \cdot \tan C$$

i.e. $\sum \tan A = \pi \tan A$

$$\Rightarrow \sum \frac{\sin A}{\cos A} = \pi \frac{\sin A}{\cos A}$$

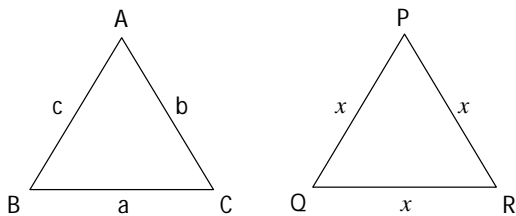
$$\Rightarrow \sum \frac{a}{2R \cos A} = \pi \frac{a}{2R \cos A}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum \frac{a}{x} = \pi \frac{a}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z} = \frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z}$$

Ans : A

9.



Given a, b, c are in A.P

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

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Perimeter of } \Delta ABC &= a + b + c \\ &= a + c + b \\ &= 2b + b \\ &= 3b \end{aligned}$$

Given, perimeter of $\Delta ABC =$ perimeter of the equilateral ΔPQR

$$\therefore 3b = 3x$$

$$\Rightarrow b = x \quad \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

Now, Area of $\Delta ABC = \frac{3}{5} \times$ Area of ΔPQR

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} x^2 \\ &= \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{20} b^2 \quad \text{from (i)} \end{aligned}$$

Ans : B

10. Given in ΔABC , a , b and A are given we have $\cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc}$

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

Also, we know that $c_1 + c_2 = 2b \cos A$

$$c_1 + c_2 = b^2 - a^2$$

We have, $c_1 - c_2 = \sqrt{(c_1 + c_2)^2 - 4c_1c_2}$

$$= \sqrt{(2b \cos A)^2 - 4(b^2 - a^2)}$$

$$= \sqrt{4b^2 \cos^2 A - 4b^2 + 4a^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{4b^2 - 4b^2(1 - \cos^2 A)}$$

$$= \sqrt{4a^2 - 4b^2 \sin^2 A}$$

$$= \sqrt{4a^2 - (2b \cos A)^2} \cdot \tan^2 A$$

$$= \sqrt{4a^2 - (c_1 + c_2)^2} \cdot \tan^2 A$$

Ans : A

Multiple correct answer type

11. Given the equation $c^2x^2 - c(a+b)x + ab = 0$.

Given $\sin A$ and $\sin B$ are the roots of the above equation,

$$\text{We have } \sin A + \sin B = \frac{c(a+b)}{c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin A + \sin B = \frac{a+b}{c} \quad \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin A + \sin B = \frac{2R \sin A + 2R \sin B}{2R \sin C}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \sin C = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow C = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$\therefore \Delta ABC$ is a right angled triangle also, since $C = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow A + B = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow B = \frac{\pi}{2} - A$$

From (i), we have

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

$$\Rightarrow \sin A + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - A\right) = \frac{a+b}{c}$$

$$\sin A + \cos A = \frac{a+b}{c}$$

Ans : B, D

12. Given, in $\triangle ABC$

$$\cos\left(\frac{A}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\frac{b+c}{2c}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2\left(\frac{A}{2}\right) = \frac{b+c}{2c}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos^2\left(\frac{A}{2}\right) = \frac{b+c}{c}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \cos A = \frac{b+c}{c}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos A = \frac{b+c}{c} - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos A = \frac{b}{c}$$

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

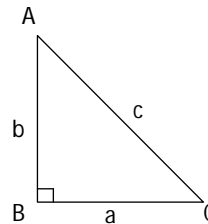
$$\Rightarrow b^2 + c^2 - a^2 = 2b^2$$

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

$\triangle ABC$ is a right angled triangle

$$\therefore \text{Area of } \triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{base} \times \text{height}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times a \times b$$



Also, we know that circum radius = $\frac{1}{2}$ (hypotenuse)

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot c$$

Ans : A, B

13. **Statement I:**

Given a, b, c are the sides of a ΔABC

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given } & \frac{2a}{b+c-a} + \frac{2b}{c+a-b} + \frac{2c}{a+b-c} \\ &= \frac{2a}{b+c-a} + 1 + \frac{2b}{c+a-b} + 1 + \frac{2c}{a+b-c} + 1 - 3 \\ &= \frac{a+b+c}{b+c-a} + \frac{a+b+c}{c+a-b} + \frac{a+b+c}{a+b-c} - 3 \quad \dots\dots\dots (i) \end{aligned}$$

We know that, $A.M \geq H.M$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{x+y+z}{3} \geq \frac{3}{\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{z}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{b+c-a} + \frac{1}{c+a-b} + \frac{1}{a+b-c} \right) \geq \frac{3}{b+c-a+c+a-b+a+b-c}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{b+c-a} + \frac{1}{c+a-b} + \frac{1}{a+b-c} \geq \frac{9}{a+b+c}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a+b+c}{b+c-a} + \frac{a+b+c}{c+a-b} + \frac{a+b+c}{a+b-c} \geq 9$$

\therefore The minimum value of this quantity is 9.

\therefore The minimum value of expression (i)

$$= 9 - 3$$

$$= 6$$

\therefore statement I is FALSE

Statement II

$$A.M \geq G.M \geq H.M$$

Statement II is TRUE

Ans : D

14. **Comprehension type :**

$$\text{We know, } \Delta = \frac{1}{2}ax$$

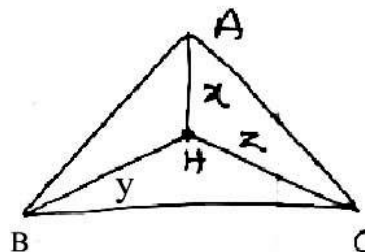
$$\Rightarrow ax = 2\Delta$$

$$\text{Similarly by } = 2\Delta \text{ and } cz = 2\Delta$$

$$\text{Given } \frac{bx}{c} + \frac{cy}{a} + \frac{az}{b} = \frac{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}{K}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ab^2x + bc^2y + ca^2z}{abc} = \frac{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}{K}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2\Delta b^2 + 2\Delta c^2 + 2\Delta a^2}{abc} = \frac{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}{K}$$



$$\Rightarrow \frac{2\Delta(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)}{abc} = \frac{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}{K}$$

$$\Rightarrow K = \frac{abc}{2\Delta}$$

$$\Rightarrow K = \frac{abc}{\left(\frac{abc}{2R}\right)} \quad \text{since } \Delta = \frac{abc}{4R}$$

$$\Rightarrow K = 2R \quad 2\Delta = \frac{abc}{2R}$$

Ans: C

15. Let $\triangle ABC$ be an equilateral triangle with side 1 unit
We have $A = B = C = 60^\circ$

$$x = y = z = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\text{Given } \cot A + \cot B + \cot C = K \left(\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} + \frac{1}{z^2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot 60^\circ + \cot 60^\circ + \cot 60^\circ = K \left(\frac{1}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2} + \frac{1}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2} + \frac{1}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = K \left(\frac{4}{3} + \frac{4}{3} + \frac{4}{3} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{12K}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow K = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

We know, Area of an equilateral triangle with side 1 Unit = $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$

$$\therefore K = \Delta$$

Ans : C

16. let $\triangle ABC$ be an equilateral triangle with side 1 Unit
We have $A = B = C = 60^\circ$

$$a = b = c = 1$$

$$x = y = z = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\text{Given } \frac{c \sin B + b \sin C}{x} + \frac{a \sin C + c \sin A}{y} + \frac{b \sin A + a \sin B}{z}$$

$$= 3 \left(\frac{c \sin B + b \sin C}{x} \right)$$

$$= 3 \left(\frac{1 \cdot \sin 60^\circ + 1 \cdot \sin 60^\circ}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)} \right)$$

$$= 3 \left(\frac{2 \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)} \right)$$

$$= 6$$

Ans : D

Comprehension II

17. Let a, b, c be the sides of ΔABC

$$\text{We know, } s = \frac{a+b+c}{2}$$

Also, s, s-a, s-b, s-c will be positive

We have A.M > G.M

$$\frac{s+(s-a)+(s-b)(s-c)}{4} > [s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)]^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4s-(a+b+c)}{4} > \Delta^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2s}{4} > \Delta^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{s}{2} > \Delta^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{s^2}{4} > \Delta$$

$$\therefore \Delta < \frac{s^2}{4}$$

Ans : C

18. Given $a+b+c = 6\left(\frac{\sin A + \sin B + \sin C}{3}\right)$

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

$$\Rightarrow 2R = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow R = 1$$

We have $\frac{a}{\sin A} = 2R$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{\sin A} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sin A} = 2 \quad \text{Given } a = 1$$

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

$$\Rightarrow A = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

Ans : A

19. Given the angle of $\triangle ABC$ are in 2:3:7.

We have $A = \frac{2}{12} \times 180^\circ = 2 \times 15^\circ = 30^\circ$

similarly $B = 45^\circ$

$C = 105^\circ$

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

$$\Rightarrow a:b:c = \sin A : \sin B : \sin C$$

$$\Rightarrow a:b:c = \sin 30^\circ : \sin 45^\circ : \sin 105^\circ$$

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

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

Ans : A

20.

a) Given in $\triangle ABC$, $a = 5$, $A = 30^\circ$

We have $\frac{a}{\sin A} = 2R$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5}{\sin 30^\circ} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow 2R = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow R = 5$$

\therefore The circum radius = 5

Ans : 5

b) Given in ΔABC , $a = \sqrt{3} + 1$, $B = 30^\circ$, $C = 45^\circ$

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

$$\Rightarrow A + 30^\circ + 45^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 105^\circ$$

We have, $\frac{a}{\sin A} = 2R$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{\sin 105^\circ} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow 2R = 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow R = \sqrt{2}$$

Now, $\frac{C}{\sin C} = 2R$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{C}{\sin 45^\circ} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{C}{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{2}C = 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow C = 2$$

Ans : 2

21. Let x, y be any two positive real numbers.

Given a is A.M of x, y

$$\therefore a = \frac{x + y}{2} \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

Given b, c are two G.M's between x and y

$\therefore x, b, c, y$ are in G.P

We have $b^2 = cx$ and $c^2 = by$ (ii)

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Now, } \frac{\sin^3 B + \sin^3 C}{\sin A \cdot \sin B \cdot \sin C} &= \frac{\left(\frac{b}{2R}\right)^3 + \left(\frac{c}{2R}\right)^3}{\left(\frac{a}{2R}\right)\left(\frac{b}{2R}\right)\left(\frac{c}{2R}\right)} \\
&= \frac{b^3 + c^3}{abc} \\
&= \frac{b^2 \cdot b + c^2 \cdot c}{abc} \\
&= \frac{cx \cdot b + by \cdot c}{abc} \quad (\text{from(2)}) \\
&= \frac{bc(x+y)}{bc\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right)} \quad (\text{from(1)}) \\
&= 2
\end{aligned}$$

Ans : C

22. Matrix Matching Type

a) Given $(a+b+c)(b+c-a) = \lambda bc$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b+c)(a+b+c-2a) = \lambda bc$$

$$\Rightarrow (2s)(2s-2a) = \lambda bc$$

$$\Rightarrow 4s(s-a) = \lambda bc$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{s(s-a)}{bc} = \frac{\lambda}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} = \frac{\lambda}{4}$$

We know $0 \leq \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} \leq 1$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \frac{\lambda}{4} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \lambda \leq 4$$

\therefore The greatest value of $\lambda = 4$

b) In $\triangle ABC$, Given $\tan A + \tan B + \tan C = 9$ and $\tan^2 A + \tan^2 B + \tan^2 C = K$

We know, in a $\triangle ABC$, we have $\tan A + \tan B + \tan C = \tan A \cdot \tan B \cdot \tan C$

$$\therefore \tan A \cdot \tan B \cdot \tan C = 9$$

We know $A.M \geq G.M$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tan^2 A + \tan^2 B + \tan^2 C}{3} \geq \left(\tan^2 A \cdot \tan^2 B \cdot \tan^2 C\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{K}{3} \geq (\tan A \tan B \tan C)^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{K}{3} \geq 9^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow K \geq 3 \cdot 9^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow K \geq 3 \cdot 3^{\frac{4}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow K \geq 3^{\frac{7}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow K \geq 9 \cdot 3^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

Hence, the greatest value of λ is $9 \cdot 3^{\frac{1}{3}}$

c) In $\triangle ABC$, Let S be the circumcentre, I be the incentre

Given SI is parallel to BC .

We have $SD = R \cos A$

But, from diagram, $SD = IF = r$

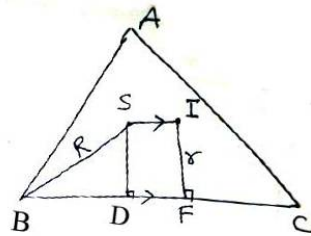
$$\therefore r = R \cos A$$

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

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

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

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



d) Given $a = 5$, $b = 4$ and $\cos(A - B) = \frac{31}{32}$

$$\text{We know, } \cos 2\theta = \frac{1 - \tan^2 \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{31}{32} = \frac{1 - x}{1 + x}, \quad \text{Let } x = \tan^2 \left(\frac{A - B}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 31 + 31x = 32 - 32x$$

$$\Rightarrow 63x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{63}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right) = \frac{a-b}{a+b} \cdot \cot \frac{c}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{63}} = \frac{5-4}{5+4} \cdot \cot \frac{c}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \frac{c}{2} = \frac{9}{\sqrt{63}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \frac{c}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{63}}{9}$$

We know

$$\cos C = \frac{1 - \tan^2 \frac{c}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{c}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{1 - \frac{63}{81}}{1 + \frac{63}{81}}$$

$$= \frac{18}{144}$$

$$= \frac{1}{8}$$

We know,

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

$$= 25 + 16 - 2 \times 5 \times 4 \times \frac{1}{8}$$

$$= 36$$

$$\therefore c = 6$$

Ans : a-p, b-q, c-r, d-s

23.

a) Given $A = 60^\circ$

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

$$\Rightarrow \cos 60^\circ = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc}$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow b^2 + c^2 = a^2 + bc \quad \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

Now, $\frac{b}{c+a} + \frac{c}{a+b}$

$$= \frac{ab + b^2 + c^2 + ac}{(c+a)(a+b)}$$

$$= \frac{ab + a^2 + bc + ac}{(c+a)(a+b)} \quad \text{from (i)}$$

$$= \frac{a(b+a) + c(b+a)}{(c+a)(a+b)}$$

$$= \frac{(a+b)(a+c)}{(c+a)(a+b)}$$

$$= 1$$

b) Given $C = 60^\circ$

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

$$\Rightarrow \cos 60^\circ = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab}$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 = ab + c^2 \quad \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

Now, $\frac{1}{a+c} + \frac{1}{b+c} - \frac{3}{a+b+c}$

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

$$= \frac{a+b+2c}{ab+ac+bc+c^2} - \frac{3}{(a+b+c)}$$

$$= \frac{(a+b+2c)(a+b+c) - 3(ab+bc+ca+c^2)}{(ab+ac+bc+c^2)(a+b+c)}$$

$$= \frac{a^2 + ab + ac + ba + b^2 + bc + 2ac + 2bc + 2c^2 - 3ab - 3bc - 3ca - 3c^2}{(ab + ac + bc + c^2)(a + b + c)}$$

$$= \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2 - ab}{(ab + ac + bc + c^2)(a + b + c)}$$

$$= \frac{0}{(ab + bc + ca + c^2)(a + b + c)} \quad \text{[from (i)]}$$

$$= 0$$

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

c) Given $B = 60^\circ$

$$\text{We have } \cos B = \frac{c^2 + a^2 - b^2}{2ca}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos 60^\circ = \frac{c^2 + a^2 - b^2}{2ca}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow c^2 + a^2 - b^2 - ac = 0 \quad \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

$$\text{Consider } \frac{1}{a+b} + \frac{1}{b+c} - \frac{3}{a+b+c}$$

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

$$= \frac{ab + b^2 + bc + ca + cb + c^2 + a^2 + ab + ac + ab + b^2 + bc - 3ab - 3ac - 3b^2 - 3bc}{(a+b)(b+c)(a+b+c)}$$

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

$$= \frac{0}{(a+b)(b+c)(a+b+c)} \quad \text{From (i)}$$

$$= 0$$

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

b) Given $c = 60^\circ$

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

$$\Rightarrow \cos 60^\circ = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 - c^2 - ab = 0 \quad \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{b}{c^2 - a^2} + \frac{a}{c^2 - b^2}$$

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

$$= \frac{bc^2 - b^3 + ac^2 - a^3}{(c^2 - a^2)(c^2 - b^2)}$$

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

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

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

$$= \frac{(a+b)(0)}{(c^2 - a^2)(c^2 - b^2)} \quad [\text{From (i)}]$$

$$= 0$$

Ans : A-s, B-r, C-r, d-q

24.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) Given } & (a-b)^2 \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} + (a+b)^2 \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} \\ &= (a-b)^2 \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} + (a+b)^2 \left(1 - \cos^2 \frac{C}{2}\right) \\ &= (a-b)^2 \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} + (a+b)^2 - (a+b)^2 \cdot \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} \\ &= \left[(a-b)^2 - (a+b)^2\right] \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} + (a+b)^2 \\ &= (a+b)^2 - 4ab \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= a^2 + b^2 + 2ab - 4ab \cos^2 \frac{c}{2} \\
&= a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \left(2 \cos^2 \frac{c}{2} - 1 \right) \\
&= a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos c \\
&= c^2
\end{aligned}$$

b) $\frac{b^2 - c^2}{a^2} \cdot \sin^2 A + \frac{c^2 - a^2}{b^2} \cdot \sin^2 B$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{b^2 - c^2}{a^2} \left(\frac{2\Delta}{bc} \right)^2 + \frac{c^2 - a^2}{b^2} \left(\frac{2\Delta}{ac} \right)^2 \\
&= \frac{b^2 - c^2}{a^2} \left(\frac{4\Delta}{b^2 c^2} \right)^2 + \frac{c^2 - a^2}{b^2} \left(\frac{4\Delta^2}{a^2 c^2} \right) \\
&= \frac{4\Delta^2}{a^2 b^2 c^2} (b^2 - c^2 + c^2 - a^2) \\
&= (b^2 - a^2) \frac{4}{a^2 b^2 c^2} \times \frac{a^2 b^2 c^2}{16R^2} \\
&= \frac{b^2 - a^2}{4R^2}, \text{ since } \Delta = \frac{abc}{4R}
\end{aligned}$$

c) Let $\triangle ABC$ be an equilateral triangle with side 1 unit.

We have Area of $\triangle ABC = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} a^2$

$$\therefore \Delta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

Now, $\frac{bc \cos A + ca \cos B + ab \cos C}{\cot A + \cot B + \cot C}$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1.1 \cdot \cos 60^\circ + 1.1 \cdot \cos 60^\circ + 1.1 \cos 60^\circ}{\cot 60^\circ + \cot 60^\circ + \cot 60^\circ} \\
&= \frac{\left(\frac{3}{2} \right)}{\left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{3}} \right)} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}
\end{aligned}$$

Now $2\Delta = 2 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

d) Let $\triangle ABC$, be an equilateral triangle with side 1 unit

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } & \frac{\cos C + \cos A}{c+a} + \frac{\cos B}{b} \\ &= \frac{\cos 60^\circ + \cos 60^\circ}{1+1} + \frac{\cos 60^\circ}{1} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{1}{b} = \frac{1}{1} = 1$$

Ans : a-p, b-s, c-r, d-q

LEARNERS TASK

1. Let $a = 3, A = 60^\circ$

$$\text{We have } \frac{a}{\sin A} = 2R$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow R = \sqrt{3}$$

Ans : B

2. Given $a = 10\text{cm}, R = 5\text{cm}$

$$\text{We have } \frac{a}{\sin A} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{10}{\sin A} = 2 \times 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin A = 1$$

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

Ans : D

3. Given $A=30^\circ, C = 90^\circ, c = 7\sqrt{3}$

$$\text{We have } \frac{c}{\sin C} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{7\sqrt{3}}{\sin 90^\circ} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow 2R = 7\sqrt{3} \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{a}{\sin A} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{\sin 30^\circ} = 7\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{7\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Ans : C

4. Given $a = 20$, $b = 21$ and $\cos C = \frac{4}{5}$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4}{5} = \frac{400 + 441 - c^2}{840}$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2 = 169$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 13$$

Ans : B

5. Given $a = 2$, $b = 3$, $c = 4$

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

$$= \frac{9 + 16 - 4}{2 \times 3 \times 4}$$

$$= \frac{7}{8}$$

Ans : A

6. Given $a = 5$, $s = 15$, $\Delta = 30$

$$\text{Now, } \tan \frac{A}{2} = \frac{\Delta}{S(S-a)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \frac{A}{2} = \frac{30}{15(15-5)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1}{5}$$

Ans : D

7. Given, $b = 60$, $s = 66$, $\Delta = 330$

$$\text{Now, } \tan \frac{B}{2} = \frac{\Delta}{S(S-a)}$$

$$= \frac{330}{60(66-60)}$$

$$= \frac{5}{6}$$

$$\therefore \cot \frac{B}{2} = \frac{6}{5}$$

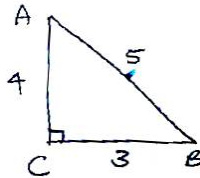
Ans : B

8. Given $a = 3, b = 4, c = 5$

$$\therefore C = 90^\circ$$

$$\cos \frac{C}{2} = \cos 45^\circ$$

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



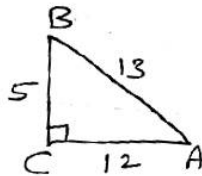
Ans : D

9. Given $a = 5, b = 12, c = 13$

We have $C = 90^\circ$

$$\therefore \sin \frac{C}{2} = \sin 45^\circ$$

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



Ans : A

10. Let $\triangle ABC$ be an equilateral triangle with side 1 unit

$$\text{We have } \Delta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \text{ and } S = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{Now, } abc \sin \frac{A}{2} \cdot \sin \frac{B}{2} \cdot \sin \frac{C}{2}$$

$$= 1.1.1 \sin 30^\circ \cdot \sin 30^\circ \cdot \sin 30^\circ$$

$$= \frac{1}{8}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{\Delta^2}{S} = \frac{3}{16} \times \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{8}$$

Ans : B

JEE MAINS LEVEL QUESTIONS

1. Let ΔABC be an equilateral triangle with side 1 unit

$$\text{Now, } \frac{\sin(B-C)}{bc} = \frac{\sin(60^\circ - 60^\circ)}{1 \times 1}$$

$$= 0$$

$$\therefore \sum \frac{\sin(B-C)}{bc} = 3 \times 0$$

$$= 0$$

Ans : C

2. Let ΔABC be an equilateral triangle with side 1 unit

$$\text{we have } \Delta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

$$\text{Now, } b^2 \sin 2C + c^2 \sin 2B$$

$$= (1)^2 \sin 2 \times 60^\circ + (1)^2 \sin 2 \times 60^\circ$$

$$= \sin 120^\circ + \sin 120^\circ$$

$$= 2 \sin 120^\circ$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{Now } 4\Delta = 4 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} = \sqrt{3}$$

Ans : A

3. Given $a \cos A = b \cos B$
 $\Rightarrow 2R \sin A \cos A = 2R \sin B \cos B$
 $\Rightarrow \sin 2A = \sin 2B$
 $\Rightarrow 2A = 2B \quad \text{or} \quad 2A = 180^\circ - 2B$
 $\Rightarrow A = B \quad \text{or} \quad A + B = 90^\circ$
 $\Rightarrow C = 90^\circ$

$\therefore \Delta ABC$ is right angled isoscales triangle

Ans : C

4. Given $\frac{b}{c+a} + \frac{c}{a+b} = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ab + b^2 + c^2 + ac}{(c+a)(a+b)} = 1$$

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

$$\Rightarrow ab + b^2 + c^2 + ac - ac - bc - a^2 - ab = 0$$

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

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

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

$$\Rightarrow \cos A = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 60^\circ$$

Ans : A

5. Let $a = \sqrt{2}$, $b = \sqrt{6}$, $c = \sqrt{8}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \cos A &= \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} \\ &= \frac{6 + 8 - 2}{2 \times \sqrt{6} \times \sqrt{8}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore A = 30^\circ$$

Similarly $B = 60^\circ$, $C = 90^\circ$

Ans : C

6. Let $\triangle ABC$ be an equilateral triangle with side 1 unit

$$\therefore a = b = c = 1$$

$$\text{Also } AD = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

We know, the orthocentre divides the altitude AD in the ratio 2 : 1

$$\therefore AO = \frac{2}{3} \times AD$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

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

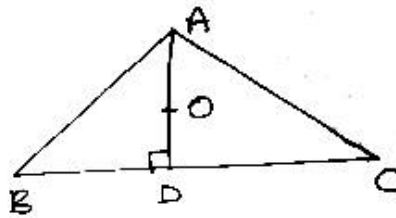
$$\therefore p = q = r = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{Now } aqr = 1 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore aqr + brp + cpq = 3 \times \frac{1}{3} = 1$$

$$\text{Now } abc = 1 \times 1 \times 1 = 1$$

Ans : B



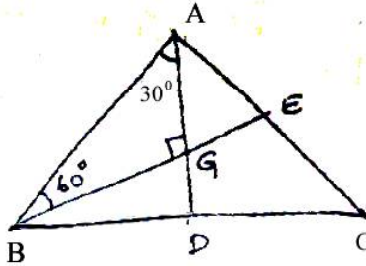
7. Given $AD = 4$ since centroid (G) divides AD in the ratio 2 : 1

$$\text{We have } AG = \frac{2}{3} \times 4 = \frac{8}{3}$$

$$\text{Now } \tan 60^\circ = \frac{AG}{BG}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3} = \frac{8}{3 \cdot BG}$$

$$\Rightarrow BG = \frac{8}{3 \cdot \sqrt{3}}$$



$$\text{Area of } \triangle ABG = \frac{1}{2} \times BG \times AG$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{8}{3}$$

$$= \frac{32}{9\sqrt{3}}$$

We know, Area of $\triangle ABC = 3 \times$ Area of $\triangle ABG$

$$= 3 \times \frac{32}{9\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= \frac{32}{3\sqrt{3}}$$

Ans : C

8. Given $(a+b+c)(b+c-a) = 3bc$

$$\Rightarrow (2s)(2s-2a) = 3bc$$

$$\Rightarrow 4s(s-a) = 3bc$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{s(s-a)}{bc} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \frac{A}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{A}{2} = 30^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 60^\circ$$

Ans : A

$$\begin{aligned}
9. \quad & \text{Given } 1 - \tan \frac{A}{2} \cdot \tan \frac{B}{2} \\
& = 1 - \sqrt{\frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{s(s-a)}} \times \sqrt{\frac{(s-a)(s-c)}{s(s-b)}} \\
& = 1 - \frac{s-c}{s} \\
& = \frac{c}{s} \\
& = \frac{2c}{2s} = \frac{2c}{a+b+c}
\end{aligned}$$

Ans : C

10. Given a,b,c are in A.P
 $\Rightarrow 2b = a + c \dots\dots\dots (i)$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Now, } & \frac{2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cdot \sin \frac{C}{2}}{\sin \frac{B}{2}} \\
& = \frac{2 \sqrt{\frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{bc}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{(s-a)(s-b)}{ab}}}{\sqrt{\frac{(s-a)(s-c)}{ac}}} \\
& = 2 \cdot \frac{(s-b)}{b} \\
& = \frac{2s-2b}{b} \\
& = \frac{a+b+c-2b}{b} \\
& = \frac{a+c-b}{b} \\
& = \frac{2b-b}{b} \quad [\text{from(i)}] \\
& = 1
\end{aligned}$$

Ans : A

11. Let a be the side of the equilateral triangle. Let x be the side of the regular hexagon.
 Given perimeters are equal
 $\therefore 3a = 6x$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2x \quad \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

We know, Area of equilateral triangle

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} a^2$$

$$\text{Area of regular hexagon} = 6x \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} x^2$$

$$\text{Ratio} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} a^2 : 6x \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} x^2$$

$$= a^2 : 6x^2$$

$$= 4x^2 : 6x^2 \quad \text{[From (i)]}$$

$$= 2 : 3$$

Ans : C

ADVANCED LEVEL QUESTIONS

12. Given $\frac{\cos A}{a} = \frac{\cos B}{b} = \frac{\cos C}{c}$

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

$$\Rightarrow \cos A = \cos B = \cos C$$

$$\Rightarrow A = B = C$$

$\therefore \Delta ABC$ is an equilateral triangle

Given $a = 2$ cm

$$\text{Area} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} a^2$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times (2)^2$$

$$= \sqrt{3}$$

Ans : A,B

13. Let ΔABC , be an equilateral triangle with side 1 unit.

$$\therefore a = b = c = 1$$

$$\text{We have } S = \frac{a+b+c}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{and } \Delta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}, \quad R = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \cot \frac{A}{2} + \cot \frac{B}{2} + \cot \frac{C}{2} \\ = \cot 30^\circ + \cot 30^\circ + \cot 30^\circ \\ = 3\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{s^2}{\Delta} = \frac{\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}\right)} = 3\sqrt{3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also } \frac{(a+b+c)^2}{abc} \cdot R \\ = \frac{(1+1+1)^2}{1.1.1} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ = \frac{9}{\sqrt{3}} = 3\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

Ans : A,C

Statement Type :

14. **Statement I:**

$$\text{Given } 4s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c) = a^2b^2$$

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

$$\Rightarrow 2\Delta = ab$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta = \frac{1}{2} \times a \times b$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{base} \times \text{hypotenuse}$$

$\therefore \Delta ABC$ is a right angled triangle

Hence, statement I is TRUE

Statement II: For $x \in [0, \pi]$

Let $f(x) = \sin x$

We have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{3}f(A) + \frac{1}{3}f(B) + f(C) &\leq f\left[\frac{1}{3}(A+B+C)\right] \\ &\leq f(60^\circ) \\ &\leq \sin 60^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\leq \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

The inequality is achieved, when $A=B=C=\frac{\pi}{3}$

Hence, ΔABC is an equilateral triangle.

Statement II is TRUE

Ans : A

5. **Statement I :**

Given the angles of ΔABC are in A.P,

Let $A = B = C = 60^\circ$ (\because common difference = 0°)

Now, $\cos A + \cos B + \cos C$
 $= \cos 60^\circ + \cos 60^\circ + \cos 60^\circ$

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

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

Statement I is FALSE

Statement II :

In ΔABC , Given A, B, C are in A.P and $\cos A + \cos B + \cos C = 2$

Which is not possible for any angles of ΔABC

Hence, Statement II is FALSE

Ans : B

Comprehension Type

Comprehension-III

Given in a ΔABC

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

$$b^2 = c^2 + a^2 - 2ac \cos B$$

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

16. Given $a = 2$, $b = 4$, $\angle C = 60^\circ$

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

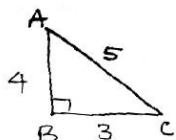
$$= 4 + 16 - 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 4 \cdot \cos 60^\circ$$

$$= 20 - 16 \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= 12$$

$$\therefore c = \sqrt{12}$$

17. Given $a = 3$, $b = 5$, $c = 4$ clearly $\angle B = 90^\circ$



Ans : C

18. Let ΔABC be an equilateral triangle with side 1 unit

We have $A = B = C = 60^\circ$, $a = b = c = 1$ and $\Delta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$

Now, $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 = 3$

Now, $4\Delta(\cot A + \cot B + \cot C)$

$$= 4 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} (\cot 60^\circ + \cot 60^\circ + \cot 60^\circ)$$

$$= \sqrt{3} \cdot 3 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= 3$$

Ans : A

Comprehension IV :

Given $a = 6$, $b = 3$, $\cos(A-B) = \frac{4}{5}$ and AD is the median through A,

$\angle BAD = \theta$, CL is perpendicular to AD.

19. We know, $\tan^2\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right) = \frac{1-\cos(A-B)}{1+\cos(A-B)}$

$$= \frac{1 - \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)}{1 + \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{9}$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} = \frac{6-3}{6+3} \cot \frac{C}{2}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{C}{2} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

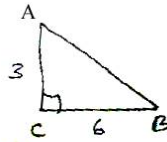
$$\Rightarrow C = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$\therefore \Delta ABC$ is a right angled triangle

Ans : B

$$20. \text{ Area of } \triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 6 \cdot 3$$

$$= 9$$

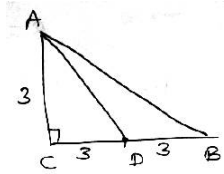


Ans : A

$$21. \quad AD^2 = 3^2 + 3^2$$

$$= 18$$

$$\therefore AD = 3\sqrt{2}$$



Ans : C

Integer Answer Type

$$22. \text{ Given } \cos A + \sin A - \frac{2}{\cos B + \sin B} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos A + \sin A = \frac{2}{\cos B + \sin B}$$

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

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

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

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

one of the possibility is

$$A - B = 0^\circ \quad \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

$$A + B = 90^\circ \quad \dots\dots\dots (ii)$$

solving (i) and (ii), we get

$$A = 45^\circ, B = 45^\circ$$

Also, we have $C = 90^\circ$

$$\text{Now, } \left(\frac{a+b}{c}\right)^4 = \left(\frac{2R \sin A + 2R \sin B}{2R \sin C}\right)^4$$

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

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

$$= \left(\frac{2 \sin 45^\circ \cos 0^\circ}{\sin 90^\circ}\right)^4$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^4$$

$$= (\sqrt{2})^4$$

$$= 4$$

Ans : 4

23. Given $a+b-c = 2$ and $2ab-c^2 = 4$

$$\text{Now, } 2ab-c^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 2ab-c^2 = 2^2$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow a^2+c^2-2ca+b^2+c^2-2bc = 0$$

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

$$\Rightarrow a-c = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad b-c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = c = b$$

Hence, ΔABC is an equilateral triangle.

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

$$\Rightarrow a+a-a = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2$$

$$(\text{Area of } \Delta ABC)^2 = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} a^2 \right)^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} 2^2 \right)^2$$

$$= 3$$

Ans : B

24. **Matrix Matching Type**

a) Let ΔABC be an equilateral triangle with side 1 unit

$$\text{We have } A = B = C = 60^\circ$$

$$a = b = c = 1$$

$$\text{and } \Delta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

$$\text{Now, } a^2 \sin 2C + c^2 \sin 2A$$

$$= 1^2 \cdot \sin 2 \cdot 60^\circ + 1^2 \cdot \sin 2 \cdot 60^\circ$$

$$= \sin 120^\circ + \sin 120^\circ$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{Now, } 4\Delta = 4 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} = \sqrt{3}$$

b) $R^2(\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C)$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 (\sin 120^\circ + \sin 120^\circ + \sin 120^\circ)$$

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

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

$$\text{Now, } 2\Delta = 2 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

c) $c \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + a \cos^2 \frac{C}{2}$

$$= 1 \cdot \cos^2 30^\circ + 1 \cdot \cos^2 30^\circ$$

$$= \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} + \frac{3}{4}$$

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

$$\text{Now, } S = \frac{a+b+c}{2} = \frac{1+1+1}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

D) $a \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} + c \sin^2 \frac{A}{2}$

$$= 1 \cdot \sin^2 30^\circ + 1 \cdot \sin^2 30^\circ$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Now, } s-b = \frac{3}{2} - 1 = \frac{1}{2}$$

Ans : A-p, B-q, c-r, D-s

ADDITIONAL PRACTICE QUESTIONS FOR STUDENTS

1. Let $a = 1$, $b = 2004$
Let the third side be c , which is an Integer

We have $a+b > c$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + 2004 > c$$

$$\Rightarrow 2005 > c$$

Also $b - a < c$

$$\Rightarrow 2004 - 1 < c$$

$$\Rightarrow 2003 < c$$

$$\therefore 2003 < c < 2005$$

$$\therefore c = 2004$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Perimeter } \triangle ABC &= a+b+c \\ &= 1 + 2004 + 2004 \\ &= 4009 \end{aligned}$$

Ans : B

2. Given $a \cos^2 \frac{c}{2} + c \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} = \frac{3b}{2}$

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

$$\Rightarrow s^2 - sc + s^2 - sa = \frac{3b^2}{2}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow 2s^2 - s(2s-b) = \frac{3b^2}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow bs = \frac{3b^2}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2sb = 3b^2$$

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

$$\Rightarrow ab + b^2 + bc = 3b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow ab + bc = 2b^2$$

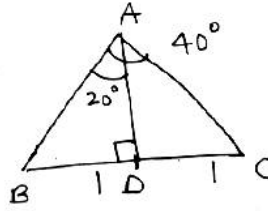
$$\Rightarrow a + c = 2b$$

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

Ans : A

3. Given a regular polygon of 9 sides is inscribed in an equilateral triangle.

We have $\theta = \frac{360^\circ}{9} = 40^\circ$



In the diagram $AB =$ radius of the circle

$$\sin 20^\circ = \frac{BD}{AB}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin 20^\circ = \frac{1}{AB}$$

$$\Rightarrow AB = \frac{1}{\sin 20^\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow AB = \operatorname{cosec} 20^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow AB = \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\pi}{9}$$

Ans : A

4. Let $\triangle ABC$ be an equilateral triangle with each side 1 unit

We have $a = b = c = 1$

$$\text{Now, } (b-c)\cot\frac{A}{2} + (c-a)\cot\frac{B}{2} + (a-b)\cot\frac{C}{2}$$

$$= \Sigma(b-c)\cot\frac{A}{2}$$

$$= \Sigma(1-1)\cot 30^\circ$$

$$= \Sigma 0 \cdot \sqrt{3}$$

$$= 0$$

Ans : D

5. Let $B = 30^\circ$, $C = 45^\circ$

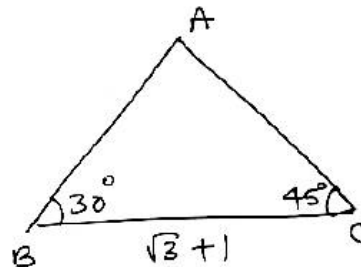
$$a = BC = \sqrt{3} + 1$$

clearly $A = 105^\circ$

$$\text{We have } \frac{a}{\sin A} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{\sin 105^\circ} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)} = 2R$$



$$\Rightarrow R = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{b}{\sin B} = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b}{\sin 30^\circ} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{Now, Area of } \Delta ABC = \frac{1}{2}ab \sin C$$

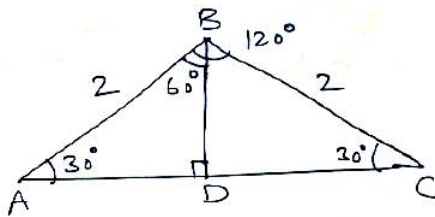
$$= \frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{3}+1)(\sqrt{2})\sin 45^\circ$$

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

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

Ans : A

6.



$$\text{Now, } \sin 60^\circ = \frac{AD}{AB}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{AD}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow AD = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore b = AC = 2AD = 2\sqrt{3}$$

Given $a = 2$

$$\text{Area of } \Delta ABC = \frac{1}{2}ab \sin C$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2 \cdot 2\sqrt{3} \cdot \sin 30^\circ$$

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

$$= \sqrt{3}$$

Ans : B

7. Given $\sin \frac{A}{2} \cdot \cos \frac{B}{2} = \left(\frac{a+c-b}{2c} \right) K$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{(a-b)(s-c)}{bc} \cdot \frac{s(s-b)}{ac}} = \frac{(2s-2b)}{2c} K$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{s-b}{c} \sqrt{\frac{s(s-c)}{ab}} = \frac{s-b}{c} K$$

$$\Rightarrow K = \cos \frac{C}{2}$$

Ans : D

8. Given $\frac{2 \cos A}{a} + \frac{\cos B}{b} + \frac{2 \cos C}{c} = \frac{a}{bc} + \frac{b}{ca}$

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

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

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

$$\Rightarrow \Delta ABC \text{ is a right angled triangle with } \angle A = 90^\circ$$

Ans : D

9. Given a, b and A are given for a ΔABC
We have $a^2 = b^2+c^2-2bc \cos A$

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

We have $c_1+c_2 = 2bc \cos A$

$$c_1 \cdot c_2 = b^2 - a^2$$

Sum of the areas of two triangles

$$= \frac{1}{2} bc_1 \sin A + \frac{1}{2} bc_2 \sin A$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} b \sin A (c_1 + c_2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} b \sin A (2bc \cos A)$$

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

Ans : B

10. **Statement Type :**

Statement I :

$$\text{In } \triangle ABC, \frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C} = K$$

Statement I is TRUE

Statement II :

$$\text{In } \triangle ABC, \frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C} = 2R$$

$$\therefore K = 2R$$

$$\Rightarrow R = \frac{K}{2}$$

Statement II is TRUE

Ans : A