

UNIT 1

Real Numbers

Students' learning outcomes

At the end of the unit, the students will be able to:

- Explain, with examples, that civilizations throughout history have systematically studied living things [e.g., the history of numbers from Sumerians and its development to the present Arabic system]
- Describe the set of real numbers as combination of rational and irrational numbers
- Demonstrate and verify the properties of equality and inequality of real numbers
- Apply laws of indices to simplify radical expressions
- Apply concepts of real numbers to real word problems (such as temperature, banking, measures of gain and loss, sources of income and expenditure)

Example 1: Identify the following decimal numbers as rational or irrational numbers:

- (i) 0.35 (ii) 0.444... (iii) $3.\bar{5}$
 (iv) 3.36788542... (v) 1.709975947...

Solution: (i) 0.35 is a terminating decimal number, therefore it is a rational number.

(ii) 0.444... is a recurring decimal number, therefore it is a rational number.

(iii) $3.\bar{5} = 3.5555...$ is a recurring decimal number, therefore it is a rational number.

(iv) 3.36788542... is a non-terminating and non-recurring decimal number. Therefore, it represents an irrational number.

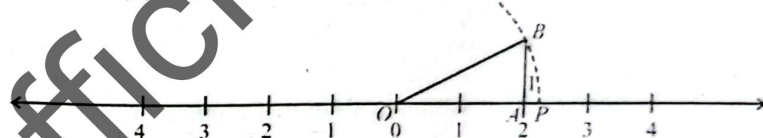
(v) 1.709975947... is a non-terminating and non-recurring decimal number, it is an irrational number.

Example 2: Represent $\sqrt{5}$ on a number line.

Solution: $\sqrt{5}$ can be located on the real line by geometric construction. As $\sqrt{5} = 2.236...$, which is near to 2. Mark a line of $m\overline{AB} = 1$ unit at A, where $m\overline{OA} = 2$ units, and we have a right-angle triangle OAB . By using Pythagoras theorem

$$(m\overline{OB})^2 = (m\overline{OA})^2 + (m\overline{AB})^2$$

$$= (2)^2 + (1)^2 = 4 + 1 = 5 \Rightarrow m\overline{OB} = \sqrt{5}$$



Draw an arc of radius $m\overline{OB} = \sqrt{5}$ taking O as centre, we got point "P" representing $\sqrt{5}$ on the number line

So, $|OP| = \sqrt{5}$

Example 3: Express the following recurring decimals as the rational number $\frac{p}{q}$, where p and q are integers.

- (i) $0.\bar{5}$ (ii) $0.\bar{93}$

Solution: (i) $0.\bar{5}$

Let $x = 0.\bar{5}$

$$x = 0.55555 \dots \quad \dots(i)$$

Multiply both sides by 10

$$10x = 10(0.55555 \dots)$$

$$10x = 5.55555 \dots \quad \dots(ii)$$

Subtracting eq. (i) from eq. (ii)

$$10x - x = (5.55555 \dots) - (0.55555 \dots)$$

$$9x = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{5}{9}$$

Which shows the rational number in the form of $\frac{p}{q}$.

(ii) Let $x = 0.\overline{93}$
 $x = 0.939393 \dots$... (i)

Multiply by 100 on both sides

$$100x = 100(0.939393 \dots)$$

$$100x = 93.939393 \dots \dots (ii)$$

Subtracting (i) from (ii)

$$100x - x = 93.939393 \dots - 0.939393 \dots$$

$$99x = 93$$

$$x = \frac{93}{99} \text{ which is a rational number.}$$

Example 4 : Insert two rational numbers between 2 and 3.

Solution: There are infinite rational numbers between 2 and 3.

We find any two of them

For this, find the average of 2 and 3 as $\frac{2+3}{2} = \frac{5}{2}$

So, $\frac{5}{2}$ is a rational number between 2 and 3, to find another

rational number between 2 and 3 we will again find average of $\frac{5}{2}$ and 3.

$$\text{i.e., } \frac{\frac{5}{2} + 3}{2} = \frac{\frac{5+6}{2}}{2} = \frac{\frac{11}{2}}{2} = \frac{11}{4}$$

Hence two rational numbers between 2 and 3 are $\frac{5}{2}$ and $\frac{11}{4}$

Example 5: If $a = \frac{2}{3}$, $b = \frac{3}{2}$, $c = \frac{5}{3}$ then verify the distributive property over addition.

Solution: (i) Left distributive property

$$a(b+c) = ab+ac$$

$$\text{LHS} = a(b+c)$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{3}{2} + \frac{5}{3} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{9+10}{6} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{19}{6} \right)$$

$$= \frac{19}{9}$$

$$\text{RHS} = ab+ac$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \left(\frac{3}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \left(\frac{5}{3} \right)$$

$$= 1 + \frac{10}{9}$$

$$= \frac{9+10}{9}$$

$$= \frac{19}{9}$$

Hence proved

(ii) Right distributive property

$$(a+b)c = ac+bc$$

$$\text{LHS} = (a+b)c$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{3} + \frac{3}{2} \right) \frac{5}{3}$$

$$= \left(\frac{4+9}{6} \right) \frac{5}{3}$$

$$= \left(\frac{13}{6} \right) \left(\frac{5}{3} \right)$$

$$= \frac{65}{18}$$

$$\text{RHS} = ac+bc$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \left(\frac{5}{3} \right) + \left(\frac{3}{2} \right) \left(\frac{5}{3} \right)$$

$$= \frac{10}{9} + \frac{15}{6}$$

$$= \frac{20+45}{18}$$

$$= \frac{65}{18}$$

Hence, it is verified that $(a+b)c = ac+bc$

Example 6: Identify the property that justifies the statement

(i) If $a > 13$ then $a+2 > 15$

(ii) If $3 < 9$ and $6 < 12$ then $9 < 21$

(iii) If $7 > 4$ and $5 > 3$ then $35 > 12$

(iv) If $-5 < -4 \Rightarrow 20 > 16$

Solution:

(i) $a > 13$

Add 2 on both sides

$$\begin{aligned}
 &a+2 > 13+2 \\
 &a+2 > 15 \\
 \text{(ii)} \quad &\text{As } 3 < 9 \text{ and } 6 < 12 \\
 &\Rightarrow 3+6 < 9+12 \\
 &\quad 9 < 21 \\
 \text{(iii)} \quad &7 < 4 \text{ and } 5 > 3 \\
 &\Rightarrow 7 \times 5 > 4 \times 3 \\
 &\Rightarrow 35 > 12 \\
 \text{(iv)} \quad &\text{As } -5 < -4 \\
 &\text{Multiply on both sides by } -4 \\
 &\quad -5 \times -4 > -4 \times -4 \\
 &\Rightarrow 20 > 16
 \end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 1.1

1. Identify each of the following as a rational or irrational numbers:

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|---------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| (i) 2.353535 | (ii) $0.\bar{6}$ | (iii) 2.236067... |
| (iv) $\sqrt{7}$ | (v) e | (vi) π |
| (vii) $5+\sqrt{11}$ | (viii) $\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{13}$ | |
| (ix) $\frac{15}{4}$ | (x) $(2-\sqrt{2})(2+\sqrt{2})$ | |

Let's go through each number and determine whether it is rational or irrational.

(i) 2.353535

Solution: This is a repeating decimal ($2.\bar{35}$), which can be written as a fraction. Therefore, it is a **rational number**.

(ii) $0.\bar{6}$

Solution: This is a repeating decimal ($0.\bar{6}$), which can be written as a fraction. Therefore, it is a **rational number**.

(iii) 2.236067...

Solution: This is the decimal expansion of $\sqrt{5}$, which is non-repeating and non-terminating. Therefore, it is an **irrational number**.

(iv) $\sqrt{7}$

Solution: The square root of 7 is a non-repeating and non-terminating decimal. Therefore, it is an **irrational number**.

(v) e

Solution: $e = 2.71828182845904...$

The mathematical constant e is a non-repeating and non-terminating decimal. Therefore, it is an **irrational number**.

(vi) π

Solution: $\pi = 3.1415926535897932...$

The mathematical constant π is a non-repeating and non-terminating decimal. Therefore, it is an **irrational number**.

(vii) $5+\sqrt{11}$

Solution: Since $\sqrt{11}$ is irrational and adding a rational number (5) to it results in an irrational number, this is an **irrational number**.

(viii) $\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{13}$

Solution: Both $\sqrt{3}$ and $\sqrt{13}$ are irrational, and their sum is also irrational. Therefore, it is an **irrational number**.

(ix) $\frac{15}{4}$

Solution: This is a fraction, which is a rational number. Therefore, it is a **rational number**.

(x) $(2-\sqrt{2})(2+\sqrt{2})$

Solution: This expression simplifies to $2^2 - (\sqrt{2})^2 = 4 - 2 = 2$, which is a rational number. Therefore, it is a **rational number**.

2. Represent the following numbers on number line:

- | | | |
|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| (i) $\sqrt{2}$ | (ii) $\sqrt{3}$ | (iii) $4\frac{1}{3}$ |
| (iv) $-2\frac{1}{7}$ | (v) $\frac{5}{8}$ | (vi) $2\frac{3}{4}$ |

(i) $\sqrt{2}$

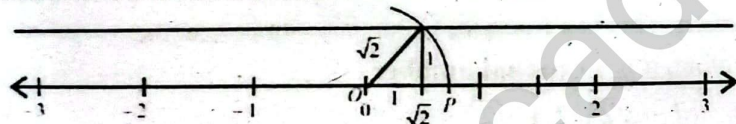
Solution: To represent $\sqrt{2}$ on a number line, we can follow a similar approach to the one outlined in your example:

- **Approximate Value:** $\sqrt{2} \approx 1.414$, which is a value slightly greater than 1.
- **Constructing the Number Line:**
 - Draw a line and mark points for 0 and 1.
 - Measure the distance from 0 to 1 as 1 unit.
 - Construct a right-angle triangle with one leg as 1 unit (the segment from 0 to 1) and the other leg also 1 unit.
 - Use the Pythagorean theorem to find the hypotenuse:

$$(mOB)^2 = (mOA)^2 + (mAB)^2 = 1^2 + 1^2 = 2 \Rightarrow mOB = \sqrt{2}.$$

- Draw the arc with radius $\sqrt{2}$ from the point O (which is the origin) on the number line.
- **Locating $\sqrt{2}$ on the Number Line:** The point P where the arc intersects the line represents the value $\sqrt{2}$.

Thus, $\sqrt{2}$ is located at approximately 1.414 units from 0, slightly more than 1 but less than 2, on the number line.



(ii) $\sqrt{3}$

Solution: Let LL' be a number line.

Draw $O \perp AB$ on LL' .

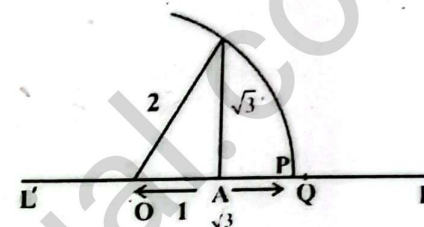
Cut the line segment \overline{OB} equal to 2 units.

OAB is right angled Δ .

$$\therefore AB = \sqrt{OB^2 - OA^2} = \sqrt{4 - 1} = \sqrt{3}$$

Cut the number line OP segment equal to \overline{AB} .

OP represents $\sqrt{3}$ on the line segment.



(iii) $4\frac{1}{3}$

$$\text{Solution: } 4\frac{1}{3} = \frac{13}{3}$$

- **Estimate the value:**

$\frac{13}{3} = 4.333 \dots$, which is slightly more than 4 but less than 5.

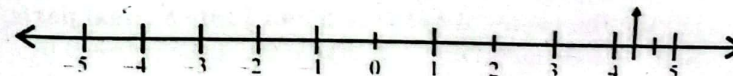
- **Draw a number line:**

Mark the points 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 on the number line.

- **Locate $4\frac{1}{3}$:**

- Since $4\frac{1}{3}$ is just slightly more than 4, you will mark a point between 4 and 5.
- Divide the segment between 4 and 5 into 3 equal parts, as the denominator is 3.
- $4\frac{1}{3}$ will be at the first mark after 4.

Thus, the point representing $4\frac{1}{3}$ will be just past 4 on the number line, about one-third of the way toward 5.

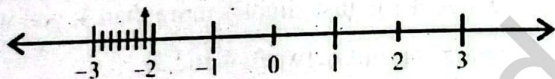


(iv) $-2\frac{1}{7}$

Solution: $-2\frac{1}{7} = -\frac{15}{7}$

- **Estimate the value:**
 $-\frac{15}{7} \approx -2.142857$, which is slightly more than -2 but less than -3.
- **Draw a number line:**
 Mark the points -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3 on the number line.
- **Locate $-2\frac{1}{7}$:**
 - Since $-2\frac{1}{7}$ is slightly more than -2, it will be located just past -2 but before -3.
 - Divide the segment between -2 and -3 into 7 equal parts (since the denominator is 7).
 - $-2\frac{1}{7}$ will be at the first mark after -2, which is one-seventh of the way toward -3.

Thus, the point representing $-2\frac{1}{7}$ will be just past -2 on the number line.



(v) $\frac{5}{8}$

Solution:

1. **Estimate the value:**
 $\frac{5}{8} = 0.625$.
2. **Draw a number line:**
 Mark the points 0, 1 on the number line.
3. **Divide the segment between 0 and 1 into 8 equal parts:**
 Since the denominator is 8, divide the space between 0 and 1 into 8 equal parts.

4. **Locate $\frac{5}{8}$:** Since $\frac{5}{8} = 0.625$, it will be 5 parts out of 8 between 0 and 1.

Thus, the point representing $\frac{5}{8}$ will be located after the 5th division between 0 and 1 on the number line.



(vi) $2\frac{3}{4}$

Solution: $2\frac{3}{4}$ can be written as the improper fraction:

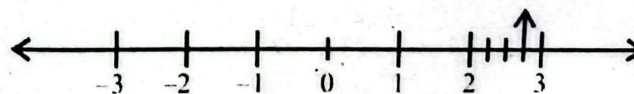
$$2\frac{3}{4} = \frac{8}{4} + \frac{3}{4} = \frac{11}{4}$$

So, $2\frac{3}{4} = 2.75$.

- **Draw a number line:**
 Mark the integers 0, 1, 2, and 3 on the number line.
- **Divide the segment between 2 and 3 into 4 equal parts:**
 Since the denominator is 4, divide the space between 2 and 3 into 4 equal parts.
- **Locate $2\frac{3}{4}$:**

$2\frac{3}{4} = 2.75$ is 3 parts out of 4 between 2 and 3.

Thus, the point representing $2\frac{3}{4}$ will be located after the 3rd division between 2 and 3 on the number line.



3. Express the following as a rational number $\frac{p}{q}$ where

p and q are integers and $q \neq 0$

- (i) $0.\bar{4}$ (ii) $0.\bar{37}$ (iii) $0.\bar{21}$

Sol: (i) Let: $x = 0.\bar{4}$

This means:

$$x = 0.4444 \dots$$

Since the repeating part ("4") has one digit, multiply x by 10:

$$10x = 4.4444 \dots$$

$$10x - x = 4.4444 \dots - 0.4444 \dots$$

$$9x = 4$$

$$x = \frac{4}{9}$$

(ii) For $0.\bar{37}$:

Sol: Let $x = 0.\bar{37}$.

This means:

$$x = 0.373737 \dots$$

Since the repeating part ("37") has two digits, multiply x by 100:

$$100x = 37.373737 \dots$$

$$100x - x = 37.373737 \dots - 0.373737 \dots$$

$$99x = 37$$

$$x = \frac{37}{99}$$

(iii) For $0.\bar{21}$:

Sol: Let $x = 0.\bar{21}$.

This means:

$$x = 0.212121 \dots$$

Since the repeating part ("21") has two digits, multiply x by 100:

$$100x = 21.212121 \dots$$

$$100x - x = 21.212121 \dots - 0.212121 \dots$$

$$99x = 21$$

$$x = \frac{21}{99} = \frac{7}{33}$$

4. Name the property used in the following.

(i) $(a + 4) + b = a + (4 + b)$

(ii) $\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3} = \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}$

(iii) $x - x = 0$

(iv) $a(b + c) = ab + ac$

(v) $16 + 0 = 16$

(vi) $100 \times 1 = 100$

(vii) $4 \times (5 \times 8) = (4 \times 5) \times 8$ (viii) $ab = ba$

Here are the properties used in each equation:

(i) $(a + 4) + b = a + (4 + b)$

Ans. Property: Associative Property of Addition

(ii) $\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3} = \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}$

Ans. Property: Commutative Property of Addition

(iii) $x - x = 0$

Ans. Property: Additive Inverse Property

(iv) $a(b + c) = ab + ac$

Ans. Property: Distributive Property of Multiplication over Addition

(v) $16 + 0 = 16$

Ans. Property: Additive Identity Property

(vi) $100 \times 1 = 100$

Ans. Property: Multiplicative Identity Property

(vii) $4 \times (5 \times 8) = (4 \times 5) \times 8$

Ans. Property: Associative Property of Multiplication

(viii) $ab = ba$

Ans. Property: Commutative Property of Multiplication

5. Name the property used in the following:

(i) $-3 < -1 \Rightarrow 0 < 2$

(ii) If $a < b$ then $\frac{1}{a} > \frac{1}{b}$

(iii) If $a < b$ Then $a + c < b + c$

(iv) If $ac < bc$ and $c > 0$ then $a < b$

(v) If $ac < bc$ and $c < 0$ then $a > b$

- (vi) Either $a > b$ or $a = b$ or $a < b$
 $-3 < -1 \Rightarrow < 2$
Property: Additive Property
- (ii) If $a < b$, then $\frac{1}{a} > \frac{1}{b}$
Property: Reciprocal Property
- (iii) If $a < b$, then $a + c < b + c$
Property: Additive Property of Inequalities
- (iv) If $ac < bc$ and $c > 0$, then $a < b$
Property: Multiplicative Property of Inequalities
- (v) If $ac < bc$ and $c < 0$, then $a > b$
Property: Multiplicative Property of Inequalities
- (vi) Either $a > b$, or $a = b$, or $a < b$
Property: Trichotomy Property

6. Insert two rational numbers between

- (i) $\frac{1}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ (ii) 3 and 4
 (iii) $\frac{3}{5}$ and $\frac{4}{5}$

Solution:

- (i) **Two rational numbers between $\frac{1}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$:**

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Average of } \frac{1}{3} \text{ and } \frac{1}{4} &= \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4}\right) \div 2 \\ &= \left(\frac{4+3}{12}\right) \times \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \frac{7}{12} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{7}{24}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Average of } \frac{1}{3} \text{ and } \frac{7}{24} &= \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{7}{24}\right) \div 2 \\ &= \left(\frac{8+7}{24}\right) \times \frac{1}{2}\end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{15}{24} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{15}{48} = \frac{5}{16}$$

Thus, $\frac{5}{16}$ and $\frac{7}{24}$ are two rational numbers between $\frac{1}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$.

- (ii) **Two rational numbers between 3 and 4.**

$$\text{Average of 3 and 4} = \frac{3+4}{2} = \frac{7}{2}$$

$$\text{Average of } \frac{7}{2} \text{ and 4} = \left(\frac{7}{2} + 4\right) \div 2$$

$$= \left(\frac{7+8}{2}\right) \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{15}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{15}{4}$$

Thus, $\frac{7}{2}$ and $\frac{15}{4}$ are two rational numbers between 3 and 4.

- (iii) **Two rational numbers between $\frac{3}{5}$ and $\frac{4}{5}$.**

$$\text{Average of } \frac{3}{5} \text{ and } \frac{4}{5} = \left(\frac{3}{5} + \frac{4}{5}\right) \div 2$$

$$= \left(\frac{3+4}{5}\right) \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{7}{5} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{7}{10}$$

$$\text{Average of } \frac{7}{10} \text{ and } \frac{4}{5} = \left(\frac{7}{10} + \frac{4}{5}\right) \div 2$$

$$= \left(\frac{7+8}{10}\right) \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{15}{10} \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{15}{20} = \frac{3}{4}$$

Thus, $\frac{7}{10}$ and $\frac{3}{4}$ are two rational numbers between $\frac{3}{5}$ and $\frac{4}{5}$.

Laws of Radicals and Indices

Laws of Radical

$$(i) \sqrt[n]{ab} = \sqrt[n]{a} \cdot \sqrt[n]{b}$$

$$(ii) \sqrt[n]{\frac{a}{b}} = \frac{\sqrt[n]{a}}{\sqrt[n]{b}}$$

$$(iii) \sqrt[n]{a^m} = (\sqrt[n]{a})^m$$

$$(iv) (\sqrt[n]{a})^m = (a^{\frac{1}{n}})^m = a^{\frac{m}{n}}$$

Laws of Indices

$$(i) a^m \cdot a^n = a^{m+n}$$

$$(ii) (a^m)^n = a^{mn}$$

$$(iii) (ab)^n = a^n b^n$$

$$(iv) \left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^n = \frac{a^n}{b^n}$$

$$(v) \frac{a^m}{a^n} = a^{m-n}$$

$$(vi) a^0 = 1$$

Example 7: Simplify the following:

$$(i) \sqrt[4]{16x^4y^8}$$

$$(ii) \sqrt[3]{27x^6y^9z^3}$$

$$(iii) (64)^{-\frac{4}{3}}$$

Solution: (i) $\sqrt[4]{16x^4y^8}$

$$= (16x^4y^8)^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\sqrt[n]{a} = a^{\frac{1}{n}}$$

$$= (16)^{\frac{1}{4}} (x^4)^{\frac{1}{4}} (y^8)^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\therefore (ab)^m = a^m b^m$$

$$= 2^{4 \cdot \frac{1}{4}} \times x^{4 \cdot \frac{1}{4}} \times y^{8 \cdot \frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\therefore (a^m)^n = a^{mn}$$

$$= 2xy^2$$

$$(ii) \sqrt[3]{27x^6y^9z^3}$$

$$= (27x^6y^9z^3)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\therefore \sqrt[n]{a} = a^{\frac{1}{n}}$$

$$= (27)^{\frac{1}{3}} (x^6)^{\frac{1}{3}} (y^9)^{\frac{1}{3}} (z^3)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\therefore (ab)^m = a^m b^m$$

$$= (3^3)^{\frac{1}{3}} (x^6)^{\frac{1}{3}} (y^9)^{\frac{1}{3}} (z^3)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\therefore (ab)^m = a^m b^m$$

$$= 3^{3 \times \frac{1}{3}} \cdot x^{6 \times \frac{1}{3}} \cdot y^{9 \times \frac{1}{3}} \cdot z^{3 \times \frac{1}{3}}$$

$$= 3x^2y^3z$$

$$(iii) (64)^{-\frac{4}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(64)^{\frac{4}{3}}} = \frac{1}{(4)^{\frac{4}{3}}} = \frac{1}{4^{\frac{4}{3}}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4^4} = \frac{1}{256}$$

Example 8: Rationalize the denominator of (i) $\frac{3}{\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{2}}$

$$(ii) \frac{3}{\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{3}}$$

Solution (i):

$$\frac{3}{\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{2}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= \frac{3(\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2})}{(\sqrt{5})^2 - (\sqrt{2})^2} = \frac{3\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2}}{5-2}$$

$$= \frac{3(\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2})}{3} = \sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ii)} \quad \frac{3}{\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{3}} &= \frac{3}{\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{3}} \\
 &= \frac{3(\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{3})}{(\sqrt{5})^2 - (\sqrt{3})^2} = \frac{3(\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{3})}{5-3} \\
 &= \frac{3(\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{3})}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 1.2

1 Rationalize the denominator of following:

$$\text{(i)} \quad \frac{13}{4+\sqrt{3}} \qquad \text{(ii)} \quad \frac{\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{(iii)} \quad \frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{\sqrt{5}} \qquad \text{(iv)} \quad \frac{6-4\sqrt{2}}{6+4\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{(v)} \quad \frac{\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{2}} \qquad \text{(vi)} \quad \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{7}+\sqrt{5}}$$

Solutions:

$$\text{(i)} \quad \frac{13}{4+\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\frac{13}{4+\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{4-\sqrt{3}}{4-\sqrt{3}} = \frac{13(4-\sqrt{3})}{(4+\sqrt{3})(4-\sqrt{3})}$$

First, simplify the denominator using the difference of squares formula:

$$(4+\sqrt{3})(4-\sqrt{3}) = 4^2 - (\sqrt{3})^2 = 16 - 3 = 13$$

Now simplify the numerator:

$$13(4-\sqrt{3}) = 52 - 13\sqrt{3}$$

So the rationalized expression is:

$$\frac{52 - 13\sqrt{3}}{13}$$

$$\text{Simplifying: } = \frac{52}{13} - \frac{13\sqrt{3}}{13} = 4 - \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{(ii)} \quad \frac{\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{(\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{5}) \cdot \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{3}}$$

Simplify the denominator:

$$\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{3} = 3$$

Now simplify the numerator:

$$(\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{5}) \cdot \sqrt{3} = \sqrt{6} + \sqrt{15}$$

Thus, the rationalized expression is:

$$\frac{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{15}}{3}$$

$$\text{(iii)} \quad \frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{(\sqrt{2}-1) \cdot \sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5} \cdot \sqrt{5}}$$

Simplify the denominator:

$$\sqrt{5} \cdot \sqrt{5} = 5$$

Now simplify the numerator:

$$(\sqrt{2}-1) \cdot \sqrt{5} = \sqrt{10} - \sqrt{5}$$

Thus, the rationalized expression is:

$$\frac{\sqrt{10} - \sqrt{5}}{5}$$

$$\text{(iv)} \quad \frac{6-4\sqrt{2}}{6+4\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\frac{6-4\sqrt{2}}{6+4\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{6-4\sqrt{2}}{6-4\sqrt{2}} = \frac{(6-4\sqrt{2})^2}{(6+4\sqrt{2})(6-4\sqrt{2})}$$

First, simplify the denominator using the difference of squares formula:

$$(6+4\sqrt{2})(6-4\sqrt{2}) = 6^2 - (4\sqrt{2})^2 = 36 - 32 = 4$$

Now simplify the numerator:

$$(6 - 4\sqrt{2})^2 = 6^2 - 2 \cdot 6 \cdot 4\sqrt{2} + (4\sqrt{2})^2 = 36 - 48\sqrt{2} + 32 \\ = 68 - 48\sqrt{2}$$

Thus, the rationalized expression is:

$$\frac{68 - 48\sqrt{2}}{4} = \frac{68}{4} - \frac{48\sqrt{2}}{4} = 17 - 12\sqrt{2}$$

(v) $\frac{\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{2}}$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{2}} = \frac{(\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{2})^2}{(\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{2})(\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{2})}$$

First, simplify the denominator using the difference of squares formula:

$$(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2})(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2}) = (\sqrt{3})^2 - (\sqrt{2})^2 = 3 - 2 = 1$$

Now simplify the numerator:

$$(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2})^2 = (\sqrt{3})^2 - 2 \cdot \sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{2} + (\sqrt{2})^2 = 3 - 2\sqrt{6} + 2 \\ = 5 - 2\sqrt{6}$$

Thus, the rationalized expression is:

$$5 - 2\sqrt{6}$$

(vi) $\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{7}+\sqrt{5}}$

$$\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{7}+\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{\sqrt{7}-\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{7}-\sqrt{5}} = \frac{4\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{7}-\sqrt{5})}{(\sqrt{7}+\sqrt{5})(\sqrt{7}-\sqrt{5})}$$

The denominator is now in the form of $(a + b)(a - b) = a^2 - b^2$.
So:

$$(\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{5})(\sqrt{7} - \sqrt{5}) = 7 - 5 = 2$$

Now, distribute $4\sqrt{3}$ across $(\sqrt{7} - \sqrt{5})$:

$$4\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{7} - \sqrt{5})$$

Now, the expression becomes:

$$\frac{4\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{7} - \sqrt{5})}{2} = 2\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{7} - \sqrt{5})$$

2. Simplify the following

(i) $\left(\frac{81}{16}\right)^{-\frac{3}{4}}$

(ii) $\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{-2} \div \left(\frac{4}{9}\right)^3 \times \frac{16}{27}$

(iii) $(0.027)^{-\frac{1}{3}}$

(iv) $\sqrt[3]{\frac{x^{14} \times y^{21} \times z^{35}}{y^{14} z^7}}$

(v) $\frac{5 \cdot (25)^{n+1} - 25 \cdot (5)^{2n}}{5 \cdot (25)^{2n+3} - (25)^{n+1}}$

(vi) $\frac{(16)^{x+1} + 20(4^{2x})}{2^{x-3} \times 8^{x+2}}$

(vii) $(64)^{-\frac{2}{3}} \div (9)^{-\frac{3}{2}}$

(viii) $\frac{3^n \times 9^{n+1}}{3^{n-1} \times 9^{n-1}}$

(ix) $\frac{5^{n+3} - 6 \cdot 5^{n+1}}{9 \times 5^n - 2^n \times 5^n}$

(i) $\left(\frac{81}{16}\right)^{-\frac{3}{4}}$

$$\left(\frac{81}{16}\right)^{-\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{81}{16}\right)^{\frac{3}{4}}}$$

Next, simplify the expression $\left(\frac{81}{16}\right)^{\frac{3}{4}}$:

$$\left(\frac{81}{16}\right)^{\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{81^{\frac{3}{4}}}{16^{\frac{3}{4}}}$$

Now calculate the powers:

$$81 = 3^4 \Rightarrow 81^{\frac{3}{4}} = (3^4)^{\frac{3}{4}} = 3^3 = 27$$

$$16 = 2^4 \Rightarrow 16^{\frac{3}{4}} = (2^4)^{\frac{3}{4}} = 2^3 = 8$$

Thus:

$$\frac{81^{\frac{3}{4}}}{16^{\frac{3}{4}}} = \frac{27}{8}$$

Therefore, the simplified expression is:

$$\frac{1}{\frac{27}{8}} = \frac{8}{27}$$

(ii) $\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{-2} \div \left(\frac{4}{9}\right)^3 \times \frac{16}{27}$

First, simplify each part step by step.

$$\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{-2} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^2} = \frac{1}{\frac{9}{16}} = \frac{16}{9}$$

$$\left(\frac{4}{9}\right)^3 = \frac{4^3}{9^3} = \frac{64}{729}$$

Now combine all the terms:

$$\frac{16}{9} \div \frac{64}{729} \times \frac{16}{27}$$

To divide by a fraction, multiply by its reciprocal:

$$\frac{16}{9} \times \frac{729}{64} \times \frac{16}{27}$$

Multiply the numerators and denominators:

$$\frac{16 \times 729 \times 16}{9 \times 64 \times 27} = \frac{16^2 \times 729}{9 \times 64 \times 27}$$

Simplify the expression step by step:

$$16^2 = 256 \quad \text{and} \quad 64 \times 27 = 1728$$

Now simplify:

$$\frac{256 \times 729}{9 \times 1728}$$

Factor the denominator:

$$9 \times 1728 = 15552$$

Thus, the simplified result is: $\frac{256 \times 729}{15552} = \frac{186624}{15552} = 12$

(iii) $(0.027)^{-\frac{1}{3}}$

Simplify $(0.027)^{-\frac{1}{3}}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Expression } (0.027)^{-\frac{1}{3}} &= (27)^{-\frac{1}{3}} \times (10^{-3})^{-\frac{1}{3}} \\ &= (3^3)^{-\frac{1}{3}} \times (10^{-3})^{-\frac{1}{3}} \\ &= 3^{3 \times -\frac{1}{3}} \times 10^{-3 \times -\frac{1}{3}} \\ &= 3^{-1} \times 10^1 \\ &= \frac{10}{3} \end{aligned}$$

(iv) $\sqrt[7]{\frac{x^{14}y^{21}z^{35}}{y^{14}z^7}}$

First, simplify the expression inside the radical:

$$\frac{x^{14}y^{21}z^{35}}{y^{14}z^7} = x^{14} \times y^{21-14} \times z^{35-7} = x^{14} \times y^7 \times z^{28}$$

Now take the 7th root of each term:

$$\sqrt[7]{x^{14}} = x^2, \quad \sqrt[7]{y^7} = y, \quad \sqrt[7]{z^{28}} = z^4$$

Thus, the simplified result is:

$$x^2yz^4$$

(v) $\frac{5 \cdot (25)^{n+1} - 25 \cdot (5)^{2n}}{5 \cdot (5)^{2n+3} - (25)^{n+1}}$

Sol: $\frac{5 \cdot (25)^{n+1} - 25 \cdot (5)^{2n}}{5 \cdot (5)^{2n+3} - (25)^{n+1}}$

$$\text{Expression} = \frac{5(25)^{n+1} - 25(5)^{2n}}{5(5)^{2n+3} - (25)^{n+1}} = \frac{5(5^2)^{n+1} - 5^2(5)^{2n}}{5(5)^{2n+3} - (5^2)^{n+1}}$$

$$= \frac{5^{2n+3} - 5^{2n+2}}{5^{2n+3} - 5^{2n+2}} = \frac{5^{2n+2}(5-1)}{5^{2n+2}(5-1)} = \frac{4}{24} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$(vi) \frac{(16)^{x+1} + 20(4^{2x})}{2^{x-3} \times 8^{x+2}}$$

Simplify the powers of 16 and 4 in terms of powers of 2:

$$16 = 2^4, \quad 4 = 2^2, \quad 8 = 2^3$$

So:

$$\frac{(2^4)^{x+1} + 20(2^2)^{2x}}{2^{x-3} \times (2^3)^{x+2}}$$

Simplify the powers:

$$= \frac{2^{4(x+1)} + 20 \cdot 2^{4x}}{2^{x-3} \times 2^{3(x+2)}}$$

Simplify:

$$= \frac{2^{4x+4} + 20 \cdot 2^{4x}}{2^{x-3} \times 2^{3x+6}}$$

Now factor out 2^{4x} from the numerator:

$$= \frac{2^{4x}(2^4 + 20)}{2^{x-3} \times 2^{3x+6}}$$

Simplify further:

$$= \frac{2^{4x} \times 36}{2^{x-3} \times 2^{3x+6}} = \frac{36 \times 2^{4x}}{2^{4x+3}} = \frac{36}{2^3}$$

Cancel out the 2^{4x} :

$$= \frac{36}{8} = \frac{9}{2}$$

$$(vii) (64)^{\frac{2}{3}} \div (9)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

We begin by rewriting 64 and 9 as powers of 2 and 3, respectively:

$$64 = 2^6 \quad \text{and} \quad 9 = 3^2$$

Now apply the negative exponents:

$$(64)^{\frac{2}{3}} = (2^6)^{\frac{2}{3}} = 2^{-4}$$

$$(9)^{\frac{3}{2}} = (3^2)^{\frac{3}{2}} = 3^{-3}$$

Now simplify the division:

$$2^{-4} \div 3^{-3} = 2^{-4} \times 3^3 = \frac{3^3}{2^4}$$

Simplifying powers:

$$3^3 = 27 \quad \text{and} \quad 2^4 = 16$$

Thus, the simplified result is:

$$\frac{27}{16}$$

$$(viii) \frac{3^n \times 9^{n+1}}{3^{n-1} \times 9^{n-1}}$$

First, rewrite 9 as 3^2 :

$$9^{n+1} = (3^2)^{n+1} = 3^{2(n+1)} = 3^{2n+2}$$

$$9^{n-1} = (3^2)^{n-1} = 3^{2(n-1)} = 3^{2n-2}$$

Now simplify the expression:

$$\frac{3^n \times 3^{2n+2}}{3^{n-1} \times 3^{2n-2}}$$

Use the property of exponents $a^m \cdot a^n = a^{m+n}$

$$= \frac{3^{n+2n+2}}{3^{n-1+2n-2}} = \frac{3^{3n+2}}{3^{3n-3}}$$

Now subtract the exponents:

$$= 3^{(3n+2)-(3n-3)} = 3^5$$

Thus, the simplified result is:

$$3^5 = 243$$

$$(ix) \frac{5^{n+3} - 6 \cdot 5^{n+1}}{9 \times 5^n - 2^2 \times 5^n}$$

First, factor the denominator:

$$9 \times 5^n - 2^2 \times 5^n = 5^n(9 - 2^2)$$

Thus, the expression becomes:

$$\frac{5^{n+3} - 6 \cdot 5^{n+1}}{5^n(9 - 2^2)}$$

Now factor out 5^n from the numerator:

$$5^{n+3} = 5^n \times 5^3 = 5^n \times 125$$

So, the expression becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{5^n(125 - 6.5)}{5^n(9 - 2^2)} \\ &= \frac{125 - 30}{9 - 2^2} \\ &= \frac{95}{9 - 2^2} = \frac{95}{9 - 4} = \frac{95}{5} = 19 \end{aligned}$$

3. If $x = 3 + \sqrt{8}$ then find the value of

(i) $x + \frac{1}{x}$

(ii) $x - \frac{1}{x}$

(iii) $x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$

(iv) $x^2 - \frac{1}{x^2}$

(v) $x^4 + \frac{1}{x^4}$

(vi) $\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right)^2$

Given $x = 3 + \sqrt{8}$

(i) $x + \frac{1}{x}$

$$\frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{3 + \sqrt{8}} \times \frac{3 - \sqrt{8}}{3 - \sqrt{8}} = \frac{3 - \sqrt{8}}{(3 + \sqrt{8})(3 - \sqrt{8})}$$

Now, simplify the denominator using the difference of squares formula $(a + b)(a - b) = a^2 - b^2$:

$$(3 + \sqrt{8})(3 - \sqrt{8}) = 3^2 - (\sqrt{8})^2 = 9 - 8 = 1$$

So,

$$\frac{1}{x} = 3 - \sqrt{8}$$

Now, calculate $x + \frac{1}{x}$:

$$x + \frac{1}{x} = (3 + \sqrt{8}) + (3 - \sqrt{8}) = 3 + 3 = 6$$

Thus, the value of $x + \frac{1}{x}$ is:

6

(ii) $x - \frac{1}{x}$

$$x = 3 + \sqrt{8} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{x} = 3 - \sqrt{8}$$

Now, calculate $x - \frac{1}{x}$:

$$x - \frac{1}{x} = (3 + \sqrt{8}) - (3 - \sqrt{8}) = 3 + \sqrt{8} - 3 + \sqrt{8} = 2\sqrt{8}$$

Since $\sqrt{8} = 2\sqrt{2}$, we have:

$$x - \frac{1}{x} = 2 \times 2\sqrt{2} = 4\sqrt{2}$$

Thus, the value of $x - \frac{1}{x}$ is:

$4\sqrt{2}$

(iii) $x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$

$$x = 3 + \sqrt{8}$$

$$\frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{3 + \sqrt{8}} \times \frac{3 - \sqrt{8}}{3 - \sqrt{8}}$$

$$= \frac{3 - \sqrt{8}}{(3)^2 - (\sqrt{8})^2}$$

$$= \frac{3 - \sqrt{8}}{9 - 8} = \frac{3 - \sqrt{8}}{1}$$

$$\frac{1}{x} = 3 - \sqrt{8}$$

$$\text{Now, } x + \frac{1}{x} = (3 + \sqrt{8}) + (3 - \sqrt{8})$$

$$= 3 + 3 = 6$$

$$x + \frac{1}{x} = 6$$

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

$$x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} + 2 = 36$$

$$x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} + 2 = 36 - 2$$

$$x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} + 2 = 34$$

$$(iv) \quad x^2 - \frac{1}{x^2}$$

First, we square $x = 3 + \sqrt{8}$:

$$x^2 = (3 + \sqrt{8})^2$$

Expanding:

$$x^2 = 3^2 + 2(3)(\sqrt{8}) + (\sqrt{8})^2$$

$$x^2 = 9 + 6\sqrt{8} + 8$$

$$x^2 = 17 + 6\sqrt{8}$$

Now,

$$\frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{3 + \sqrt{8}} \times \frac{3 - \sqrt{8}}{3 - \sqrt{8}}$$

Now, we simplify the denominator:

$$(3 + \sqrt{8})(3 - \sqrt{8}) = 3^2 - (\sqrt{8})^2 = 9 - 8 = 1$$

$$\text{So, } \frac{1}{x} = 3 - \sqrt{8}.$$

Next, square $\frac{1}{x}$:

$$\frac{1}{x^2} = (3 - \sqrt{8})^2$$

Expanding:

$$\frac{1}{x^2} = 3^2 - 2(3)(\sqrt{8}) + (\sqrt{8})^2$$

$$\frac{1}{x^2} = 9 - 6\sqrt{8} + 8$$

$$\frac{1}{x^2} = 17 - 6\sqrt{8}$$

Now, subtract $\frac{1}{x^2}$ from x^2 :

$$x^2 - \frac{1}{x^2} = (17 + 6\sqrt{8}) - (17 - 6\sqrt{8})$$

$$x^2 - \frac{1}{x^2} = 17 + 6\sqrt{8} - 17 + 6\sqrt{8}$$

$$x^2 - \frac{1}{x^2} = 12\sqrt{8}$$

$$x^2 - \frac{1}{x^2} = 12 \times 2\sqrt{2} = 24\sqrt{2}$$

$$(v) \quad x^4 + \frac{1}{x^4}$$

First, we square $x = 3 + \sqrt{8}$:

$$x^2 = (3 + \sqrt{8})^2$$

Expanding:

$$x^2 = 3^2 + 2(3)(\sqrt{8}) + (\sqrt{8})^2$$

$$x^2 = 9 + 6\sqrt{8} + 8$$

$$x^2 = 17 + 6\sqrt{8}$$

$$\text{Now, } (x^2)^2 = (17 + 6\sqrt{8})^2$$

$$x^4 = 17^2 + 2(17)(6\sqrt{8}) + (6\sqrt{8})^2$$

$$= 289 + 204\sqrt{8} + 288$$

$$= 577 + 204\sqrt{8}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{3 + \sqrt{8}} \times \frac{3 - \sqrt{8}}{3 - \sqrt{8}}$$

Now, we simplify the denominator:

$$(3 + \sqrt{8})(3 - \sqrt{8}) = 3^2 - (\sqrt{8})^2 = 9 - 8 = 1$$

So, $\frac{1}{x} = 3 - \sqrt{8}$.

Next, square $\frac{1}{x}$:

Expanding:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{x^2} &= (3 - \sqrt{8})^2 \\ \frac{1}{x^2} &= 3^2 - 2(3)(\sqrt{8}) + (\sqrt{8})^2 \\ \frac{1}{x^2} &= 9 - 6\sqrt{8} + 8 \\ \frac{1}{x^2} &= 17 - 6\sqrt{8}\end{aligned}$$

Now;

$$\begin{aligned}\left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right)^2 &= (17 - 6\sqrt{8})^2 \\ \frac{1}{x^4} &= (17)^2 - 2(17)(6\sqrt{8}) + (6\sqrt{8})^2 \\ &= 289 - 204\sqrt{8} + 288 \\ &= 577 - 204\sqrt{8}\end{aligned}$$

Now, add x^4 and $\frac{1}{x^4}$:

$$x^4 + \frac{1}{x^4} = (577 + 204\sqrt{8}) + (577 - 204\sqrt{8})$$

$$x^4 + \frac{1}{x^4} = 577 + 577$$

$$x^4 + \frac{1}{x^4} = 1154$$

(vi) $\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right)^2$

$$x = 3 + \sqrt{8}$$

$$\frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{3 + \sqrt{8}} \times \frac{3 - \sqrt{8}}{3 - \sqrt{8}}$$

$$= \frac{3 - \sqrt{8}}{(3)^2 - (\sqrt{8})^2}$$

$$= \frac{3 - \sqrt{8}}{9 - 8}$$

$$= \frac{3 - \sqrt{8}}{1}$$

$$\frac{1}{x} = 3 - \sqrt{8}$$

Now, subtract $\frac{1}{x}$ from x :

$$x - \frac{1}{x} = (3 + \sqrt{8}) - (3 - \sqrt{8})$$

$$x - \frac{1}{x} = 3 + \sqrt{8} - 3 + \sqrt{8}$$

$$x - \frac{1}{x} = 2\sqrt{8} = 4\sqrt{2}$$

Now, square $x - \frac{1}{x}$:

$$\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right)^2 = (4\sqrt{2})^2$$

$$\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right)^2 = 16 \times 2 = 32$$

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Find the rational numbers p and q such that

$$\frac{8 - 3\sqrt{2}}{4 + 3\sqrt{2}} = p + q\sqrt{2}$$

Multiply the expression by $\frac{4 - 3\sqrt{2}}{4 - 3\sqrt{2}}$:

$$\frac{8 - 3\sqrt{2}}{4 + 3\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{4 - 3\sqrt{2}}{4 - 3\sqrt{2}} = \frac{(8 - 3\sqrt{2})(4 - 3\sqrt{2})}{(4 + 3\sqrt{2})(4 - 3\sqrt{2})}$$

The denominator is a difference of squares:

$$(4 + 3\sqrt{2})(4 - 3\sqrt{2}) = 4^2 - (3\sqrt{2})^2 = 16 - 18 = -2$$

Now, expand the numerator $(8 - 3\sqrt{2})(4 - 3\sqrt{2})$:

$$\begin{aligned}(8 - 3\sqrt{2})(4 - 3\sqrt{2}) &= 8 \cdot 4 + 8 \cdot (-3\sqrt{2}) + (-3\sqrt{2}) \cdot 4 + \\ &(-3\sqrt{2}) \cdot (-3\sqrt{2})\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 32 - 24\sqrt{2} - 12\sqrt{2} + 18 \\
 &= 32 + 18 - 36\sqrt{2} \\
 &= 50 - 36\sqrt{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

We now have:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\frac{50 - 36\sqrt{2}}{-2} \\
 &= \frac{50}{-2} - \frac{36\sqrt{2}}{-2} = -25 + 18\sqrt{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Now we have the expression:

$$-25 + 18\sqrt{2}$$

This is in the form $p + q\sqrt{2}$, where $p = -25$ and $q = 18$.

5. Simplify the following:

$$(i) \frac{(25)^{\frac{3}{2}} \times (243)^{\frac{5}{3}}}{(16)^{\frac{5}{4}} \times (8)^{\frac{4}{3}}} \quad (ii) \frac{54 \times \sqrt[3]{(27)^{2x}}}{9^{x+1} + 216(3^{2x-1})}$$

$$(iii) \sqrt{\frac{(216)^{\frac{2}{3}} \times (25)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{(0.04)^{\frac{-3}{2}}}}$$

$$(iv) \left(a^{\frac{1}{3}} + b^{\frac{2}{3}}\right) \times \left(a^{\frac{2}{3}} - a^{\frac{1}{3}}b^{\frac{2}{3}} + b^{\frac{4}{3}}\right)$$

$$(i) \frac{(25)^{\frac{3}{2}} \times (243)^{\frac{5}{3}}}{(16)^{\frac{5}{4}} \times (8)^{\frac{4}{3}}}$$

$$\text{Sol: } \frac{(25)^{\frac{3}{2}} \times (243)^{\frac{5}{3}}}{(16)^{\frac{5}{4}} \times (8)^{\frac{4}{3}}}$$

$$= \frac{(5^2)^{\frac{3}{2}} \times (3^5)^{\frac{5}{3}}}{(2^4)^{\frac{5}{4}} \times (2^3)^{\frac{4}{3}}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{5^3 \times 3^5}{2^5 \times 2^4} \\
 &= \frac{125 \times 27}{32 \times 16} \\
 &= \frac{3375}{512}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$(ii) \frac{54 \times \sqrt[3]{(27)^{2x}}}{9^{x+1} + 216(3^{2x-1})}$$

$$\text{Sol: } \frac{54 \times \sqrt[3]{(27)^{2x}}}{9^{x+1} + 216(3^{2x-1})} = \frac{54 \times \sqrt[3]{(3^3)^{2x}}}{(3^2)^{x+1} + 3^3 \times 2^3(3^{2x-1})}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{54 \times 3^{2x}}{3^{2x+2} + 2^3 \times 3^{2x+2}} \\
 &= \frac{54 \times 3^{2x}}{3^{2x+2}(1+8)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{54 \times 3^{2x}}{9 \times 3^{2x+2}} = \frac{54}{9} \times \frac{1}{3^2} = 6 \times \frac{1}{9} = \frac{6}{9} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$(iii) \sqrt{\frac{(216)^{\frac{2}{3}} \times (25)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{(0.04)^{\frac{-3}{2}}}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \sqrt{\frac{(6^3)^{\frac{2}{3}} \times (5^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\left(\frac{1}{25}\right)^{\frac{-3}{2}}}} \\
 &= \sqrt{\frac{6^2 \times 5}{25^{\frac{3}{2}}}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{36 \times 5}{125}} = \sqrt{\frac{180}{125}} = \sqrt{\frac{36}{25}} = \frac{6}{5}$$

$$(iv) \quad \left(a^{\frac{1}{3}} + b^{\frac{2}{3}}\right) \times \left(a^{\frac{2}{3}} - a^{\frac{1}{3}}b^{\frac{2}{3}} + b^{\frac{4}{3}}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol:} \quad & \left(a^{\frac{1}{3}} + b^{\frac{2}{3}}\right) \times \left(a^{\frac{2}{3}} - a^{\frac{1}{3}}b^{\frac{2}{3}} + b^{\frac{4}{3}}\right) \\ &= \left(a^{\frac{1}{3}} + b^{\frac{2}{3}}\right) \times \left[\left(a^{\frac{1}{3}}\right)^2 - \left(a^{\frac{1}{3}}\right)\left(b^{\frac{2}{3}}\right) + \left(b^{\frac{2}{3}}\right)^2\right] \\ &\therefore (x+y)(x^2-xy+y^2) = x^3+y^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\left(a^{\frac{1}{3}}\right)^3 + \left(b^{\frac{2}{3}}\right)^3 = a^{\frac{1}{3} \times 3} + b^{\frac{2}{3} \times 3} = a + b^2$$

Example 9: The sum of two real numbers is 8, and their difference is 2. Find the numbers.

Solution: Let a and b be two real numbers then

$$a + b = 8 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$a - b = 2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Add eq. (i) and eq. (ii)

$$2a = 10 \Rightarrow a = 5 \text{ put in eq. (i)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5 - b = 2 \Rightarrow -b = 2 - 5 \Rightarrow -b = -3 \Rightarrow b = 3$$

So, 5 and 3 are required real numbers

Example 10: Normal human body temperature is 98.6 F.

Convert it into Celsius and kelvin scale.

Solution: Given that $F = 98.6$

So convert it into Celsius scale, we use

$$C = \frac{5}{9}(F - 32)$$

$$C = \frac{5}{9}(98.6 - 32)$$

$$= \frac{5}{9}(66.6)$$

$$= (0.55)(66.6)$$

$$C = 37^\circ$$

Hence, normal human body temperature at Celsius scale is 37°

(i) Profit = selling Price - cost price

$$P = SP - CP$$

$$\text{Profit \%} = \left(\frac{\text{profit}}{CP} \times 100\right)\%$$

(ii) Loss = cost price - selling price

$$\text{Loss} = CP - SP$$

$$\text{Loss \%} = \left(\frac{\text{loss}}{CP} \times 100\right)\%$$

Example 11: Hamail purchased a bicycle for Rs. 6590 and sold it for 6850. Find the profit percentage.

Solution:	Cost Price	= CP = Rs. 6590
	Selling Price	= SP = Rs. 6850
	Profit	= SP - CP
		= 6850 - 6590
		= Rs 260

Now, we find the profit percentage.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Profit \%} &= \left(\frac{\text{profit}}{CP} \times 100\right)\% \\ &= \left(\frac{260 \times 100}{6590}\right)\% \\ &= 3.94\% \\ &\approx 4\% \end{aligned}$$

Example 12: Umair bought a book for Rs. 850 and sold it for Rs. 720. What was his loss percentage?

Solution:	Cost price of book	= CP = Rs. 850
	Selling price of book	= SP = Rs. 720
	Loss	= CP - SP

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 850 - 720 \\
 &= \text{Rs. } 130 \\
 \text{Loss percentage} &= \left(\frac{\text{Loss}}{\text{CP}} \times 100 \right) \% \\
 &= \left(\frac{130}{850} \times 100 \right) \% \\
 &= 15.29\%
 \end{aligned}$$

Example 13: Saleem, Nadeem, and Tanveer earned a profit of Rs. 4,50,000 from a business. If their investments in the business are the ratio 4: 7: 14, find each person's profit.

Solution: Profit earned = Rs. 4,50,000
 Given ratio = 4: 7: 14
 Sum of ratio = 4 + 7 + 1 = 25

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Saleem earned profit} &= \frac{4}{25} \times 4,50,000 \\
 &= \text{Rs. } 72,000
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Nadeem earned profit} &= \frac{7}{25} \times 4,50,000 \\
 &= \text{Rs. } 126,000
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Tanveer earned profit} &= \frac{14}{25} \times 4,50,000 \\
 &= \text{Rs. } 252,000
 \end{aligned}$$

Example 14: If the simple profit on Rs. 6400 for 12 years is Rs. 3840. Find the rate of profit.

Solution: Principal = Rs. 6400
 Simple profit = Rs. 3840
 Time = 12 years

To find the rate we use the following formula

$$\text{Rate} = \frac{\text{amount of profit} \times 100}{\text{time} \times \text{principal}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{3840 \times 100}{12 \times 6400} \\
 &= 5\%
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, rate of profit is 5%

EXERCISE 1.3

1. The sum of three consecutive integers is forty-two, find three integers.

Solution: Let the three consecutive integers be:

$$x, x + 1, x + 2$$

The sum of these integers is 42:

$$x + (x + 1) + (x + 2) = 42$$

Simplifying the equation:

$$3x + 3 = 42$$

Now, subtract 3 from both sides:

$$3x = 39$$

Now, divide by 3:

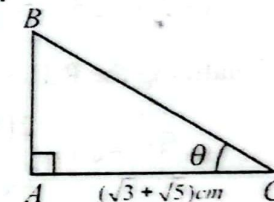
$$x = 13$$

So, the three consecutive integers are:

$$13, 14, 15$$

Thus, the three integers are 13, 14, and 15.

2. The diagram shows right angled $\triangle ABC$ in which the length of AC is $(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5})$ cm. The area of $\triangle ABC$ is $(1 + \sqrt{15})$ cm². Find the length AB in the



form $(a\sqrt{3} + b\sqrt{5})$ cm where a and b are integers.

Solution: Given:

- Triangle $\triangle ABC$, where $AC = \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5}$ cm.
- Area of $\triangle ABC = 1 + \sqrt{15}$ cm².
- AB is to be expressed as $AB = a\sqrt{3} + b\sqrt{5}$ cm, where a and b are integers.

Step-by-Step Solution:

1. Formula for the area of the triangle:

The area of a triangle can be written as:

$$\frac{1}{2} AC \cdot AB$$

$$\text{Angle } A = 90^\circ$$

$$\text{Angle } A = \theta$$

$$\overline{AC} = \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5}$$

$$AB = a\sqrt{3} + b\sqrt{5}$$

$$\text{Area} = 1 + \sqrt{15}$$

a and b are to be determined.

$$\text{Area of } \triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} AC \times AB$$

$$\frac{1}{2} AC \times AB = 1 + \sqrt{15}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5}) (a\sqrt{3} + b\sqrt{5}) = 1 + \sqrt{15}$$

$$a\sqrt{3} + b\sqrt{5} = \frac{2(1 + \sqrt{15})}{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5}}$$

Rationalizing the R.H.S

$$\begin{aligned} a\sqrt{3} + b\sqrt{5} &= \frac{2(1 + \sqrt{15})(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5})}{(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5})(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5})} \\ &= \frac{2(1 + \sqrt{15})(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5})}{3 - 5} \\ &= \frac{2(1 + \sqrt{15})(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5})}{-2} \end{aligned}$$

$$a\sqrt{3} + b\sqrt{5} = -(1 + \sqrt{15})(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5})$$

$$\begin{aligned} a\sqrt{3} + b\sqrt{5} &= -(1 + \sqrt{15})(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5}) \\ &= -[\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5} + 3\sqrt{5} - 5\sqrt{3}] \\ &= -[2\sqrt{5} - 4\sqrt{3}] \\ &= -2\sqrt{5} + 4\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$a\sqrt{3} + b\sqrt{5} = 4\sqrt{3} - 2\sqrt{5}$$

Comparing the coefficients of $\sqrt{3}$ and $\sqrt{5}$ we get $a = 4$; $b = -2$

3. A rectangle has sides of length $(2 + \sqrt{18})m$ and $(5 - \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}})m$.

Express the area of the rectangle in the form $a + b\sqrt{2}$ where a and b are integers.

Sol: Problem Statement:

We are given a rectangle with sides of length:

- $(2 + \sqrt{18})$ meters and
- $(5 - \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}})$ meters.

We are asked to find the area of the rectangle in the form $a + b\sqrt{2}$, where a and b are integers.

Step 1: Simplify the lengths of the sides

FIRST SIDE: $2 + \sqrt{18}$

We can simplify $\sqrt{18}$ as:

$$\sqrt{18} = \sqrt{9 \times 2} = \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{2} = 3\sqrt{2}$$

So, the first side becomes:

$$2 + \sqrt{18} = 2 + 3\sqrt{2}$$

SECOND SIDE: $5 - \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}}$

To simplify $\frac{4}{\sqrt{2}}$, multiply both the numerator and denominator by $\sqrt{2}$:

$$\frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{2} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

So, the second side becomes:

$$5 - \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} = 5 - 2\sqrt{2}$$

Step 2: Find the area of the rectangle

The area A of the rectangle is the product of its two sides:

$$A = (2 + 3\sqrt{2}) \times (5 - 2\sqrt{2})$$

We now expand this expression using the distributive property (FOIL method):

$$A = 2 \times 5 + 2 \times (-2\sqrt{2}) + 3\sqrt{2} \times 5 + 3\sqrt{2} \times (-2\sqrt{2})$$

Let's simplify each term:

- $2 \times 5 = 10$
- $2 \times (-2\sqrt{2}) = -4\sqrt{2}$
- $3\sqrt{2} \times 5 = 15\sqrt{2}$
- $3\sqrt{2} \times (-2\sqrt{2}) = -6 \times 2 = -12$

Now combine all the terms:

$$A = 10 - 4\sqrt{2} + 15\sqrt{2} - 12$$

Step 3: Combine like terms

- The constant terms: $10 - 12 = -2$
- The terms with $\sqrt{2}$: $-4\sqrt{2} + 15\sqrt{2} = 11\sqrt{2}$

Thus, the area is:

$$A = -2 + 11\sqrt{2}$$

4. Find two numbers whose sum is 68 and difference is 22.

Sol: Problem Statement:

We need to find two numbers whose sum is 68 and whose difference is 22. Let's denote these two numbers by x and y . We have the following two equations:

- $x + y = 68$ (Equation 1: The sum of the numbers is 68)
- $x - y = 22$ (Equation 2: The difference of the numbers is 22)

Step 1: Add the two equations

To eliminate y , we can add Equation 1 and Equation 2 together.

This will help us solve for x .

$$(x + y) + (x - y) = 68 + 22$$

Simplifying both sides:

$$x + x = 90$$

$$2x = 90$$

Now, solve for x :

$$x = \frac{90}{2} = 45$$

Step 2: Substitute $x = 45$ into Equation 1

Now that we have $x = 45$, we can substitute this value into Equation 1 to solve for y .

$$x + y = 68$$

Substituting $x = 45$:

$$45 + y = 68$$

Solve for y :

$$y = 68 - 45 = 23$$

5. The weather in Lahore was unusually warm during the summer of 2024. The TV news reported temperatures as high as 48°C . By using the formula,

$(F = \frac{9}{5}C + 32)$ find the temperature as Fahrenheit scale.

$$\text{Sol: } F = \frac{9}{5}C + 32$$

Given:

The temperature in Lahore during the summer of 2024 is 48°C .

Step 1: Plug the given value of $C = 48$ into the formula

$$F = \frac{9}{5}(48) + 32$$

Step 2: Calculate the value of $\frac{9}{5} \times 48$

$$\frac{9}{5} \times 48 = \frac{432}{5} = 86.4$$

Step 3: Add 32 to 86.4

$$F = 86.4 + 32 = 118.4$$

6. The sum of the ages of the father and son is 72. Six years ago the father's age was 2 times the age of the son. What was Son's age six years ago?

Sol: Let the present age of the father be F and the present age of the son be S .

Given:

- The sum of their ages is 72:
 $F + S = 72$ (Equation 1)
- Six years ago, the father's age was twice the son's age:
 $F - 6 = 2(S - 6)$ (Equation 2)

Step 1: Solve the system of equations

FROM EQUATION 1:

$$F + S = 72$$

Solving for F :

$$F = 72 - S$$

SUBSTITUTE $F = 72 - S$ INTO EQUATION 2:

$$72 - S - 6 = 2(S - 6)$$

Simplifying:

$$66 - S = 2(S - 6)$$

$$66 - S = 2S - 12$$

Now, solve for S :

$$66 + 12 = 2S + S$$

$$78 = 3S$$

$$S = \frac{78}{3} = 26$$

Step 2: Find the Father's current age

Now that we know the son's age, we can substitute $S = 26$ into Equation 1:

$$F + 26 = 72$$

$$F = 72 - 26 = 46$$

Step 3: Find the Son's age 6 years ago

The son's current age is 26, so 6 years ago:

$$S - 6 = 26 - 6 = 20$$

7. Mirha bought a toy for Rs. 1500 and sold for Rs. 1520. What was her profit percentage?

Sol:

$$C. P = 1500$$

$$S. P = 1520$$

$$\text{Profit \%} = 20$$

$$\text{Profit \%} = \frac{20 \times 100}{1500} = \frac{20}{15} = \frac{4}{3} = 1.33\%$$

8. The annual income of Tayyab is Rs. 9,60,000, while the exempted amount is Rs. 1,30,000. How much tax would he have to pay at the rate of 0.75%.

Sol: Given:

- Annual income of Tayyab = Rs. 9,60,000
- Exempted amount = Rs. 1,30,000
- Tax rate = 0.75%

Step 1: Calculate the taxable income

Taxable income is calculated by subtracting the exempted amount from the total income.

$$\text{Taxable Income} = \text{Annual Income} - \text{Exempted Amount}$$

$$\text{Taxable Income} = 9,60,000 - 1,30,000$$

$$\text{Taxable Income} = \text{Rs. } 8,30,000$$

Step 2: Calculate the tax to be paid

The tax is calculated at a rate of 0.75% on the taxable income.

$$\text{Tax} = \frac{0.75}{100} \times \text{Taxable Income}$$

$$\text{Tax} = \frac{0.75}{100} \times 8,30,000$$

$$\text{Tax} = 0.0075 \times 8,30,000$$

$$\text{Tax} = \text{Rs. } 6,225$$

9. Find the compound markup on Rs. 3,75,000 for one year at the rate of 14% compounded annually.

Sol: To calculate the compound markup on Rs. 3,75,000 at a rate of 14% compounded annually for one year, we can use the formula for compound interest:

$$A = P \left(1 + \frac{r}{100}\right)^n$$

Given:

- $P = 3,75,000$ (principal amount)
- $r = 14\%$ (interest rate)
- $n = 1$ year (since the interest is compounded for one year)

Step 1: Substitute the values into the compound interest formula:

$$A = 3,75,000 \left(1 + \frac{14}{100}\right)^1$$

$$A = 3,75,000(1 + 0.14)$$

$$A = 3,75,000 \times 1.14$$

Step 2: Calculate the amount after one year:

$$A = 3,75,000 \times 1.14 = 4,27,500$$

Step 3: Calculate the compound markup:

The compound markup is the difference between the final amount and the principal:

$$\text{Compound Markup} = A - P$$

$$\text{Compound Markup} = 4,27,500 - 3,75,000$$

$$\text{Compound Markup} = 52,500$$

REVIEW EXERCISE

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1. Choose the correct option.

- (i) $\sqrt{7}$ is:
 (a) Integer (b) Rational number
 (c) Irrational number (d) Natural number
- (ii) π and e are:
 (a) Natural number (b) Integers
 (c) Rational number (d) Irrational number
- (iii) If n is not a perfect square then \sqrt{n} is:
 (a) Rational number (b) Natural number
 (c) Integer (d) Irrational number
- (iv) $\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5}$ is:
 (a) Whole number (b) Integer
 (c) Rational number (d) Irrational number
- (v) For all $x \in R$, $x = x$ is called:
 (a) Reflexive property (b) Transitive number
 (c) Symmetric property (d) Trichotomy property
- (vi) Let $a, b, c \in R$ then $a > b$ and $b > c \Rightarrow a > c$ is called _____ property.
 (a) Trichotomy (b) Transitive
 (c) Additive (d) Multiplicative
- (vii) $2^x \times 8^x = 64$ then $x =$
 (a) $\frac{3}{2}$ (b) $\frac{3}{4}$
 (c) $\frac{5}{6}$ (d) $\frac{2}{3}$
- (viii) Let $a, b \in R$ then $a = b$ and $b = a$ is called _____ property.
 (a) Reflexive (b) Symmetric
 (c) Transitive (d) Additive
- (ix) $\sqrt{75} + \sqrt{27} =$
 (a) $\sqrt{102}$ (b) $9\sqrt{3}$

(c) $5\sqrt{3}$ (d) $8\sqrt{3}$

(x) The product of $(3+\sqrt{5})(3-\sqrt{5})$ is:

- (a) Prime number (b) odd number
(c) Irrational number (d) Rational number

Answers:

(i)	c	(ii)	d	(iii)	d	(iv)	d	(v)	a
(vi)	b	(vii)	a	(viii)	a	(ix)	d	(x)	d

2. If $a = \frac{3}{2}$, $b = \frac{5}{3}$ and $c = \frac{7}{5}$, then verify that

(i) $a(b+c) = ab+ac$ (ii) $(a+b)c = ac+bc$

We are given:

$$a = \frac{3}{2}, \quad b = \frac{5}{3}, \quad c = \frac{7}{5}$$

(i) Verify $a(b+c) = ab+ac$

L.H.S $a(b+c)$

First, calculate $b+c$:

$$b+c = \frac{5}{3} + \frac{7}{5}$$

$$b+c = \frac{25+21}{15}$$

$$b+c = \frac{46}{15}$$

Now, multiply by a :

$$a(b+c) = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{46}{15}$$

$$a(b+c) = \frac{3 \times 46}{2 \times 15} = \frac{138}{30} = \frac{23}{5} \dots (A)$$

R.H.S: $ab+ac$

Now, calculate ab and ac .

First, calculate ab : $ab = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{5}{3}$

$$ab = \frac{15}{6} = \frac{5}{2}$$

Next, calculate ac :

$$ac = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{7}{5}$$

$$ac = \frac{21}{10}$$

Now, add ab and ac :

$$ab+ac = \frac{5}{2} + \frac{21}{10}$$

$$= \frac{25+21}{10} = \frac{46}{10} = \frac{23}{5} \dots (B)$$

Thus, the first equation is verified: $a(b+c) = ab+ac$.

(ii) Verify $(a+b)c = ac+bc$

L.H.S: $(a+b)c$

First, calculate $a+b$:

$$a+b = \frac{3}{2} + \frac{5}{3} = \frac{9+10}{6} = \frac{19}{6}$$

Now, multiply by c :

$$(a+b)c = \frac{19}{6} \times \frac{7}{5}$$

$$(a+b)c = \frac{19 \times 7}{6 \times 5} = \frac{133}{30}$$

R.H.S: $ac+bc$

Now, calculate ac and bc .

First, calculate ac :

$$ac = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{7}{5} = \frac{21}{10}$$

Next, calculate bc :

$$bc = \frac{5}{3} \times \frac{7}{5} = \frac{35}{15} = \frac{7}{3}$$

Now, add ac and bc :

$$ac+bc = \frac{21}{10} + \frac{7}{3}$$

$$= \frac{63+70}{30} = \frac{133}{30}$$

Thus, the second equation is also verified: $(a + b)c = ac + bc$.

3. If $a = \frac{4}{3}, b = \frac{5}{2}, c = \frac{7}{4}$, Then, verify the Associative property of real numbers. w.r.t addition and multiplication.

Sol: $a = \frac{4}{3}, b = \frac{5}{2}, c = \frac{7}{4}$

- (i) **Associative Property of Addition:**

The associative property of addition states:

$$(a + b) + c = a + (b + c)$$

L.H.S: $(a + b) + c$

First, calculate $a + b$:

$$\begin{aligned} a + b &= \frac{4}{3} + \frac{5}{2} \\ &= \frac{8 + 15}{6} = \frac{23}{6} \end{aligned}$$

Now, add c to this result:

$$\begin{aligned} (a + b) + c &= \frac{23}{6} + \frac{7}{4} \\ &= \frac{46 + 21}{12} = \frac{67}{12} \end{aligned}$$

R.H.S: $a + (b + c)$

First, calculate $b + c$:

$$\begin{aligned} b + c &= \frac{5}{2} + \frac{7}{4} \\ &= \frac{10 + 7}{4} = \frac{17}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Now, add a to this result:

$$\begin{aligned} a + (b + c) &= \frac{4}{3} + \frac{17}{4} \\ &= \frac{16 + 51}{12} = \frac{67}{12} \end{aligned}$$

Conclusion:

Both sides are equal:

$$(a + b) + c = a + (b + c) = \frac{67}{12}$$

Thus, the associative property of addition is verified.

- (ii) **Associative Property of Multiplication:**

The associative property of multiplication states:

$$(a \times b) \times c = a \times (b \times c)$$

L.H.S: $(a \times b) \times c$

First, calculate $a \times b$:

$$\begin{aligned} a \times b &= \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{5}{2} \\ &= \frac{20}{6} = \frac{10}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Now, multiply this result by c :

$$\begin{aligned} (a \times b) \times c &= \frac{10}{3} \times \frac{7}{4} \\ &= \frac{70}{12} = \frac{35}{6} \end{aligned}$$

R.H.S: $a \times (b \times c)$

First, calculate $b \times c$:

$$b \times c = \frac{5}{2} \times \frac{7}{4} = \frac{35}{8}$$

Now, multiply a by this result:

$$a \times (b \times c) = \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{35}{8} = \frac{140}{24} = \frac{35}{6}$$

Conclusion:

Both sides are equal:

$$(a \times b) \times c = a \times (b \times c) = \frac{35}{6}$$

Thus, the associative property of multiplication is verified.

4. **Is 0 a rational number? Explain.**

Ans. Yes, 0 is a rational number.

Explanation:

A rational number is any number that can be expressed in the form:

$$\frac{p}{q}, \text{ where } p \text{ and } q \text{ are integers, and } q \neq 0.$$

For 0:

- It can be written as $\frac{0}{q}$, where $q \neq 0$.

For example:

$$0 = \frac{0}{1}, \quad 0 = \frac{0}{-5}, \quad 0 = \frac{0}{10}, \text{ and so on.}$$

Since 0 satisfies the condition of being expressible as a fraction with an integer numerator (0) and a non-zero integer denominator (q), it is classified as a **rational number**.

5. State trichotomy property of real numbers.

Ans. The **Trichotomy Property** of real numbers states:

For any two real numbers a and b , exactly one of the following three statements is true:

- $a < b$ (i.e., a is less than b),
- $a = b$ (i.e., a is equal to b),
- $a > b$ (i.e., a is greater than b).

This property ensures that any two real numbers can be compared, and there is no overlap or ambiguity in their relationship.

6. Find two rational numbers between 4 and 5.

Solution:

Two rational numbers between 4 and 5.

$$\text{Average of 4 and 5} = \frac{4+5}{2} = \frac{9}{2}$$

$$\text{Average of } \frac{9}{2} \text{ and 5} = \left(\frac{9}{2} + 5\right) \div 2$$

$$= \left(\frac{9+10}{2}\right) \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{19}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{19}{4}$$

Thus, two rational numbers between 4 and 5 are $\frac{9}{2}$ and $\frac{19}{4}$.

7.

Simplify the following:

$$(i) \sqrt[5]{\frac{x^{15}y^{35}}{z^{20}}}$$

$$(ii) \sqrt[3]{(27)^{2x}}$$

$$(iii) \frac{6(3)^{n+2}}{3^{n+1}-3^n}$$

Problem (i): Simplify

$$\sqrt[5]{\frac{x^{15}y^{35}}{z^{20}}}$$

SOLUTION:

The fifth root simplifies as:

$$\sqrt[5]{\frac{x^{15}y^{35}}{z^{20}}} = \frac{\sqrt[5]{x^{15}} \cdot \sqrt[5]{y^{35}}}{\sqrt[5]{z^{20}}}$$

Using the property $\sqrt[n]{a^m} = a^{\frac{m}{n}}$:

$$\sqrt[5]{x^{15}} = x^{\frac{15}{5}} = x^3, \quad \sqrt[5]{y^{35}} = y^{\frac{35}{5}} = y^7, \quad \sqrt[5]{z^{20}} = z^{\frac{20}{5}} = z^4.$$

Thus:

$$\sqrt[5]{\frac{x^{15}y^{35}}{z^{20}}} = \frac{x^3y^7}{z^4}$$

Answer:

Problem (ii): Simplify

$$\sqrt[3]{(27)^{2x}}$$

SOLUTION:

The cube root simplifies as:

$$\sqrt[3]{(27)^{2x}} = (27^{2x})^{\frac{1}{3}} = 27^{\frac{2x}{3}}$$

Express 27 as 3^3 :

$$27^{\frac{2x}{3}} = (3^3)^{\frac{2x}{3}}$$

Using the property $(a^m)^n = a^{m \cdot n}$:

$$(3^3)^{\frac{2x}{3}} = 3^{3 \cdot \frac{2x}{3}} = 3^{2x}.$$

Answer:

$$3^{2x}.$$

Problem (iii): Simplify

$$\frac{6 \cdot 3^{n+2}}{3^{n+1} - 3^n}.$$

SOLUTION:

$$\frac{6 \cdot 3^{n+2}}{3^{n+1} - 3^n}.$$

$$= \frac{6 \cdot 3^{n+2}}{3^n \cdot 3 - 3^n}$$

$$= \frac{6 \cdot 3^{n+2}}{3^n(3-1)}$$

$$= \frac{6 \cdot 3^{n+2}}{3^n \cdot 2}$$

$$= 3 \cdot 3^{(n+2)-n} = 3 \cdot 3^2 = 3 \cdot 9 = 27.$$

Answer: 27.

8. The sum of three consecutive odd integers is 51. Find the integers.

Let the three consecutive odd integers be x , $x + 2$, and $x + 4$.
The sum of the three integers is given as 51:

$$x + (x + 2) + (x + 4) = 51.$$

$$x + x + 2 + x + 4 = 51,$$

$$3x + 6 = 51.$$

Subtract 6 from both sides:

$$3x = 45.$$

Divide both sides by 3:

$$x = 15.$$

The three integers are: $x = 15$, $x + 2 = 17$, $x + 4 = 19$.

Sum the three integers:

$$15 + 17 + 19 = 51.$$

This is correct.

Final Answer: 1

The three consecutive odd integers are:

15, 17, and 19.

9. Abdullah picked up 96 balls and placed them into two buckets. One bucket has twenty-eight more balls than the other bucket. How many balls are in each bucket?

Let the number of balls in the smaller bucket be x .

Then the number of balls in the larger bucket will be $x + 28$, as it has 28 more balls than the smaller bucket.

The total number of balls in the two buckets is 96:

$$x + (x + 28) = 96.$$

Combine like terms:

$$x + x + 28 = 96,$$

$$2x + 28 = 96.$$

Subtract 28 from both sides:

$$2x = 68.$$

Divide both sides by 2:

$$x = 34.$$

The smaller bucket has $x = 34$ balls.

The larger bucket has $x + 28 = 34 + 28 = 62$ balls.

The smaller bucket has 34 balls, and the larger bucket has 62 balls.

- Q.10. Salma invested Rs. 3,50,000 in a bank which paid simple profit at a rate $7\frac{1}{4}\%$ per annum. After 2 years, the

rate was increased to 8% per annum. Find the amount she has at the end of 7 years.

Sol. $P = \text{Rs. } 3,50,000$

$$R = 7\frac{1}{4}\% \text{ or } 7.25\%$$

$$T = 2 \text{ years}$$

We know that

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Profit} &= P \times T \times R \\ &= 350,000 \times 2 \times 7.25\% \\ &= 700,000 \times \frac{7.25}{100} \\ &= 700,000 \times \frac{725}{100 \times 100} \\ &= 70 \times 725 \\ &= \text{Rs. } 50,750\end{aligned}$$

Step (II): Finding the profit for 5 years

$$P = \text{Rs. } 350,000$$

$$R = 8\%$$

$$T = 5 \text{ years}$$

We know that

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Profit} &= P \times T \times R \\ &= 350,000 \times 5 \times 8\% \\ &= 1,750,000 \times \frac{8}{100} \\ &= \text{Rs. } 140,000\end{aligned}$$

Step (III): Finding the total profit:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Total profit} &= \text{Rs. } (50,750 + 140,000) \\ &= \text{Rs. } 190,750\end{aligned}$$

Step (IV): Finding the total amount:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Total amount at the end of 7 years} \\ &= \text{Rs. } 350,000 + 190,750 \\ &= \text{Rs. } 540,750\end{aligned}$$