



Finding Associative Property of Multiplication

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Determine which choice best shows the associative property of multiplication.**Answers**

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 C. $(2 \times 6) + (2 \times 10) = 2 \times (6 + 10)$
 D. $(2 \times 6) \times 10 = 2 \times (6 \times 10)$

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

- 3) A. $2 \times 1 = 1 \times 2$
 B. $1 \times 2 = 2$
 C. $2 \times (1 + 8) = (2 \times 1) + (2 \times 8)$
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- 4) A. $3 \times 5 = 5 \times 3$
 B. $1 \times 3 = 3$
 C. $3 \times (5 \times 7) = (3 \times 5) \times 7$
 D. $3 \times (5 + 7) = (3 \times 5) + (3 \times 7)$

- 5) A. $0 \times (2 + 7) = (0 \times 2) + (0 \times 7)$
 B. $0 \times 2 = 2 \times 0$
 C. $1 \times 0 = 0$
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- 6) A. $9 \times (1 \times 10) = (9 \times 1) \times 10$
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- 10) A. $10 \times 4 = 4 \times 10$
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10. **B**

11. **D**

12. **C**