Exercise 1.3 (Solutions) Mathematics 9: PCTB Author: Sheraz Ansari Available at MathCity.org

Chapter # 1 **REAL NUMBERS**

Exercise # 1.3

Question # 1: The sum of three consecutive integers is forty-two, find the three integers.

Let, three consecutive integers are: x, x + 1, x + 2

According to question:

$$x + x + 1 + x + 2 = 42$$

 $3x + 3 = 42$
 $3x = 42 - 3$
 $3x = 39$
 $x = \frac{39}{3}$
 $x = 13$
Also,
 $x + 1 = 13 + 1 = 14$
 $x + 2 = 13 + 2 = 15$
 $13,14,15$ (Answer)

b)

Question # 2: The diagram shows right angled $\triangle ABC$ in which the length of \overline{AC} is $(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5})cm$. The area of $\triangle ABC$ is $(1 + \sqrt{15})cm^2$. Find the length of \overline{AB} in the form of $(a\sqrt{3} + b\sqrt{5})cm$, where *a* and *b* are integers.



$$\overline{AC} = (\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5})cm$$

$$Area = (1 + \sqrt{15})cm^{2}$$

$$\overline{AB} = ?$$

$$Area = \frac{\overline{AB} \times \overline{AC}}{2}$$

$$(1 + \sqrt{15}) = \frac{\overline{AB} \times (\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5})}{2}$$

$$\overline{AB} = \frac{2(1 + \sqrt{15})}{(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5})}$$

$$\overline{AB} = \frac{2(1 + \sqrt{15})}{(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5})} \times \frac{(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5})}{(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5})}$$

$$= \frac{2(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5} + \sqrt{15 \times 3} - \sqrt{15 \times 5})}{(\sqrt{3})^{2} - (\sqrt{5})^{2}} \quad \because a^{2} - b^{2} = (a + b)(a - b)^{2}$$

$$= \frac{2(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5} + \sqrt{45} - \sqrt{75})}{3 - 5}$$

$$= \frac{2(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5} + \sqrt{9 \times 3} - \sqrt{25 \times 3})}{-2}$$

= $-(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5} + 3\sqrt{3} - 5\sqrt{3})$
= $-\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5} - 3\sqrt{3} + 5\sqrt{3}$
 $\overline{AB} = 4\sqrt{3} - 2\sqrt{5}$
(Answer)

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Question # 3: A rectangle has sides of length $2 + \sqrt{18} m$ and $\left(5 - \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}}\right) m$. Express the area of rectangle in the form $a + b\sqrt{2}$, where *a* and *b* are integers.

$$length = l = 2 + \sqrt{18} m$$
$$l = 2 + \sqrt{9 \times 2} m$$
$$l = 2 + 3\sqrt{2} m$$
$$breadth = b = 5 - \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} m$$
$$b = 5 - \frac{2 \times 2}{\sqrt{2}} m$$
$$\vdots = 5 - \frac{2\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} m$$
$$b = 5 - \frac{2\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} m$$
$$b = 5 - 2\sqrt{2} m$$
Area of rectangle = l × b
= (2 + 3\sqrt{2}) × (5 - 2\sqrt{2})

$$= 2(5 - 2\sqrt{2}) + 3\sqrt{2}(5 - 2\sqrt{2})$$

= 10 - 4\sqrt{2} + 15\sqrt{2} - 6(\sqrt{2})^2
= 10 + 11\sqrt{2} - (6 \times 2)
= 10 + 11\sqrt{2} - 12
Area = (11\sqrt{2} - 2)m^2
(Answer)

Question # 4: Find two numbers whose sum is 68 and difference is 22.

Let, two numbers are: x, y
According to question:

$$x + y = 68$$
 _____(A) $x - y = 22$
 $22 + y + y = 68$ $x = 22 + y$ ____(B)
 $2y = 68 - 22$ put in equation (A)
 $2y = 46$
 $y = \frac{46}{2}$
 $y = 23$
put in equation (B)
using equation (B),
 $x = 22 + 23$
 $x = 45$
 $23,45$ (Answer)

Question # 5: The weather in Lahore was usually warm during the summer of 2024. The TV news reported temperature as high as 48° C. By using the formula, (°*F* = $\frac{9}{5}$ °C + 32) find the temperature as Fahrenheit scale.

Temperature in °C = 48°C
:: °F =
$$\frac{9}{5}$$
 °C + 32
= $\frac{9}{5} \times 48 + 32$
= 86.4 + 32
°F = 118.4° (Answer)

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Question # 6: The sum of the ages of the father and son is 72 years. Six years ago, the father's age was 2 times the age of the son. What was son's age six years ago?

Let, put the value of 'y' in equation (A) age of son = x and age of father = yx + 2x - 6 = 72According to question, 3x = 72 + 6x + y = 72 ____(A) 3x = 78Before '6' years ago the ages of both were: $x = \frac{78}{3}$ 2(x-6) = y - 6x = 26 years 2x - 12 = y - 62x - 12 + 6 = yBefore six years ago, Age of son = 26 - 6 = 20 years 2x - 6 = v

(Answer)

Question # 7: Mirha bought a toy for Rs. 1500 and sold for Rs. 1520. What was her profit percentage?

$$CP = 1500 Rs$$

$$SP = 1520 Rs$$

$$Profit = SP - CP$$

$$= 1520 - 1500$$

$$= 20 Rs$$
% Profit = $\frac{Profit}{CP} \times 100\%$

$$= \frac{20}{1500} \times 100\%$$

$$= 0.0133 \times 100\%$$

$$= 1.33\%$$
 (Answer)

Question # 8: The annual income of Tayyab is Rs. 9,60,000 while the exempted amount is Rs. 1,30,000. How much tax would he have to pay at the rate of 0.75%?

Annual Income = 9,60,000 Rs
Exempted Amount = 1,30,000 Rs
Taxable Income = 9,60,000 - 1,30,000
= 8,30,000 Rs
Tax rate = 0.075%
Tax amount = 0.075% × 8,30,000
=
$$\frac{0.075}{100}$$
 × 8,30,000
= 6225 Rs (Answer)

Question # 9: Find the compound markup on Rs. 3,75,000 for one year at the rate of 14% compounded annually.

Principal Amount = 3,75,000 RsTime = 1 yearRate = 14%Compound Markup = ? Profit/Compound Markup = $\frac{Principal Amount \times time \times rate}{Principal Amount \times time \times rate}$ $= \frac{3,75,000 \times 1 \times 14}{100}$ 100 (Answer) = 52500 Rs