

**3.** The product of two rational numbers is always a \_\_\_\_\_.

**1.**  $3x = 2x + 18$

**4.**  $4z + 3 = 6 + 2z$

**7.**  $x = \frac{4}{5} (x + 10)$

4. Evaluate (i)  $\frac{8^{-1} \times 5^3}{2^{-4}}$  (ii)  $(5^{-1} \times 2^{-1}) \times 6^{-1}$

5. Find the value of  $m$  for which  $5^m \div 5^{-3} = 5^5$ .