

First Set of Homework for Math 05

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Please note: You should fully justify your answers.

Review of fractions

1. Replace the question marks with natural numbers so that the resulting equations are true:

$$(a) \frac{1}{2} = \frac{?}{4} = \frac{3}{?} = \frac{?}{20} = \frac{15}{?}$$

$$(b) \frac{3}{5} = \frac{?}{20} = \frac{6}{?} = \frac{?}{100} = \frac{21}{?}$$

$$(c) \frac{0}{3} = \frac{?}{4} = \frac{?}{7}$$

2. Write each fraction in the simplest form:

$$(a) \frac{9}{15}$$

$$(b) \frac{10}{24}$$

$$(c) \frac{18}{60}$$

$$(d) \frac{11}{66}$$

$$(e) \frac{21}{30}$$

3. Can you find a natural number to replace the question mark so that the following equation is true? How about if you are allowed to use rational numbers?

$$\frac{2}{5} = \frac{?}{3}$$

4. Perform the following multiplications and divisions. Give your answers in the simplest possible form:

$$(a) \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{7}$$

$$(b) \frac{7}{10} \cdot \frac{5}{21}$$

$$(c) \frac{70}{12} \cdot \frac{28}{77}$$

$$(d) \frac{2}{5} \div \frac{5}{6}$$

$$(e) \frac{3}{11} \div \frac{12}{33}$$

$$(f) \frac{\frac{2}{5}}{\frac{3}{7}}$$

5. Perform the following additions and subtractions. Give your answers in the simplest possible form:

$$(a) \frac{4}{7} + \frac{3}{7}$$

- (b) $\frac{2}{3} + \frac{3}{4}$
- (c) $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{5}$
- (d) $3 + \frac{3}{5}$
- (e) $\frac{1}{4} + \frac{7}{12}$
- (f) $\frac{2}{15} + \frac{3}{10} + \frac{4}{5}$
- (g) $\frac{5}{6} + \frac{3}{4} + \frac{11}{12}$
- (h) $\frac{5}{8} - \frac{3}{8}$
- (i) $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}$
- (j) $\frac{17}{24} - \frac{5}{16}$
- (k) $7 - \frac{10}{3}$

6. Put the appropriate symbol ($<$, $>$, or $=$) in the blank so that we get a true statement:

- (a) $\frac{3}{5}$ $\frac{4}{5}$
- (b) $\frac{5}{7}$ $\frac{5}{8}$
- (c) $\frac{2}{5}$ $\frac{3}{4}$
- (d) $\frac{3}{5}$ $\frac{9}{15}$
- (e) $\frac{7}{9}$ $\frac{2}{3}$

7. Put the following fractions in the numberline:

$$\frac{2}{7}, \quad \frac{1}{2}, \quad -\frac{13}{5}, \quad -\frac{3}{2}, \quad -\frac{11}{4}, \quad \frac{30}{7}$$

