

NCERT SOLUTIONS FOR CLASS 6 MATHS RATIOS AND PROPORTIONS EXERCISE 12.2

Question 1:

Determine if the following are in proportion.

- (a) 15, 45, 40, 120 (b) 33, 121, 9, 96
- (c) 24, 28, 36, 48 (d) 32, 48, 70, 210
- (e) 4, 6, 8, 12 (f) 33, 44, 75, 100

Answer:

(a) 15, 45, 40, 120

$$\frac{15}{45} = \frac{1}{3}, \ \frac{40}{120} = \frac{1}{3}$$

Therefore, 15: 45 = 40: 120

Hence, these are in proportion.

(b) 33, 121, 9, 96

$$\frac{33}{121} = \frac{3}{11}, \ \frac{9}{96} = \frac{3}{32}$$

Therefore, 33: 121 ≠ 9: 96

Hence, these are not in proportion.

(c) 24, 28, 36, 48

$$\frac{24}{28} = \frac{6}{7}, \ \frac{36}{48} = \frac{3}{4}$$

Therefore, 24: 28 = 36: 48

Hence, these are not in proportion.

$$\frac{32}{48} = \frac{2}{3}, \ \frac{70}{210} = \frac{1}{3}$$

Therefore, 32: 48 ± 70: 210

Hence, these are not in proportion.

$$\frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3}, \ \frac{8}{12} = \frac{2}{3}$$

Therefore, 4: 6 = 8: 12

Hence, these are in proportion.

$$\frac{33}{44} = \frac{3}{4}, \ \frac{75}{100} = \frac{3}{4}$$

Therefore, 33: 44 = 75: 100

Hence, these are in proportion.

Question 2:

Write True (T) or False (F) against each of the following statements:

Answer:

$$\frac{16}{24} = \frac{2}{3}, \ \frac{20}{30} = \frac{2}{3}$$

Therefore, 16: 24 = 20: 30

Hence, True

$$\frac{21}{6} = \frac{7}{2}, \ \frac{35}{10} = \frac{7}{2}$$

Therefore, 21: 6 = 35: 10

Hence, True

$$\frac{12}{18} = \frac{2}{3}, \ \frac{28}{12} = \frac{7}{3}$$

Therefore, 12: 18 ≠ 28: 12

Hence, False

$$\frac{24}{27} = \frac{3 \times 8}{3 \times 9} = \frac{8}{9}$$

Therefore, True

$$\frac{5.2}{3.9} = \frac{4}{3}$$

Therefore, 5.2: 3.9 ≠ 3: 4

Hence, False

(f) 0.9: 0.36:: 10: 4

$$\frac{0.9}{0.36} = \frac{90}{36} = \frac{10}{4}$$

Therefore, 0.9: 0.36 = 10: 4

Hence, True

Question 3:

Are the following statements true?

(a) 40 persons: 200 persons = Rs 15: Rs 75

(b) 7.5 litres: 15 litres = 5 kg: 10 kg

(c) 99 kg: 45 kg = Rs 44: Rs 20

(d) 32 m: 64 m = 6 sec: 12 sec

(e) 45 km: 60 km = 12 hours: 15 hours

Answer:

(a) 40 persons: 200 persons = Rs 15: Rs 75

$$\frac{40}{200} = \frac{1}{5}, \ \frac{15}{75} = \frac{1}{5}$$

True

(b) 7.5 /: 15 / = 5 kg: 10 kg

$$\frac{7.5}{15} = \frac{1}{2}, \ \frac{5}{10} = \frac{1}{2}$$

True

(b) 7.5 /: 15 / = 5 kg: 10 kg

$$\frac{7.5}{15} = \frac{1}{2}, \ \frac{5}{10} = \frac{1}{2}$$

True

(c) 99 kg: 45 kg = Rs 44: Rs 20

$$\frac{99}{45} = \frac{11}{5}, \ \frac{44}{20} = \frac{11}{5}$$

True

(d) 32 m: 64 m = 6 sec: 12 sec

$$\frac{32}{64} = \frac{1}{2}, \ \frac{6}{12} = \frac{1}{2}$$

True

(e) 45 km: 60 km = 12 hrs: 15 hrs

$$\frac{45}{60} = \frac{3}{4}, \ \frac{12}{15} = \frac{4}{5}$$

False

Question 4:

Determine if the following ratios form a proportion. Also, write the middle terms and extreme terms where the ratios form a proportion.

(a) 25 cm: 1 m and Rs 40 : Rs 160

(b) 39 litres: 65 litres and 6 bottles: 10 bottles

(c) 2 kg: 80 kg and 25 g: 625 g

(d) 200 mL: 2.5 litre and Rs 4: Rs 50

Answer:

(a) 25cm: 1 m and Rs 40: Rs 160

$$25 \text{ cm} = \frac{25}{100} \text{ m} = 0.25 \text{ m}$$

$$\frac{0.25}{1} = \frac{1}{4}$$
 and $\frac{40}{160} = \frac{1}{4}$

Yes. These are in proportion.

Middle terms are 1m, Rs 40.

Extreme terms are 25 cm, Rs 160.

(b) 39 /: 65 / and 6 bottles: 10 bottles

$$\frac{39}{65} = \frac{3}{5}$$
 and $\frac{6}{10} = \frac{3}{5}$

Yes. These are in proportion.

Middle terms are 65 I, 6 bottles.

Extreme terms are 39 /, 10 bottles.

(c) 2 kg: 80 kg and 25g: 625 g

$$\frac{2}{80} = \frac{1}{40}$$
 and $\frac{25}{625} = \frac{1}{25}$

No. These are not in proportion.

(d) 200 mL: 2.5 / and Rs 4: Rs 50

$$\frac{200}{2500} = \frac{2}{25}$$
 and $\frac{4}{50} = \frac{2}{25}$

Yes. These are in proportion.

Middle terms are 2.5 /, Rs 4.

Extreme terms are 200 mL, Rs 50.

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