

EXERCISE 4.5

Making use of the cube root table, find the cube root of the following (correct to three decimal places):

1. 7

Solution:

As we know that 7 lies between 1 and 100 so by using cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{7} = 1.913$$

∴ the answer is 1.913

2. 70

Solution:

As we know that 70 lies between 1 and 100 so by using cube root table from column x

We get,

$$\sqrt[3]{70} = 4.121$$

∴ the answer is 4.121

3. 700

Solution:

$$700 = 70 \times 10$$

By using cube root table 700 will be in the column $\sqrt[3]{10x}$ against 70.

So we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{700} = 8.879$$

∴ the answer is 8.879

4. 7000

Solution:

$$7000 = 70 \times 100$$

$$\sqrt[3]{7000} = \sqrt[3]{(7 \times 1000)} = \sqrt[3]{7} \times \sqrt[3]{1000}$$

By using cube root table,

We get,

$$\sqrt[3]{7} = 1.913$$

$$\sqrt[3]{1000} = 10$$

$$\sqrt[3]{7000} = \sqrt[3]{7} \times \sqrt[3]{1000}$$

$$= 1.913 \times 10$$

$$= 19.13$$

∴ the answer is 19.13

5. 1100

Solution:

$$1100 = 11 \times 100$$

$$\sqrt[3]{1100} = \sqrt[3]{(11 \times 100)} = \sqrt[3]{11} \times \sqrt[3]{100}$$

By using cube root table,

We get,

$$\sqrt[3]{11} = 2.224$$

$$\sqrt[3]{100} = 4.6642$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{1100} &= \sqrt[3]{11} \times \sqrt[3]{100} \\ &= 2.224 \times 4.642 \\ &= 10.323\end{aligned}$$

\therefore the answer is 10.323

6.780

Solution:

$$780 = 78 \times 10$$

By using cube root table 780 would be in column $\sqrt[3]{10x}$ against 78.

We get,

$$\sqrt[3]{780} = 9.205$$

7. 7800

Solution:

$$7800 = 78 \times 100$$

$$\sqrt[3]{7800} = \sqrt[3]{(78 \times 100)} = \sqrt[3]{78} \times \sqrt[3]{100}$$

By using cube root table,

We get,

$$\sqrt[3]{78} = 4.273$$

$$\sqrt[3]{100} = 4.6642$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{7800} &= \sqrt[3]{78} \times \sqrt[3]{100} \\ &= 4.273 \times 4.642 \\ &= 19.835\end{aligned}$$

\therefore the answer is 19.835

8. 1346

Solution:

Let us find the factors by using factorisation method,

We get,

$$1346 = 2 \times 673$$

$$\sqrt[3]{1346} = \sqrt[3]{(2 \times 676)} = \sqrt[3]{2} \times \sqrt[3]{673}$$

Since, $670 < 673 < 680 = \sqrt[3]{670} < \sqrt[3]{673} < \sqrt[3]{680}$

By using cube root table,

$$\sqrt[3]{670} = 8.750$$

$$\sqrt[3]{680} = 8.794$$

For the difference (680-670) which is 10.

So the difference in the values = $8.794 - 8.750 = 0.044$

For the difference (673-670) which is 3.

So the difference in the values = $(0.044/10) \times 3 = 0.0132$

$$\sqrt[3]{673} = 8.750 + 0.013 = 8.763$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{1346} &= \sqrt[3]{2} \times \sqrt[3]{673} \\ &= 1.260 \times 8.763 \\ &= 11.041\end{aligned}$$

\therefore the answer is 11.041

9. 250

Solution:

$$250 = 25 \times 100$$

By using cube root table 250 would be in column $\sqrt[3]{10x}$ against 25.

We get,

$$\sqrt[3]{250} = 6.3$$

\therefore the answer is 6.3

10. 5112

Solution:

Let us find the factors by using factorisation method,

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{5112} &= \sqrt[3]{2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 71} \\ &= \sqrt[3]{2^3 \times 3^2 \times 71} \\ &= 2 \times \sqrt[3]{3^2} \times \sqrt[3]{71} \\ &= 2 \times \sqrt[3]{9} \times \sqrt[3]{71}\end{aligned}$$

From cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{9} = 2.080$$

$$\sqrt[3]{71} = 4.141$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{5112} &= 2 \times \sqrt[3]{9} \times \sqrt[3]{71} \\ &= 2 \times 2.080 \times 4.141 \\ &= 17.227\end{aligned}$$

\therefore the answer is 17.227

11. 9800

Solution:

$$\sqrt[3]{9800} = \sqrt[3]{98} \times \sqrt[3]{100}$$

From cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{98} = 4.610$$

$$\sqrt[3]{100} = 4.642$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{9800} &= \sqrt[3]{98} \times \sqrt[3]{100} \\ &= 4.610 \times 4.642 \\ &= 21.40\end{aligned}$$

∴ the answer is 21.40

12. 732

Solution:

$$\sqrt[3]{732}$$

We know that value of $\sqrt[3]{732}$ will lie between $\sqrt[3]{730}$ and $\sqrt[3]{740}$

From cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{730} = 9.004$$

$$\sqrt[3]{740} = 9.045$$

By using unitary method,

Difference between the values ($740 - 730 = 10$)

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= 9.05 - 9.004 = 0.041$

Difference between the values ($732 - 730 = 2$)

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= (0.041/10) \times 2 = 0.008$

$$\sqrt[3]{732} = 9.004 + 0.008 = 9.012$$

∴ the answer is 9.012

13. 7342

Solution:

$$\sqrt[3]{7342}$$

We know that value of $\sqrt[3]{7342}$ will lie between $\sqrt[3]{7300}$ and $\sqrt[3]{7400}$

From cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{7300} = 19.39$$

$$\sqrt[3]{7400} = 19.48$$

By using unitary method,

Difference between the values ($7400 - 7300 = 100$)

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= 19.48 - 19.39 = 0.09$

Difference between the values ($7342 - 7300 = 42$)

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= (0.09/100) \times 42 = 0.037$

$$\sqrt[3]{7342} = 19.39 + 0.037 = 19.427$$

∴ the answer is 19.427

14. 133100

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{133100} &= \sqrt[3]{(1331 \times 100)} \\ &= \sqrt[3]{1331} \times \sqrt[3]{100} \\ &= \sqrt[3]{11^3} \times \sqrt[3]{100} \\ &= 11 \times \sqrt[3]{100}\end{aligned}$$

From cube root table we get,

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{100} &= 4.462 \\ \sqrt[3]{133100} &= 11 \times \sqrt[3]{100} \\ &= 11 \times 4.462 \\ &= 51.062\end{aligned}$$

∴ the answer is 51.062

15. 37800

Solution:

$$\sqrt[3]{37800}$$

Firstly let us find the factors for 37800

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{37800} &= \sqrt[3]{(2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 175)} \\ &= \sqrt[3]{(2^3 \times 3^3 \times 175)} \\ &= 6 \times \sqrt[3]{175}\end{aligned}$$

We know that value of $\sqrt[3]{175}$ will lie between $\sqrt[3]{170}$ and $\sqrt[3]{180}$

From cube root table we get,

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{170} &= 5.540 \\ \sqrt[3]{180} &= 5.646\end{aligned}$$

By using unitary method,

Difference between the values (180 – 170 = 10)

So, the difference in cube root values will be = 5.646 – 5.540 = 0.106

Difference between the values (175 – 170 = 5)

So, the difference in cube root values will be = (0.106/10) × 5 = 0.053

$$\sqrt[3]{175} = 5.540 + 0.053 = 5.593$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{37800} &= 6 \times \sqrt[3]{175} \\ &= 6 \times 5.593 \\ &= 33.558\end{aligned}$$

∴ the answer is 33.558

16. 0.27

Solution:

$$\sqrt[3]{0.27} = \sqrt[3]{(27/100)} = \sqrt[3]{27}/\sqrt[3]{100}$$

From cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{27} = 3$$

$$\sqrt[3]{100} = 4.642$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{0.27} &= \sqrt[3]{27/\sqrt[3]{100}} \\ &= 3/4.642 \\ &= 0.646\end{aligned}$$

∴ the answer is 0.646

17. 8.6

Solution:

$$\sqrt[3]{8.6} = \sqrt[3]{(86/10)} = \sqrt[3]{86}/\sqrt[3]{10}$$

From cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{86} = 4.414$$

$$\sqrt[3]{10} = 2.154$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{8.6} &= \sqrt[3]{86}/\sqrt[3]{10} \\ &= 4.414/2.154 \\ &= 2.049\end{aligned}$$

∴ the answer is 2.049

18. 0.86

Solution:

$$\sqrt[3]{0.86} = \sqrt[3]{(86/100)} = \sqrt[3]{86}/\sqrt[3]{100}$$

From cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{86} = 4.414$$

$$\sqrt[3]{100} = 4.642$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{0.86} &= \sqrt[3]{86}/\sqrt[3]{100} \\ &= 4.414/4.642 \\ &= 0.9508\end{aligned}$$

∴ the answer is 0.951

19. 8.65

Solution:

$$\sqrt[3]{8.65} = \sqrt[3]{(865/100)} = \sqrt[3]{865}/\sqrt[3]{100}$$

We know that value of $\sqrt[3]{865}$ will lie between $\sqrt[3]{860}$ and $\sqrt[3]{870}$

From cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{860} = 9.510$$

$$\sqrt[3]{870} = 9.546$$

$$\sqrt[3]{100} = 4.642$$

By using unitary method,

Difference between the values (870 – 860 = 10)

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= 9.546 - 9.510 = 0.036$

Difference between the values $(865 - 860 = 5)$

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= (0.036/10) \times 5 = 0.018$

$$\sqrt[3]{865} = 9.510 + 0.018 = 9.528$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt[3]{8.65} &= \sqrt[3]{865}/\sqrt[3]{100} \\ &= 9.528/4.642 \\ &= 2.0525\end{aligned}$$

\therefore the answer is 2.053

20. 7532

Solution:

$$\sqrt[3]{7532}$$

We know that value of $\sqrt[3]{7532}$ will lie between $\sqrt[3]{7500}$ and $\sqrt[3]{7600}$

From cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{7500} = 19.57$$

$$\sqrt[3]{7600} = 19.66$$

By using unitary method,

Difference between the values $(7600 - 7500 = 100)$

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= 19.66 - 19.57 = 0.09$

Difference between the values $(7532 - 7500 = 32)$

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= (0.09/100) \times 32 = 0.029$

$$\sqrt[3]{7532} = 19.57 + 0.029 = 19.599$$

\therefore the answer is 19.599

21. 833

Solution:

$$\sqrt[3]{833}$$

We know that value of $\sqrt[3]{833}$ will lie between $\sqrt[3]{830}$ and $\sqrt[3]{840}$

From cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{830} = 9.398$$

$$\sqrt[3]{840} = 9.435$$

By using unitary method,

Difference between the values $(840 - 830 = 10)$

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= 9.435 - 9.398 = 0.037$

Difference between the values $(833 - 830 = 3)$

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= (0.037/10) \times 3 = 0.011$

$$\sqrt[3]{833} = 9.398 + 0.011 = 9.409$$

\therefore the answer is 9.409

22. 34.2

Solution:

$$\sqrt[3]{34.2} = \sqrt[3]{(342/10)} = \sqrt[3]{342}/\sqrt[3]{10}$$

We know that value of $\sqrt[3]{342}$ will lie between $\sqrt[3]{340}$ and $\sqrt[3]{350}$

From cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{340} = 6.980$$

$$\sqrt[3]{350} = 7.047$$

$$\sqrt[3]{10} = 2.154$$

By using unitary method,

Difference between the values $(350 - 340 = 10)$

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= 7.047 - 6.980 = 0.067$

Difference between the values $(342 - 340 = 2)$

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= (0.067/10) \times 2 = 0.013$

$$\sqrt[3]{342} = 6.980 + 0.013 = 6.993$$

$$\sqrt[3]{34.2} = \sqrt[3]{342}/\sqrt[3]{10}$$

$$= 6.993/2.154$$

$$= 3.246$$

\therefore the answer is 3.246

23. What is the length of the side of a cube whose volume is 275 cm^3 . Make use of the table for the cube root.

Solution:

The given volume of the cube $= 275 \text{ cm}^3$

Let us consider the side of the cube as 'a' cm

$$a^3 = 275$$

$$a = \sqrt[3]{275}$$

We know that value of $\sqrt[3]{275}$ will lie between $\sqrt[3]{270}$ and $\sqrt[3]{280}$

From cube root table we get,

$$\sqrt[3]{270} = 6.463$$

$$\sqrt[3]{280} = 6.542$$

By using unitary method,

Difference between the values $(280 - 270 = 10)$

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= 6.542 - 6.463 = 0.079$

Difference between the values $(275 - 270 = 5)$

So, the difference in cube root values will be $= (0.079/10) \times 5 = 0.0395$

$$\sqrt[3]{275} = 6.463 + 0.0395 = 6.5025$$

\therefore the answer is 6.503 cm