



PING YI SECONDARY SCHOOL
Perseverance Yields Success

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Subject PRACTICE 2b

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1a.	$3a, 9a$ $\therefore \text{LCM} = 3 \times a \times 3$ $= 9a$	$\begin{array}{r l} 3 & 3a, 9a \\ & a, 3a \\ & 1, 3 \\ & 1, 1 \end{array}$
1b.	$p, 4q$ $\therefore \text{LCM} = 2 \times 2 \times p \times q$ $= 4pq$	$\begin{array}{r l} 2 & p, 4q \\ & p, 2q \\ & p, q \\ & 1, 1 \end{array}$
1c.	$3m+6, m+2$ $\downarrow$ $3(m+2)$ $\therefore \text{LCM} = 3(m+2)$	$\begin{array}{r l} 3 & 3(m+2), (m+2) \\ (m+2) & (m+2), (m+2) \\ & 1, 1 \end{array}$
1d.	k, k^2+k $\downarrow$ $k(k+1)$ $\therefore \text{LCM} = k(k+1)$	$\begin{array}{r l} k & k, k(k+1) \\ (k+1) & 1, (k+1) \\ & 1, 1 \end{array}$
1e.	$(y+1), (y-1)$ $\therefore \text{LCM} = (y+1)(y-1)$	$\begin{array}{r l} (y+1) & (y+1)(y-1) \\ (y-1) & 1, (y-1) \\ & 1, 1 \end{array}$
1f.	$4, 2(x-1)$ $\therefore \text{LCM} = 2 \times 2 \times (x-1)$ $= 4(x-1)$	$\begin{array}{r l} 2 & 4, 2(x-1) \\ & 2, (x-1) \\ (x-1) & 1, (x-1) \\ & 1, 1 \end{array}$
1g.	$(y^2-9), (y+3)$ $a^2b^2 = (a+b)(a-b)$ $y^2-3^2 = (y+3)(y-3), (y+3)$ $\therefore \text{LCM} = (y+3)(y-3)$	$\begin{array}{r l} (y+3) & (y+3)(y-3), (y+3) \\ (y-3) & (y-3), 1 \\ & 1, 1 \end{array}$
1h.	$2y^2-5y-3, y-3$ $(2y+1)(y-3), (y-3)$ $\therefore \text{LCM} = (y-3)(2y+1)$	$\begin{array}{r l} 2y & +1 & +y \\ y & \times & 3 & -6y \\ 2y^2 & -3 & 6y & \\ & & & 1, 1 \end{array}$ $\begin{array}{r l} (y-3) & (2y+1)(y-3), (y-3) \\ (2y+1) & (2y+1), 1 \\ & 1, 1 \end{array}$

$$2a. \frac{5 \cdot \frac{7}{x}}{\frac{5+7}{x}}$$

$$= \frac{5+7}{x}$$

$$= \frac{12}{x}$$

$$2b. \frac{\frac{6}{5x} + \frac{4}{5x}}{\frac{10}{5x} = \frac{2}{5x}}$$

$$2c. \frac{\frac{5x-4}{x+8} - \frac{(x-1)}{(x+8)}}{\frac{5x-4-2x+1}{x+8}}$$

$$= \frac{3x-3}{x+8}$$

$$= \frac{3(x-1)}{x+8}$$

$$2d. \frac{\frac{3x+5}{x-6} - \frac{(x+7)}{(x-6)}}{\frac{3x+5-(x+7)}{x-6}}$$

$$= \frac{3x+5-x-7}{x-6}$$

$$= \frac{2x-2}{x-6}$$

$$= \frac{2(x-1)}{x-6}$$

$$= 2$$

$$2e. \frac{\frac{x^2}{x+7} - \frac{(x+7)}{(x+7)}}{\frac{x^2-4x+7}{x+7}}$$

$$= \frac{x^2-4x+7}{x+7}$$

$$= x-7$$

$$\frac{x^2-7^2}{x+7} = \frac{(x-7)(x+7)}{x+7}$$

$$= x-7$$

$$2f. \frac{\frac{x^2}{x-2} - \frac{4}{(x-2)}}{\frac{x^2-4}{x-2}}$$

$$= \frac{x^2-4}{x-2}$$

$$= x+2$$

$$\frac{x^2-2^2}{x-2} = \frac{(x-2)(x+2)}{x-2}$$

$$= x+2$$

$$2g. \frac{\frac{x^2}{x+1} + \frac{(x+4)}{(x+1)}}{\frac{x^2+3x-4}{x+1}}$$

$$= \frac{(x+4)(x+4)(x+1)}{(x+1)}$$

$$= x+4$$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} x & +4 \\ \hline x & -1 \\ \hline x^2 & -4 \end{array}$$



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$$\begin{aligned} 2h) & \frac{x^2-x}{2x+1} + \frac{x^2-3}{2x+1} \\ &= \frac{x^2-x+x^2-3}{2x+1} \\ &= \frac{2x^2-x-3}{2x+1} \\ &= \frac{(2x-3)(x+1)}{2x+1} \end{aligned}$$