

## Division of Rational numbers

**SUBJECT : MATHEMATICS**  
**CHAPTER NUMBER: 02**  
**CHAPTER NAME : RATIONAL NUMBERS**

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## Learning outcomes

Students will be able to divide rational numbers



## **Video on**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VMp7bm9khis> (6:46  
minutes )

Question 6.

(iv)  $-7$  by  $-14/5$

$$= -7 \div -14/5$$

$$= -7 \times 5/-14$$

$$= 1 \times 5/2$$

$$= (1 \times 5)/2$$

$$= 5/2$$

$$= 2 \frac{1}{2}$$

(v)  $-14$  by  $7/-2$

$$= -14 \div 7/-2$$

$$= -14 \times -2/7$$

$$= (-2 \times -2)/(1 \times 1)$$

$$= 4$$

(vi)  $-22/9$  by  $11/18$

$$= -22/9 \div 11/18$$

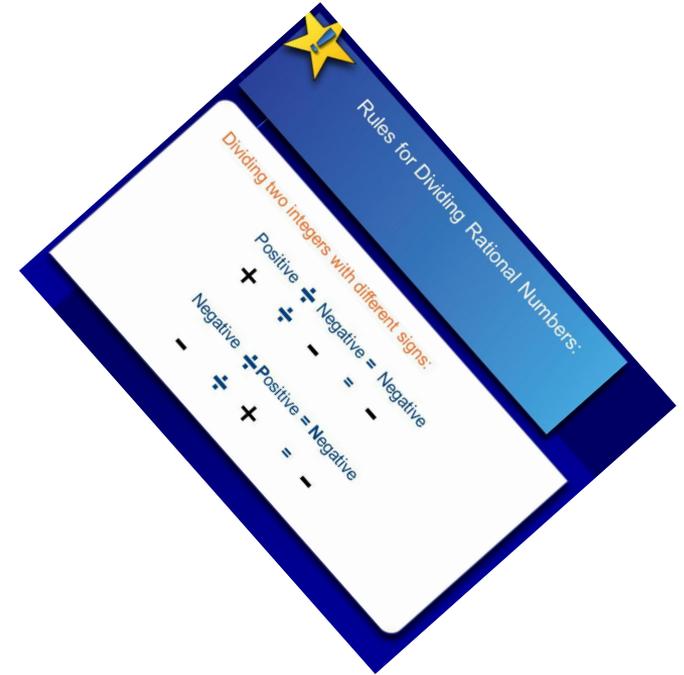
$$= -22/9 \times 18/11$$

$$= -2/1 \times 2/1$$

$$= (-2 \times 2)/(1 \times 1)$$

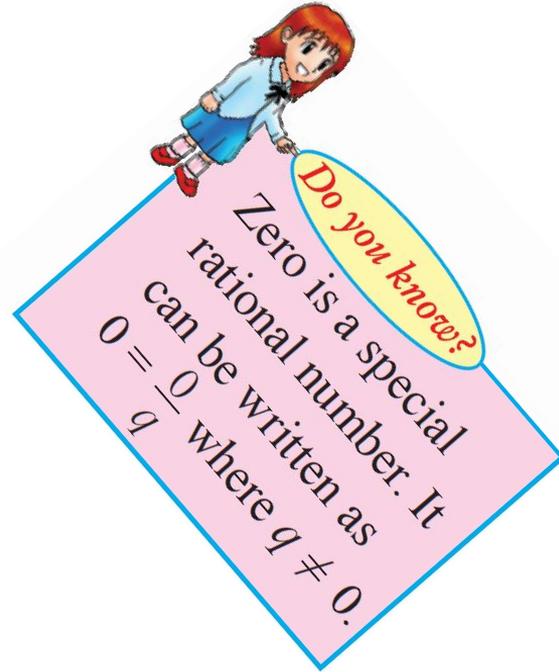
$$= -4/1$$

$$= -4$$



$$\begin{aligned} 6. \text{ v) } & -14 \text{ by } 7/-2 \\ & = -14 \div 7/-2 \\ & = -14 \times -2/7 \\ & = (-2 \times -2)/(1 \times 1) \\ & = 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(vi) } & -22/9 \text{ by } 11/18 \\ & = -22/9 \div 11/18 \\ & = -22/9 \times 18/11 \\ & = -2/1 \times 2/1 \\ & = (-2 \times 2)/(1 \times 1) \\ & = -4/1 \\ & = -4 \end{aligned}$$



$$6.(vii) 35 \text{ by } -7/9$$

$$= 35 \div -7/9$$

$$= 35 \times 9/-7$$

$$= 5 \times 9/-1$$

$$= (5 \times 9)/-1$$

$$= 45/-1$$

$$= -45$$

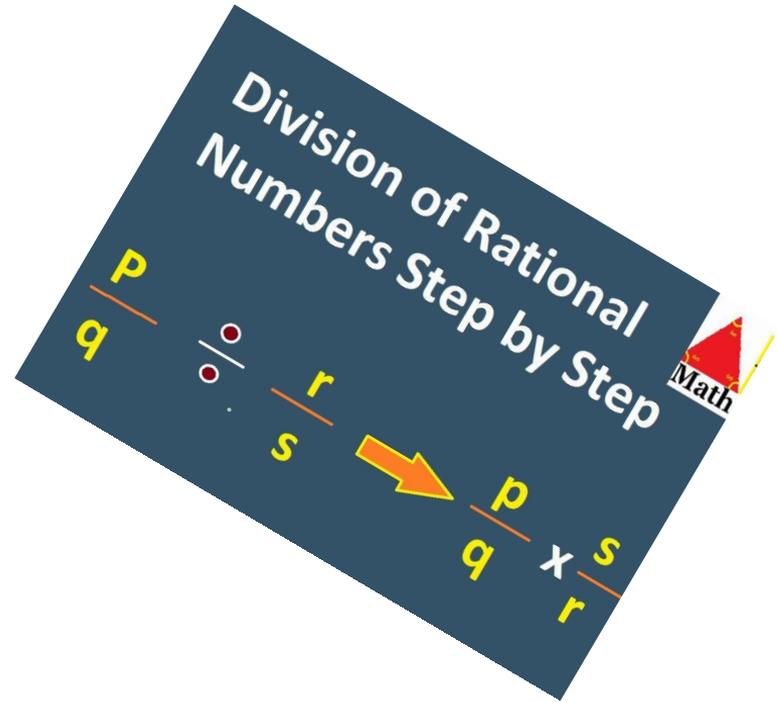
$$(viii) 21/44 \text{ by } -11/9$$

$$= 21/44 \div -11/9$$

$$= 21/44 \times -9/11$$

$$= (21 \times -9)/(44 \times 11)$$

$$= -189/484$$



## Exercise 2 E

9. The product of two rational numbers is 24. If one of them is  $-36/11$ , find the other.

**Solution:**

It is given that

Product of two rational numbers = 24

One rational number =  $-36/11$

Other rational number =  $24 \div (-36/11)$

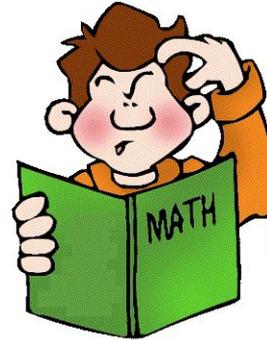
It can be written as

$$= 24 \times (-11/36)$$

By further calculation

$$= 2 \times (-11/3)$$

$$= -22/3$$



# WORD PROBLEMS

**10. By what rational number should we multiply  $20/-9$ , so that the product may be  $-5/9$ ?**

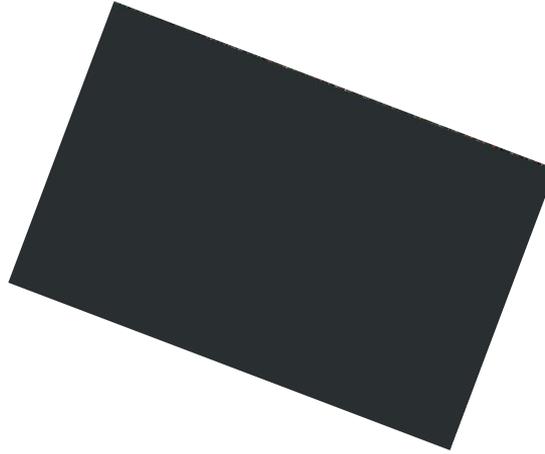
**Solution:**

Here the required rational number =  $-5/9 \div (20/-9)$

By further calculation

$$= -5/9 \times (-9/20)$$

$$= 1/4$$



H.W. Exercise 2 D  
Q.No.6 i , ii , iii

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