

#### Exercise 4A

Q8

Answer:

(i) 
$$\frac{12 \times (-1)}{(-17) \times (-1)} = \frac{-12}{17}$$

(ii) 
$$\frac{1 \times (-1)}{(-2) \times (-1)} = \frac{-1}{2}$$

(iii) 
$$\frac{-8}{-19} = \frac{-8 \times (-1)}{(-19) \times (-1)} = \frac{8}{19}$$

(iv) 
$$\frac{11 \times (-1)}{-6 \times (-1)} = \frac{-11}{6}$$

Q9

Answer:

(i) Numerator of  $\frac{5}{8}$  is 5.

5 should be multiplied by 3 to get 15.

Multiplying both the numerator and the denominator by 3:

$$\frac{5\times3}{8\times3} = \frac{15}{24}$$

$$\frac{5}{8} = \frac{15}{24}$$

(ii) Numerator of  $\frac{5}{8}$  is 5.

5 should be multiplied by -2 to get -10.

Multiplying both the numerator and the denominator by -2:

$$\frac{5 \times (-2)}{8 \times (-2)} = \frac{-10}{-16}$$
$$\frac{5}{8} = \frac{-10}{-16}$$

## Q10

### Answer:

(i) Denominator of  $\frac{4}{7}$  is 7.

7 should be multiplied by 3 to get 21.

Multiplying both the numerator and the denominator by 3:

$$\frac{4\times3}{7\times3} = \frac{12}{21}$$

$$\frac{4\times3}{7\times3} = \frac{4}{7}$$

(ii)

Denominator of  $\frac{4}{7}$  is 7.

7 should be multiplied by -5 to get -35.

Multiplying both the numerator and the denominator by -5:

$$\frac{4 \times (-5)}{7 \times (-5)} = \frac{-20}{-35}$$

$$\frac{4}{7} = \frac{-20}{-35}$$

# Q11

### Answer:

- (i) Numerator of  $\frac{-12}{13}$  is -12.
- -12 should be multiplied by 4 to get 48.

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