WORK SHEET
SUBJECT- Maths
Chapter 1- Rational Numbers

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Q1. Fill in the blanks:

a) Rational numbers are numbers of the form_____ where p,q are integers and q≠0.

b) Rational numbers are not closed under_____.

c) _____ is called the additive identity of rational numbers.

d) Zero has _____ reciprocal.

e) The numbers_____ and _____ are their own reciprocals.

f) _____ is the multiplicative inverse of $3\frac{1}{3}$.

g) The rational number that is equal to its negative is _____.

h) There are _____ rational numbers between any two given rational numbers.

i) Nine times the reciprocal of a number is 3. The number is _____.

j) _____ $+ \frac{3}{7} = $ -1.

Q2. Write the additive inverse of

a) $\frac{2}{-9}$ b) $\frac{-6}{-5}$

Q3. Write the multiplicative inverse of

a) -1   b) $\frac{-13}{19}$

Q4. Verify that –(-a)=a is true for a = $\frac{-19}{21}$

Q5. Verify the property: ax(b+ c) = axb + axc by taking a = $\frac{-5}{2}$, b = -2, c = $\frac{11}{3}$

Q6. Find five rational numbers between $\frac{-1}{2}$ and 2.

Q7. Arrange in ascending order $\frac{-3}{4}, \frac{5}{-12}, \frac{-9}{16}, \frac{7}{-24}$

Q8. Represent $\frac{-5}{6}, \frac{7}{4}, \frac{9}{-11}$ on the number line.

Q9. Find $\frac{3}{7} + (\frac{-6}{11}) + (\frac{-8}{21}) + (\frac{5}{22})$

Q10. Using appropriate properties, find

i) $\frac{2}{5} \times \frac{-3}{7} - \frac{1}{14} - \frac{3}{7} \times \frac{3}{5}$

ii) $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{6} \times \frac{-2}{3} + \frac{7}{9} \times \frac{-1}{6}$

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