Chapter- 9

Fractions

WORKSHEET

1. **Fill in the blanks :**

   a) Fractions with different denominators are unlike fractions.

   b) A mixed number is a combination of a whole number and a proper fraction.

   c) A fraction greater than 1 is always a/an improper fraction.

   d) In $\frac{17}{18}$, the numerator is 17.

   e) The lowest term of $\frac{10}{10}$ is $\frac{1}{1}$.

   f) 5, one-fifth make a whole .

   g) There are one halves in $4\frac{1}{2}$.

   h) A proper fraction is always less than 1.

   i) Fractions with the same denominator are like fractions.

   j) The numbers such as half, one-third, one-fourth, two-fifth, five-sixth etc. are called fractional numbers.

2. **Do as directed :**

   a) Find : $\frac{3}{5}$ of 25.

   Ans. $\frac{3}{\cancel{5}_{1}} \times \frac{\cancel{25}^{5}}{1} = 15$

   b) Express $\frac{19}{2}$ as mixed number.

   Ans. $2\overline{)19}\ 9$, 18, 1 $= 9\frac{1}{2}$

   c) Express $6\frac{2}{9}$ as improper fraction.

   Ans. $\frac{56}{9}$

d) Compare and put the correct symbol (< , > or =)

$\frac{3}{4}$ (<) $\frac{2}{5}$

Ans.

4 | 4, 5
5 | 1, 5
1, 1

L.C.M = 20

$\frac{3 \times 20}{4 \times 20} = \frac{60}{80}$

$\frac{2 \times 20}{5 \times 20} = \frac{40}{100}$

e) Reduce $\frac{18}{42}$ to its lowest form.

Ans. $\frac{18 \div 6}{42 \div 6} = \frac{3}{7}$

2 | 18, 42
3 | 9, 21
3, 7

H.C.F = 6

3. **Solve as per the given instructions:**

a) Add : $2\frac{5}{13} + \frac{7}{13} + 3\frac{9}{26}$

Ans. $\frac{31}{13} + \frac{7}{13} + \frac{87}{26}$

$= \frac{31 \times 2 + 7 \times 2 + 87 \times 1}{26}$

$= \frac{62 + 14 + 87}{26} = \frac{163}{26} = 6\frac{7}{26}$

13 | 13, 13, 26
2 | 1, 1, 2
1, 1, 1

b) Subtract $5\frac{7}{9}$ from $9\frac{5}{7}$

Ans. $\frac{52}{9} - \frac{68}{7}$

$= \frac{52 \times 7 - 68 \times 9}{63} = \frac{364 - 612}{63} = \frac{248}{63}$

3 | 9, 7
3 | 3, 7
7 | 1, 7
1, 1

c) Multiply : $\frac{2}{5} \times \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{2}$

Ans. $\frac{2 \times 3 \times 1}{5 \times 4 \times 2} = \frac{3}{20}$

d) Simplify $\frac{3}{5} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{4}$

Ans. $\frac{3}{5} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{4} = \frac{3\times4 + 1\times10 - 3\times5}{20}$

$= \frac{12+10-15}{20} = \frac{22-15}{20} = \frac{7}{20}$

e) A ribbon measuring $3\frac{1}{2}$ m is cut into 7 pieces. What is the length of each piece ?

Ans. A ribbon measuring is $= 3\frac{1}{2} = \frac{7}{2}$ m

Cut into pieces is = 7

Length of each piece $= \frac{7}{2} \div \frac{1}{7}$

$\frac{7}{2} \times \frac{1}{7_1} = \frac{1}{2}$

Hence, the length of each piece is $\frac{1}{2}$ m.

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