

UNIT 18 EXERCISES 1-5

SIMPLYFYING FRACTIONS

2003B 1. Which of the following is the same as

$$\frac{2 - 4 + 6 - 8 + 10 - 12 + 14}{3 - 6 + 9 - 12 + 15 - 18 + 21}?$$

(A) -1 (B) $-\frac{2}{3}$ (C) $\frac{2}{3}$ (D) 1 (E) $\frac{14}{3}$

2008A 4. Which of the following is equal to the product

$$\frac{8}{4} \cdot \frac{12}{8} \cdot \frac{16}{12} \cdots \frac{4n+4}{4n} \cdots \frac{2008}{2004}?$$

(A) 251 (B) 502 (C) 1004 (D) 2008 (E) 4016