

Chapter 5: Fractions

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Write the proper number in the box.

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{\square}{20}$$

SOLUTION

Here $20 = 2 \times 10$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1 \times 10}{2 \times 10} = \frac{10}{20}$$

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Write the proper number in the box.

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

SOLUTION

Here $15 = 3 \times 5$

$$\therefore \frac{3}{4} = \frac{3 \times 5}{4 \times 5} = \frac{15}{20}$$

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Write the proper number in the box.

$$\frac{9}{11} = \frac{18}{\square}$$

SOLUTION

Here $18 = 9 \times 2$

$$\text{hence } \frac{9}{11} = \frac{9 \times 2}{11 \times 2} = \frac{18}{22}$$

Write the proper number in the box.

$$\frac{10}{40} = \frac{\square}{8}$$

SOLUTION

Here $40 \div 5 = 8$,

$$\text{hence, } \frac{10}{40} = \frac{10 \div 5}{40 \div 5} = \frac{2}{8}$$

Write the proper number in the box.

$$\frac{14}{26} = \frac{\square}{13}$$

SOLUTION

Here $26 \div 2 = 13$,

$$\text{hence, } \frac{14}{26} = \frac{14 \div 2}{26 \div 2} = \frac{7}{13}$$

Write the proper number in the box.

$$\frac{\square}{3} = \frac{4}{6}$$

SOLUTION

Here $6 \div 2 = 3$,

$$\text{hence, } \frac{4 + 4}{6 \div 2} = \frac{2}{3}$$

Write the proper number in the box.

$$\frac{1}{\square} = \frac{4}{20}$$

SOLUTION

Here $4 + 4 = 1$,

$$\text{hence, } \frac{4}{20} = \frac{4 + 4}{20 + 4} = \frac{1}{5}$$

Write the proper number in the box.

$$\frac{\square}{5} = \frac{10}{25}$$

SOLUTION

Here $25 \div 5 = 5$

$$\text{hence, } \frac{10}{25} = \frac{10 \div 5}{25 \div 5} = \frac{2}{5}$$

Find an equivalent fraction with denominator 18, for the following fraction.
 $\frac{1}{2}$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1 \times 9}{2 \times 9} = \frac{9}{18}$$

Find an equivalent fraction with denominator 18, for the following fraction.
 $\frac{2}{3}$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{2}{3} = \frac{2 \times 6}{3 \times 6} = \frac{12}{18}$$

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Find an equivalent fraction with denominator 18, for the following fraction.
4/6

SOLUTION

$$\frac{4}{6} = \frac{4 \times 3}{6 \times 3} = \frac{12}{18}$$

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Find an equivalent fraction with denominator 18, for the following fraction.
2/9

SOLUTION

$$\frac{2}{9} = \frac{2 \times 2}{9 \times 2} = \frac{4}{18}$$

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Find an equivalent fraction with denominator 18, for the following fraction.
7/9

SOLUTION

$$\frac{7}{9} = \frac{7 \times 2}{9 \times 2} = \frac{14}{18}$$

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Find an equivalent fraction with denominator 18, for the following fraction.
5/3

SOLUTION

$$\frac{5}{3} = \frac{5 \times 6}{3 \times 6} = \frac{30}{18}$$

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Find an equivalent fraction with denominator 5, for the following fraction.
6/15

SOLUTION

$$\frac{6}{15} = \frac{\square}{5}$$

$$15 \div 3 = 5 \text{ Hence } \frac{6}{15} = \frac{6 \div 3}{15 \div 3} = \frac{2}{5}$$

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Find an equivalent fraction with denominator 5, for the following fraction.
10/25

SOLUTION

$$\frac{10}{25} = \frac{\square}{5}$$

$$25 \div 5 = 5, \text{ Hence } \frac{10}{25} = \frac{10 \div 5}{25 \div 5} = \frac{2}{5}$$

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Find an equivalent fraction with denominator 5, for the following fraction.
12/30

SOLUTION

$$\frac{12}{30} = \frac{\square}{5}$$

$$30 \div 6 = 5 \text{ Hence } \frac{12}{30} = \frac{12 \div 6}{30 \div 6} = \frac{2}{5}$$

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Find an equivalent fraction with denominator 5, for the following fraction.

6/10

SOLUTION

$$\frac{6}{10} = \frac{\square}{5}$$

$$10+2=5, \text{ Hence, } \frac{6}{10} = \frac{6+2}{10+2} = \frac{3}{5}$$

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Find an equivalent fraction with denominator 5, for the following fraction.

21/35

SOLUTION

$$\frac{21}{35} = \frac{\square}{5}$$

$$35+7 = 5,$$

$$\text{Hence, } \frac{21}{35} = \frac{21+7}{35+7} = \frac{3}{5}$$

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From the fraction given below, pair off the equivalent fraction.

$$\frac{2}{3}, \frac{5}{7}, \frac{5}{11}, \frac{7}{9}, \frac{14}{18}, \frac{15}{33}, \frac{18}{27}, \frac{10}{14}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{2}{3} = \frac{18}{27}; \frac{5}{7} = \frac{10}{14}; \frac{5}{11} = \frac{15}{33}; \frac{7}{9} = \frac{14}{18}$$

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Find two equivalent fraction for the following fraction.

7/9

SOLUTION

$$\frac{7}{9} = \frac{7 \times 2}{9 \times 2} = \frac{14}{18}, \frac{7}{9} = \frac{7 \times 4}{9 \times 4} = \frac{28}{36}$$

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Find two equivalent fraction for the following fraction.

$\frac{4}{5}$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{4}{5} = \frac{4 \times 3}{5 \times 3} = \frac{12}{15}, \frac{4}{5} = \frac{4 \times 5}{5 \times 5} = \frac{20}{25}$$

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Find two equivalent fraction for the following fraction.

$\frac{3}{11}$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{3}{11} = \frac{3 \times 8}{11 \times 8} = \frac{24}{88}, \frac{3}{11} = \frac{3 \times 3}{11 \times 3} = \frac{9}{33}$$

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Convert the given fraction into a like fraction.

$$\frac{3}{4}, \frac{5}{8}$$

SOLUTION

8 is the multiple of 4

So, make 8, the common denominator

$$\frac{3}{4} = \frac{3 \times 2}{4 \times 2} = \frac{6}{8},$$

Thus $\frac{6}{8}$ and $\frac{5}{8}$ are the required like fractions.

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Convert the given fraction into a like fraction.

$$\frac{3}{5}, \frac{3}{7}$$

SOLUTION

The number 35 is a multiple of both 5 and 7

So, making 35 as the common denominator

$$\frac{3}{5} = \frac{3 \times 7}{5 \times 7} = \frac{21}{35}, \quad \frac{3}{7} = \frac{3 \times 5}{7 \times 5} = \frac{15}{35}$$

Therefore, $\frac{21}{35}$ and $\frac{15}{35}$ are required like fractions.

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Convert the given fraction into like fraction.

$$\frac{4}{5}, \frac{3}{10}$$

SOLUTION

Here 10 is the multiples of 5. So make 10 as the common denominator

$$\frac{4}{5} = \frac{4 \times 2}{5 \times 2} = \frac{8}{10}$$

Thus $\frac{8}{10}$ and $\frac{3}{10}$ are required like fractions.

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Convert the given fraction into a like fraction.

$$\frac{2}{9}, \frac{1}{6}$$

SOLUTION

The least common multiple of 9 and 6 is 18. So, make 18 as the common denominator.

$$\frac{2}{9} = \frac{2 \times 2}{9 \times 2} = \frac{4}{18}, \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1 \times 3}{6 \times 3} = \frac{3}{18}$$

Thus $\frac{4}{18}$ and $\frac{3}{18}$ are the required like fractions.

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Convert the given fraction into a like a fraction.

$$\frac{1}{4}, \frac{2}{3}$$

SOLUTION

Least common multiple of 4 and 3 is 12 So, make 12 as common denominator

$$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{1 \times 3}{4 \times 3} = \frac{3}{12}, \frac{2}{3} = \frac{2 \times 4}{3 \times 4} = \frac{8}{12}$$

So, $\frac{3}{12}, \frac{8}{12}$ are required like fractions.

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Convert the given fraction into a like fraction.

$$\frac{5}{6}, \frac{4}{5}$$

SOLUTION

The least common multiple of 6 and 5 is 30 So, make 30 as the common denominator

$$\frac{5}{6} = \frac{5 \times 5}{6 \times 5} = \frac{25}{30}, \frac{4}{5} = \frac{4 \times 6}{5 \times 6} = \frac{24}{30}$$

So, $\frac{25}{30}, \frac{24}{30}$ are required like fractions.

Convert the given fraction into a like fraction.

$$\frac{3}{8}, \frac{1}{6}$$

SOLUTION

The least common multiple of 8 and 6 is 24 So, make 24 as the common denominator.

$$\frac{3}{8} = \frac{3 \times 3}{8 \times 3} = \frac{9}{24}, \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1 \times 4}{6 \times 4} = \frac{4}{24}$$

So, $\frac{9}{24}, \frac{4}{24}$ are required like fractions.

Convert the given fraction into a like fraction.

$$\frac{1}{6}, \frac{4}{9}$$

SOLUTION

The least common multiple of 6 and 9 is 18 So, make 18 as the common denominator

$$\frac{1}{6} = \frac{1 \times 3}{6 \times 3} = \frac{3}{18}, \frac{4}{9} = \frac{4 \times 2}{9 \times 2} = \frac{8}{18}$$

So, $\frac{3}{18}$ and $\frac{8}{18}$ are the required like fractions.

PROBLEM SET 19 [PAGE 26]

Write the proper symbol from < , > , or = in the box.

$$\frac{3}{7} \square \frac{3}{7}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{3}{7} = \frac{3}{7}$$

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Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{3}{8} \square \frac{2}{8}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{3}{8} > \frac{2}{8}$$

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Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{2}{11} \square \frac{10}{11}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{2}{11} < \frac{10}{11}$$

Problem Set 19 | Q 4 | Page 26

Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{5}{15} \square \frac{10}{30}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{5}{15} = \frac{10}{30}$$

Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{5}{8} \square \frac{5}{9}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{5}{8} > \frac{5}{9}$$

Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{4}{7} \square \frac{4}{11}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{4}{7} > \frac{4}{11}$$

Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{10}{11} \square \frac{10}{13}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{10}{11} > \frac{10}{13}$$

Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{1}{5} \square \frac{1}{9}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{1}{5} > \frac{1}{9}$$

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Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{5}{6} \square \frac{1}{8}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{5}{6} \square \frac{1}{8} \text{ converting into like fractions.}$$

$$\frac{5}{6} = \frac{5 \times 4}{6 \times 4} = \frac{20}{24}, \frac{1}{8} = \frac{1 \times 3}{8 \times 3} = \frac{3}{24}, \frac{20}{24} > \frac{3}{24}$$

$$\text{so, } \frac{5}{6} > \frac{1}{8}$$

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Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{5}{12} \square \frac{1}{6}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{5}{12} \square \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\frac{1}{6} = \frac{1 \times 2}{6 \times 2} = \frac{2}{12}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{5}{12} > \frac{2}{12}$$

$$\text{so, } \frac{5}{12} > \frac{1}{6}$$

Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{7}{8} \square \frac{14}{16}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{7}{8} = \frac{7 \times 2}{8 \times 2} = \frac{14}{16}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{14}{16} = \frac{14}{16}$$

$$\text{So, } \frac{7}{8} = \frac{14}{16}$$

Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{4}{9} \square \frac{4}{9}$$

SOLUTION

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

Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{5}{18} \square \frac{1}{9}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{5}{18} \square \frac{1}{9}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{1}{9} = \frac{1 \times 2}{9 \times 2} = \frac{2}{18}$$

$$\text{so, } \frac{5}{18} > \frac{1}{9}$$

Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{2}{3} \square \frac{4}{7}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{2}{3} \square \frac{4}{7}$$
$$\frac{2}{3} = \frac{2 \times 7}{3 \times 7} = \frac{14}{21}, \quad \frac{4}{7} = \frac{4 \times 3}{7 \times 3} = \frac{12}{21}$$

Since, $\frac{14}{21} > \frac{12}{21}$

so, $\frac{2}{3} > \frac{4}{7}$

Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{3}{7} \square \frac{5}{9}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{3}{7} \square \frac{5}{9}$$
$$\frac{3}{7} = \frac{3 \times 9}{7 \times 9} = \frac{27}{63} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{5}{9} = \frac{5 \times 7}{9 \times 7} = \frac{35}{63}$$

since $\frac{27}{63} < \frac{35}{63}$

so, $\frac{3}{7} < \frac{5}{9}$

Write the proper symbol from $<$, $>$, or $=$ in the box.

$$\frac{4}{11} \square \frac{1}{5}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{4}{11} \square \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\frac{4}{11} = \frac{4 \times 5}{11 \times 5} = \frac{20}{55} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{5} = \frac{1 \times 11}{5 \times 11} = \frac{11}{55}$$

$$\text{since, } \frac{20}{55} > \frac{11}{55} \text{ so, } \frac{4}{11} > \frac{1}{5}$$

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Add:

$$\frac{1}{5} + \frac{3}{5}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{1}{5} + \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\frac{1}{5} + \frac{3}{5} = \frac{1+3}{5} = \frac{4}{5}$$

Add:

$$\frac{2}{7} + \frac{4}{7}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{2}{7} + \frac{4}{7} = \frac{2+4}{7} = \frac{6}{7}$$

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Add:

$$\frac{7}{12} + \frac{2}{12}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{7}{12} + \frac{2}{12} = \frac{7+2}{12} = \frac{9}{12}$$

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Add:

$$\frac{2}{9} + \frac{7}{9}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{2}{9} + \frac{7}{9} = \frac{2+7}{9} = \frac{9}{9} = 1$$

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Add:

$$\frac{3}{15} + \frac{4}{15}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{3}{15} + \frac{4}{15} = \frac{3+4}{15} = \frac{7}{15}$$

Add:

$$\frac{2}{7} + \frac{1}{7} + \frac{3}{7}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{2}{7} + \frac{1}{7} + \frac{3}{7} = \frac{2+1+3}{7} = \frac{6}{7}$$

Add:

$$\frac{2}{10} + \frac{4}{10} + \frac{3}{7}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{2}{10} + \frac{4}{10} + \frac{3}{10} = \frac{2+4+3}{10} = \frac{9}{10}$$

Add:

$$\frac{4}{9} + \frac{1}{9}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{4}{9} + \frac{1}{9} = \frac{4+1}{9} = \frac{5}{9}$$

Add:

$$\frac{5}{8} + \frac{3}{8}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{5}{8} + \frac{3}{8} = \frac{5+3}{8} = \frac{8}{8} = 1$$

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Mother gave $\frac{3}{8}$ of one guava to Meena and $\frac{2}{8}$ of the guava to Geeta.

What part of the guava did she give them altogether?

SOLUTION

$$\frac{3}{8} + \frac{2}{8} = \frac{3+2}{8} = \frac{5}{8} \text{ given altogether}$$

$\frac{5}{8}$ part of guava given altogether

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The girls of Std V cleaned $\frac{3}{4}$ of a field while the boys cleaned $\frac{1}{4}$. What part of the field was cleaned altogether?

SOLUTION

$$\frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3+1}{4} = \frac{4}{4} = 1$$

Full whole field cleaned altogether.

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Subtract:

$$\frac{5}{7} - \frac{1}{7}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{5}{7} - \frac{1}{7} = \frac{5-1}{7} = \frac{4}{7}$$

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Subtract:

$$\frac{5}{8} - \frac{3}{8}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{5}{8} - \frac{3}{8} = \frac{5-3}{8} = \frac{2}{8}$$

Problem Set 21 | Q 1.3 | Page 28

Subtract:

$$\frac{7}{9} - \frac{2}{9}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{7}{9} - \frac{2}{9} = \frac{7-2}{9} = \frac{5}{9}$$

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Subtract:

$$\frac{8}{11} - \frac{5}{11}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{8}{11} - \frac{5}{11} = \frac{8-5}{11} = \frac{3}{11}$$

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Subtract :

$$\frac{9}{13} - \frac{4}{13}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{9}{13} - \frac{4}{13} = \frac{9 - 4}{13} = \frac{5}{13}$$

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Subtract:

$$\frac{7}{10} - \frac{3}{10}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{7}{10} - \frac{3}{10} = \frac{7 - 3}{10} = \frac{4}{10}$$

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Subtract:

$$\frac{9}{12} - \frac{2}{12}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{9}{12} - \frac{2}{12} = \frac{9 - 2}{12} = \frac{7}{12}$$

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Subtract:

$$\frac{10}{15} - \frac{3}{15}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{10}{15} - \frac{3}{15} = \frac{10 - 3}{15} = \frac{7}{15}$$

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7/10 of a wall is to be painted. Ramu has painted 4/10 of it. How much more needs to be painted?

SOLUTION

To be painted - painted

$$\frac{7}{10} - \frac{4}{10} = \frac{7-4}{10} = \frac{3}{10}$$

$\frac{3}{10}$ more needs to be painted.

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Add:

$$\frac{1}{8} + \frac{3}{4}$$

SOLUTION

Smallest common multiple of 4 and 8 is 8. So making 8 is the common denominator of the given fractions.

$$\frac{1}{8} + \frac{3 \times 2}{4 \times 2} = \frac{1}{8} + \frac{6}{8} = \frac{1+6}{8} = \frac{7}{8}$$

Problem Set 22 | Q 1.2 | Page 29

Add:

$$\frac{2}{21} + \frac{3}{7}$$

SOLUTION

21 is the multiple of 7.

so making 21 as denominator of both the fractions.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{2}{21} + \frac{3 \times 3}{7 \times 3} &= \frac{2}{21} + \frac{9}{21} \\ &= \frac{2+9}{21} = \frac{11}{21}\end{aligned}$$

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Add:

$$\frac{2}{5} + \frac{1}{3}$$

SOLUTION

Least common multiple of 5 and 3 is 15.

So making common denominator of both the fractions 15

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{2}{5} + \frac{1}{3} &= \frac{2 \times 3}{5 \times 3} + \frac{1 \times 5}{3 \times 5} \\ &= \frac{6}{15} + \frac{5}{15} \\ &= \frac{6+5}{15} = \frac{11}{15}\end{aligned}$$

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Add:

$$\frac{2}{7} + \frac{1}{2}$$

SOLUTION

Smallest common multiple of 2 and 7 is 14. so, making denominator of both the fractions 14.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{2}{7} + \frac{1}{2} &= \frac{2 \times 2}{7 \times 2} + \frac{1 \times 7}{2 \times 7} \\ &= \frac{4}{14} + \frac{7}{14} \\ &= \frac{4 + 7}{14} = \frac{11}{14}\end{aligned}$$

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Add:

$$\frac{3}{9} + \frac{3}{5}$$

SOLUTION

Smallest common multiple of 9 and 5 is 45

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{3}{9} + \frac{3}{5} &= \frac{3 \times 5}{9 \times 5} + \frac{3 \times 9}{5 \times 9} \\ &= \frac{15}{45} + \frac{27}{45} \\ &= \frac{15 + 27}{45} = \frac{42}{45}\end{aligned}$$

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Subtract:

$$\frac{3}{10} - \frac{1}{20}$$

SOLUTION

20 is the multiple of 10.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{so, } \frac{3}{10} - \frac{1}{20} &= \frac{3 \times 2}{10 \times 2} - \frac{1}{20} \\ &= \frac{6}{20} - \frac{1}{20}\end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{6 - 1}{20} = \frac{5}{20}$$

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Subtract:

$$\frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2}$$

SOLUTION

4 is the multiple of 2.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{So, } \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2} &= \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1 \times 2}{2 \times 2} \\ &= \frac{3}{4} - \frac{2}{4} \\ &= \frac{3 - 2}{4} = \frac{1}{4} \\ &\frac{1}{4}\end{aligned}$$

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Subtract:

$$\frac{6}{14} - \frac{2}{7}$$

SOLUTION

14 is the multiples of 7.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{So, } \frac{6}{14} - \frac{2}{7} &= \frac{6}{14} - \frac{2 \times 2}{7 \times 2} \\ &= \frac{6}{14} - \frac{4}{14}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{6 - 4}{14} = \frac{2}{14} \\ &= \frac{2}{14} \end{aligned}$$

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Subtract:

$$\frac{4}{6} - \frac{3}{5}$$

SOLUTION

Smallest common multiple of 6 and 5 is 30.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{4}{5} - \frac{3}{5} &= \frac{4 \times 5}{6 \times 5} - \frac{3 \times 6}{5 \times 6} \\ &= \frac{20}{30} - \frac{18}{30} \\ &= \frac{20 - 18}{30} = \frac{2}{30} \\ &= \frac{2}{30} \end{aligned}$$

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Subtract:

$$\frac{2}{7} - \frac{1}{4}$$

SOLUTION

Smallest common multiple of 7 and 4 is 28.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{2}{7} - \frac{1}{4} &= \frac{2 \times 4}{7 \times 4} - \frac{1 \times 7}{4 \times 7} \\ &= \frac{8}{28} - \frac{7}{28} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{8 - 7}{28} = \frac{1}{28}$$

PROBLEM SET 23 [PAGE 31]

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What is $\frac{1}{3}$ of the collection given below?

15 pencils

SOLUTION

15 pencils $\rightarrow \frac{1}{3}$ of 15 = 5, $15 \div 3 = 5$ pencils.

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What is $\frac{1}{3}$ of the collection given below?

21 balloons

SOLUTION

21 balloons $\rightarrow \frac{1}{3}$ of 21 = 7, $21 \div 3 = 7$ balloons.

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What is $\frac{1}{3}$ of the collection given below?

9 children

SOLUTION

9 children $\rightarrow \frac{1}{3}$ of 9 = 3, $9 \div 3 = 3$ children

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What is $\frac{1}{3}$ of the collection given below?

18 books

SOLUTION

18 books $\rightarrow \frac{1}{3}$ of 18 = 6, $18 \div 3 = 6$ books

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What is $\frac{1}{5}$ of the following?

20 rupees

SOLUTION

20 rupees $\rightarrow \frac{1}{5}$ of 20 = 4, $20 \div 5 = 4$ rupees.

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What is $\frac{1}{5}$ of the following?

30 km

SOLUTION

30 km $\rightarrow \frac{1}{5}$ of 30 = 6, $30 \div 5 = 6$ km

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What is $\frac{1}{5}$ of the following?

15 liters

SOLUTION

15 liters $\rightarrow \frac{1}{5}$ of 15 = 3, $15 \div 5 = 3$ liters

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What is $\frac{1}{5}$ of the following?

25 cm

SOLUTION

25 cm $\rightarrow \frac{1}{5}$ of 25 = 5, $25 \div 5 = 5$ cm

Problem Set 23 | Q 3.1 | Page 31

Find the part of the following number equal to the given fraction.

$\frac{2}{3}$ of 30

SOLUTION

$\frac{2}{3} \times 30$

So, we take $\frac{1}{3}$ of 30, twice

$\frac{1}{3} \times 30 = 10$

twice of 10 is $2 \times 10 = 20$

It means that $\frac{2}{3} \times 30 = 20$

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Find the part of the following number equal to the given fraction.

$\frac{7}{11}$ of 22

SOLUTION

$$\frac{7}{11} \times 22$$

So, we take $\frac{1}{11}$ of 22, 7 times

$$\frac{1}{11} \times 22 = 2 \text{ seven times of 2 is } 2 \times 7 = 14$$

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Find the part of the following numbers equal to the given fraction.

$$\frac{3}{8} \text{ of } 64$$

SOLUTION

$\frac{3}{8} \times 64$ So, we take $\frac{1}{8}$ of 64, thrice

$$\frac{1}{8} \times 64 = 8$$

3 times 8 is $3 \times 8 = 24$

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Find the part of the following number equal to the given fraction.

$$\frac{5}{13} \text{ of } 65$$

SOLUTION

$\frac{5}{13} \times 65$ So, we take $1/13$ of 65, 5 times

$$\frac{1}{13} \times 65 = 5$$

5 times of 5 is $5 \times 5 = 25$