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* Choose the right answer from the given options. [1 Marks Each]

1. π is:

- (A) A whole number. (B) An integer. (C) An irrational number. (D) A rational number.

Ans. :

- c. An irrational number.

Solution:

$\pi = 3.14159265359\dots$, which is non-terminating non-recurring.

Hence, it is an irrational number.

2. The value of $\sqrt[4]{\sqrt[3]{2^2}}$ is:

- (A) $2^{\frac{1}{6}}$ (B) 2^6 (C) 2^{-6} (D) $2^{\frac{-1}{6}}$

Ans. :

- a. $2^{\frac{1}{6}}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[4]{\sqrt[3]{2^2}} &= \sqrt[4]{2^{\frac{2}{3}}} \\ &= 2^{\frac{2}{3 \times 4}} = 2^{\frac{1}{6}}\end{aligned}$$

3. $(1296)^{\frac{-1}{4}} =$

- (A) $-\frac{1}{6}$ (B) -6 (C) 6 (D) $\frac{1}{6}$

Ans. :

- d. $\frac{1}{6}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}(1296)^{\frac{-1}{4}} &= (6^4)^{\frac{-1}{4}} \\ &= (6)^{-1} = \frac{1}{6}\end{aligned}$$

4. If $x = (7 + 4\sqrt{3})$ then $(x + \frac{1}{x}) = ?$

- (A) 49 (B) 14 (C) 48 (D) $8\sqrt{3}$

Ans. : b. 14

Solution :

$$\begin{aligned}x &= (7 + 4\sqrt{3}) \\ \frac{1}{x} &= \frac{1}{7+4\sqrt{3}} = (7 - 4\sqrt{3}) \\ x + \frac{1}{x} &= (7 + 4\sqrt{3}) + (7 - 4\sqrt{3}) \\ &= 14\end{aligned}$$

5. The value of $\sqrt{20} \times \sqrt{5}$ is :

- (A) 10 (B) $4\sqrt{5}$ (C) $2\sqrt{5}$ (D) $20\sqrt{5}$

Ans. :

- a. 10

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{20} \times \sqrt{5} &= 2\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5} \\ &= 2 \times 5 \\ &= 10\end{aligned}$$

6. On simplification $(3 + \sqrt{3})(3 - \sqrt{3})$ gives:

- (A) $-2\sqrt{3}$ (B) 0 (C) 16 (D) 6

Ans. :

d. $\frac{1}{8}$

Solution:

We know that,

$$(a + b)(a - b) = a^2 - b^2$$

So, here

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

$$\Rightarrow 9 - 3 - 6$$

7. The simplest form of $0.\overline{36}$ is:

(A) $\frac{36}{100}$

(B) $\frac{4}{11}$

(C) $\frac{4}{9}$

(D) None of these.

Ans. :

b. $\frac{4}{11}$

Solution:

$$0.\overline{36} = \frac{36}{36} = \frac{4 \times 9}{11 \times 9}$$

$$\frac{4}{11}$$

8. If $\sqrt{2} = 1.4142$, then $\sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{\sqrt{2}+1}}$ is equal to:

(A) 0.32322322232223

(B) $\sqrt{180}$

(C) $\sqrt{31}$

(D) $\sqrt{196}$

Ans. :

d. $\sqrt{196}$

Solution:

Because it is the square of 14 and can be written in the form of $\frac{p}{q}$.

9. A number is an irrational if and only if its decimal representation is

(A) non-terminating

(B) non-terminating and repeating

(C) non-terminating and non-repeating

(D) terminating

Ans. : (C) non-terminating and non-repeating

10. The simplest rationalisation factor of $\sqrt[3]{500}$ is:

a. $\sqrt{5}$

b. $\sqrt{3}$

c. $\sqrt[3]{5}$

d. $\sqrt[3]{2}$

Ans. :

d. $\sqrt[3]{2}$

Solution:

$$\sqrt[3]{500} = 500^{\frac{1}{3}} = \left(\frac{500 \times 2}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} = \left(\frac{1000}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{10^{\frac{3 \times 1}{3}}}{2^{\frac{1}{3}}} = \frac{10}{\sqrt[3]{2}}$$

Thus, the simplest rationalisation factor of $\sqrt[3]{500}$ is $\sqrt[3]{2}$.

Hence, the correct option is (d).

* Answer the following short questions. [2 Marks Each]

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11. How many irrational numbers lie between $\sqrt{2}$ and $\sqrt{3}$? Find any three irrational numbers lying between $\sqrt{2}$ and $\sqrt{3}$.

Ans. : There are infinite number of irrational numbers lying between $\sqrt{2}$ and $\sqrt{3}$.

As, $\sqrt{2} = 1.414$ and $\sqrt{3} = 1.732$

So, the three irrational numbers lying between $\sqrt{2}$ and $\sqrt{3}$ are:

1.420420042000..., 1.505005000... and 1.616116111...

12. Multiply:

$6\sqrt{15}$ by $4\sqrt{3}$

Ans. : $6\sqrt{15}$ by $4\sqrt{3}$

$$6\sqrt{15} \times 4\sqrt{3} = 6 \times 4 \times \sqrt{15} \times \sqrt{3}$$

$$= 24 \times \sqrt{15 \times 3}$$

$$= 24 \times \sqrt{3 \times 5 \times 3}$$

$$= 24 \times 3\sqrt{5} = 72\sqrt{5}$$

13. Write the following in decimal form and say what kind of decimal expansion has.

$$\frac{7}{25}$$

Ans. : $\frac{7}{25} = 0.28$

By actual division, we have:

$$\begin{array}{r} 0.28 \\ 25 \overline{) 70} \\ \underline{-50} \\ 200 \\ \underline{-200} \\ 00 \end{array}$$

It is a terminating decimal expansion.

* Answer the following questions. [3 Marks Each]

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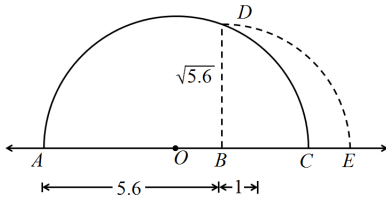
14. Represent geometrically the following numbers on the number line:

$$\sqrt{5.6}$$

Ans. : Firstly, we draw a line segment AB = 5.6 units and extend it to C such that BC = 1 unit. Let O be the mid-point of AC. Now, draw a semi-circle with centre O and radius OA. Let us draw BD perpendicular to AC passing through point B and intersecting the semi-circle at point D.

Hence, the distance BD is $\sqrt{5.6}$ units.

Draw an arc with centre B and radius BD, meeting AC produced at E, then BE = BD = $\sqrt{5.6}$ units.



15. Find the values of a and b in the following:

$$\frac{5+2\sqrt{3}}{7+4\sqrt{3}} = a - 6\sqrt{3}$$

Ans. : LHS = $\frac{5+2\sqrt{3}}{7+4\sqrt{3}} = \frac{5+2\sqrt{3}}{7+4\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{7-4\sqrt{3}}{7-4\sqrt{3}}$

$$= \frac{(5+2\sqrt{3})(7-4\sqrt{3})}{(7)^2 - (4\sqrt{3})^2}$$

$$= \frac{35+20\sqrt{3}+14\sqrt{3}-24}{49-48}$$

$$= \frac{11-6\sqrt{3}}{1} = 11 - 6\sqrt{3}$$

Now, $11 - 6\sqrt{3} = a - 6\sqrt{3}$

$$\Rightarrow a = 11$$

16. Represent geometrically the following numbers on the number line:

$$\sqrt{8.1}$$

Ans. : Firstly, we draw a line segment AB = 8.1 units and extend it to C such that BC = 1 unit. Let O be the mid-point of AC. Now, draw a semi-circle with centre O and radius OA.

Let us draw BD perpendicular to AC passing through point B intersecting the semi-circle at point D.

Hence, the distance BD is $\sqrt{8.1}$ units.

Draw an arc with centre Sand radius BD, meeting AC produced at E, then BE = BD = $\sqrt{8.1}$ units.

