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Question 1 — Properties of Parallelograms & Construction

1(a) Correct option: **B** — Lines AD and BC do not have the same length. In a parallelogram, opposite sides are equal, so $AD = BC = 5$ cm.

1(b) Construction: Draw $AB = 7$ cm. At A construct $\angle A = 50^\circ$ and mark $AD = 5$ cm. With D as centre and radius 7 cm, and B as centre and radius 5 cm, draw arcs intersecting at C. Join BC and CD to obtain parallelogram ABCD.

Question 2 — Fractions & Operations

2(a) Boys = $45 \times \frac{1}{3} = 15$. Therefore girls = $45 - 15 = 30$.

2(b) Maths Club members = $15 \times \frac{1}{5} = 3$ boys.

2(c) $6 \times \frac{1}{2} = 3$. Therefore, $3 \div \frac{1}{4} = 12$. Hence 12 times of $\frac{1}{4}$.

2(d) $4 \times 1\frac{3}{4} = 4 \times \frac{7}{4} = 7$. Option D gives $4 \times \frac{3}{4} = 3$. Therefore the correct option is **D**.

Question 3 — Triangle Inequality & Geometric Division

3(a) Using $|a - b| < c < a + b$: a) 5 cm, 3 cm $\rightarrow$ 6 cm (2); b) 12 cm, 4 cm $\rightarrow$ 10 cm (3); c) 18 cm, 7 cm $\rightarrow$ 18 cm (1).
Correct option: **B (a-2, b-3, c-1)**.

3(b) Draw an equilateral triangle of side 8 cm. Divide each side into four equal parts (2 cm each) and draw the required parallel lines to form the small triangles. Shade as shown in the question.

Question 4A — Angles in Parallelograms & Triangles

4A(a) Correct option: **A** — $120^\circ - 30^\circ = 90^\circ$. Since $\angle B = 120^\circ$, the opposite angle $\angle D$ is also 120° . The diagonal divides $\angle D$ into ? and 30° , so $? = 120^\circ - 30^\circ = 90^\circ$.

4A(b) The triangle has angles 30° and 20° , so the remaining angle is $180^\circ - (30^\circ + 20^\circ) = 130^\circ$. Thus the two required angles are **20° and 130°** .

4A(c) The marked angles belong to two triangles in the star figure. Each triangle has an angle sum of 180° . Therefore the sum of all six marked angles is **$180^\circ + 180^\circ = 360^\circ$** .

Question 4B — Parallel Lines & Transversals

4B(a) Correct option: **C** — Statement 1 is correct and Statement 2 is incorrect.

4B(b) $\angle 2$ and $\angle 3$ form a linear pair. Hence $\angle 3 = 180^\circ - 130^\circ = 50^\circ$.

4B(c) $\angle 1 = 50^\circ$ and $\angle 2 = 130^\circ$. Therefore $\angle 1 + \angle 2 = 180^\circ$.

4B(d) Using the parallel lines and transversal, $\angle 4 = 50^\circ$.

Question 5A — Fractions & Area Model

5A(a) There are 8 equal parts, of which 2 are unshaded. Fraction unshaded = $2/8 = 1/4$.

5A(b) $1/2$ of $1/4 = 1/2 \times 1/4 = 1/8$. Draw a rectangle divided into 8 equal parts and shade one part.

5A(c) $3/4$ of $2/3 = 2/3 \times 3/4$. Correct option: **A — $2 \times 1/3 \times 3/4$** .

Question 5B — Area Calculations with Fractions

5B(a) Area = $1/2 \times 1/2 = 1/4 \text{ m}^2$.

5B(b) Area = $6\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2} = 13/2 \times 7/2 = 91/4 = 22\frac{3}{4} \text{ m}^2$.

5B(c) Increase in area = increase in length $\times$ width = $1/2 \times 3\frac{1}{2} = 7/4 = 1\frac{3}{4} \text{ m}^2$.

5B(d) $2/3 \times 3/4 = 1/2$. Therefore the statement that is not suitable is **B — More than $3/4$** .

Question 6 — Angle Properties of Triangles & Construction

6(a) Statement i is incorrect because two 90° angles already total 180° . Statement ii is correct. Statement iii is incorrect because two angles greater than 90° would exceed 180° . Statement iv is correct. Correct option: **B — Statements ii and iv are correct**.

6(b) Draw a base of 6 cm. At its endpoints construct angles of 50° and 60° . Extend the two rays until they meet. The third angle is $180^\circ - 50^\circ - 60^\circ = 70^\circ$.