## **UNIT 4: RATIONAL NUMBERS**

Exercise 1: Work out:

a) 
$$7.39 + 2.725 =$$

d) 
$$0.00327 - 0.00846 =$$

Exercise 2: Work out:

b) 
$$0.472 \cdot 37 =$$

Exercise 3: Work out:

a) 
$$72.596 \cdot 0.05 =$$

b) 
$$0.039 \cdot 0.0082 =$$

d) 
$$9.32 \cdot 1000 =$$

Exercise 4: Work out and express the answer with four decimal figures:

a) 
$$0.97:0.8=$$

c) 
$$3.17:9.5 =$$

b) 
$$24.75:0.004 =$$

d) 
$$0.42:0.19 =$$

Exercise 5: Work out and express with three decimal figures:

a) 
$$2.7 + 0.8 \cdot (3.92 - 1.7) =$$

b) 
$$7.3 \cdot 2.4 - 6.5 \cdot 4.7 + 8.32 : 4.1 =$$

c) 
$$56.42:5.7-2.9\cdot12.3=$$

d) 
$$5.42 - 2.7 \cdot (1.25 - 2.73) =$$

Exercise 6: The human hair grows at a rate of 1.25 cm a month.

- a) How much longer will my hair be a year later if I don't cut it?
- b) I want my hair to be 25 cm longer. How long is it going to take?

Exercise 7: When I go to Malaga to spend the day at the beach, I like to leave my car at an underground parking, so I don't have to be worried about it. If I want to leave my car in there for an hour I have to pay 1.26€, but I am staying for nine hours and a half.

- a) How much is it going to cost?
- b) The price of a round-trip train ticket is 44€. Should I use the train instead?

Exercise 8: My car needs 7.2 liters of gas to run for 100 km. Knowing that Malaga is 162.6 km away and that the price of a liter of gas is 1.36€, how much is it going to cost? Should I use the train instead?

Exercise 9: Last Saturday we had something to eat at a restaurant. We had three portions, 12.50€ each, two half portions, 6.75€ each and eight drinks, 1.40€ each. Two of us also wanted something sweet for dessert, a piece of tiramisu that cost 4.25€ and a piece of cheesecake that cost 3.75€.

- a) Find the amount of the bill we were presented with.
- b) There were four of us and we split the bill. How much did each of us have to pay?

Exercise 10: Last summer I decided to buy some sandals online, since they were on sale. I bought one pair that cost 22.95€ and another pair that cost 24.99€. The shipping costs were 4.95€

- a) How much money did I have to pay?
- b) If I spend over 50€ then the shipping is free, so I got another pair of sandals, that cost 19.95€. How much money do I have to pay now?

<u>Exercise 11:</u> The law states that fire extinguishers must be at a maximum distance of 8.5 m from one another. If the hallway of my high school is 46.2 m long, how many fire extinguishers do we have to place?

Exercise 12: A farmer harvests 1290 kilos of wheat that he sells in the market for 219.30€. Then the wheat is separated into twelve batches and sold to twelve bakeries for them to prepare their daily bread. If the price of each batch is of 51.6€, what's the profit the market gets for each kilo of wheat?

<u>Exercise 13:</u> The average water consumption per day in the city of Córdoba during 2016 was of 43847.26 cubic meters. Knowing that Córdoba had a population of 326609 people back then, how many liters of water did each one of its inhabitants use every day?

Exercise 14: A worker has a salary of 1575.40€ a month. A certain month he has to pay 580.25€ for the mortgage, 39.95€ for the Internet and TV service, 24.90€ for each of the three mobile phone lines, 65.20€ for the energy bill, 22.40€ for the water bill, 34.95€ for the academy of each one of his two kids, 25.60€ for tennis lessons and 24.10€ for judo lessons. If he also needs 584.85€ for groceries and clothes, how much money can he save?

## Exercise 15: Write with numbers:

- a) Seventy-two thousandths
- b) Three hundred and sixty-seven ten-thousandths
- c) Fifty-seven ones, four thousand one hundred and five hundred-thousandths
- d) Two ones and fifty hundredths
- e) Seventy ones, two hundred and eighty-six millionths
- f) One hundred ones, nine thousand five hundred and forty-eight ten-thousandths

## Exercise 16: Turn these numbers into the required units:

- a) 235 tenths into hundredths
- b) 37.49 ten-thousandths into thousandths
- c) 374.23 thousandths into tenths
- d) 80 millionths into ten-thousandths
- e) 7.42 ten-thousandths into millionths
- f) 14.79 tenths into ten-thousandths
- g) 27 hundredths into hundred-thousandths
- h) 8.7 hundred-thousandths into hundredths
- i) 479 millionths into thousandths

Exercise 17: Round the following numbers to the nearest tenths and to the nearest thousandths:

7.398427 32.1

32.171819

0.244138

0.074321

0.024861

5.799999

Exercise 18: Round  $\pi$  to the nearest hundredths and to the nearest ten-thousandths.

 $\pi \approx 3.1415926535897932384626433832795028841971$ 

Exercise 19: Write each of the following fractions as a decimal number and the classify them:

a) 
$$\frac{28}{6}$$
 =

b) 
$$\frac{21}{6}$$
 =

c) 
$$\frac{26}{15}$$
 =

d) 
$$\frac{40}{35}$$
 =

e) 
$$\frac{41}{12}$$
 =

f) 
$$\frac{42}{11}$$
 =

Exercise 20: Express the following numbers as fractions:

b) 
$$1.\overline{7} =$$

c) 
$$15.375\overline{2} =$$

e) 
$$427.\overline{12} =$$

f) 
$$0.\overline{039} =$$

h) 
$$0.24\overline{38} =$$

Exercise 21: Transform the following rational numbers into fractions:

a) 
$$0.0834 =$$

d) 
$$0.\overline{58} =$$

f) 
$$37.\overline{8942} =$$

g) 
$$23.472\overline{31} =$$

h) 
$$2.\overline{9} =$$

Exercise 22: Write the following numbers using scientific notation:

Exercise 23: Write the following numbers using scientific notation:

- b) The mass of a muon in grams: 0.0000000000000000000000000000188353159 kg
- c) The world population on 09/08/2018, 7611817873 people
- d) The diameter of a hair in meters 0.07 mm
- e) The diameter of the Sun, 1400000 km, in meters
- f) The radius of a red blood cell, in meters, if its diameter is 0.006 mm

Exercise 24: Expand these numbers expressed in scientific notation:

a) 
$$3.85 \cdot 10^7 =$$

b) 
$$4.2 \cdot 10^{10} =$$

c) 
$$2.38 \cdot 10^{-9} =$$

d) 
$$5.7 \cdot 10^{-12} =$$

e) 
$$3 \cdot 10^{12} =$$

f) 
$$0.72 \cdot 10^5 =$$

Exercise 25: Write these numbers using scientific notation:

a) 
$$853.794 \cdot 10^{-5} =$$

b) 
$$0.0032864 \cdot 10^7 =$$

c) 
$$42835.729 \cdot 10^4 =$$

e) 
$$0.00016234 \cdot 10^{-7}$$
 = f)  $345.7865 \cdot 10^4$  =

f) 
$$345.7865 \cdot 10^4 =$$

Exercise 26: Write these numbers using scientific notation:

a) 
$$0.0003141 \cdot 10^3 =$$

b) 
$$12354.3872 \cdot 10^{15} =$$

c) 
$$0.39 \cdot 10^{-6} =$$

d) 
$$2945.63 \cdot 10^{-8} =$$

e) 
$$197.92 \cdot 10^7 =$$

f) 
$$0.4372 \cdot 10^{-3} =$$