

# Grade 8 - Final Exam

## Practice Paper 2

Mathematics

Based on Maharashtra Board Syllabus (NEP 2025-26) - Full Syllabus

### Instructions:

- Duration: 2 hours
- Maximum marks: 50
- All questions are compulsory
- Show all your working clearly

## Section A: Rational & Irrational Numbers and Squares/Cubes (10 Marks)

1. Answer the following:

[5 marks]

- Write the rational number for "negative seven-eighths". = \_\_\_\_\_
- Convert 2.25 into a rational number (fraction in simplest form). = \_\_\_\_\_
- Is  $\sqrt{16}$  a rational number? (Yes/No) = \_\_\_\_\_
- Find the square of 14. = \_\_\_\_\_
- Find the cube root of 216. = \_\_\_\_\_

2. Solve the following operations on rational numbers:

**[5 marks]**

a) Add:  $(-2/3) + (1/6) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

b) Subtract:  $5/8 - 1/4 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

c) Multiply:  $(-3/10) \times (5/9) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

d) Divide:  $(4/5) \div (-8/15) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

e) Write two rational numbers between 0.3 and 0.4. = \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

## Section B: Parallel Lines and Transversal & Expansion Formulae (10 Marks)

3. Answer the following geometry questions:

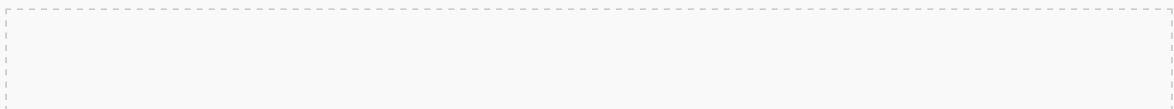
**[5 marks]**

a) If two parallel lines are intersected by a transversal, what is the relationship between alternate interior angles? = \_\_\_\_\_

b) If a pair of corresponding angles are equal, are the two lines parallel? (Yes/No) = \_\_\_\_\_

c) If  $\angle P$  and  $\angle Q$  are consecutive interior angles and  $\angle P = 110^\circ$ , find  $\angle Q$  (assuming lines are parallel). = \_\_\_\_\_ $^\circ$

d) Draw a rough sketch of two parallel lines intersected by a transversal and mark a pair of alternate interior angles.



e) In the figure drawn above, if one alternate interior angle is  $70^\circ$ , what is the measure of the other? = \_\_\_\_\_ $^\circ$

4. Expand the following:

**[5 marks]**

a)  $(y + 9)^2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

b)  $(b - 7)^2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

c)  $(4p + 1)^2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

d)  $(a + 10)(a - 10) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

e)  $(y + 7)(y + 1) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

## Section C: Factorisation of Algebraic Expressions (10 Marks)

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5. Factorise the following:

**[5 marks]**

a)  $5a + 15 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

b)  $9x^2 - 15x =$  \_\_\_\_\_

c)  $12m^2n^3 + 18m^3n^2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

d)  $p^2 - 100 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

e)  $a^2 + 14a + 49 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

6. Factorise the following:

**[5 marks]**

a)  $y^2 - 16y + 64 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

b)  $m^2 + 8m + 15 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

c)  $x^2 - 9x + 20 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

d)  $36c^2 - 49 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

e)  $9p^2 - 30p + 25 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

## Section D: Division of Algebraic Expressions and Statistics (20 Marks)

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7. Divide the following algebraic expressions:

**[5 marks]**

a)  $(10a^2 - 25a) \div 5a = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

b)  $(18y^5 + 24y^4) \div 6y^4 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

c)  $(x^2 - 49) \div (x - 7) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

d)  $(a^2 + 12a + 36) \div (a + 6) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

e)  $(m^2 - 6m + 9) \div (m - 3) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

8. Answer the following statistics questions:

**[5 marks]**

a) Find the mean of the data: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10. =  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

b) What is the mode of the data: 15, 20, 15, 25, 20, 15? =  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

c) Find the median of the data: 20, 22, 24, 26, 28. =  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

d) Find the median of the data: 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11. =  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

e) In a pictograph, what does each symbol represent? =  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

9. Solve the following:

**[5 marks]**

a) If the mean of 5, 7, 9, x is 8, find the value of x. =  $x = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

b) The data is 10, 12, 12, 15, 15, 15, 20. Find the mode. =  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

c) Find the median of the data: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7. =  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

d) A bag contains 5 red and 3 blue balls. What is the probability of drawing a red ball? =  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

e) A letter is chosen from the word 'MATHS'. What is the probability of choosing a vowel? = \_\_\_\_\_

10. Word Problems:

**[5 marks]**

a) The sum of two rational numbers is  $-\frac{1}{2}$ . If one number is  $\frac{3}{4}$ , find the other number. = \_\_\_\_\_

b) The square root of a number is 19. Find the number. = \_\_\_\_\_

c) The side of a cube is 8 cm. Find its volume. = \_\_\_\_\_  $\text{cm}^3$

d) If the temperature is  $8^\circ\text{C}$  and it drops by  $10^\circ\text{C}$ , what is the new temperature? = \_\_\_\_\_  $^\circ\text{C}$

e) A sum of ₹400 is divided between P and Q in the ratio 2:3. How much does Q get? = ₹ \_\_\_\_\_

*End of Practice Paper 2*

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