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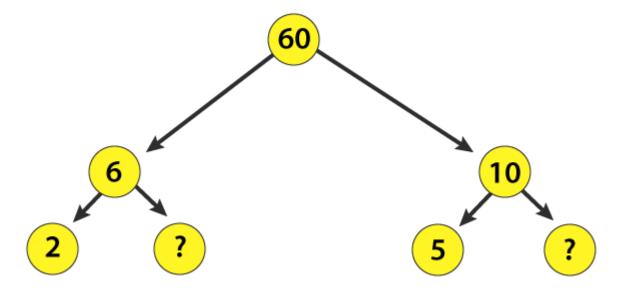
- 1. Which of the following statements is true?
- (a) If a number is divisible by 3, it must be divisible by 9.
- (b) If a number is divisible by 9, it must be divisible by 3.
- (c) A number is divisible by 18, if it is divisible by both 3 and 6.
- (d) If a number is divisible by 9 and 10, then it must be divisible by 90.
- (e) If two numbers are co-primes, at least one of them must be prime.
- (f) All numbers which are divisible by 4 must also be divisible by 8.
- (g) All numbers which are divisible by 8 must also be divisible by 4.
- (h) If a number exactly divides two numbers separately, it must exactly divide their sum.
- (i) If a number exactly divides the sum of two numbers, it must exactly divide the two numbers separately.

## **Solutions:**

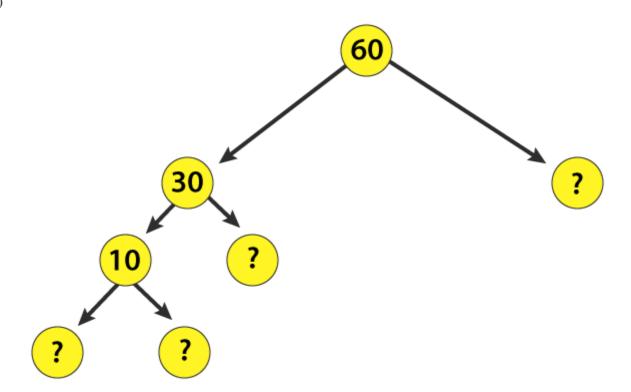
- (a) False, 6 is divisible by 3 but is not divisible by 9
- (b) True, as  $9 = 3 \times 3$ . Hence, if a number is divisible by 9, it will also be divisible by 3
- (c) False. Since 30 is divisible by both 3 and 6 but is not divisible by 18
- (d) True, as  $9 \times 10 = 90$ . Hence, if a number is divisible by both 9 and 10 then it is divisible by 90
- (e) False. Since 15 and 32 are co-primes and also composite numbers
- (f) False, as 12 is divisible by 4 but is not divisible by 8
- (g) True, as  $2 \times 4 = 8$ . Hence, if a number is divisible by 8, it will also be divisible by 2 and 4
- (h) True, as 2 divides 4 and 8, and it also divides 12 (4 + 8 = 12)
- (i) False, since 2 divides 12 but it does not divide 7 and 5
- 2. Here are two different factor trees for 60. Write the missing numbers.

(a)





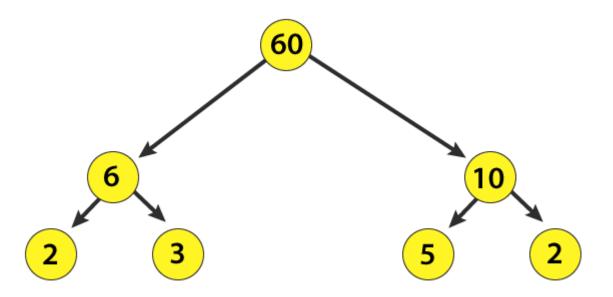
**(b)** 



## **Solutions:**

(a) Since  $6 = 2 \times 3$  and  $10 = 5 \times 2$ 

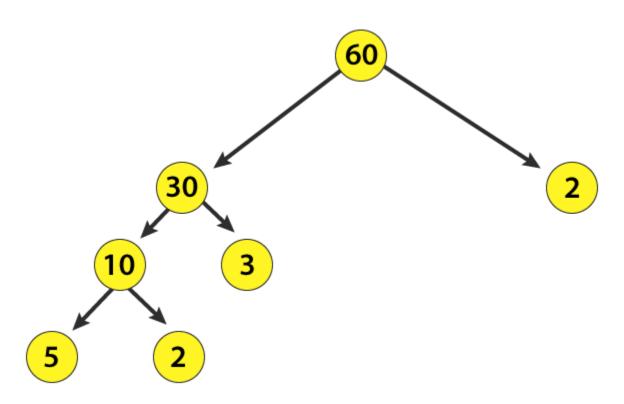




(b) Since  $60 = 30 \times 2$ 

 $30 = 10 \times 3$ 

 $10 = 5 \times 2$ 





3. Which factors are not included in the prime factorisation of a composite number?

#### **Solutions:**

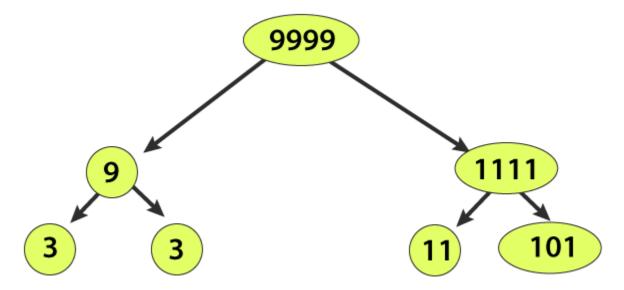
1 and the number itself are not included in the prime factorisation of a composite number.

4. Write the greatest 4-digit number and express it in terms of its prime factors.

## **Solutions:**

The greatest four-digit number is 9999

Therefore  $9999 = 3 \times 3 \times 11 \times 101$ 

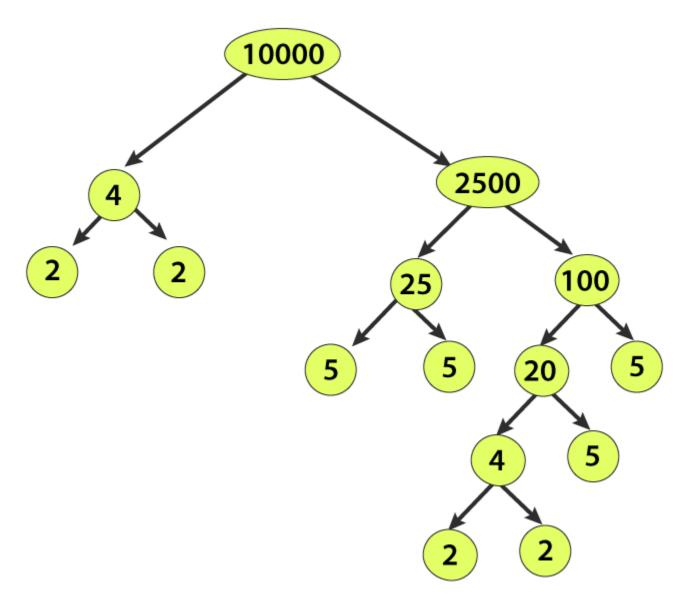


5. Write the smallest 5-digit number and express it in the form of its prime factors.

## **Solutions:**

The smallest five-digit number = 10000





 $10000 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5$ 

6. Find all the prime factors of 1729 and arrange them in ascending order. Now state the relation, if any, between two consecutive prime factors.

## **Solutions:**

7	1729
13	247
19	19
	1

 $1729 = 7 \times 13 \times 19$ 

$$13 - 7 = 6$$

$$19 - 13 = 6$$

Hence, the difference between two consecutive prime factors is 6.

7. The product of three consecutive numbers is always divisible by 6. Verify this statement with the help of some examples.

## **Solutions:**

- (i)  $2 \times 3 \times 4 = 24$  which is divisible by 6
- (ii)  $5 \times 6 \times 7 = 210$  which is divisible by 6
- 8. The sum of two consecutive odd numbers is divisible by 4. Verify this statement with the help of some examples.

#### **Solutions:**

- (i) 5 + 3 = 8 which is divisible by 4
- (ii) 7 + 9 = 16 which is divisible by 4
- (iii) 13 + 15 = 28 which is divisible by 4
- 9. In which of the following expressions has prime factorisation been done?
- (a)  $24 = 2 \times 3 \times 4$
- (b)  $56 = 7 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2$
- (c)  $70 = 2 \times 5 \times 7$
- (d)  $54 = 2 \times 3 \times 9$

#### **Solutions:**

(a) 
$$24 = 2 \times 3 \times 4$$

Since 4 is composite. Hence, prime factorisation has not been done

(b) 
$$56 = 7 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2$$

Since all the factors are prime. Hence, prime factorisation has been done

(c) 
$$70 = 2 \times 5 \times 7$$

Since all the factors are prime. Hence, prime factorisation has been done

(d) 
$$54 = 2 \times 3 \times 9$$

Since 9 is composite. Hence prime factorisation has not been done

# NCERT Solutions for Class 6 Maths Chapter 3 – Playing with Numbers

10. Determine if 25110 is divisible by 45. [Hint: 5 and 9 are co-prime numbers. Test the divisibility of the number by 5 and 9].

## **Solutions:**

- $45 = 5 \times 9$
- 1, 5 are factors of 5
- 1, 3, 9 are factors of 9

Hence, 5 and 9 are co-prime numbers

The last digit of 25110 is 0. Hence, it is divisible by 5

Sum of digits 25110

$$2 + 5 + 1 + 1 + 0$$

= 9

Since the sum of digits of 25110 is divisible by 9. Hence, 25110 is divisible by 9

Since the number is divisible by both 5 and 9

Therefore 25110 is divisible by 45

11. 18 is divisible by both 2 and 3. It is also divisible by  $2 \times 3 = 6$ . Similarly, a number is divisible by both 4 and 6. Can we say that the number must also be divisible by  $4 \times 6 = 24$ ? If not, give an example to justify your answer.

## **Solutions:**

No, since 12 and 36 are both divisible by 4 and 6. But 12 and 36 are not divisible by 24

12. I am the smallest number, having four different prime factors. Can you find me?

## **Solutions:**

Since it is the smallest number. Therefore it will be the product of 4 smallest prime numbers

$$2 \times 3 \times 5 \times 7 = 210$$