

Apply Add or subtract.

$$1. \frac{7}{8} - \frac{5}{6}$$

$$2. \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{5}$$

$$3. \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{6}$$

$$4. \frac{1}{9} - \frac{7}{9}$$

$$5. \frac{5}{8} - \frac{1}{3}$$

$$6. \frac{1}{6} + \frac{2}{3}$$

$$7. \frac{2}{3} - \frac{4}{7}$$

$$8. \frac{2}{5} + \frac{3}{5}$$

$$9. \frac{6}{7} + \frac{1}{8}$$

$$10. \frac{2}{3} - \frac{2}{5}$$

$$11. \frac{1}{4} + \frac{5}{9}$$

$$12. \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}$$

Solve each problem.

3. A fruit salad is $\frac{1}{4}$ green melon and $\frac{1}{3}$ orange melon. What fraction of the salad is melon?

4. A muffin recipe calls for $\frac{2}{3}$ cup of milk. If Mia has $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of milk, how much more milk does she need?

5. Manuel obtained the following measurements: $\frac{1}{12}$ inch, $\frac{2}{3}$ inch, and $\frac{1}{24}$ inch.

What is the sum of the measurements? _____

6. Find the least common denominator for the fractions $\frac{2}{25}$ and $\frac{1}{3}$. _____

7. Explain how to add two fractions with unlike denominators.

Assessment Practice

DIRECTIONS Read each question. Then circle the letter for the correct answer.

1. Which of the following expressions can be used to find the sum of $\frac{4}{9} + \frac{1}{6}$?

A $\frac{2}{6} + \frac{1}{6}$
 B $\frac{8}{18} + \frac{3}{18}$
 C $\frac{18}{36} + \frac{6}{36}$
 D $\frac{8}{9} + \frac{12}{9}$

2. Which of the following expressions can be used to find the difference of $\frac{5}{6} - \frac{3}{10}$?

A $\frac{5}{40} - \frac{15}{40}$
 B $\frac{50}{60} - \frac{60}{60}$
 C $\frac{18}{36} - \frac{6}{36}$
 D $\frac{25}{30} - \frac{9}{30}$

3. $\frac{1}{8} + \frac{3}{10} + \frac{1}{5} =$

A $\frac{1}{6}$
 B $\frac{5}{23}$
 C $\frac{3}{5}$
 D $\frac{5}{8}$

4. $\frac{5}{6} - \frac{1}{3} =$

A $\frac{1}{2}$
 B $\frac{6}{9}$
 C $\frac{4}{3}$
 D $\frac{11}{6}$

5. $\frac{1}{6} + \frac{3}{8} =$

A $\frac{3}{48}$
 B $\frac{4}{14}$
 C $\frac{4}{8}$
 D $\frac{13}{24}$

6. Mrs. Dorsey spent $\frac{3}{4}$ hour cooking and $\frac{3}{10}$ hour cleaning the kitchen. How much more time did she spend cooking than cleaning?

A $\frac{6}{40}$ hour
 B $\frac{9}{40}$ hour
 C $\frac{6}{20}$ hour
 D $\frac{9}{20}$ hour

7. Joe mowed $\frac{1}{3}$ of the lawn. His brother mowed $\frac{1}{4}$ of the lawn and his sister mowed $\frac{1}{5}$ of the lawn. How much of the lawn was mowed?

A $\frac{1}{20}$
 B $\frac{5}{13}$
 C $\frac{47}{60}$
 D $\frac{49}{60}$

8. A company invests $\frac{3}{8}$ of its profits into stocks and $\frac{2}{5}$ into savings bonds. How much of the company's profit is invested in stocks and bonds?

A $\frac{6}{40}$
 B $\frac{6}{24}$
 C $\frac{5}{13}$
 D $\frac{31}{40}$

Apply Solve each equation.

1. $9\frac{7}{9} - 3\frac{2}{6}$

2. $5\frac{2}{3} - 3\frac{1}{3}$

3. $18\frac{1}{5} + 12\frac{3}{4}$

4. $4\frac{1}{3} + 5\frac{5}{12}$

5. $10\frac{2}{3} - 4\frac{7}{12}$

6. $11\frac{2}{5} - 3\frac{1}{4}$

7. $5\frac{2}{3} - 3\frac{5}{6}$

8. $7\frac{5}{6} + 2\frac{5}{8}$

9. $9 - 4\frac{7}{8}$

10. $\frac{10}{3} - \frac{5}{2}$

11. $\frac{15}{2} + \frac{5}{4}$

12. $\frac{5}{3} - \frac{1}{6}$

Solve each problem.

13. Ms. Jones bought $2\frac{2}{3}$ pounds of red apples and $3\frac{1}{4}$ pounds of green apples. How many pounds of apples did Ms. Jones buy?

14. Sean takes $3\frac{1}{2}$ hours to type his report. Luis takes $4\frac{1}{4}$ hours to type his report. How much longer does it take Luis to type his report?

15. If Alex lives $3\frac{5}{8}$ miles away from school and Mariana lives $2\frac{1}{4}$ miles away from school, how much farther does Alex live than Mariana?

16. Explain the error in $2\frac{1}{3} + 2\frac{2}{3} = 4$.

Assessment Practice

DIRECTIONS Read each question. Then circle the letter for the correct answer.

1. Which of the following expressions can be used to find $5\frac{1}{4} + 7\frac{5}{6}$?

A $5\frac{1}{12} + 7\frac{5}{12}$
 B $5\frac{3}{12} + 7\frac{10}{12}$
 C $5\frac{3}{4} + 7\frac{10}{6}$
 D $5\frac{2}{2} + 7\frac{3}{2}$

2. Which of the following expressions can be used to find $3 - 1\frac{5}{7}$?

A $\frac{3}{7} - 1\frac{5}{7}$
 B $\frac{9}{7} - \frac{6}{7}$
 C $2\frac{7}{7} - 1\frac{5}{7}$
 D $3\frac{7}{7} - 1\frac{5}{7}$

3. $7\frac{9}{10} - 3\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} =$

A $4\frac{2}{5}$
 B $4\frac{9}{10}$
 C $5\frac{2}{5}$
 D $5\frac{9}{10}$

4. $2\frac{1}{5} + 8\frac{3}{4} =$

A $6\frac{2}{3}$
 B $10\frac{4}{9}$
 C $10\frac{19}{20}$
 D $18\frac{3}{20}$

5. $12\frac{1}{4} + 8\frac{1}{6} + 9\frac{2}{3} =$

A $28\frac{1}{3}$
 B $29\frac{1}{12}$
 C $29\frac{1}{3}$
 D $30\frac{1}{12}$

6. Tom rode his bike $2\frac{1}{2}$ hours on Saturday and $3\frac{1}{3}$ hours on Sunday. How much longer did Tom ride on Sunday?

A $\frac{5}{6}$ hour
 B $\frac{3}{10}$ hour
 C $1\frac{2}{4}$ hour
 D $5\frac{4}{6}$ hour

7. It took a painter $19\frac{3}{4}$ hours to paint one house and $14\frac{1}{2}$ hours to paint another house. How many hours did it take to paint both houses?

A $33\frac{1}{4}$ hours
 B $33\frac{1}{2}$ hours
 C $34\frac{1}{4}$ hours
 D $34\frac{1}{2}$ hours

8. Gerry thought it would take $5\frac{3}{4}$ hours to clean the garage. It actually took $7\frac{1}{6}$ hours to clean it. How much longer did it take to clean the garage than Gerry thought?

A $1\frac{5}{12}$ hours
 B $2\frac{1}{3}$ hours
 C $2\frac{7}{12}$ hours
 D $12\frac{11}{12}$ hours