



MATHS

BOOKS - HT Olympiad Previous Year Paper

RATIO AND PROPORTION

Mathematical Reasoning

1. The middle terms, if four different numbers are in proportion are called _____.

A. Antecedents

- B. Means
- C. Extremes
- **D.** Consequents

Answer: B



2. Divide 912 into three parts in the ratio 2:3:7.

A. 154, 220, 590

B. 152, 228, 532

C.740, 228, 532

D. 152, 245, 595

Answer: B

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3. Find m, if four numbers m, 24, 72, 96 are in proportion.

A. 12

B. 36

C. 18

D. 26

Answer: C

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4. If p:q::r:s, then the correct statement is

A. qr = ps

$$\mathsf{B.}\,pqr=s$$

$$\mathsf{C}.\, qrs = p$$

D.
$$pq=rs$$

Answer: A

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5. An equality of two ratios is called __.

A. Extremes

- **B.** Consequents
- C. Antecedents
- D. Proportion

Answer: D





A. Rs. 1680, Rs. 2520, Rs. 1260

B. Rs. 2520, Rs. 1680, Rs. 1260

C. Rs. 1260, Rs. 2100, Rs. 2520

D. Rs. 2520, Rs.1260, Rs. 1680

Answer: B

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7. The ratio of 80 cm to 3.5 m is equal to

A. 190 cm: 7 cm

B. 8cm : 35cm

C. 160 cm : 7 cm

D.180 cm:7 m

Answer: B



8. What is the ratio of the shaded area to the

unshaded area?



A. 5:7

B. 3:4

C. 7:10

D. 7:3

Answer: D

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9. Which of the following is equivalent to 7:8?

A. 142:128

B. 112: 124

C. 136: 116

D. 119: 136

Answer: D

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10. If x : y = 4:5, then (4x + 5y) : (5x - 2y) is

equal to_____.

A. 41:10

B.4:5

C. 16: 25

D. 3:10

Answer: A

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11. Ratio is a method of comparing two quantities by _____ .

A. Addition

B. Subtraction

C. Division

D. Multiplication

Answer: C

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12. The antecedent and consequent of a ratio

_____ changed unless there is a change in the

given statements.

A. Can be

- B. Cannot be
- C. Sometimes
- D. None of these

Answer: B



13. In the word COMPARISON, the ratio of number of consonants to the number of vowels is .

A. 4:7

B. 7:4

C.6:4

D. 4:6

Answer: C

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14. Which of the following are not in proportion?

A. 7:12 and 805:1380

B. 16:28 and 4:7

C. 150: 100 and 135: 90

D. 51:85 and 57:98

Answer: D

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15. The ratio which
$$\left(\frac{1}{3}ofRs.9.30\right)$$
 bears to

(0.6 of Rs.1.55) is

A. 1:3

B. 10:3

C. 3:10

D. 3:1

Answer: B

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Everyday Mathematics

1. The ratio of the quantity of water in Bottle P to the quantity of water in Bottle Q is 3:4. Rajeev drank 40 ml of the water from Bottle P and the ratio then became 13:20. How much water was there in Bottle P at first?

A. 60 mL

B. 80 mL

C. 300 mL

D. 400 mL

Answer: C



2. If cost of a candy is 50 paise and cost of an ice cream is Rs. 20, then the ratio of the cost of a candy to the cost of an ice-cream is _____.

A. 40:1

B. 1: 40

C. 1: 20

D. 1:15

Answer: B



3. A pole is cut into two pieces in the ratio 8:9. If the total length is 1615 m, then find the length of smaller part.

A. 420 m

B. 670 m

C. 760 m

D. 940 m

Answer: C

4. In a cricket coaching camp, 1200 children are trained. Out of which 900 are selected for various matches. Ratio of non-selected children to the total number of children is

A. 300:120

B.4:1

C.1:4

D. 120: 300

Answer: C

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5. In a quiz programme, the ratio of correct answers to incorrect answers is 5:2. If a student gives 16 incorrect answers, then the number of correct answers given is _____.

B.40

C. 20

D. 30

Answer: B

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6. The price of a table and a chair are in the ratio 7:5. If a table costs Rs. 480 more than the chair, then the price of the chair is _____.

A. Rs. 600

B. Rs. 1000

C. Rs. 1200

D. Rs. 1800

Answer: C

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7. A bag contains one rupee, two rupees and 50 paise coins in the ratio 5:6:8. If the total

amount is Rs.420, then find the total number

of coins.

A. 798

B. 789

C. 978

D. 987

Answer: A



8. The weights of three iron rods are in the ratio 3:7:10. The weight of the heaviest one is 2 kg 650 g. Find the total weight of the three iron rods.

A. 4 kg 700 g

B. 5 kg 300 g

C. 7 kg 900 kg

D. 4 kg 900 kg

Answer: B





9. Cost of 4 dozen of bananas is Rs. 60. The number of bananas purchased for Rs. 22.50 will be.

A. 12

B. 18

C. 10

D. 14

Answer: B



10. A profit of Rs. 3000 is shared among X, Y and Z in the ratio 2:3:1. How much more money does Y get than X?

A. Rs. 1000

B. Rs. 1600

C. Rs. 500

D. Rs. 800

Answer: C

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Achievers Section Hots

1. Divide Rs. 3010 among A, B, C respectively in such a way that A gets double of what B gets and B gets double of what C gets.

A. Rs. 1720, Rs. 860, Rs. 430

B. Rs. 1640, Rs. 920, Rs. 450

C. Rs. 1690, Rs. 825, Rs.495

D. Rs. 1800, Rs. 400, Rs. 810

Answer: A

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2. A sum of Rs. 3690 is divided among P, Q, R

and S such that $\frac{P's \text{ share}}{Q's \text{ share}} = \frac{Q's \text{ share}}{R's \text{ share}} = \frac{R's \text{ share}}{S' \text{ share}} = \frac{4}{5}.$

Then, Q's share is _____.

A. Rs.1250

B. Rs. 1000

C. Rs. 640

D. Rs. 800

Answer: D

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3. If
$$a:b=c:d$$
, then $\frac{ma+nc}{mb+nd}$ is not equal

to:

A.
$$m:n$$

B. na:mb

C.a:b

 $\mathsf{D}.\,md:nc$

Answer: C

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4. State 'T' for true and 'F' for false.

(i) 12 hours : 30 hours = 8 km : 20 km

(ii) The ratio of 1 hour to one day is 1 : 1.

(iii) The two terms of a ratio can be in two

different units.



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5. Match the following.

Column-II Column-l (i) 7:2 (P) A box contains 80 bulbs, 15 were found to be defective. The ratio of nondefective to defective bulbs is (Q) Aman is $3\frac{1}{2}$ times (ii) 7:3 as old as Karan. The ratio of Aman's age to Karan's age is (iii) 13:3 (R) Shanaya earns ₹ 35000 per month and saves ₹ 15000 per month. The ratio of her earnings to her savings per month is

A. (P) \rightarrow (ii), (Q) \rightarrow (i), (R) \rightarrow (iii)

B. (P) \rightarrow (i), (Q) \rightarrow (iii), (R) \rightarrow (ii)

C. (P) \rightarrow (iii), (Q) \rightarrow (i), (R) \rightarrow (ii)

D. (P) \rightarrow (ii), (Q) \rightarrow (iii), (R) \rightarrow (i)

Answer: C

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