

Cube and Cube Roots

Ex 7.1

Q1. Which of the following numbers are not perfect cubes:-

(i) 216

Sol.

2	216
2	108
2	54
3	27
3	9
3	3
	1

$\Rightarrow 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3$

$216 = 2 \times 3 = (6)^3$
It's a perfect cube.

(ii) 128

2	128
2	64
2	32
2	16
2	8
2	4
2	2
	1

$\Rightarrow 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2$

\Rightarrow Here 2, is not a multiple of three.
Therefore, 128 is not a perfect cube.

(iii) 1000

2	1000
2	500
2	250
5	125
5	25
5	5
	1

$\Rightarrow 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5$

\Rightarrow Here 2 and 5 are in groups of three.
Therefore, 1000 is a perfect cube.

(iv) 100

Sol.

2	100
2	50
5	25
5	5
	1

$\Rightarrow 2 \times 2 \times 5 \times 5$

Here 100 cannot be grouped into triplets of equal factors.
Therefore, 100 is not a perfect cube.

(v) 46656

2	46656
2	23328
2	11664
2	5832
2	2916
2	1458
3	729
3	243
3	81
3	27
3	9
3	3
	1

$\Rightarrow 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3$

Therefore, $2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 = 36$
 $46656 = (36)^3$
Therefore 46656 is a perfect cube.

Q2.

Find the smallest number by which each of the following numbers must be multiplied to obtain a perfect cube:-

(i) 243

$$\begin{array}{r|l} \text{Sol.} & 243 \\ 3 & 81 \\ 3 & 27 \\ 3 & 9 \\ 3 & 3 \\ & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3$$

Here, factor 3 is not in group of three.

Therefore, to make 243 as a perfect cube, we have to multiply by 3.
Smallest no. = 3.

(ii) 256

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 2 & 256 \\ 2 & 128 \\ 2 & 64 \\ 2 & 32 \\ 2 & 16 \\ 2 & 8 \\ 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 2 \\ & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2$$

\Rightarrow Here factor of 2 is not in group of three.
Therefore, to make 256 as a perfect cube, we have to multiply by 2.
Smallest no. = 2.

(iii) 72

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 2 & 72 \\ 2 & 36 \\ 2 & 18 \\ 3 & 9 \\ 3 & 3 \\ & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3$$

Here factor 3 is not in a group of three. Therefore to make 72 as a perfect cube we have to multiply by 3. Smallest no. = 3.

(iv) 675

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 3 & 675 \\ 3 & 225 \\ 3 & 75 \\ 5 & 25 \\ 5 & 5 \\ & 1 \end{array}$$

$$3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 5 \times 5$$

Here, factor 5 is not in a group of three. Therefore to make 675 as a perfect cube we have to multiply by 5. Smallest no. = 5.

(v) 100

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 2 & 100 \\ 2 & 50 \\ 5 & 25 \\ 5 & 5 \\ & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times 2 \times 5 \times 5$$

\Rightarrow Here 2 and 5 cannot be grouped into triplets of equal factors. We will multiply 100 by $(2 \times 5 = 10)$ to get perfect cube.
Smallest no. = 10.

Q3. Find the smallest number by which each of the following numbers must be divided to obtain a perfect cube.

(i) 81

$$\begin{array}{r|l} \text{Sol.} & 81 \\ 3 & 27 \\ 3 & 9 \\ 3 & 3 \\ & 1 \end{array}$$

\Rightarrow Here, factor 3 is not in group of three. Therefore the smallest no. by which it should be divided to make it a perfect cube is 3.

(iii) 128

Sol.

2	128
2	64
2	32
2	16
2	8
2	4
2	2
	1

⇒ Here factor 2 is not in group of three. Therefore, the smallest no. by which 128 should be divided to make it a perfect cube is 2.

(ii) 135

Sol.

3	135
3	45
3	15
5	5
	1

⇒ $3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 5$
 ⇒ Here factor of 5 is not in group of three. Therefore, the smallest no. by which 135 should be divided to make it a perfect cube is 5.

(v) 704

Sol.

2	704
2	352
2	176
2	88
2	44
2	22
11	11
	1

⇒ $704 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 11$
 ⇒ Here a factor of 11 is not in group of three. Therefore, the smallest no. by which 704 should be divided to make it a perfect cube is 11.

(iv) 192

Sol.

2	192
2	96
2	48
2	24
2	12
2	6
3	3
	1

⇒ $2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3$
 ⇒ Here factor 3 is not in group of three. Therefore, the smallest no. by which 192 should be divided to make it a perfect cube is 3.

Q4. Parikshit makes a ^{cube} cuboid of plasticine of sides 5cm, 2cm, 5cm. How many such cuboid will be ~~in~~ need to form a cube?

Sol. Given side of cube is 5cm, 2cm and 5cm.
 Vol. of cube = ~~5~~ $5 \times 2 \times 5 = 50 \text{ cm}$

2	50
5	25
5	5
	1

Here 2, 5, 5 cannot be grouped into triplets of equal factors.
 We will multiply 50 by $(2 \times 2 \times 5)$ to get perfect cube. Hence, 20 cuboid is needed.

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Ex - 7.2

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Q1. Find the cube root of each of the following numbers by Prime Factorisation method.

(i) 64.

(ii) 512

Sol.

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 2 & 64 \\ \hline 2 & 32 \\ \hline 2 & 16 \\ \hline 2 & 8 \\ \hline 2 & 4 \\ \hline 2 & 2 \\ \hline & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{2 \times 2 \times 2} \times \underbrace{2 \times 2 \times 2}$$

$$\sqrt[3]{64} = 2 \times 2$$

$$\sqrt[3]{64} = 4$$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 2 & 512 \\ \hline 2 & 256 \\ \hline 2 & 128 \\ \hline 2 & 64 \\ \hline 2 & 32 \\ \hline 2 & 16 \\ \hline 2 & 8 \\ \hline 2 & 4 \\ \hline 2 & 2 \\ \hline & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{2 \times 2 \times 2} \times \underbrace{2 \times 2 \times 2} \times \underbrace{2 \times 2 \times 2}$$

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

$$\sqrt[3]{512} = 8.$$

(iii) 10648

2	10648
2	5324
2	2662
11	1331
11	121
11	11
	1

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt[3]{2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 11 \times 11 \times 11}$$

$$2 \times 11 = 22$$

(iv) 27000

2	27000
2	13500
2	6750
3	3375
3	1125
3	375
5	125
5	25
5	5
	1

$$\sqrt[3]{2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5}$$

$$2 \times 3 \times 5 = 30$$

(v) 15625

5	15625
5	3125
5	625
5	125
5	25
5	5
	1

$$\sqrt[5]{5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5}$$

$$5 \times 5 = 25$$

(vi) 13824

2	13824
2	6912
2	3456
2	1728
2	864
2	432
2	216
2	108
2	54
3	27
3	9
3	3
	1

$$\sqrt[2]{2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3}$$

$$2 \times 2 \times 3 = 12$$

(vii) 110592

$$\begin{array}{r}
 2 \overline{) 110592} \\
 \underline{2 \quad 55296} \\
 2 \quad 27648 \\
 \underline{2 \quad 13824} \\
 2 \quad 6912 \\
 \underline{2 \quad 3456} \\
 2 \quad 1728 \\
 \underline{2 \quad 864} \\
 2 \quad 432 \\
 \underline{2 \quad 216} \\
 2 \quad 108 \\
 \underline{2 \quad 54} \\
 3 \overline{) 27} \\
 \underline{3 \quad 9} \\
 3 \overline{) 9} \\
 \underline{3 \quad 3} \\
 3 \overline{) 3} \\
 \underline{3 \quad 1}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 3 \overline{) 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3} \\
 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 = 48
 \end{array}$$

(viii) 46656

$$\begin{array}{r}
 2 \overline{) 46656} \\
 \underline{2 \quad 23328} \\
 2 \quad 11664 \\
 \underline{2 \quad 5832} \\
 2 \quad 2916 \\
 \underline{2 \quad 1458} \\
 3 \overline{) 729} \\
 \underline{3 \quad 243} \\
 3 \overline{) 243} \\
 \underline{3 \quad 81} \\
 3 \overline{) 81} \\
 \underline{3 \quad 27}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 3 \overline{) 9} \\
 \underline{3 \quad 3} \\
 3 \overline{) 3} \\
 \underline{3 \quad 1}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 3 \overline{) 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3} \\
 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \Rightarrow 36
 \end{array}$$

(ix) 175616

2	175616
2	87808
2	43904
2	21952
2	10976
2	5488
2	2744
2	1372
2	686
7	343
7	49
7	7
	1

$$\sqrt[3]{2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 7 \times 7 \times 7}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 7 = 56$$

(x) 91125

3	91125
3	30375
3	10125
3	3375
3	1125
3	375
5	125
5	25
5	5
	1

$$\sqrt[3]{3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \times 3 \times 5 = 45$$

2 State true or false:

- (i) Cube of any odd number is even. *False*
 - (ii) A perfect cube does not end with two zeroes. *True*
 - (iii) If square of a number ends with 5, then its cube ends with 25. *False*
 - (iv) There is no perfect cube which ends with 8. *False*
 - (v) The cube of a two digit number may be a three digit number. *False*
 - (vi) The cube of a two digit number may have seven or more digits. *False*
 - (vii) The cube of a single digit number may be a single digit number. *True*
- 3 You are told that 1,331 is a perfect cube. Can you guess without factorising...

Q3. You are told that 1331 is a perfect cube. Can you guess without factorisation what is its cube root? Similarly guess the cube roots of 4913, 12167, 32768.

- Sol
- | | |
|-------------|---------------|
| $1^3 = 1$ | $6^3 = 216$ |
| $2^3 = 8$ | $7^3 = 343$ |
| $3^3 = 27$ | $8^3 = 512$ |
| $4^3 = 64$ | $9^3 = 729$ |
| $5^3 = 125$ | $10^3 = 1000$ |

(i) $\sqrt[3]{1331} = 11$

$1^3 = 1$
 $2^3 = 8$

(ii) $\sqrt[3]{4913} = 17$

$8^3 = 512$, $9^3 = 729$

(iii) $\sqrt[3]{12167} = 23$

$1^3 = 1$, $2^3 = 8$, $3^3 = 27$

(iv) $\sqrt[3]{32768} = 32$

$1^3 = 1$, $2^3 = 8$, $3^3 = 27$, $4^3 = 64$