

## 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 1.
- f) Five, one-fifth make a whole.
- g) There are 9.5 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 equivalent numbers.

## 2. Do as directed :

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

Ans.

$$\frac{3}{5} \times 25 = 3 \times 5 = 15$$

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

Ans.  $9\frac{1}{2}$

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

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

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

$$\frac{3}{4} \bigcirc \frac{2}{5}$$

Ans.  $\frac{3}{4} = 0.75$        $\frac{2}{5} = 0.4$   
 $= 0.75 > 0.4$

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

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

3. Solve as per the given instructions:

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

Ans.  $\frac{31}{13} + \frac{7}{13} = \frac{38}{13}$   
 $\frac{62}{26} + \frac{14}{26} = \frac{76}{26}$   
 $\frac{76}{26} + \frac{38}{13} = \frac{76}{26} + \frac{56}{26} = \frac{132}{26} = 6\frac{7}{13}$

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

Ans.  $\frac{52}{9} - \frac{68}{7} = \frac{364 - 612}{63} = \frac{-248}{63} = 3\frac{59}{63}$

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

Ans.  $= \frac{2 \times 3 \times 1}{5 \times 4 \times 2} = \frac{6}{40} = \frac{3}{20}$

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

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

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

Ans.

solution

Given length of ribbon is  $= 3\frac{1}{2} = \frac{7}{2}$

It is cut into = 7 equal pieces

Let  $x$  be the length of each piece

$$7x = \frac{7}{2}$$

$x = \frac{1}{2}$  length of each piece is  $\frac{1}{2}$  meter.