10 YEARS EXPERIENCE OF CBSE/ICSE

Subject: - Mathematics Topic: - Rational Numbers

PRACTICE PAPER

CBSE-8th

1. Simplify:
$$-\frac{-3}{10} + \frac{7}{15} + \frac{3}{-20} + \frac{-9}{10} + \frac{13}{15} + \frac{13}{-20}$$

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

2. Using commutativity and associativity of addition of rational numbers, express each of the following as a rational number:

a)
$$\frac{3}{5} + \frac{-7}{6} + \frac{2}{5} + \frac{-5}{6}$$

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 b) $\frac{4}{3} + \frac{-4}{5} + \frac{-2}{3} + \frac{7}{5} - 2$

Ans. a) – 1, b)
$$\frac{-11}{15}$$

3. Write the negative (additive inverse) of each of the following rational numbers:

a)
$$\frac{-2}{5}$$

b)
$$\frac{-17}{5}$$

c)
$$\frac{-11}{-25}$$

4. Re-arrange suitably and find the sum in each of the following: -

a)
$$\frac{11}{12} + \frac{-17}{3} + \frac{11}{2} + \frac{-25}{2}$$

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 b) $\frac{1}{8} + \frac{5}{12} + \frac{2}{7} + \frac{7}{12} + \frac{9}{7} + \frac{-5}{16}$ Ans. a) $\frac{-141}{12}$ b) $\frac{267}{112}$

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$$\frac{-141}{12}$$
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5. The sum of two rational numbers is $\frac{-3}{5}$. If one of the numbers is $\frac{-9}{20}$, find the

other?

Ans.
$$\frac{-3}{20}$$

6. What should be subtracted from
$$\left(\frac{3}{4} - \frac{2}{3}\right)$$
 to get $\frac{-1}{6}$?

Ans.
$$\frac{1}{4}$$

7. Find:
$$\frac{3}{4} + \left(\frac{-3}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{-2}{3}\right) + \frac{5}{8} + \left(\frac{-4}{15}\right)$$

Ans.
$$\frac{-19}{120}$$

8. Express each of the following as a rational number of the form $\frac{p}{a}$

a)
$$\frac{15}{2} + \frac{9}{8} + \frac{-11}{3} + 6 + \frac{-7}{8}$$

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$$\frac{15}{2} + \frac{9}{8} + \frac{-11}{3} + 6 + \frac{-7}{8}$$
 b) $\frac{6}{7} + 1 + \frac{-7}{9} + \frac{19}{21} + \frac{-12}{7}$

Ans. a)
$$\frac{235}{24}$$
 b) $\frac{17}{63}$

9. Simplify:
$$-\left(\frac{-7}{18} \times \frac{15}{-7}\right) - \left(1 \times \frac{1}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{4}\right)$$

Ans.
$$\frac{17}{24}$$

10. Verify the property: $x \times (y \times z) = (x \times y) \times z$ by taking:

a)
$$x = \frac{-7}{3}$$
, $y = \frac{12}{5}$, $z = \frac{4}{9}$

$$x = 0$$
 , $y = \frac{-3}{5}$, $z = \frac{-9}{4}$

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