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1) $\frac{1}{2}m^3 - \frac{1}{n}$ Take away the ratio of one and n from half of m cube

2) $11 + (g - 9)$ Eleven is added to the difference of g and nine

3) $n^3 - 6$ n cube reduced by six

4) c^2d^3 c square times d cube

5) $20x$ Twenty times x

6) $\frac{u}{v} - 7$ u by v minus seven

7) $13 + k$ Total of thirteen and k

8) $\frac{11}{w^3}$ Eleven divided by w cube

9) $(d - 8)^2 + 9$ Square of difference between d and eight increased by nine

10) $19yz$ Nineteen times the product of y and z