

#463420

Find the values of the letters in the following and give reasons for the steps involved.

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 A \\ + 2 5 \\ \hline B 2 \end{array}$$

**Solution**

If  $A + 5$  must give 2 as the unit digit of the sum, then A has to be 7.

$$B = 3 + 2 + 1(\text{carry over}) = 6$$

$A = 7$  and  $B = 6$ .

#463429

Find the values of the letters in the following and give reasons for the steps involved.

$$\begin{array}{r} 4 A \\ + 9 8 \\ \hline C B 3 \end{array}$$

**Solution**

$A + 8 = 3$  then A has to be 5 because unit digit of the sum has to be 3.

There is a carry-over of 1.

$$\text{So, } 4 + 9 + 1 = 14$$

$A = 5, B = 4$  and  $C = 1$

#463430

Find the values of the letters in the following and give reasons for the steps involved.

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 A \\ \times A \\ \hline 9 A \end{array}$$

**Solution**

According to the question that when a digit  $A$  multiplies with itself then the unit digit of the answer should be  $A$ .

1, 5 and 6 are those numbers which satisfy the above condition

so put 1, 5 and 6 in place of  $A$  and check

$$11 \times 1 = 11$$

$$15 \times 5 = 75$$

$$16 \times 6 = 96$$

So, the value of  $A$  is 6.

#463433

Find the values of the letters in the following and give reasons for the steps involved.

$$\begin{array}{r} A B \\ + 3 7 \\ \hline 6 A \end{array}$$

**Solution**

From the ten's place, we can say that either A has to be 2 or 3.

If  $A = 3$ , then the sum is not satisfied. So,  $A = 2$ .

Then,  $B = 5$ .

$A = 2$  and  $B = 5$

#463441

Find the values of the letters in the following and give reasons for the steps involved.

$$\begin{array}{r} A B \\ \times 3 \\ \hline C A B \end{array}$$

**Solution**

If  $B \times 3$  has to end with B, then B has to be either 0 or 5.

With  $B = 5$ , there is a carry-over, which will not give the next product as C A.

Thus,  $B = 0$ .

$A \times 3$  ends with A, so  $A = 5$ .

Hence,  $A = 5, B = 0, C = 1$ .

**#463444**

Find the values of the letters in the following and give reasons for the steps involved.

$$\begin{array}{r} A B \\ \times 5 \\ \hline C A B \end{array}$$

**Solution**

As  $B \times 5 = B$  B has to be either 5 or 0.

If  $B = 0$ , then A has to be 5 as  $A \times 5 = A$

So,  $A = 5, B = 0$  and  $C = 2$ .

If  $B = 5$ , then  $A = 2$  so that  $A \times 5$  with carry over ends with A.

Hence,  $A = 2, B = 5, C = 1$ .

**#463446**

Find the values of the letters in the following and give reasons for the steps involved.

$$\begin{array}{r} A B \\ \times 6 \\ \hline B B B \end{array}$$

**Solution**

If  $B \times 6$  has to end with B, then B can be 2, 4, 8 or 6.

But with B as 2 and 6, the above condition is not satisfied to arrive at a value for A.

If  $B = 4$ , then A has to be 7 to give the product as 444.

If we consider B to be 8, then A has to be a two digit number to give the product as 888.

Hence,  $B = 4$  and  $A = 7$ .

**#463447**

Find the values of the letters in the following and give reasons for the steps involved.

$$\begin{array}{r} A 1 \\ + 1 B \\ \hline B 0 \end{array}$$

**Solution**

If  $1 + B = 0$  then B has to be 9.

With  $B = 9$ ,

Now, we have condition  $A + 1 + 1(\text{carry over}) = B$ .

i.e.  $A + 2 = 9$

So,

$A = 7, B = 9$

**#463450**

Find the values of the letters in the following and give reasons for the steps involved.

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \ A \ B \\ + \ A \ B \ 1 \\ \hline B \ 1 \ 8 \end{array}$$

**Solution**

If  $B + 1 = 8$  then  $B$  has to be 7.

Now we have

$A + 7$  has to end with 1, so it has to be 11,

$\therefore A$  has to be 4.

Then,  $2 + A + 1(\text{carry over}) = B$

Thus,  $A = 4, B = 7$

**#463453**

Find the values of the letters in the following and give reasons for the steps involved.

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \ 2 \ A \\ + \ 6 \ A \ B \\ \hline A \ 0 \ 9 \end{array}$$

**Solution**

Lets assume,  $A + B > 9$

We know that  $A$  and  $B$  both can attain maximum value of 9,

If both  $A = B = 9$  then we get 18 where unit digit is 8, so its not possible to achieve unit digit as 9

This implies that sum must be  $= 9$

Now focusing on ten's digit,

$$2 + A = 0$$

Here,  $A$  has to be 8 as there is no carry over from unit digit addition.

Now, we know that  $A = 8$

$$\therefore B = 9 - A = 9 - 8 = 1$$

Hence,  $A = 8$  and  $B = 1$ .

**#463454**

If  $21y5$  is multiple of 9, where  $y$  is a digit, what is the value of  $y$ ?

**Solution**

For a number to be multiple of 9 then the sum of digits of number should be equal to 9 or multiple of 9

$21y5$  to be a multiple of 9, the sum of the digits  $2 + 1 + y + 5$  should be equal to 9.

So,  $y = 1$

**#463455**

If  $31z5$  is a multiple of 9, where  $z$  is a digit, what is the value of  $z$ ?

**Solution**

For a number to be multiple of 9 the sum of digits of number should be equal to 9 or multiple of 9

So,  $31z5$  to be a multiple of 9, the sum of the digits  $3 + 1 + z + 5$  should be equal to 9 or a multiple of 9.

So,  $z =$  either 0 or 9.

**#463460**

If  $24x$  is a multiple of 3, where  $x$  is a digit, what is the value of  $x$ ?

**Solution**

Since  $24x$  is a multiple of 3, its sum of digits  $6 + x$  is a multiple of 3;

So,  $6 + x$  is one of these numbers: 0, 3, 6, 9, 13, 15, 18, ...

Since  $x$  is a digit, it can only be that  $6 + x = 6$  or  $9$  or  $12$  or  $15$ .

Therefore,  $x = 0$  or  $3$  or  $6$  or  $9$ .

Thus,  $x$  can have any of four different values.

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**#463462**

If  $31z5$  is a multiple of 3, where  $z$  is a digit, what might be the values of  $z$ ?

**Solution**

For  $31z5$  to be a multiple of 3,

$3 + 1 + z + 5$  should be a multiple of 3.

So, the values of  $z$  can be 0, 3, 6 or 9.

If  $z = 0$ , then the sum is 9.

If  $z = 3$ , sum is 12

If  $z = 6$ , sum is 15

If  $z = 9$ , then the sum is 18

In the above cases, we see that the sums are all multiples of 3.

Hence,  $z$  can be 0, 3, 6 or 9.

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**#464957**

Find the smallest square no. which is divisible by each of the numbers 4, 9 and 10.

**Solution**

$$4 = 2 \times 2$$

$$9 = 3 \times 3$$

$$10 = 2 \times 5$$

$$\text{L.C.M} = 2^2 \times 3^2 \times 5 = 180$$

$$\text{Required no.} = 180 \times 5 = 900$$

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**#464958**

Find the smallest square no. which is divisible by each of the numbers 8, 15 and 20.

**Solution**

$$8 = 2 \times 2 \times 2$$

$$15 = 3 \times 5$$

$$20 = 2 \times 2 \times 5$$

$$\text{L. C. M} = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 5 = 120$$

$$\text{Required no.} = 120 \times 3 \times 5 = 1800$$