Class

10-8 Standardized Test Prep

Geometric Probability

Multiple Choice

For Exercises 1–4, choose the correct letter.



2. Point *P* on \overline{AD} is chosen at random. For which of the figures below is the probability that *P* is on \overline{BC} 25%? Note: Diagrams not drawn to scale.



3. Point *P* is chosen at random in a circle. If a square is inscribed in the circle, what is the probability that *P* lies outside the square?

(A)
$$1 - \frac{1}{2\pi}$$
 (B) $1 - \frac{2}{\pi}$ (C) $1 - \frac{\pi}{2}$ (D) $1 - \frac{1}{4\pi}$

4. You have a 7-cm straw and a 10-cm straw. You want to cut the 10-cm straw into two pieces so that the three pieces make a triangle. If you cut the straw at a random point, what is the probability that you can make a triangle?

 F 30%
 G 40%
 H 60%
 T 70%

Short Response

5. Point *P* is chosen at random in $\bigcirc S$. What is the probability that *P* lies in the shaded segment shown in the diagram at the right? Show your work.

