

Operations Meanings and Real Numbers B3

Name the sets of real numbers to which each of the following numbers belongs.

1. -7

2. $\frac{10}{13}$

3. $2.716492\dots$

4. $\sqrt{15}$

5. 7.23

6. $\sqrt{49}$

7. 4

8. 8.975

9. $\sqrt{-16}$

10. 0

Perform the indicated operations, and state the sets of real numbers to which the answer belongs.

11) $16 + 9$

12) $12 + (-19)$

13) $.4 \times 15$

14) $8(-.125)$

15) $-12 \div (-9)$

16) $\sqrt{36}$

17) $\sqrt{20}$

18) $\sqrt{-9}$

19) $\sqrt[3]{64}$

20) $\sqrt[3]{-27}$

Explain the meaning of the following operations.

21) $17 - 6$

22) 11×4

23) 7^5

24) $20 \div 5$

25) Why is $20 \div 5$ defined?

26) Why is $13 \div 0$ undefined?

27) Why is $0 \div 0$ undefined?

State the property of real numbers illustrated in each problem.

28) $k(1) = k$

29) $g + (-g) = 0$

30) $7(b \cdot 4) = (7 \cdot b)4$

31) $t + z = z + t$

32) $7(b + c) = 7(b) + 7(c)$

33) $(z/5)(5/z) = 1$

34) $4(d) = d(4)$

35) $w + 0 = w$