

Number Systems

Worksheet 3

Add

- (i) $(2\sqrt{3} - 5\sqrt{2})$ and $(\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{2})$
- (ii) $(2\sqrt{2} + 5\sqrt{3} - 7\sqrt{5})$ and $(3\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2} + \sqrt{5})$
- (iii) $(\frac{2}{3}\sqrt{7} - \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{2} + 6\sqrt{11})$ and $(\frac{1}{3}\sqrt{7} + \frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{11})$
- (iv) $(3\sqrt{2} + 7\sqrt{3})$ and $(\sqrt{2} - 5\sqrt{3})$

Multiply

- (i) $3\sqrt{5}$ by $2\sqrt{5}$
- (ii) $6\sqrt{15}$ by $4\sqrt{3}$
- (iii) $2\sqrt{6}$ by $3\sqrt{3}$
- (iv) $3\sqrt{8}$ by $3\sqrt{2}$
- (v) $\sqrt{10}$ by $\sqrt{40}$
- (vi) $3\sqrt{28}$ by $2\sqrt{7}$

Divide

- (i) $16\sqrt{6}$ by $4\sqrt{2}$
- (ii) $12\sqrt{15}$ by $4\sqrt{3}$
- (iii) $18\sqrt{21}$ by $6\sqrt{7}$

Simplify

- (i) $(3 - \sqrt{11})(3 + \sqrt{11})$
- (ii) $(-3 + \sqrt{5})(-3 - \sqrt{5})$
- (iii) $(3 - \sqrt{3})^2$
- (iv) $(\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{3})^2$
- (v) $(5 + \sqrt{7})(2 + \sqrt{5})$
- (vi) $(\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2})(\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3})$
- (vii) $(3 + \sqrt{3})(2 + \sqrt{2})^2$
- (viii) $\frac{\sqrt{72}}{5\sqrt{72} + 3\sqrt{288} - 2\sqrt{648}}$
- (ix) $3\sqrt{45} - \sqrt{125} + \sqrt{200} - \sqrt{50}$

- (x) $\frac{2\sqrt{30}}{\sqrt{6}} - \frac{3\sqrt{140}}{\sqrt{28}} + \frac{\sqrt{55}}{\sqrt{99}}$
- (xi) $\sqrt{72} + \sqrt{800} - \sqrt{18}$
- (xii) $\frac{\sqrt{a^2 - b^2} + a}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} + b} \div \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - b}{a - \sqrt{a^2 - b^2}}$
- (xiii) $\frac{7\sqrt{3} - 5\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{48} + \sqrt{18}}$
- (xiv) $\frac{2\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{5}}{3\sqrt{5} - 2\sqrt{6}}$
- (xv) $\frac{4 + \sqrt{5}}{4 - \sqrt{5}} + \frac{4 - \sqrt{5}}{4 + \sqrt{5}}$
- (xvi) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2}} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{3}} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2}}$
- (xvii) $\frac{2 + \sqrt{3}}{2 - \sqrt{3}} + \frac{2 - \sqrt{3}}{2 + \sqrt{3}} + \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{\sqrt{3} + 1}$

Rationalize the denominator of

- (i) $\frac{1}{3 + \sqrt{2}}$
- (ii) $\frac{1}{8 + 5\sqrt{2}}$
- (iii) $\frac{6}{\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{2}}$
- (iv) $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5}}$
- (v) $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2\sqrt{3}}$
- (vi) $\frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{2 - \sqrt{2}}$
- (vii) $\frac{3 - 2\sqrt{2}}{3 + 2\sqrt{2}}$
- (viii)

Find the rational number a and b such that

- (i) $\frac{\sqrt{2} - 1}{\sqrt{2} + 1} = a + b\sqrt{2}$
- (ii) $\frac{2 - \sqrt{5}}{2 + \sqrt{5}} = a\sqrt{5} + b$
- (iii) $\frac{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2}} = a + b\sqrt{6}$
- (iv) $\frac{5 + 2\sqrt{3}}{7 + 4\sqrt{3}} = a + b\sqrt{2}$

Prove that

- (i) $\frac{1}{1 + \sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{4}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{4} + \sqrt{5}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{6}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{7}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{8}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{8} + \sqrt{9}} = \frac{2}{2}$

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