

1. According to the order of operations, which operation should be performed first to simplify the expression?

$$12 + 2 \cdot 5^2 - 1$$

- A $12 + 2$
- B $5 - 1$
- C $2 \cdot 5$
- D 5^2

3. $5.78 \times 10^5 =$

- F 57,800,000
- G 578,000
- H 0.0000578
- J 0.00000578

2. Which of the following is *not* a rational number?

- F -0.75
- G 0
- H $\sqrt{4}$
- J $\sqrt{15}$

4. Which value is equivalent to $22 - 2^3$?

- F 14
- G 16
- H 20
- J 30

5. Between which two whole numbers is $\sqrt{33}$?

- F 32 and 34
- G 16 and 17
- H 6 and 7
- J 5 and 6

Terms: 6 x $3x$ $5x^2$

Coefficients

Note: x is the same as $1x$.

Like Terms: terms with SAME VARIABLE raised to SAME POWER
coefficients DO NOT have to be the same
constants (naked numbers) are also like terms

Like Terms	$3x$ and $2x$	w and $w/7$	5 and 1.4
Unlike Terms	$5x^2$ and $2x$	$6a$ and $6b$	3.2 and x

Exponents are
different

Variables are
different

One is a constant
and one is a variable

What does it mean to be like terms?

1. Must have the same variable... not x and xy .

x and $4x$ but not $5x$ and $6y$

2. Must have variable raised to same power ... not x and x^2 .

$7x^3$ and $-2x^3$ but not $5x^2$ and $-9x^4$

3. Numbers by themselves are always added together.

8 and -3 but not $-4x$ and 5

4. Integers are key component here. If you cannot do integers well, you cannot do algebraic expressions.

$8x - 3x + 6x + (-3x) - 5x$

Real World Example...



Mathematically:

$$5z + 3z = 8z$$

$$5Z + 3L \neq 8Z$$

Two different
variables here.

Same variables here.
Add coefficients.

Simplify each expression.

1) $-6k + 7k$

2) $12r - 8 - 12$

3) $n - 10 + 9n - 3$

4) $-4x - 10x$

5) $-r - 10r$

6) $-2x + 11 + 6x$

7) $11r - 12r$

8) $-v + 12v$

9) $-8x - 11x$

10) $4p + 2p$

11) $5n + 11n$

12) $n + 4 - 9 - 5n$

$$13) 12r + 5 + 3r - 5$$

$$14) -5 + 9n + 6$$

$$15) n - 4 - 9$$

$$16) 4n - n$$

$$17) -3x - 9 + 15x$$

$$18) -9k + 8k$$

$$19) -16n - 14n$$

$$20) 15n - 19n$$

Simplify each expression.

$$1) -6k + 7k$$

$$k$$

$$2) 12r - 8 - 12$$

$$12r - 20$$

$$3) n - 10 + 9n - 3$$

$$10n - 13$$

$$4) -4x - 10x$$

$$-14x$$

$$5) -r - 10r$$

$$-11r$$

$$6) -2x + 11 + 6x$$

$$4x + 11$$

$$7) 11r - 12r$$

$$-r$$

$$8) -v + 12v$$

$$11v$$

$$9) -8x - 11x$$

$$-19x$$

$$10) 4p + 2p$$

$$6p$$

$$11) 5n + 11n$$

$$16n$$

$$12) n + 4 - 9 - 5n$$

$$-4n - 5$$

$$13) 12r + 5 + 3r - 5$$

$$15r$$

$$14) -5 + 9n + 6$$

$$9n + 1$$

$$15) n - 4 - 9$$

$$n - 13$$

$$16) 4n - n$$

$$3n$$

$$17) -3x - 9 + 15x$$

$$12x - 9$$

$$18) -9k + 8k$$

$$19) -16n - 14n$$

$$-30n$$

$$20) 15n - 19n$$

$$-4n$$

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Pg. 5 (10-18), (29)

A. $7m - m - 8m - 7m + 4 + 5m + 6m - 4m$

B. $17n - 15n - 14 - 12n - 16 - 13 - 12n - 12$

C. $5 + 4x + 5 - 3x - 2 + 5x - 7 - 8x$

D. $25m - 22m - 2m - 22 - 26m + 23m + 25m - 22m$

A. $7m - m - 8m - 7m + 4 + 5m + 6m - 4m$
 $-2m + 4$

B. $17n - 15n - 14 - 12n - 16 - 13 - 12n - 12$
 $-22n - 55$

C. $5 + 4x + 5 - 3x - 2 + 5x - 7 - 8x$
 $-2x + 1$

D. $25m - 22m - 2m - 22 - 26m + 23m + 25m - 22m$
 $m - 22$

