

Order of Operations

Objective: To apply the rules for order of operations in simplifying expressions.

EXAMPLES Here's how to simplify expressions having more than one kind of operation.

Rule 1. First, do the operation(s) within grouping symbols

Rule 2. Do any exponents

Rule 3. Next, work from left to right doing any multiplication or division (whichever is first).

Rule 4. Last, work from left to right doing addition and subtraction (whichever is first).

$$\begin{array}{l} 3^{\text{rd}} \quad 1^{\text{st}} \quad 2^{\text{nd}} \\ \underline{\text{A.}} \quad 13 - (4 + 1) \times 2 \\ \quad \quad 13 - 5 \times 2 \\ \quad \quad 13 - 10 \\ \quad \quad \quad 3 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 3^{\text{rd}} \quad 2^{\text{nd}} \quad 1^{\text{st}} \\ \underline{\text{B.}} \quad 12 + 24 \div (3 \times 2) \\ \quad \quad 12 + 24 \div 6 \\ \quad \quad 12 + 4 \\ \quad \quad \quad 16 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 2^{\text{nd}} \quad 1^{\text{st}} \quad 3^{\text{rd}} \\ \underline{\text{C.}} \quad 6 + 3 \times 10 - 2 \\ \quad \quad 6 + 30 - 2 \\ \quad \quad 36 - 2 \\ \quad \quad \quad 34 \end{array}$$

Simplify:

1. $18 - 30 \div 6$

2. $48 \div (8 + 4) - 3$

3. $2 + 3 \times 6 + 3$

4. $8 + 12 \times 3 - 6$

5. $6 - (8 \div 4)$

6. $13 - 2 - 11$

7. $1.5 - 0.5 + 2$

8. $5 + 0.2 \times 0.3$

9. $8 + 1.5 \times (10 - 3)$

10. $3.6 \times 8.1 \div 2$

11. $(0.8 + 0.2) \times 7$

12. $(30 - 2) \times (10 \div 5)$

Decimals – Estimation and Computation

Objective: To estimate then compute decimal products.

Heres how to estimate and compute decimal products.

A Estimate the product: 3.8×2.1

$$4 \times 2 = 8$$

(round each decimal to the nearest whole number and multiply.)

B Compute the product: 3.8×2.1

Multiply as whole numbers.

$$\begin{array}{r} 3.8 \\ \times 2.1 \\ \hline 38 \\ \underline{76} \\ 798 \end{array}$$

Count the digits to the right of the decimal points (2)

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Count off the number of digits in the product.

$$\begin{array}{r} 3.8 \\ \times 2.1 \\ \hline 38 \\ \underline{76} \\ 7.98 \end{array}$$

By estimating, find the three wrong calculator answers.

a. $0.52 \times 3.4 = 1.768$

b. $0.98 \times 5 = 0.49$

c. $6.8 \times 5.2 = 3.536.01$

d. $9.01 \times 3.1 = 27.931$

e. $0.85 \times 19 = 1.615$

f. $18 \times 6.4 = 115.2$

Multiply.

13. 3.9×2.3

14. 3×6.1

15. 0.54×8.2

16. 7.5×0.05

17. 2.01×0.99

18. 9.7×0.006

19. 88×3.7

20. 0.95×3.9

Dividing Decimals by Decimals

Objective: To divide a decimal by a decimal.

Here's how to divide a decimal by a decimal.

$$02.3 \overline{\sqrt{32.683}}$$

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A. Multiply the divisor by 10 to make it a whole number.

B. Multiply the dividend by the same number.

$$23 \overline{\sqrt{326.83}}$$

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C. Divide: $326.83 \div 23 = 14.21$

Place the decimal point in each quotient

$$21. \quad 0.04 \overline{\sqrt{0.224}} \quad \begin{array}{c} 56 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$22. \quad 3.3 \overline{\sqrt{270.6}} \quad \begin{array}{c} 82 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$23. \quad 0.009 \overline{\sqrt{0.0351}} \quad \begin{array}{c} 39 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$24. \quad 0.56 \overline{\sqrt{0.2464}} \quad \begin{array}{c} 44 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Divide.

25. $6.45 \div 0.3$

26. $0.85 \div 0.005$

27. $7.035 \div 3.5$

28. $0.65 \div 1.3$

29. $1.587 \div 0.3$

30. $21.45 \div 3.3$

31. $14.49 \div 4.5$

32. $0.96 \div 1.6$

Addition and Subtraction of Mixed Numbers

Objective: To add and subtract mixed numbers with regrouping.

EXAMPLES: Here's how to add and subtract mixed numbers with regrouping.

$$\begin{array}{r} 6\frac{1}{3} = 6\frac{4}{12} \\ + 2\frac{3}{4} = + 2\frac{9}{12} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$8\frac{13}{12} = 9\frac{?}{?}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 = 8\frac{?}{?} \\ - 4\frac{4}{5} = 4\frac{4}{5} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$? \frac{1}{5}$$

Add. Write the sum in simplest form.

33. $5\frac{1}{2} + 3\frac{3}{4}$

34. $7\frac{7}{8} + 2\frac{1}{4}$

35. $3\frac{1}{2} + 5\frac{2}{3}$

36. $3\frac{5}{6} + 7\frac{1}{3}$

37. $2\frac{4}{5} + 6\frac{1}{2}$

38. $11\frac{3}{4} + 3\frac{1}{3}$

Subtract. Write the difference in simplest terms.

39. $6\frac{1}{3} - 2\frac{1}{2}$

40. $8\frac{3}{8} - 4\frac{3}{4}$

41. $5\frac{1}{2} - 2\frac{2}{3}$

42. $7\frac{1}{8} - 3\frac{1}{4}$

43. $6\frac{1}{6} - 5\frac{2}{3}$

44. $9 - 5\frac{1}{4}$

18.

Multiplying Mixed Numbers

Objective: To multiply mixed numbers.

EXAMPLE

Here's how to multiply mixed numbers.

$$1\frac{1}{3} * 2\frac{1}{2} = ? \quad \text{Change each number to a mixed number -----} \rightarrow \frac{4}{3} * \frac{5}{2} = ?$$

$$\text{Reduce and multiple -----} \rightarrow \frac{2}{3} * \frac{5}{1} = \frac{10}{3} ; = 3\frac{1}{3}$$

Give each product in simplest form.

45. $1\frac{1}{2} * 1\frac{1}{2}$

46. $1\frac{1}{2} * 4\frac{1}{2}$

47. $2\frac{1}{2} * 3\frac{1}{2}$

48. $2\frac{3}{4} * 1\frac{1}{2}$

49. $1\frac{1}{2} * 1\frac{2}{3}$

Division of Mixed Numbers

Objective: To divide mixed numbers.

EXAMPLE Here's how to divide mixed numbers.

A. $1\frac{1}{3} \div 1\frac{7}{9} = ?$ **Change both numbers to improper fractions:** $\frac{4}{3} \div \frac{16}{9} = ?$

Turn right hand numbers upside down (invert) and multiply: $\frac{4}{3} * \frac{9}{16} = ?$
 (reduce where possible)

Result: $\frac{1}{1} * \frac{3}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$

Give each quotient in simplest form.

50. $1\frac{1}{2} \div 2\frac{1}{4}$

51. $1\frac{1}{3} \div 1\frac{1}{15}$

52. $2\frac{1}{2} \div 3\frac{1}{4}$

53. $7\frac{2}{3} \div 2\frac{2}{9}$

54. $3\frac{1}{2} \div 8\frac{3}{4}$

55. $2\frac{2}{3} \div 1\frac{7}{9}$

56. $1\frac{2}{3} \div 4\frac{1}{6}$

57. $9\frac{3}{5} \div 4\frac{2}{3}$

58. $3\frac{2}{7} \div 2\frac{1}{9}$

Adding and Subtracting Integers

Add or subtract.

59. $-4 - (4) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

60. $-7 + 9 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

61. $-9 - (-9) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

62. $-25 - (-5) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

63. $0 + (-8) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

64. $-8 - (-12) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

65. $-9 + 22 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

66. $-17 - 20 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

67. $15 - 42 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Complete the tables.

	a	$9 + a$
68.	2	
69.	-2	
70.	-3	

b	12	b
71.		7
72.	0	
73.		-4

c		$c + 5$
74.	-	4
75.		16
76.		-12

Proportions

Objective: To solve proportions.

EXAMPLES: Here's how to solve a proportion by cross multiplication.

$$\frac{x}{4} = \frac{5}{14}$$

$$14x = 4 \cdot 5 \quad \text{The two products } 4 \cdot 5 \text{ and } x \cdot 14 \text{ are called } \mathbf{cross} \text{ products}$$

$$14x = 20$$

$$\frac{14x}{14} = \frac{20}{14}$$

$$x = \frac{20}{14}; x = 1\frac{3}{7}$$

Solve each proportion.

$$77. \frac{a}{35} = \frac{3}{7}$$

$$78. \frac{15}{b} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$79. \frac{3}{8} = \frac{c}{24}$$

$$80. \frac{2}{9} = \frac{12}{d}$$

$$81. \frac{e}{30} = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$82. \frac{24}{f} = \frac{4}{9}$$

$$83. \frac{r}{7} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$84. \frac{8}{t} = \frac{7}{10}$$

One Step Equations

Objective: To solve addition equations by subtracting the same number from both sides of the equation.

EXAMPLES: Here's how to solve an addition equation.

A. $p + 6 = 11$
 $p + 6 - 6 = 11 - 6$
 $p = 5$

B. $t + 10 = 23$
 $t + 10 - 10 = 23 - 10$
 $t = 13$

CHECK:
 $p + 6 = 11$
 $5 + 6 = 11$
 $11 = 11$
It checks!

CHECK:
 $t + 10 = 23$
 $13 + 10 = 23$
 $23 = 23$
It checks!

Tell what number you would subtract from both sides to solve the equation.

85. $c + 12 = 26$

86. $n + 46 = 78$

87. $y + 36.2 = 78.4$

Complete these examples.

$$\begin{aligned} m + 24 &= 56 \\ m + 24 - 24 &= 56 - ? \\ m &= 32 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x + 50 &= 77 \\ x + 50 - ? &= 77 - ? \\ x &= 27 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} r + 6.7 &= 49.9 \\ r + 6.7 - 6.7 &= 49.9 - ? \\ r &= ? \end{aligned}$$

Solve and check.

88. $m + 13 = 20$

89. $x + 17 = 34$

90. $s + 6 = 77$

91. $e + 18 = 18$

92. $g + 78 = 90$

93. $v + 12 = 28$

94. $q + 6 = 94$

95. $b - 2.4 = 4.6$

96. $k - 1.3 = 7.9$

97. $u - 3.21 = 10.46$

98. $w - 0.84 = 0.99$

99. $z - 0.79 = 2.8$

Example: How to solve one-step equations using multiplication and division.

Multiplication:

$2y = 14$ **Get the variable alone on one side of the equation – to do this – divide each side by 2**

$$\frac{2y}{2} = \frac{14}{2}$$

$$y = 7$$

Division:

$\frac{1}{2}y = 30$ **Multiply both sides of the equation by the reciprocal (2 divided by 1)**

$$\frac{2}{1} * \frac{1}{2}y = 30 * \frac{2}{1}$$

$$y = 60$$

Solve the following:

101. $3x = 24$

102. $4y = 16$

103. $5a = 65$

104. $2z = 130$

105. $10k = 200$

106. $4j = 28$

107. $\frac{1}{3}r = 12$

108. $\frac{a}{5} = 25$

109. $\frac{5}{7}x = 35$

Conversion:

1. $56\% =$ What Fraction? 2. $56\% = .56$ (decimal equivalent -- move decimal two places to the left)
2. $.56 = \frac{56}{100}$ (fraction equivalent – move decimal two places to the right and place the number over 100).
3. Reduce: $\frac{56}{100} = \frac{16}{25}$

Compute the missing quantities.

Percentage	Decimal	Fraction
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110.	111.	$\frac{3}{5}$
112.	.20	113.
.35	114.	115.
116.	.3	117
118.	119.	$\frac{2}{5}$
120	.85	121.