



Exercise 1D

Q3

Answer :

(i)

$$\left(\frac{5}{7} \times \frac{12}{13}\right) \times \frac{7}{18} = \frac{5}{7} \times \left(\frac{12}{13} \times \frac{7}{18}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{LHS} &= \left(\frac{5}{7} \times \frac{12}{13}\right) \times \frac{7}{18} \\&= \frac{5 \times 12}{7 \times 13} \times \frac{7}{18} \\&= \frac{60}{91} \times \frac{7}{18} \\&= \frac{420}{1638} \\&= \frac{10}{39}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{RHS} &= \frac{5}{7} \times \left(\frac{12}{13} \times \frac{7}{18}\right) \\&= \frac{5}{7} \times \frac{12 \times 7}{13 \times 18} \\&= \frac{5}{7} \times \frac{84}{234} \\&= \frac{420}{1638} \\&= \frac{10}{39}\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \left(\frac{5}{7} \times \frac{12}{13}\right) \times \frac{7}{18} = \frac{5}{7} \times \left(\frac{12}{13} \times \frac{7}{18}\right)$$

(ii)

$$\frac{-13}{24} \times \left(\frac{-12}{5} \times \frac{35}{36} \right) = \left(\frac{-13}{24} \times \frac{-12}{5} \right) \times \frac{35}{36}$$

$$\text{LHS} = \frac{-13}{24} \times \left(\frac{-12}{5} \times \frac{35}{36} \right)$$

$$= \frac{-13}{24} \times \frac{(-12) \times 35}{5 \times 36}$$

$$= \frac{-13}{24} \times \frac{-420}{180}$$

$$= \frac{5460}{4320}$$

$$= \frac{91}{72}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{RHS} &= \left(\frac{-13}{24} \times \frac{-12}{5} \right) \times \frac{35}{36} \\
&= \frac{(-13) \times (-12)}{24 \times 5} \times \frac{35}{36} \\
&= \frac{156}{120} \times \frac{35}{36} \\
&= \frac{156 \times 35}{120 \times 36} \\
&\dots \\
&= \frac{5460}{4320} \\
&= \frac{91}{72}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \frac{-13}{24} \times \left(\frac{-12}{5} \times \frac{35}{36} \right) = \left(\frac{-13}{24} \times \frac{-12}{5} \right) \times \frac{35}{36}$$

(iii)

$$\left(\frac{-9}{5} \times \frac{-10}{3} \right) \times \frac{21}{-4} = \frac{-9}{5} \times \left(\frac{-10}{3} \times \frac{21}{-4} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{LHS} &= \left(\frac{-9}{5} \times \frac{-10}{3} \right) \times \frac{21}{-4} \\
&= \frac{(-9) \times (-10)}{5 \times 3} \times \frac{21}{-4} \\
&= \frac{90}{15} \times \frac{21}{-4} \\
&= \frac{90 \times 21}{15 \times (-4)} \\
&= -\frac{1890}{60} \\
&= -\frac{63}{2}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{RHS} &= \frac{-9}{5} \times \left(\frac{-10}{3} \times \frac{21}{-4} \right) \\
 &= \frac{-9}{5} \times \frac{(-10) \times 21}{3 \times (-4)} \\
 &= \frac{-9}{5} \times \frac{210}{12} \\
 &= \frac{(-9) \times 210}{5 \times 12} \\
 &= -\frac{1890}{60} \\
 &= \frac{-63}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \left(\frac{-9}{5} \times \frac{-10}{3} \right) \times \frac{21}{-4} = \frac{-9}{5} \times \left(\frac{-10}{3} \times \frac{21}{-4} \right)$$

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