

Fundamental Operation

(i) $5 + 4 = 9$ and $5x + 4x = 9x$

(ii) $12 + 18 = 30$ and $12x^2y + 18x^2y = 30x^2y$

(iii) $7 + 16 = 23$ and $7a + 16b = 7a + 16b$

(iv) $1 + 3 = 4$ and $1x^2y + 3x^2y = 3x^2y$

(v) $7 - 4 = 3$ and $7ab - 4ab = 3ab$

(vi) $12 - 5 = 7$ and $12x - 5x = 7x$

(vii) $35 - 16 = 19$ and $35ab - 16ab = 19ab$

(viii) $28 - 13 = 15$ and $28a^2x - 12a^2x = 16a^2x$

$- 12a^2x$

i) The sum of -2 and $-5 = -7$ and the sum of $-2x$ and $-5x = -7x$.

ii) The sum of 8 and -3 is 5 and the sum of $8ab$ and $3ab$ is $5ab$.

(iii) The sum of -15 and $-4 = -19$ and the sum of $-15x$ and $-4y = -15x$ and $-4y$

(iv) $15+8+3 = 26$ and $15x+8y+3x = 15x+8y+3x$

(v) $12-9+15 = 18$ and $12ab-9ab+15ba = 12ab-9ab+15ba$

(vi) $25-7-9 = 9$ and $25xy-7xy-9yx = 25xy-7xy-9yx$

(vii) $-4-6-5 = -3$ and $-4ax-6ax-5ay = -4ax-6ax-5ay$

3 ~~7~~ (i) $8xy$ and $3xy = 11xy$

(ii) $2xyz$, xyz and $6xyz = 9xyz$

(iii) $2a$, $3a$ and $4b = 5a+4b$

(iv) $3x$ and $2y = 3x+2y$

(v) $5m$, $3n$ and $4p = 5m+3n+4p$

$$(vi) 6a, 3a \text{ and } 9ab = 9a + 9ab$$

$$(vii) 3p, 4p \text{ and } 9p = 16p$$

$$(viii) 5ab, 4ba \text{ and } 6b = 5ab + 4ba + 6b$$

$$(ix) 50pq, 30pq \text{ and } 10pr = 80pq + 10pr$$

$$(x) -2y, -y, -3y = -6y$$

$$(xi) -3b \text{ and } -b = -4b$$

$$(xii) 5b, -4b \text{ and } -10b = -9b$$

$$(xiii) -2c, -c \text{ and } -5c = -8c$$

$$4) (i) 6a - a - 5a - 2a = -2a$$

$$(ii) 2b - 3b - b + 4b = 2b$$

$$(iii) 3x - 2x - 4x + 7x = 4x$$

$$(iv) 5ab + 2ab - 6ab + ab = 2ab$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(v)} \quad & 8x - 5y - 3x + 10y \\ &= 8x - 3x - 5y + 10y \\ &= 5x + 5y \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{5(i)} \quad -7x + 9x + 2x - 2x = 2x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(ii)} \quad & 5ab - 2ab - 8ab + 6ab = (5 - 2 - 8 + 6)ab \\ &= 1ab \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(iii)} \quad & -8a - 3a + 12a + 13a - 6a = \underline{8} \\ &= (-8 - 3 + 12 + 13 - 6)a \\ &= 24a \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(iv)} \quad & 19abc - 11abc - 12abc + 14abc \\ &= (19 - 11 - 12 + 14)abc \\ &= 10abc \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{6(i)} \quad 4ab, 6ab = 6ab - 4ab = 2ab$$

$$\text{6(ii)} \quad 4ab, 6ba = 6ba - 4ab = 6ba - 4ab$$

$$\text{(iii)} \quad 4 \cdot 8b, 6 \cdot 8b = 6 \cdot 8b - 4 \cdot 8b = 2b$$

abc

$$(iii) 3 \cdot 5, 10 \cdot 5 abc = 10 \cdot 5 abc - 3 \cdot 5 abc = 7 abc$$

$$(iv) 3 \frac{1}{2} mn, 8 \frac{1}{2} nm = \frac{7}{2} mn, \frac{17}{2} nm = \frac{17}{2} nm - \frac{7}{2} nm$$

$$(v) 2a^2b^2 + 5ab^2 + 8a^2b^2 - 3ab^2$$

$$= 2a^2b^2 + 8a^2b^2 + 5ab^2 - 3ab^2$$

$$= 10a^2b^2 + 2ab^2$$

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$$(vi) 4a + 3b - 2a - b$$

$$= 4a + 2a - 3b - b$$

$$= 6a - 2b$$

$$(vii) 2xy + 4yz + 5xy + 3yz - 6xy$$

$$= 2xy + 5xy - 6xy + 4yz + 3yz$$

$$= 7xy - 6xy + 7yz$$

$$= 1xy + 7yz$$

$$\text{iv)} \rightarrow ab + 6ab - 11ab - 2ab$$

$$= 3ab$$

$$\text{(v)} \quad 6a^2 - 3b^2 + 2a^2 + 5b^2 - 4a^2$$

$$= 6a^2 + 2a^2 - 4a^2 - 3b^2 + 5b^2$$

$$= 8a^2 - 4a^2 + 2b^2$$

$$= 4a^2 + 2b^2$$

$$\text{vi)} \rightarrow 8abc + 2ab - 4abc + ab$$

$$= 8abc - 4abc + 2ab + ab$$

$$= 4abc + 3ab$$

$$\text{vii)} \rightarrow 9xyz + 5yxz - 10zyx - 2zxy$$

$$= 9xyz + 5xyz - 10xyz - 2xyz$$

$$= 24xyz - 12xyz = 12xyz$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{viii} \rightarrow & 13pqr + 2p + 4p - 6pqr + 5pqr \\
 & = 13pqr - 6pqr + 5pqr + 2p + 4p \\
 & = 7pqr - 5pqr + 2p + 4p \\
 & = 2pqr + 6p
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ix)} \rightarrow & 4ab + 0 - 2ba \\
 & = 4ab - 2\overset{ab}{ba} \\
 & = 2ab
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(x)} & 6x^2y - 2xy^2 + 5x^2y - xy^2 \\
 & \xrightarrow{\text{cancel } 6x^2} \\
 & = 6x^2y + 5x^2y - 2xy^2 - xy^2 \\
 & = 11x^2y - 1xy^2
 \end{aligned}$$

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