



### Fractions Ex 6.9 Q8

**Answer :**

$$\text{Time taken by Ravish} = 2\frac{1}{5} = \frac{(5 \times 2) + 1}{5} = \frac{11}{5} \text{ minutes}$$

$$\text{Time taken by Rahul} = \frac{7}{4} \text{ minutes}$$

Comparing  $\frac{11}{5}$  &  $\frac{7}{4}$ , we get:

$\frac{11 \times 4}{5 \times 4}, \frac{7 \times 5}{4 \times 5}$  (LCM of 4 & 5 is 20, so will we convert each fraction into an equivalent fraction with denominator 20.)

$$\frac{44}{20} > \frac{35}{20}$$

$$\text{Rahul takes less time, i.e., } \frac{44}{20} - \frac{35}{20} = \frac{44-35}{20} = \frac{9}{20} \text{ minutes.}$$

### Fractions Ex 6.9 Q9

**Answer :**

$$\text{Length of the wire} = \frac{7}{8} \text{ m}$$

$$\text{Length of one piece of wire} = \frac{1}{4} \text{ m}$$

Let the length of the second piece of wire be  $x$  m.

$\therefore$  Length of the wire = Length of one piece + Length of the second piece

$$\frac{7}{8} = \frac{1}{4} + x$$

$$x = \frac{7}{8} - \frac{1}{4}$$

$$x = \frac{7 \times 1}{8 \times 1} - \frac{1 \times 2}{4 \times 2} = \frac{7}{8} - \frac{2}{8} = \frac{7-2}{8}$$

$$x = \frac{5}{8} \text{ m}$$

Therefore, the length of the second piece is  $\frac{5}{8} \text{ m}$ .

### Fractions Ex 6.9 Q10

**Answer :**

$$\text{Fraction of Shikha's filled bookshelf} = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$\text{Fraction of Priya's filled bookshelf} = \frac{2}{5}$$

Comparing  $\frac{5}{6}$  &  $\frac{2}{5}$ , we get:

LCM of 5 & 6 is 30, so we will convert each fraction into an equivalent fraction with denominator 30.

$$= \frac{5 \times 5}{6 \times 5}, \frac{2 \times 6}{5 \times 6}$$

$$\frac{25}{30} > \frac{12}{30}$$

Shikha's shelf is more full.

$$\therefore \frac{25}{30} - \frac{12}{30} = \frac{25-12}{30} = \frac{13}{30}$$

### Fractions Ex 6.9 Q11

**Answer :**

Total distance between the house and the school =  $\frac{9}{10}$  km

Distance covered in the bus =  $\frac{1}{2}$  km

Distance covered by walking + Distance covered in the bus = Total distance between the house and the school

Distance covered by walking = Total distance between the house and the school - Distance covered in the bus

Distance covered by walking:

$$\frac{9}{10} - \frac{1}{2}$$

LCM of 10 and 2 is 10, so we convert each fraction into an equivalent fraction with denominator 10

$$= \frac{9 \times 1}{10 \times 1} - \frac{1 \times 5}{2 \times 5} = \frac{9}{10} - \frac{5}{10}$$

$$= \frac{9-5}{10}$$

$$= \frac{4}{10} \text{ km}$$

$$= \frac{4 \div 2}{10 \div 2} = \frac{2}{5} \text{ km} \quad \left( \text{HCF of numerator \& denominator is 2} \right)$$

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