

## Exercise – 3.5

- Q1.** Which of the following statements are 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 both, 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 divide the two numbers separately.

- Sol.**
- (a) False
  - (b) True
  - (c) False
  - (d) True
  - (e) False
  - (f) False
  - (g) True
  - (h) True
  - (i) False

- Q2.** Here are two different factor trees for 60. Write the missing numbers.

**Sol.** Given that

Here,  $6 = 2 \times$  missing number

$$\therefore \text{Missing number} = 6 \div 2 = 3$$

Similarly,  $10 = 5 \times$  missing number

$$\therefore \text{Missing number} = 10 \div 5 = 2$$

Hence, the missing numbers are 3 and 2.

(b) Given that:

Let the missing numbers be  $m_1, m_2, m_3$  and  $m_4$ .

$$60 = 30 \times m_1$$

$$\Rightarrow m_1 = 60 \div 30 = 2$$

$$30 = 10 \times m_2$$

$$\Rightarrow m_2 = 30 \div 10 = 3$$

$$10 = m_3 \times m_4$$

$$\Rightarrow m_3 = 2 \text{ or } 5 \text{ and } m_4 = 5 \text{ or } 2$$

Hence, the missing numbers are 2, 3, 2, 5.

**Q3.** Which factors are not included in the prime factorisation of a composite number?

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

**Q4.** Write the greatest 4-digit number and express it in terms of its prime factors.

**Sol.** The greatest 4-digit number = 9999

Hence, the prime factors of 9999 =  $3 \times 3 \times 11 \times 101$ .

**Q5.** Write the smallest 5-digit number and express it in the form of its prime factors.

**Sol.** The smallest 5-digit number = 10000

Hence, the required prime factors:  $10000 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5$ .

**Q6.** Find all the prime factors of 1729 and arrange them in ascending order. Now state the relations, if any, between the two consecutive prime factors.

**Sol.** Given number = 1729

Hence, the prime factors of 1729 =  $7 \times 13 \times 19$ .

Here,  $13 - 7 = 6$  and  $19 - 13 = 6$

We see that the difference between two consecutive prime factors is 6.

**Q7.** The product of three consecutive numbers is always divisible by 6. Verify this statement with the help of some examples.

**Sol.** Example 1:

Take three consecutive numbers 20, 21 and 22.

Here 20 is divisible by 2 and 21 is divisible by 3.

Therefore, the product  $20 \times 21 \times 22 = 9240$  is divisible by 6.

Example 2:

Take three consecutive numbers 30, 31 and 32.

Here 30 is divisible by 3 and 32 is divisible by 2.

Therefore, the product  $30 \times 31 \times 32 = 29760$  is divisible by 6.

Example 3:

Take three consecutive numbers 48, 49 and 50.

Here, 48 is divisible by 3 and 50 is divisible by 2.

Therefore, the product  $48 \times 49 \times 50 = 117600$  which is divisible by 6.

**Q8.** The sum of two consecutive odd numbers is divisible by 4. Verify this statement with the help of some examples.

**Sol.** Example 1:

Let us take two consecutive odd numbers 97 and 99.

$$\text{Sum} = 97 + 99 = 196$$

Here, the number formed by the last two digits is 96 which is divisible by 4.

Hence, the sum of numbers 97 and 99 i.e. 196 is divisible by 4.

Example 2:

Let us take two consecutive odd numbers 121 and 123.

$$\text{Sum} = 121 + 123 = 244$$

Here, the number formed by the last two digits is 44 which is divisible by 4.

Example 3:

Let us take two consecutive odd numbers 105 and 107.

$$\text{Sum} = 105 + 107 = 212$$

Here, the number formed by the last two digits is 12 which is divisible by 4.

**Q9.** In which of the following expressions, prime factorisation has 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)  $54 = 2 \times 3 \times 9$ .

**Sol.** (a)  $24 = 2 \times 3 \times 4$

Here, 4 is not a prime number.

Hence,  $24 = 2 \times 3 \times 4$  is not a prime factorisation.

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

Here, all factors are prime numbers

Hence,  $56 = 7 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2$  is a prime factorisation.

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

Here, all factors are prime numbers.

Hence,  $70 = 2 \times 5 \times 7$  is a prime factorisation.

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

Here, 9 is not a prime number.

Hence,  $54 = 2 \times 3 \times 9$  is not a prime factorisation.

**Q10.** Determine if 25110 is divisible by 45.

**Sol.**  $45 = 5 \times 9$

Here, 5 and 9 are co-prime numbers.

Test of divisibility by 5: unit place of the given number 25110 is 0. So, it is divisible by 5.

Test of divisibility by 9:

Sum of the digits =  $2 + 5 + 1 + 1 + 0 = 9$  which is divisible by 9.

So, the given number is divisible by 5 and 9 both. Hence, the number 25110 is divisible by 45.

**Q11.** 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.

**Sol.** Here, the given two numbers are not co-prime. So, it is not necessary that a number divisible by both 4 and 6, must also be divisible by their product  $4 \times 6 = 24$ .

Example: 36 and 60 are divisible by 4, both 4 and 6 but not by 24.

**Q12.** I am the smallest number, having four different prime factors. Can you find me?

**Sol.** We know that the smallest 4 prime numbers are 2, 3, 5 and 7.

Hence, the required number =  $2 \times 3 \times 5 \times 7 = 210$