

REVIEW

Chapter 1 – The Real Number System

In class work: Complete all statements. Solve all exercises.

(Section 1.4)

Definition A **set** is a collection of objects (elements).

The Set of Natural Numbers \mathbb{N}

$$\mathbb{N} = \underline{\hspace{10em}}$$

The Set of Whole Numbers \mathbb{W}

\mathbb{N} ____ \mathbb{W}

$$\mathbb{W} = \underline{\hspace{10em}}$$

The Set of Integers \mathbb{Z}

\mathbb{N} ____ \mathbb{W} ____ \mathbb{Z}

$$\mathbb{Z} = \underline{\hspace{10em}}$$

The Set of Rational Numbers \mathbb{Q}

\mathbb{N} ____ \mathbb{W} ____ \mathbb{Z} ____ \mathbb{Q}

$$\mathbb{Q} = \underline{\hspace{10em}}$$

The Set of Irrational Numbers

Examples:

The Set of Real Numbers \mathbb{R}

\mathbb{N} ____ \mathbb{W} ____ \mathbb{Z} ____ \mathbb{Q} ____ \mathbb{R}

$$\mathbb{R} = \underline{\hspace{10em}}$$

Exercise #1 Decide whether each statement is true or false:

a) Every natural number is positive. _____

b) Every whole number is positive. _____

c) Every integer is a rational number. _____

Exercise #2 List all numbers from the set $\left\{-9, -\sqrt{7}, -1\frac{1}{4}, -\frac{3}{5}, 0, \sqrt{5}, 3, 5.9, 7\right\}$ that are

a) natural numbers _____

b) whole numbers but not natural numbers _____

c) odd integers _____

d) rational numbers _____

e) irrational numbers _____

(Section 1.2)

Mathematical Symbols

SYMBOL	MEANING	EXAMPLES
=	is equal to	
≠	is not equal to	
∈	belongs to (about an element)	
∉	it doesn't belong to	
<	is less than	
≤	is less than or equal to	
>	is greater than	
≥	is greater than or equal to	

Definition A number a is **less than a number b** ($a < b$) if a is to the left of b on the number line.

Exercise #3 Write equivalent statements:

- a) $2 \leq 3$ _____
- b) $30 > 5$ _____
- c) $5 > -1 \geq -6$ _____
- d) $-4 < -2$ _____

Exercise #4 Fill in the appropriate ordering symbol: either $<$, $>$, or $=$.

- a) 2 _____ -5
- b) 19 _____ $24 - 10$
- c) $4 - 4$ _____ $4 \cdot 0$

Exercise #5 Write each word statement in symbols:

- a) Fifteen is equal to five plus ten. _____
- b) Nine is greater than five minus four. _____
- c) Sixteen is not equal to nineteen. _____
- d) Two is less than or equal to three. _____

(Section 1.7)

Properties of Real Numbers

PROPERTIES	ADDITION +	MULTIPLICATION •
COMMUTATIVITY		
ASSOCIATIVITY		
IDENTITY ELEMENT		
INVERSE ELEMENT		
DISTRIBUTIVE PROPERTY		

Exercise #6 Find the opposite and the reciprocal (if any) of each number:

The Number	Its Opposite	Its Reciprocal

The Double Negative Rule

Exercise #7 Identify the property used in each example:

a. $(-23) + (-11) = (-11) + (-23)$ _____

b. $[123(-2)](-3) = 123[(-2)(-3)]$ _____

c. $1 \cdot 23 = 23 \cdot 1$ _____

d. $[(-29) + 17] + 54 = (-29) + [(17 + 54)]$ _____

e. $(-101)(29) = 29(-101)$ _____

f. $100 + 0 = 0 + 100$ _____

(Section 1.4)

The Absolute Value of a Number

Definition (1) **The absolute value of a number** is the distance between the number and the origin on the number line.

$$|a| = \text{dist}(a, 0)$$

Property $|a| \geq 0$ for any $a \in R$

Definition (2)
$$|a| = \begin{cases} a, & \text{if } a \geq 0 \\ -a, & \text{if } a < 0 \end{cases}$$

Exercise #8 Simplify the following:

a) $|-7|$

b) $-(-7)$

c) $-|-7|$

d) $-| -(-7) |$

Exercise #9 Fill in the appropriate ordering symbol: either $<$, $>$, or $=$.

a) $|-3|$ _____ $|-4|$

b) 3 _____ $|-4|$

c) $-|-6|$ _____ $-|-4|$

d) -6 _____ $-(-3)$

e) $-|8|$ _____ $|-9|$

f) $|6-5|$ _____ $|2-6|$

Order of Operations If grouping symbols are present, simplify within them, innermost first, in the following order:

Step 1 _____

Step 2 _____

Step 3 _____

Exercise #11 Simplify the following:

a) $|7 \cdot 2 - 8^2|$

b) $(-5)^2 - 3^2 + |10 - 2 \cdot 3|$

c) $-18 \div (-3)^2 + |-8| - |-4|$

d) $\frac{(-4)^2 - |1 - 2^3|}{-(-2)^3 + (-1)^{125}}$

e) $\frac{|-8 - 4| \div (2 - 2^2)}{-18 \div (-3)^2 + |-8| - |-4|}$

f) $238 \cdot 0 - 230 \div 10 + 999 \div 9 - 31 \cdot 100$

g) $-2(-5)^2 + 10 \div (2) - (-3)^2(2) + 4^2 \div (-2)$

h) $(4 - 7)(20 - 21)^3 - 2[-10(-3) + 2(-1 - 3)]$

i) $-2(-1)(-7)(-6) + (-2)(-1 - 7) - 3(2 - 5)$

j) $|2 - 5| + |7 + 10| - |9 - 12| + |0 - 9|$

Exercise #12 Translate each phrase into a mathematical statement:

a) The sum of -5 and 12 and 6 _____

b) 14 added to the sum of -19 and -4 . _____

c) The difference between 4 and -8 _____

d) The sum of 9 and -4 , decreased by 7 . _____

e) 12 less than the difference between 8 and -5 . _____

f) The product of -9 and 2 , added to 9 . _____

g) Twice the product of -1 and 6 , subtracted from -4 . _____

h) The quotient of -12 and the sum of -5 and -1 . _____

Sums, Terms, Products, and Factors
Prime and Composite Numbers

Sum is the word we use for _____.

The numbers to be added in the sum are called _____.

Product is the word we use for _____.

The numbers being multiplied are called _____.

Definition **a is divisible by b ($a:b$) or b divides a ($b|a$)** if, when dividing a by b ,
_____.

<u>Equivalent statements</u>	a is divisible by b	
	a is a multiple of b	
	b divides a	
	b is a factor of a	
	b is a divisor of a	

Exercise #13 List all the factors of:

20: _____

5: _____

12: _____

17: _____

Property The number _____ is a factor of any number. _____

Any nonzero number is a factor of _____. _____

Definition A prime number is a natural number (excluding 1) that is divisible only by _____

A natural number greater than 1 that is not prime is called _____

The Set of Prime Numbers: _____

Tests for divisibility:

A number is divisible by

2 if its last digit is divisible by 2.

3 if the _____ is divisible by 3.

4 if the number formed by its _____ is divisible by 4.

5 if the _____ is _____.

8 if the last three digits form a number divisible by 8.

9 if the sum of its digits is divisible by 9.

10 if its _____ is _____.

Exercise #14

- a) List all the factors of 24:
- b) List all the prime factors of 24:
- c) List some multiples of 2:
- d) List all the factors of 2:
- e) Find the prime factorization of each number: 15, 28, 108, 1200"

(Section 1.3)

Algebraic Expressions

Definition A **variable** is a symbol (usually a letter) that stands for a number (or numbers).

Variables can be **used**:

- (1) in equations - variables represents unknown quantities
 - the variable is holding the place of a particular number (or numbers) that has not yet been identified but which needs to be found.
- _____

- (2) in general statements - the variable describes a general relationship between numbers and/or arithmetic operations.
- _____

Definition A **constant** is a symbol whose value is fixed.

Definition An algebraic expression is a finite number of additions, subtractions, multiplications, and divisions of _____.

Note: An algebraic expression DOES NOT contain the _____ sign.

Definition An **equation** is a statement that two algebraic expressions are equal.

Definition The process of replacing the variable(s) in an algebraic expression with specific values and evaluating the result is called **algebraic substitution**.

Exercise #15 Evaluate the following expressions if $x = 2, y = -3, z = -1$:

- a) $\frac{|xy|}{3z}$
 b) $\frac{3y^2 - x^2 + 1}{y|z|}$
 c) $yz^3 - (xy)^3$

Exercise #16

Translate each of the following algebraically:

1) Eight more than three times a number.

Choose a variable to represent
the unknown _____

Translate: _____

Identify the statement:

Algebraic Expression or Equation

2) Three times the sum of eight and a number.

Choose a variable to represent
the unknown _____

Translate: _____

Identify the statement:

Algebraic Expression or Equation

3) Two less than five times a number is 18.

Choose a variable to represent
the unknown _____

Translate: _____

Identify the statement:

Algebraic Expression or Equation

4) The sum of two numbers is four less than their product.

Choose a variable to represent
the unknown(s) _____

Translate: _____

Identify the statement:

Algebraic Expression or Equation

5) Two less than five times a number is 18.

Choose a variable to represent
the unknown _____

Translate: _____

Identify the statement:

Algebraic Expression or Equation

6) Four more than a number.

Choose a variable to represent
the unknown _____

Translate: _____

Identify the statement:

Algebraic Expression or Equation

Equivalent phrase: _____

7) Four less than a number is 12.

Choose a variable to represent
the unknown _____

Translate: _____

Identify the statement:

Algebraic Expression or Equation

8) The product of a number and seven more than the number.

Choose a variable to represent
the unknown _____

Translate: _____

Identify the statement:

Algebraic Expression or Equation

9) The product of two more than a number and six less than the number.

Choose a variable to represent
the unknown _____

Translate: _____

Identify the statement:

Algebraic Expression or Equation

Exercise #22 Factor out a (-1) :

a) $-a-b$

b) $-x+y-2z$

c) $x-5$

More exercises 1.8 (Combining like terms)

Exercise #23 Simplify:

a) $12b+b$

b) $12b(b)$

c) $\frac{12b}{b}$

d) $\frac{12+b}{b}$

e) $4x+5y-9x+y$

f) $3(x+y)+2x-y$

g) $x(2+y)-3(xy)+2x(3+y)$

h) $0.06x+0.09(x+1)$

i) $8-3[x-4(x-3)]$

j) $x\{2x^2+x[x-3(x-1)]\}$

k) $5(x-3y)-x(-3y)$

l) $-11c-(4-2c)$

m) $2x-\frac{3}{2}y+x-\frac{1}{2}y$

n) $4x(3x^2-y)+(x^3-4xy)+2x(3x)(-4y)$

o) $-3(x+2)+7(x+2)$

p) $3-2[2x-5(x+3)]$

r) $aa^2-3a(a^2+2)$

s) $-a^2(3a-7)+2a[a^2-4(a-2)]$

t) $4u^2v(u-v)-(uv^3+u^2v^2)$

u) $5x(-3y)-x(-3y)$

v) $5x(x^2+3)+2x(3x^2)$

x) $100[0.05(x+3)]$

y) $100+0.05(x+3)$

z) $100(0.05+x+3)$