

## Rationalisation Ex 3.2 Q1

Answer:

(i) We know that rationalization factor for  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a}}$  is  $\sqrt{a}$ . We will multiply numerator and denominator of the given expression  $\frac{3}{\sqrt{5}}$  by  $\sqrt{5}$ , to get

$$\frac{3}{\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5}}$$
$$= \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{5}$$

Hence the given expression is simplified to  $\frac{3\sqrt{5}}{5}$ 

(ii) We know that rationalization factor for  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a}}$  is  $\sqrt{a}$ . We will multiply numerator and denominator of the given expression  $\frac{3}{2\sqrt{5}}$  by  $\sqrt{5}$ , to get

$$\frac{3}{2\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{2\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5}}$$
$$= \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{2 \times 5}$$
$$= \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{10}$$

Hence the given expression is simplified to  $3\sqrt{5}$  10

(iii) We know that rationalization factor for  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a}}$  is  $\sqrt{a}$ . We will multiply numerator and denominator of the given expression  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{12}}$  by  $\sqrt{12}$ , to get

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \times \frac{\sqrt{12}}{\sqrt{12}} &= \frac{\sqrt{12}}{\sqrt{12} \times \sqrt{12}} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{12}}{12} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{3}}{12} \\ &= \frac{2 \times \sqrt{3}}{12} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6} \end{split}$$

Hence the given expression is simplified to  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}$ 

(iv) We know that rationalization factor for  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a}}$  is  $\sqrt{a}$ . We will multiply numerator and denominator of the given expression  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{5}}$  by  $\sqrt{5}$ , to get

$$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5}}$$
$$= \frac{\sqrt{10}}{\sqrt{5}}$$

Hence the given expression is simplified to  $\frac{\sqrt{10}}{5}$ 

(v) We know that rationalization factor for  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a}}$  is  $\sqrt{a}$  . We will multiply numerator and denominator of the given expression  $\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{2}}$  by  $\sqrt{2}$  , to get

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{2}}$$
$$= \frac{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}}{2}$$

Hence the given expression is simplified to  $\boxed{\frac{\sqrt{6}+\sqrt{2}}{2}}$ 

(vi) We know that rationalization factor for  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a}}$  is  $\sqrt{a}$ . We will multiply numerator and denominator

of the given expression 
$$\frac{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{3}}$$
 by  $\sqrt{3}$ , to get 
$$\frac{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3}}$$
$$= \frac{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{15}}{3}$$

(vii) We know that rationalization factor for  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a}}$  is  $\sqrt{a}$ . We will multiply numerator and denominator

of the given expression 
$$\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{5}}$$
 by  $\sqrt{5}$  , to get 
$$\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{3\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{3\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5}}$$
$$= \frac{3\sqrt{10}}{5}$$

Hence the given expression is simplified to  $\frac{3\sqrt{10}}{5}$ 

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