



Finding Associative Property of Multiplication

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Answers

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 B. $1 \times 3 = 3$
 C. $3 \times 4 = 4 \times 3$
 D. $3 \times (4 \times 8) = (3 \times 4) \times 8$

- 2) A. $6 \times 4 = 4 \times 6$
 B. $(6 \times 4) \times 7 = 6 \times (4 \times 7)$
 C. $6 \times 1 = 6$
 D. $(6 \times 4) + (6 \times 7) = 6 \times (4 + 7)$

- 3) A. $8 \times (6 + 4) = (8 \times 6) + (8 \times 4)$
 B. $8 \times 6 = 6 \times 8$
 C. $8 \times (6 \times 4) = (8 \times 6) \times 4$
 D. $1 \times 8 = 8$

- 4) A. $0 \times (3 \times 10) = (0 \times 3) \times 10$
 B. $0 \times (3 + 10) = (0 \times 3) + (0 \times 10)$
 C. $0 \times 3 = 3 \times 0$
 D. $1 \times 0 = 0$

- 5) A. $(9 \times 6) \times 4 = 9 \times (6 \times 4)$
 B. $9 \times 1 = 9$
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9. **C**

10. **B**

11. **A**

12. **A**