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- A. 2 days
- B. 4 days
- C. 5 days
- D. 6 days

Show Answer...

**Correct Answer: B (4 days)**

**Explanation:**

Let's find out how much work Farhan and Uzair can do in one day individually.

Farhan can finish the work in 6 days, so his work rate per day is  $\frac{1}{6}$  (representing the fraction of work he completes each day).

Uzair can finish the work in 9 days, so his work rate per day is  $\frac{1}{9}$  (representing the fraction of work he completes each day).

Now, let's calculate their combined work rate when they work together:

Combined work rate = Farhan's work rate + Uzair's work rate

$$\text{Combined work rate} = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{9}$$

To add these fractions, we find the common denominator, which is 18:

$$\text{Combined work rate} = \left(\frac{3}{18}\right) + \left(\frac{2}{18}\right)$$

$$\text{Combined work rate} = \frac{5}{18}$$

To find out how many days it would take them to finish the work together, we divide 1 (the total work) by their combined work rate:



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Time taken together =  $1 / \text{Combined work rate}$

Time taken together =  $1 / (5/18)$

Time taken together =  $1 * (18/5)$

Time taken together =  **$18/5 = 3.6$**

Now, we convert this improper fraction to a mixed fraction:

Time taken together =  $3 \frac{3}{5}$  days

Since we cannot have a fraction of a day, we round it up to the nearest whole day.

So, both Farhan and Uzair will take  $3.6 \approx 4$  days together to complete the work.

Therefore, the correct answer is B (4 days).