

Multiplication product rule of THAKKURA PHERU and its generalized rule

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Abstract- The paper is addressed to the work of the mathematician Thakkura Pheru for obtain a product multiplication consisting of the same digit repeated nine times , where the digit is positive and less than 10. In the present study we generalized the rule which was given by the Indian mathematician Thakkura Pheru.

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INTRODUCTION: Thakkura Pheru is a great north Indian Mathematician. He was an author of books on Mathematics, coins and gems. Thakkura Pheru gave a rule from his book Ganitasarakaumudi (GSK-4.61) for obtaining a product of multiplication consisting of the same digit repeated nine times.

Viz;

$$12345679 \times a \times 9 = \text{aaaaaaaaa}$$

Where, 'a' is a positive integer and less than 10.

Example – 1. $12345679 \times 7 \times 9 = ?$

Answer: 777777777 (\therefore Nine times 7 by Thakkura Pheru rule)

Example – 2. $12345679 \times 8 \times 9 = ?$

Answer: 888888888 (\therefore Nine times 8 by Thakkura Pheru rule)

Here, we shall try to make a generalized rule for multiplication consisting of the same digit repeated nine times by giving suitable cases.

Case – I: When a = 0 and a \in negative integer

Then, we get

$$12345679 \times 0 \times 9 = 000000000 \quad (\therefore \text{Nine times } 0)$$

Now if, a \in negative integer

Then, we get

$$12345679 \times (-a) \times 9 = - \{ \text{aaaaaaaaa} \}$$

Example – 3. Let a = -6

Then, we get

$$12345679 \times (-6) \times 9 = - 666666666 \quad (\therefore 9 \text{ times } 6 \text{ with negative sign})$$

Now the generalized rule –

$$12345679 \times a \times 9 = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{aaaaaaaaa} \quad \text{if } 0 \leq a < 10, \quad a \in \text{positive int eger} \\ -\{\text{aaaaaaaaa}\} \\ \text{If } -10 < a \leq 0, \quad a \in \text{negative int eger} \end{array} \right\}$$

Case – II: When a \in integer which is greater and equal to 10.

$$12345679 \times a \times 9 = \left(\begin{array}{l} -\{(a_1 + 1)(m_1 + m_2) \dots, 7 \text{ times } m_2 a_2\} \\ \text{where, } m_1 = 1^{\text{st}} \text{ term of } (a_1 + a_2) \\ m_2 = \text{last term of } (a_1 + a_2) \end{array} \right)$$

Example – 9. $12345679 \times -(55) \times 9 = ?$

Answer: here, $a = -55$

$$a_1 = 5, a_2 = 5$$

$$(a_1 + a_2) \geq 10$$

$$m_1 = 1, m_2 = 0$$

Required answer is

$$= -\{ (5 = 1)(1 + 0)(1 + 0)(1 + 0)(1 + 0)(1 + 0)(1 + 0)(1 + 0) \ 05 \}$$

$$= - (6111111105).$$

CONCLUSION

We have framed the generalized rule for different intervals. Hence the multiplication becomes easier when we follow the above rule.

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