



QUESTION BANK: GRADE: 9

SUBJECT: MATHEMATICS

CHAPTER 1: NUMBER SYSTEM

A. Choose the correct answer

1. Which one of the following is a rational number:

- (a) $\sqrt{3}$ (b) $\sqrt{2}$ (c) 0 (d) $\sqrt{5}$

2. 0.6666 in $\frac{p}{q}$ form is:

- (a) $\frac{6}{99}$ (b) $\frac{2}{3}$ (c) $\frac{3}{5}$ (d) $\frac{1}{66}$

3. $4\frac{1}{8}$ in decimal form is:

- (a) 4.125 (b) $4.\overline{15}$ (c) $4.1\overline{5}$ (d) $0.4\overline{15}$

4. The value of $(3+\sqrt{3})(3-\sqrt{3})$ is:

- (a) 0 (b) 6 (c) 9 (d) 3

5. The value of $(\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{2})^2$ is:

- (a) $7+2\sqrt{5}$ (b) $1+5\sqrt{2}$ (c) $7+2\sqrt{10}$ (d) $7-2\sqrt{10}$

6. On rationalizing the denominator of $\frac{1}{\sqrt{7}}$, we get

- (a) 7 (b) $\frac{\sqrt{7}}{7}$ (c) $\frac{-\sqrt{7}}{7}$ (d) $\sqrt{7}$

7. On rationalizing the denominator of $\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{2}}$, we get

- (a) $\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2}$ (b) $\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{5}$ (c) $\frac{\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2}}{3}$ (d) $\frac{\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{5}}{3}$

8. The value of $9^{\frac{3}{2}}$ is :

- (a) 18 (b) 27 (c) -18 (d) $\frac{1}{27}$

9. The value of $11^{1/2} \div 11^{1/4}$ is :

- (a) $11^{1/4}$ (b) $11^{3/4}$ (c) $11^{1/8}$ (d) $11^{1/2}$

10. If $\sqrt{10} = 3.162$, then the value of $\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}$ is

- (a) 0.3162 (b) 3.162 (c) 31.62 (d) 316.2

B. Following questions carry 2 marks each.

1. Simplify the following:

(i) $(4\sqrt{3} - 2\sqrt{2})(3\sqrt{2} + 4\sqrt{3})$

(ii) $(2 + \sqrt{3})(3 + \sqrt{5})$

2. Rationalize the denominator of the following: (i) $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5}}$ (ii) $\frac{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2}}$

3. Find six rational numbers between 3 and 4.

4. Express the following in the form of $\frac{p}{q}$, where p and q are integers and $q \neq 0$

(i) $0.\overline{6}$

(ii) $0.4\overline{7}$

5. Represent the real number $\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}$ on a single number line.

C. Following questions carry 3 marks each.

1. Simplify: $\frac{9^{\frac{1}{3}} \times 27^{\frac{-1}{2}}}{3^6 \times 3^{\frac{-2}{3}}}$

2. If $a = 5 + 2\sqrt{6}$ and $b = \frac{1}{a}$ then what will be the value of $a^2 + b^2$?

3. Evaluate the following expressions: (i) $\left(\frac{625}{81}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$ (ii) $27^{\frac{2}{3}} \times 27^{\frac{1}{3}} \times 27^{\frac{-4}{3}}$

4. Simplify: $\frac{\sqrt{32} + \sqrt{48}}{\sqrt{8} + \sqrt{12}}$

5. Find the decimal expansions of $\frac{10}{3}, \frac{7}{8}$ and $\frac{1}{7}$.

ANSWER KEY: 1. c 2. b 3 a 4 b 5 c 6 b 7 c 8 b 9 a 10 a

C. 1. $3^{\frac{-1}{3}}$

A. 1. $4\sqrt{6} + 36$

2. 98

2. $6 + 2\sqrt{5} + 3\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{15}$

3. (i) $\frac{3}{5}$ (ii) $\frac{1}{3}$

3. $3\frac{1}{4}, 3\frac{1}{8}, 3\frac{1}{2}, 3\frac{1}{16}, 3\frac{1}{7}, 3\frac{1}{5}$ (Any six between 3 and 4 can be written)

4. 2

5. 3.333... , 0.875, 0.142857.....