

Surds

① $\sqrt{72} = 6\sqrt{2}$
 ↳ put into calculator

2	7	2
2	3	6
2	1	8
3		9
		3
		1

$$\sqrt{2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3}$$

$$\rightarrow 2 \times 3 \sqrt{2}$$

$$\rightarrow 6\sqrt{2}$$

→ pairs made taken out and written only once

② $\sqrt{24} \rightarrow \sqrt{2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3} \rightarrow 2\sqrt{2 \times 3} \rightarrow 2\sqrt{6}$

③ $\sqrt{125} \rightarrow \sqrt{5 \times 5 \times 5} \rightarrow 5\sqrt{5}$

④ $\sqrt{96} \rightarrow \sqrt{2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3} \rightarrow 4\sqrt{6}$

⑤ $\sqrt{192} \rightarrow \sqrt{2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3} \rightarrow 6\sqrt{3}$

Rational & Irrational Numbers

Rational Number: Numbers that can be written as a fraction of two integers

① Whole numbers $\rightarrow 5, 7 \rightarrow \frac{5}{1}, \frac{7}{1}$

② Terminating decimals $\rightarrow 0.25 \rightarrow \frac{25}{100}$
 \rightarrow decimals which end

$$0.75 \rightarrow \frac{75}{100}$$

③ Recurring decimals $\rightarrow 0.\dot{3}3 = \frac{1}{3}$

$$0.\dot{6}6 = \frac{2}{3}$$

Irrational Numbers: Numbers that cannot be written as a fraction of two integers

eg: $\sqrt{2}$
 π
 $\sqrt{3}$ and so on

Write an irrational number b/w 2 and 3

$$\sqrt{5}, \sqrt{6}, \sqrt{7}, \sqrt{8}$$

and so on