

EXERCISE 12.2

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- **1. Determine if the following are in proportion.**
- (a) 15, 45, 40, 120
- (b) **33**, **121**, **9**, **96**
- (c) 24, 28, 36, 48
- (d) 32, 48, 70, 210
- (e) 4, 6, 8, 12
- (f) 33, 44, 75, 100

Solutions:

- **(a)** 15, 45, 40, 120
- 15 / 45 = 1 / 3
- 40 / 120 = 1 / 3
- Hence, 15:45 = 40:120
- \therefore They are in proportion.
- (b) 33, 121, 9, 96
- 33 / 121 = 3 / 11
- 9 / 96 = 3 / 32
- Hence 33:121 ≠ 9: 96
- \therefore They are not in proportion.
- (c) 24, 28, 36, 48
- 24 / 28 = 6 / 7
- 36 / 48 = 3 / 4
- Hence, $24:28 \neq 36:48$
- \therefore They are not in proportion.
- (d) 32, 48, 70, 210
- 32 / 48 = 2 / 3



70 / 210 = 1 / 3

Hence, $32:48 \neq 70:210$

 \therefore They are not in proportion.

(e) 4, 6, 8, 12

4 / 6 = 2 / 3

8 / 12 = 2 / 3

Hence 4: 6 = 8: 12

 \therefore These are in a proportion

(f) 33, 44, 75, 100

33/44 = 3/4

75 / 100 = 3 / 4

Hence, 33:44 = 75:100

 \therefore These are in proportion.

2. Write True (T) or False (F) against each of the following statements :

(a) 16:24 :: 20:30

(b) **21:6** :: **35:10**

(c) 12:18 :: 28:12

(d) 8:9 :: 24:27

(e) **5.2:3.9** :: **3:4**

(f) 0.9:0.36 :: 10:4

Solutions:

(a) 16:24 :: 20:30

16 / 24 = 2 / 3

20 / 30 = 2 / 3

Hence, 16:24 = 20:30

Therefore, True.

(b) 21:6 :: 35:10

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21 / 6 = 7 / 2

35 / 10 = 7 / 2

Hence, 21:6 = 35:10

Therefore, True.

(c) 12:18 :: 28:12

12 / 18 = 2 / 3

28 / 12 = 7 / 3

Hence, $12:18 \neq 28:12$

Therefore, False,

(d) 8:9:: 24:27

We know that = $24 / 27 = (3 \times 8) / (3 \times 9)$

= 8 / 9

Hence, 8:9 = 24:27

Therefore, True.

(e) 5.2:3.9 :: 3: 4

As 5.2 / 3.9 = 4 / 3

Hence, 5.2: $3.9 \neq 3: 4$

Therefore, False,

(f) 0.9:0.36 :: 10:4

0.9 / 0.36 = 90 / 36

= 10 / 4

Hence, 0.9: 0.36 = 10: 4

Therefore, True,

3. Are the following statements true?

(a) 40 persons: 200 persons = ₹ 15 : ₹ 75

(b) 7.5 litres: 15 litres = 5 kg : 10 kg

(c) 99 kg: 45 kg = ₹ 44 : ₹ 20



- (d) 32 m: 64 m = 6 sec : 12 sec
- (e) 45 km : 60 km = 12 hours : 15 hours

Solutions:

(a) 40 persons : 200 persons = ₹ 15 : ₹ 75

40 / 200 = 1 / 5

15 / 75 = 1 / 5

Hence, True.

(b) 7.5 litres : 15 litres = 5 kg : 10 kg

7.5 / 15 = 1 / 2

5 / 10 = 1 / 2

Hence, True.

(c) 99 kg : 45 kg = \gtrless 44 : \gtrless 20

99 / 45 = 11 / 5

44 / 20 = 11 / 5

Hence, True.

(d) 32 m: 64 m = 6 sec: 12 sec

32 / 64 = 1 / 2

6 / 12 = 1 / 2

Hence, True.

(e) 45 km : 60 km = 12 hours : 15 hours

45 / 60 = 3 / 4

12 / 15 = 4 / 5

Hence, False.

4. Determine if the following ratios form a proportion. Also, write the middle terms and extreme terms where the ratios form a proportion.

(a) 25 cm : 1 m and ₹ 40 : ₹ 160

(b) 39 litres : 65 litres and 6 bottles : 10 bottles



(c) 2 kg : 80 kg and 25 g : 625 g

(d) 200 mL : 2.5 litre and ₹ 4 : ₹ 50

Solutions:

(a) 25 cm : 1 m and ₹ 40 : ₹ 160

25 cm = 25 / 100 m

= 0.25 m

0.25 / 1 = 1 / 4

40 / 160 = 1 / 4

Yes, these are in proportion.

Middle terms are 1 m, ₹ 40, and extreme terms are 25 cm, ₹ 160.

(b) 39 litres : 65 litres and 6 bottles : 10 bottles

39 / 65 = 3 /5

6 / 10 = 3 / 5

Yes, these are in proportion.

Middle terms are 65 litres, 6 bottles, and extreme terms are 39 litres, 10 bottles.

(c) 2 kg : 80 kg and 25 g : 625 g

2 / 80 = 1 / 40

25 / 625 = 1 / 25

No, these are not in proportion.

(d) 200 mL : 2.5 litre and ₹ 4 : ₹ 50

- 1 litre = 1000 ml
- 2.5 litre = 2500 ml
- 200 / 2500 = 2 / 25
- 4 / 50 = 2 / 25

Yes, these are in proportion.

Middle terms are 2.5 litres, \gtrless 4 and extreme terms are 200 ml, \gtrless 50.