



MATHS

NCERT - NCERT Mathematics(English)

RATIONAL NUMBERS

Exercise 9 1

1. Which is greater in each of the following:

(i) $\frac{2}{3}$, $\frac{5}{2}$

(ii) $\frac{-5}{6}$, $\frac{-4}{3}$

$$(iii) \frac{-3}{4}, \frac{2}{-3}$$

$$(iv) \frac{-1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}$$

$$(v) -3\frac{2}{7}, -3\frac{4}{5}$$



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2. Which of the following pairs represent the same rational number ? (i) $\frac{-7}{21}$ and $\frac{3}{9}$ (ii)

$$\frac{16}{20} \text{ and } \frac{20}{-25} \quad (iii) \quad \frac{-2}{-3} \text{ and } \frac{2}{3} \quad (iv)$$

$$\frac{-3}{-5} \text{ and } \frac{-12}{20} \quad (v) \quad \frac{8}{-5} \text{ and } \frac{-24}{15} \quad (vi)$$

$$\frac{1}{3} \text{ and } \frac{-1}{9} \quad (vii) \quad \frac{-5}{-9} \text{ and } \frac{5}{-9}$$



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3. Write the following rational numbers in ascending order:

(i) $\frac{-3}{5}, \frac{-2}{5}, \frac{-1}{5}$

(ii) $\frac{-1}{3}, \frac{-2}{9}, \frac{-4}{3}$

(iii) $\frac{-3}{7}, \frac{-3}{2}, \frac{-3}{4}$



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4. Rewrite the following rational numbers in

the simplest form : (i) $\frac{-8}{6}$ (ii) $\frac{25}{45}$ (iii) $\frac{-44}{72}$

(iv) $\frac{-8}{10}$



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5. Give four rational numbers equivalent to: (i)

$$\frac{-2}{7} \text{ (ii) } \frac{5}{-3} \text{ (iii) } \frac{4}{9}$$



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6. Draw the number line and represent the

following rational numbers on it : (i) $\frac{3}{4}$ (ii)

$$\frac{-5}{8} \text{ (iii) } \frac{-7}{3} \text{ (iv) } \frac{7}{8}$$



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7.7). Rewrite the following rational numbers in the simplest form: (i) $-\frac{8}{6}$ (ii) $\frac{25}{45}$ (iii) $-\frac{44}{72}$ (iv) $-\frac{8}{10}$ (8). Fill in the boxes with the correct symbol out of $>$, $<$, and $=$. (i) (ii) (iii)
(iv) (v) (vi) (vii)



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8. The points P, Q, R, S, T, U, A and B on the number line are such that, $TR = RS = SU$ and AP

= PQ = QB. Name the rational numbers represented by P, Q, R and S.



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9. Write four more rational numbers in each of the following patterns : (i)

$$\frac{-3}{5}, \frac{-6}{10}, \frac{-9}{15}, \frac{-12}{20}, \dots \quad \text{(ii)}$$

$$\frac{-1}{4}, \frac{-2}{8}, \frac{-3}{12}, \dots \quad \text{(iii)}$$

$$\frac{-1}{6}, \frac{2}{-12}, \frac{3}{-18}, \frac{4}{-24}, \dots \quad \text{(iv)}$$

$$\frac{-2}{3}, \frac{2}{-3}, \frac{4}{-6}, \frac{6}{-9}, \dots$$



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10. List five rational numbers between: (i)

-1 and 0 (ii) -2 and -1 (iii)

$\frac{-4}{5}$ and $\frac{-2}{3}$ (iv) $-\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{2}{3}$



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Solved Examples

1. Reduce $\frac{-45}{30}$ to the standard form

A. $-\frac{9}{6}$

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

C. $-\frac{45}{30}$

D. $-\frac{15}{10}$

Answer: B



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2. Reduce to standard form : (i) $\frac{36}{-24}$ (ii) $\frac{-3}{-15}$



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3. Do $\frac{4}{-9}$ and $\frac{16}{-36}$ represent the same rational number ?



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4. List three rational numbers between -2 and -1 .



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5. Write four more numbers in the following

pattern $\frac{-1}{3}, \frac{-2}{6}, \frac{-3}{9}, \frac{-4}{12}$



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6. Satpal walks $\frac{2}{3}km$ from a place P , towards east and then from there $(1)\frac{5}{7}km$ towards west. Where will he be now from P ?



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Exercise 9 2

1. Find

$$(i) \frac{7}{24} - \frac{17}{36}$$

$$(ii) \frac{5}{63} - \left(\frac{-6}{21} \right)$$

$$(iii) \frac{-6}{13} - \frac{7}{11}$$

$$(iv) -\frac{2}{9} - 6$$



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2. Find the product: (i) $\frac{9}{2} \times \left(\frac{-7}{4} \right)$ (ii)

$\frac{3}{10} \times (-9)$ (iii) $\frac{-6}{5} \times \frac{9}{11}$ (iv) $\frac{3}{7} \times \left(\frac{-2}{5} \right)$

(v) $\frac{3}{-5} \times \frac{-5}{3}$



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3. Find the sum :

$$(i) \frac{5}{4} + \left(\frac{-11}{4} \right), (ii) \frac{5}{3} + \frac{3}{5}, (iii) \frac{-9}{10} + \frac{22}{15}$$

$$(iv) \frac{-3}{-11} + \frac{5}{9}, (v) \frac{-8}{19} + \frac{(-2)}{57}, (vi)$$

$$\frac{-2}{3} + 0$$

$$(vii) -2' \frac{1}{3} + 4' \frac{3}{5}$$



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4. Find the value of: (i) $(-4) \div \frac{2}{3}$ (ii)

$\frac{-3}{5} \div 2$ (iii) $\frac{-4}{5} \div (-3)$ (iv) $\frac{-1}{8} \div \frac{3}{4}$ (v)

$\frac{-2}{13} \div \frac{1}{7}$ (vi) $\frac{-7}{12} \div \left(\frac{-2}{13}\right)$ (vii)

$\frac{3}{13} \div \left(\frac{-4}{65}\right)$



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