Chapter P Exercises

- 1. Rational
- 2. Irrational
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- 4. Absolute Value
- 5. Composite
- 6. Prime
- 7. Variables, Constants
- 8. Terms
- 9. Coefficients
- 10. Zero-Factor Property
- 11. (a) 1, 2, 5 (b) 0, 1, 2, 5 (c) -11, -9, -4, 0, 1, 2, 5 (d) $-\frac{7}{2}$, $\frac{2}{3}$ (e) $\sqrt{2}$
- 12. (a) 5, 12 (b) 0, 5, 12 (c) -7, -3, 0, 5, 12 (d) $-\frac{7}{3}$, $\frac{5}{4}$, 3.12 (e) $\sqrt{5}$
- 13. (a) 1 (b) 1 (c) 1, -6, -13 (d) 0.666..., 2.01 (e) 0.010110111...
- 14. (a) 4 (b) 4 (c) 4, -75 (d) 0.7575, -4.63 (e) 2.3030030003..., $\sqrt{10}$
- 15. (a) 8 (b) 8 (c) -1, 8, -22 (d) $-\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{6}{3}$, -7.5 (e) $-\pi$, $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{2}$
- 16. (a) 25, 7, 13 (b) 25, 7, 13 (c) 25, -17, 7, 13 (d) $-\frac{12}{5}$, $\sqrt{9}$, 3.12, -11.1 (e) $\frac{1}{2}\pi$
- 17. skip
- 18. skip
- 19. **0.625**
- 20. **0.3**
- $21. \quad 0.\overline{123}$
- 22. $0.\overline{54}$
- 23. -2.5 < 2
- 24. -6 < -2.5
- 25. -4 > -8
- 26. -3.5 < 1
- 27. $\frac{3}{2} < 7$

- 28. $1 < \frac{16}{3}$
- 29. $\frac{5}{6} > \frac{2}{3}$
- 30. $-\frac{8}{7} < -\frac{3}{7}$
- 31. (a) x is less than or equal to x (b) skip (c) unbounded
- 32. (a) x is greater than or equal to -2 (b) skip (c) unbounded
- 33. (a) x is less than 0 (b) skip (c) unbounded
- 34. (a) x is greater than 3 (b) skip (c) unbounded
- 35. (a) a set of numbers greater than or equal to 4 (b) skip (c) unbounded
- 36. (a) a set of numbers less than 2 (b) skip (c) unbounded
- 37. (a) x is greater than -2 and less than 2 (b) skip (c) bounded
- 38. (a) x is greater than or equal to 0 and less than or equal to 5 (b) skip (c) bounded
- 39. (a) x is greater than or equal to -1 and less than 0 (b) skip (c) bounded
- 40. (a) x is greater than 0 and less than or equal to 6 (b) skip (c) bounded
- 41. (a) a set of numbers greater than or equal to -2 and less than 5 (b) skip (c) bounded
- 42. (a) a set of numbers greater than -1 and less than or equal to 2 (b) skip (c) bounded
- 43. $y \ge 0$
- 44. $y \le 25$
- 45. $-2 < x \le 4$
- 46. $-6 \le y < 0$
- 47. $10 \le t \le 22$
- 48. $-3 \le k < 5$
- 49. W > 65
- 50. $2.5 \le r \le 5$
- 51. **10**
- 52. **0**
- 53. **5**
- 54. **3**
- 55. **-1**
- 56. **-6**
- 57. **–1**

58. **–9**

59. **–1**

60. **1**

61. >

62. **=**

63. **=**

64. <

65. **=**

66. >

67. **51**

68. **51**

69. $\frac{5}{2}$

70. $\frac{10}{4}$

71. $\frac{128}{75}$

72. **14.99**

73. $|x-5| \le 3$

74. $|x+10| \ge 6$

75. $|y| \ge 6$

76. $|y-a| \le 2$

77. **179**

78. **37**

79. 656, 5635

80. 372,470

81. 305, 1882

82. **3**8, **12**8.**7**5

83. 1453.2, 107.4

84. 1722.0, 69.3

85. 2025.5, 236.3

86. 1853.4, 157.8

87. 1880.3, 412.7

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88. 2407.3, 248.1
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- 89. Variables: 7x, Constants: 4, Coefficients: 7
- 90. Variables: $6x^3$, -5x, Constants: none, Coefficients: 6, -5
- 91. Variables: $\sqrt{3}x^2$, -8x, Constants: -11, Coefficients: $\sqrt{3}$, -8
- 92. Variables: $3\sqrt{3}x^2$, Constants: 1, Coefficients: $3\sqrt{3}$
- 93. Variables: $4x^3, \frac{x}{2}$, Constants: -5, Coefficients: $4, \frac{1}{2}$
- 94. Variables: $3x^4, -\frac{x^2}{4}$, Constants: none, Coefficients: $3, -\frac{1}{4}$
- 95. (a) -10 (b) -6
- 96. (a) 30 (b) -12
- 97. (a) 14 (b) 2
- 98. (a) -10 (b) 0
- 99. (a) Division by Zero (b) 0
- 100 (a) $\frac{1}{2}$ (b) Division by Zero
- 101 Associative Property of Addition
- 102 Multiplicative Inverse Property
- 103 Multiplicative Inverse Property
- 104 Additive Inverse Property
- 105 Distributive Property
- 106 Additive Identity Property
- 107 Distributive Property and Multiplicative Identity Property
- 108 Distributive Property
- 109 Associative Property of Addition
- 110 Associative Property of Multiplication
- 111 Distributive Property
- 112 Associative Property of Multiplication and Multiplicative Inverse Property
- $\frac{1}{2}$
- $114 \frac{2}{7}$
- 115
- $116 \frac{59}{66}$
- 117 **48**

118 **-3**

- 119 $\frac{5x}{12}$
- $\frac{5x}{27}$
- 121 (a) Negative (b) Negative
- 122 (a) Positive (b) Positive
- 123 (a) 5, 10, 500, 50000, 5000000 (b) it gets infinitely bigger?
- 124 (a) 5, 0.5, 0.05, 0.0005, 0.00005 (b) it approaches 0
- 125 True, a is any positive number, b is any negative number, however -b is any positive number, ergo, the result of a + (-b) has to be a positive number.
- False, a is any positive number, b is any negative number, a positive number multiplied by a negative number will always result with a negative number, ergo ab < 0.
- False, bigger denominator means smaller value, ergo $\frac{1}{a} > \frac{1}{b}$.
- 128 False, Fractions may only Add or Subtract with Like Denominators. $\frac{a+b}{c} = \frac{a}{c} + \frac{b}{c}$ satisfies that condition, whereas $\frac{c}{a+b} = \frac{c}{a} + \frac{c}{b}$ does not.
- (a) No, the expressions will equal only if both u and v have the same sign (Positive or Negative), and not equal to each other if u and v have different signs from each other.
 (b) Yes, if the two expressions are not equal, that means precisely one of u and v is a negative number, which means |u + v| will always be an absolute value of the result from a subtraction, whereas |u| + |v| will always be an addition of two positive numbers.
- Yes, Nonnegative means any number greater than or equal to 0. Positive means any number greater than 0. In other words, $x \ge 0$ (nonnegative) is not the same thing as x > 0.
- 131 Yes, 2 is an even prime number because it is divisible by 1 and itself.
- No, because a number cannot be both repeating and non-repeating.
- Yes, |a| = -a if and only if a = 0. Otherwise, no. Absolute value of a number is the distance between the number and the origin, and it will never be a negative value due to the fact that it is a distance without direction.
- 134 I don't want to.