



# Monthly Progressive Test

Class: VIII

Subject: PCMB

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Time: 180 mins

Full Marks: 200

## Solutions

### Physics

1. Ⓓ

Gravity, muscular, friction forces

2. Ⓑ

Normal contact force =  $1 + 2 = 3 \text{ kg wt} = 3 \times 9.8 = 29.4 \text{ N}$

3. Ⓓ

$\frac{(100 - 25)}{5} = 15 \text{ m/s}^2$  as normal contact force is 50 N

4. Ⓒ

10 Newton

5. Ⓑ

$9.8 - U = (1)(4.9) \Rightarrow U = 4.9 \text{ N}$

6. Ⓓ

$2 \times 9.8 \times 10^5 = 19.6 \times 10^5 \text{ dyne}$

7. Ⓐ

Reducing the friction

8. Ⓓ

Changing state of rest, state of motion, shape or size

9. ©  
Both muscular and friction force
10. Ⓐ  
Newton's first law
11. Ⓑ  
Pulling is difficult
12. Ⓐ  
Compressed
13. Ⓓ  
Static, sliding, rolling
14. Ⓓ  
Birds, aeroplane, ships
15. Ⓐ  
to increase friction
16. ©  
inertia of rest, motion, directional
17. Ⓐ  
 $\frac{19.6}{9.8} = 2 \text{ kg}$
18. ©  
 $F \cdot t = mv - mu = (5) \cdot (3) = 15 \text{ Ns}$
19. Ⓐ  
Self-adjusting
20. Ⓓ  
kinetic, sliding
21. Ⓐ  
Becomes  $2a$
22. Ⓐ  
Push and pull



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23. Ⓓ  
Sliding, turning, deformation
24. Ⓑ  
Difficult
25. Ⓐ  
Friction (limiting) increases as normal contact force increases.

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**Chemistry**

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26. Ⓐ  
Carbon dioxide, sulphur dioxide and nitrogen dioxide all are gaseous while suspended particulate matter (SPM) are solids with very small volume.
27. Ⓑ  
Calorific value : It is the amount of heat produced when 1 kg fuel is completely burnt
28. Ⓑ  
Both statements are correct
29. Ⓑ  
Both statements are correct
30. Ⓓ  
kJ / kg
31. Ⓐ  
Calorific value
32. Ⓒ  
Correct order of calorific value : gaseous fuel > liquid fuel > solid fuel  
Hydrogen is a gaseous fuel and hence it has the highest calorific value among the given fuels
33. Ⓐ  
Oxygen helps burning of any substance
34. Ⓐ  
Incomplete burning of a carbon containing substance causes the formation of small amount of unburnt carbon and this is the cause of black colour of smoke.

35. Ⓓ

Water lowers the ignition temperature and thus a substance can be saved from burning.

36. Ⓒ

37. Ⓓ

Carbon monoxide is a very harmful gas and can cause death of a person by attacking the haemoglobin present in blood

38. Ⓓ

Coal contains various impurities and when it burns with oxygen then the pollutants like sulphur dioxide, nitrogen oxides, carbon dioxide, etc are released and these gases cause acid rain.

39. Ⓐ

Low ignition temperature means the fuel can burn easily and high calorific value indicates the excellent fuel efficiency.

40. Ⓑ

Paper, charcoal, petrol all are highly inflammable substances while sand is a non-combustible substances.

41. Ⓒ

Carbonization is a slow process in which dead vegetations turn into coal.

42. Ⓐ

Wood—peat—lignite—bituminous coal—anthracite coal

43. Ⓐ

Non-luminous flame

44. Ⓐ

Kerosene

45. Ⓑ

Liquid fuels

46. Ⓒ

Improper combustion of fuel causes the formation of carbon.

47. Ⓓ

Hydrogen gas on burning i.e. after reaction with oxygen it forms water which does not cause any type of environmental pollution

48. Ⓑ

Wood is available at low cost and very much available in the countryside.

49. Ⓒ

Woolen blanket disconnects the burning cloth and oxygen and thus fire is extinguished.

50. Ⓓ

Charcoal does not burn with flame.

## Mathematics

51. Ⓑ

$3 + 4 + x + 6 = 13 + x$  which is divisible by 3 when least value of  $x$  is 2.

52. Ⓐ

$7 + y + 8 + x + 3 = 18 + x + y$  which is divisible by 9 when least value of  $x + y$  is 0.

53. Ⓑ

$4 + 5 + x + 7 + y = 16 + x + y$  which is divisible by 3 when least value of  $x + y$  is 2.

54. Ⓒ

Last two digit =  $x^2$  which is divisible by 4 when least value of  $x$  is 1.

55. Ⓐ

$2 + 1 + 4 + y + 5 = 12 + y$  which is multiple of 9 when value of  $y$  is 6.

56. Ⓒ

$2 + 4 + x = 6 + x$  which is divisible by 3 when values of  $x$  are 0, 3, 6, 9.

So, number of values of  $x = 4$ .

57. Ⓐ

Let  $A = 3m$  and  $B = 9n$

$\therefore A + B = 3m + 9n = 3(m + 3n)$  which is divisible by 3.

58. Ⓐ

The general form of  $abc$  is  $100 \times a + 10 \times b + c = 100a + 10b + c$ .

59. Ⓒ

The usual form of  $100 \times 7 + 10 \times 1 + 8$  is 718.

60. Ⓑ

202 is not divisible by 5.

61. Ⓑ

$2 + 8 + 2 + 2 + 1 = 15$  which is divisible by 3.

62. Ⓑ

Since the number  $M$  being divided by 5 gives a remainder 1, so, the ones digit of  $M$  must be 1 or 6.

63. Ⓓ

$1 + 5 + 2 + 8 + 7 = 23$  which is not divisible by 3 or 9.

Again,  $1528 - 14 = 1514$

$151 - 8 = 143$

$14 - 6 = 8$  which is not divisible by 7.

64. Ⓓ

49032 is divisible by 24.

$24 = 3 \times 8$

$\therefore$  49032 is divisible by 3 and 8.

65. Ⓐ

$$\begin{array}{r} A \quad 1 \\ + 2 \quad B \\ \hline B \quad 0 \end{array}$$

Unit digit for  $(1 + B) = 0$

$\therefore B = 9$

Again  $1 + A + 2 = B = 9$

$\therefore A = 6$

66. Ⓒ

$$(1)^{-1} + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-1} + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{-1} = 1 + 2 + 3 = 6$$

67. Ⓐ

$$3430000 = 3.43 \times 10^6$$

68. Ⓐ

$$-\frac{4}{5} \times \frac{3}{7} \times \frac{15}{16} \times \frac{-14}{9} = \frac{1}{2}$$

69. Ⓑ

$$10^2 = 6^2 + 8^2$$

$\therefore \{6, 8, 10\}$  is a pythagorean triplet.

70. Ⓑ

$$\sqrt[3]{343} \times \sqrt[3]{-64} = 7 \times (-4) = -28$$

71. Ⓐ

Let tens digit be  $x$ .

$$\therefore \text{Unit digit} = 2x$$

$$\therefore x + 2x = 3 \quad \Rightarrow 3x = 3 \quad \Rightarrow x = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{The required number} = 10 \times 1 + 2 = 12$$

72. Ⓓ

9 and 1 whose product = 9 and sum = 10

73. Ⓐ

$$653 * 47$$

$$7 + * + 5 = 12 + *$$

$$4 + 3 + 6 = 13$$

If \* is replaced by 1, then difference of 13 and  $(12 + *) = 0$  which is divisible by 11.

74. Ⓑ

$$624876$$

$$6 + 2 + 4 + 8 + 7 + 6 = 33$$

 $\therefore$  624876 is divisible by 3

Again, 624876 is divisible by 2 and 4.

 $\therefore$  624876 is divisible by 12

75. Ⓑ

$$10000 < 10005 < 10010$$

10005 is divisible by 5

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**Biology**


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76. Ⓑ

Flesh

77. Ⓐ

Sheep

78. Ⓐ

Protein

79. ©  
Dairy products
80. Ⓓ  
Both Ⓐ and Ⓑ
81. Ⓐ  
Edible fishes
82. Ⓐ  
Dairy products.  
These are rich sources of Calcium
83. ©  
Milk, meat and eggs
84. ©  
Proteins and vitamins
85. ©  
They have more essential amino acids.
86. Ⓓ  
They have more fats in them.  
Excessive fats are harmful for us and can cause several diseases.
87. Ⓓ  
All of the above
88. ©  
Milk  
It contains almost all types of nutrients in balanced amounts.
89. Ⓐ  
Birds
90. Ⓐ  
Chicken
91. Ⓓ  
All of the above



92. ©  
Weeds
93. Ⓑ  
Providing water to crops
94. Ⓐ  
Decrease in soil fertility  
Overuse of fertilisers changes the chemical nature of soil, gradually reducing its fertility.
95. ©  
Crop rotation
96. Ⓓ  
There is unnecessary wastage of space.
97. Ⓓ  
All of the above
98. Ⓐ  
Harvesting
99. Ⓑ  
Sprinkler irrigation  
Water is sprayed on the crops through sprinklers, minimising water wastage.
100. Ⓓ  
Storing grains