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# Linear Equations Questions for CGL Tier 2, CGL Tier 1 and SSC 10+2

## Linear Equations Quiz 3

Direction: Study the following questions carefully and choose the right answer.

**1. If a two-digit number is added to a number obtained by reversing the digits of the given number, then the sum is always divisible by which one of the following numbers?**

- A. 7  
B. 9  
C. 10  
D. 11

**2. What is the sum of two numbers whose differences is 45 and the quotient of the greater number by the lesser number is 4?**

- A. 100  
B. 90  
C. 80  
D. 75

**3. If one-third of a two-digit number exceeds its one-fourth by 8, then what is the sum of the digits of the number?**

- A. 6  
B. 13  
C. 15  
D. 17

**4. A person bought 5 tickets from a station P to a station Q and 10 tickets from the station P to a station R. He paid Rs. 350. If the sum of a ticket from P to Q and a ticket from P to R is Rs. 42, then what is the fare from P to Q?**

- A. Rs. 12  
B. Rs. 14  
C. Rs. 16  
D. Rs. 18

5. If  $6x - 5y = 13$ ,  $7x + 2y = 23$  then  $11x + 18y = ?$

A. -15

B. 51

C. 33

D. 15

6. If  $x + y + z = 13$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 69$ , then  $xy + z(x + y)$  is equal to

A. 70

B. 40

C. 50

D. 60

7. If  $5x + 9y = 5$  and  $125x^3 + 729y^3 = 120$  then the value of the product of  $x$  and  $y$  is:

A. 45

B. 135

C.  $1/45$

D.  $1/35$

8. The area bounded by the lines  $x = 0$ ,  $y = 0$ ,  $x + y = 1$ ,  $2x + 3y = 6$  (in square units) is

A. 2

B.  $2\frac{1}{3}$

C.  $2\frac{1}{2}$

D. 3

9. The area of the triangle formed by the graph of  $3x + 4y = 12$ ,  $x$ -axis and  $y$ -axis (in sq. units) is

A. 4

B. 12

C. 6

D. 8

10. The straight line  $4x + 3y = 12$  passes through:

A. 1st, 2nd and 3rd quadrant

B. 1st, 2nd and 4th quadrant

C. 2nd, 3rd and 4th quadrant

D. 1st, 3rd and 4th quadrant

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**Correct answers:**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
D	D	C	B	B	C	D	C	C	B

**Explanations:**

- 1). Let a two-digit number be  $(10x + y)$  and reversing number be  $(10y + x)$

$$\therefore \text{Required sum} = 10x + y + 10y + x = 11x + 11y = 11(x + y)$$

Hence, it's divisible by 11.

Hence, option D is correct.

- 2). Let the greater number be  $x$  and smaller number be  $y$

$$\therefore x - y = 45 \quad \dots (i)$$

$$\text{and } x = 4y \quad \dots (ii)$$

From eqs. (i) and (ii)

$$4y - y = 45$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 45/3 = 15$$

On putting the value of  $y$  in Eq. (ii), we get

$$x = 4 \times 15 = 60$$

Hence, required sum =  $x + y = 60 + 15 = 75$ .

Hence, option D is correct.

- 3). Let the number be  $y$ ,

$$\therefore \frac{y}{3} = \frac{y}{4} + 8 \Rightarrow \frac{4y - 3y}{12} = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 12 \times 8 = 96$$

$$\therefore \text{Sum of digits} = 9 + 6 = 15.$$

Hence, option C is correct.

- 4). Let the fare from station P to station Q is Rs.  $x$  and the fare from station P to station R is Rs.  $y$ .

$$\text{By given condition, } x + y = 42 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } 5x + 10y = 350 \quad \dots (ii)$$

On solving Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = 14 \text{ and } y = 28$$

Hence, fare from station P to station Q is Rs. 14.

Hence, option B is correct.

5).  $6x - 5y = 13 \quad \dots (i)$

$$7x + 2y = 23 \quad \dots (ii)$$

By equation (i)  $\times 2$  & (ii)  $\times 5$ ,

$$12x - 10y = 26 \quad \dots (iii)$$

$$35x + 10y = 115 \quad \dots (iv)$$

by solving these equation we get

$$x = 3, \quad y = 1$$

$$\therefore 11x + 18y = 11 \times 3 + 18 \times 1 = 33 + 18 = 51.$$

Hence, option B is correct.

6).  $x + y + z = 13$

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 69$$

$$(x + y + z)^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2(xy + yz + zx)$$

$$\Rightarrow (13)^2 = 69 + 2[xy + z(x + y)]$$

$$\Rightarrow 2[xy + z(x + y)] = 169 - 69 = 100$$

$$\Rightarrow [xy + z(x + y)] = \frac{100}{2} = 50.$$

Hence, option C is correct.

7). Given,

$$5x + 9y = 5 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$125x^3 + 729y^3 = 120 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Make whole cube of 1st equation, we get

$$(5x + 9y)^3 = (5)^3$$

$$\Rightarrow 125x^3 + 729y^3 + 3 \times 5x \times 9y (5x + 9y) = 125$$

Put the value of given terms in equation

$$\Rightarrow 125x^3 + 729y^3 + 3 \times 5x \times 9y (5x + 9y) = 125$$

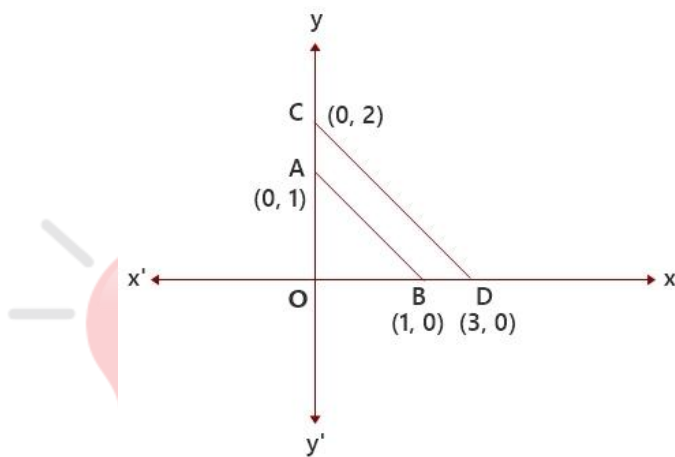
$$\Rightarrow 120 + 135xy \times 5 = 125$$

$$\Rightarrow 135xy \times 5 = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow xy = 1/135.$$

Hence, option D is correct.

8).



$x = 0$  is the equation of y-axis.

$y = 0$  is the equation of x-axis.

Putting  $x = 0$  in  $x + y = 1$ ,  $y = 1$

Putting  $y = 0$  in  $x + y = 1$ ,  $x = 1$

Putting  $x = 0$  in  $2x + 3y = 6$

$$3y = 6 \Rightarrow y = 2$$

$$\text{Putting } y = 0 \text{ in } 2x + 3y = 6 \Rightarrow 2x = 6 \Rightarrow x = 3$$

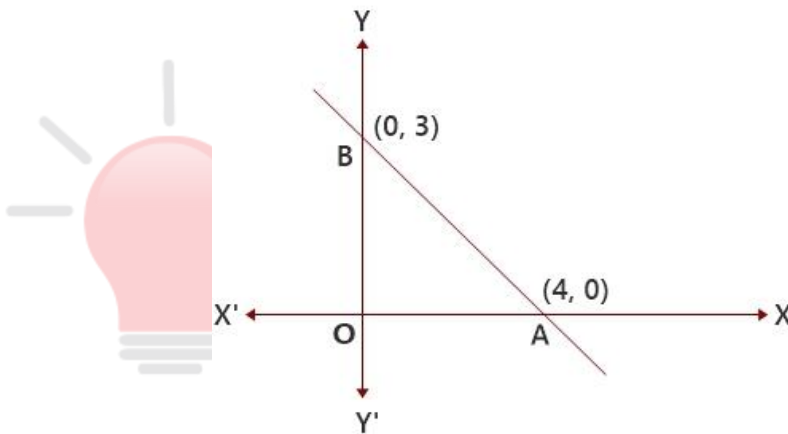
$\therefore OB = 1; OA = 1 OD = 3; OC = 2 \therefore$  Required area =  $\Delta OCD - \Delta OAB$

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

$$= 3 - \frac{1}{2} = 2\frac{1}{2} \text{ sq. units}$$

Hence, option C correct.

9).



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x-axis  $\Rightarrow y = 0$ , putting in equation  $3x + 4y = 12$

$$3x = 12 \Rightarrow x = 4$$

$\Rightarrow$  Co-ordinates of point of intersection on x-axis = (4, 0)

Putting on y-axis = (0, 3)

$\therefore (0, 3)$

$$OA = 4$$



$$OB = 3$$

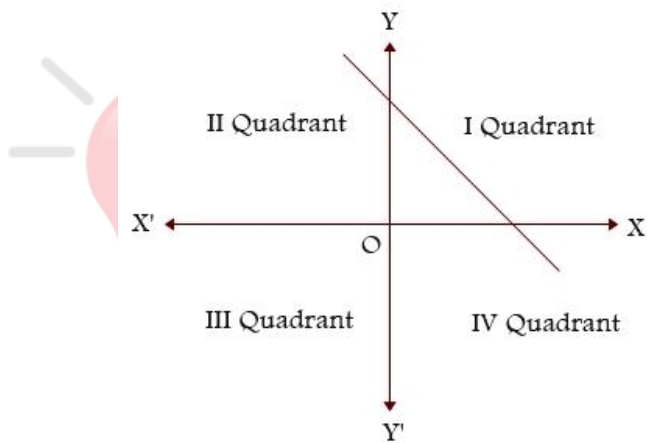
$$= \frac{1}{2} \times OA \times OB = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 3 = 6 \text{ sq. units}$$

Hence, option C is correct.

10). Putting  $y = 0$  in  $4x + 3y = 12$

we get  $x = 3$

Putting  $x = 0$  in  $4x + 3y = 12$ , we get  $y = 4$



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Hence, option B is correct.

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