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CLASS:- VIII Class

NAME OF THE LESSON: Rational numbers

TITLE:- FRACTION VS RATIONAL NUMBER

AIM: Identifying the differences between Fractions and Rational Numbers.

OBJECTIVE: 1)To know about fractions.

2)To know about Rational numbers.

MATERIAL USED: Scale, pencil, pen etc ...

TOOLS: Collection of the data (Survey method)

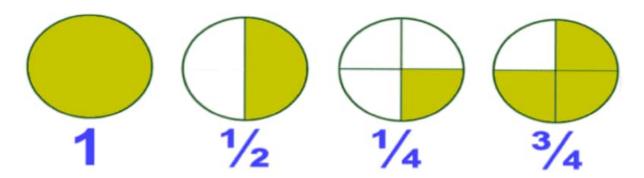
PROCEDURE: The definition of fraction is taken from VI and VII class Maths text books.

Basic concept of a fraction :- Fraction is "a part of whole" or a collection

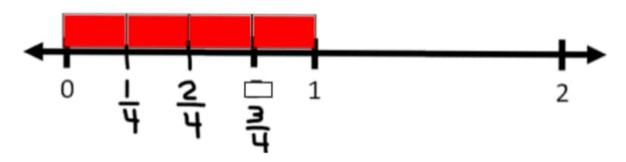
"A Fraction is represented as

Example: 1/3, 2/7,5/6, 7/5, 12/7.....

In $1/3 \Rightarrow 1$ is called - Numerator, 3 is called - Denominator



Representing Fractions on a Number line

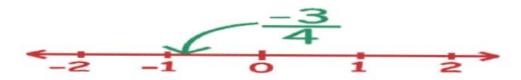


DEFINITION:- A number of the form a/b, where a and b are whole numbers and $b\neq 0$, is called a fraction.

DOUBT:-1) Is '0' is a fraction?

2) If a and b are negative integers what we call those numbers?

LOCATING FRACTIONS:- When 'a' and 'b' are negative then the numbers on number line



OBSERVATIONS: - Left side of the Number line contains fractions in the form of negative numerators.

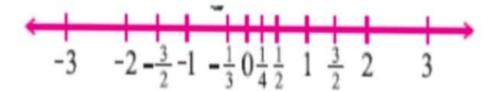
QUESTION: Are they fractions?

Case(ii) Fractions which contain either negative numerator or negative denominator are not fractions, they are called Rational numbers.

Rational Number: A Rational Number is a number that can be represented by a fraction a/b, where a and b integers and $b\neq 0$.

Example: -1/2, -3/4, -2,0,1,+5/4.....

Representation of Rational Numbers on the Number Line



ANALYSATION:-

FRACTIONAL NUMBERS	RATIONAL NUMBERS
1)Written in the form of p/q	1)written in the form of p/q
2)P and Q are whole numbers	2)P and Q are integers
3)Q is not equal to zero	3)Q is not equal to zero
4)All fractions can be reffered as Rational Numbers. Ex: 1/2, 25/5, 9/7	4)All Rational numbers cannot be referred as fractions.only rational numbers where p/q have positive integer can be reffered to as fraction. Ex: -1/2, -5/8, -22/23, -25/5

EXPERIENCE OF THE STUDENT:-I thought that every Rational number is a fraction.

RESULT:- All Fractions are Rational Numbers but all Rational Numbers are not Fractions.

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REFERENCE BOOKS / RESOURCES:

- 1. VIII, IX, VI, VII th Maths State Text books.
- 2. IX,VIII, class CBSE text book.