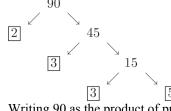
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R.1 Fractions

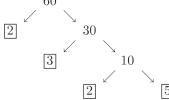
Classroom Examples, Now Try Exercises

1. 90 is composite and can be written as



Writing 90 as the product of primes gives us $90 = 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 5$.

N1. 60 is composite and can be written as 60



Writing 60 as the product of primes gives us $60 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5$.

- 2. (a) $\frac{12}{20} = \frac{3 \cdot 4}{5 \cdot 4} = \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{4}{4} = \frac{3}{5} \cdot 1 = \frac{3}{5}$
 - **(b)** $\frac{8}{48} = \frac{8}{6.8} = \frac{1}{6.1} = \frac{1}{6}$
 - (c) $\frac{90}{162} = \frac{5 \cdot 18}{9 \cdot 18} = \frac{5}{9} \cdot 1 = \frac{5}{9}$
- **N2.** (a) $\frac{30}{42} = \frac{5 \cdot 6}{7 \cdot 6} = \frac{5}{7} \cdot \frac{6}{6} = \frac{5}{7} \cdot 1 = \frac{5}{7}$
 - **(b)** $\frac{10}{70} = \frac{10}{7 \cdot 10} = \frac{1}{7 \cdot 1} = \frac{1}{7}$
 - (c) $\frac{72}{120} = \frac{3 \cdot 24}{5 \cdot 24} = \frac{3}{5} \cdot 1 = \frac{3}{5}$
 - **3.** The fraction bar represents division. Divide the numerator of the improper fraction by the denominator.

$$\begin{array}{c}
 3 \\
 10 \overline{\smash{\big)}37} \\
 \underline{30} \\
 7
\end{array}$$
Thus, $\frac{37}{10} = 3\frac{7}{10}$.

N3. The fraction bar represents division. Divide the numerator of the improper fraction by the denominator.

Thus,
$$\frac{92}{5} = 18\frac{2}{5}$$
.

4. Multiply the denominator of the fraction by the natural number and then add the numerator to obtain the numerator of the improper fraction. $5 \cdot 3 = 15$ and 15 + 4 = 19

The denominator of the improper fraction is the same as the denominator in the mixed number.

Thus,
$$3\frac{4}{5} = \frac{19}{5}$$
.

N4. Multiply the denominator of the fraction by the natural number and then add the numerator to obtain the numerator of the improper fraction. $3 \cdot 11 = 33$ and 33 + 2 = 35

The denominator of the improper fraction is the same as the denominator in the mixed number.

Thus,
$$11\frac{2}{3} = \frac{35}{3}$$
.

5. (a) To multiply two fractions, multiply their numerators and then multiply their denominators. Then simplify and write the answer in lowest terms.

$$\frac{5}{9} \cdot \frac{18}{25} = \frac{5 \cdot 18}{9 \cdot 25}$$
$$= \frac{90}{225}$$
$$= \frac{2 \cdot 45}{5 \cdot 45}$$
$$= \frac{2}{5}$$

(b) To multiply two mixed numbers, first write them as improper fractions. Multiply their numerators and then multiply their denominators. Then simplify and write the answer as a mixed number in lowest terms.

$$3\frac{1}{3} \cdot 1\frac{3}{4} = \frac{10}{3} \cdot \frac{7}{4}$$

$$= \frac{10 \cdot 7}{3 \cdot 4}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 7}{3 \cdot 2 \cdot 2}$$

$$= \frac{35}{6}, \text{ or } 5\frac{5}{6}$$

N5. (a) To multiply two fractions, multiply their numerators and then multiply their denominators. Then simplify and write the answer in lowest terms.

$$\frac{4}{7} \cdot \frac{5}{8} = \frac{4 \cdot 5}{7 \cdot 8}$$
$$= \frac{20}{56}$$
$$= \frac{5 \cdot 4}{14 \cdot 4}$$
$$= \frac{5}{14}$$

(b) To multiply two mixed numbers, first write them as improper fractions. Multiply their numerators and then multiply their denominators. Then simplify and write the answer as a mixed number in lowest terms.

$$3\frac{2}{5} \cdot 6\frac{2}{3} = \frac{17}{5} \cdot \frac{20}{3}$$

$$= \frac{17 \cdot 20}{5 \cdot 3}$$

$$= \frac{17 \cdot 5 \cdot 4}{5 \cdot 3}$$

$$= \frac{68}{3}, \text{ or } 22\frac{2}{3}$$

6. (a) To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$\frac{9}{10} \div \frac{3}{5} = \frac{9}{10} \cdot \frac{5}{3}$$
$$= \frac{3 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 3}$$
$$= \frac{3}{2}, \text{ or } 1\frac{1}{2}$$

(b) Change both mixed numbers to improper fractions. Then multiply by the reciprocal of the second fraction.

$$2\frac{3}{4} \div 3\frac{1}{3} = \frac{11}{4} \div \frac{10}{3}$$
$$= \frac{11}{4} \cdot \frac{3}{10}$$
$$= \frac{33}{40}$$

N6. (a) To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$\frac{2}{7} \div \frac{8}{9} = \frac{2}{7} \cdot \frac{9}{8}$$
$$= \frac{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3}{7 \cdot 2 \cdot 4}$$
$$= \frac{9}{28}$$

(b) To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$3\frac{3}{4} \div 4\frac{2}{7} = \frac{15}{4} \div \frac{30}{7}$$
$$= \frac{15}{4} \cdot \frac{7}{30}$$
$$= \frac{15 \cdot 7}{4 \cdot 2 \cdot 15}$$
$$= \frac{7}{8}$$

7. To find the sum of two fractions having the same denominator, add the numerators and keep the same denominator.

$$\frac{1}{9} + \frac{5}{9} = \frac{1+5}{9}$$
$$= \frac{6}{9}$$
$$= \frac{2 \cdot 3}{3 \cdot 3}$$
$$= \frac{2}{3}$$

N7. To find the sum of two fractions having the same denominator, add the numerators and keep the same denominator.

$$\frac{1}{8} + \frac{3}{8} = \frac{1+3}{8}$$

$$= \frac{4}{8}$$

$$= \frac{1\cdot 4}{2\cdot 4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

8. (a) Since $30 = 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5$ and $45 = 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 5$, the least common denominator must have one factor of 2 (from 30), two factors of 3 (from 45), and one factor of 5 (from either 30 or 45), so it is $2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 = 90$.

Write each fraction with a denominator of 90

$$\frac{7}{30} = \frac{7}{30} \cdot \frac{3}{3} = \frac{21}{90}$$
 and $\frac{2}{45} = \frac{2}{45} \cdot \frac{2}{2} = \frac{4}{90}$

Now add.

$$\frac{7}{30} + \frac{2}{45} = \frac{21}{90} + \frac{4}{90} = \frac{21+4}{90} = \frac{25}{90}$$

Write $\frac{25}{90}$ in lowest terms.

$$\frac{25}{90} = \frac{5 \cdot 5}{18 \cdot 5} = \frac{5}{18}$$

(b) Write each mixed number as an improper fraction.

$$4\frac{5}{6} + 2\frac{1}{3} = \frac{29}{6} + \frac{7}{3}$$

The least common denominator is 6, so write each fraction with a denominator of 6.

$$\frac{29}{6}$$
 and $\frac{7}{3} = \frac{7}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{2} = \frac{14}{6}$

Now add.

$$\frac{29}{6} + \frac{7}{3} = \frac{29}{6} + \frac{14}{6} = \frac{29 + 14}{6}$$
$$= \frac{43}{6}, \text{ or } 7\frac{1}{6}$$

N8. (a) Since $12 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3$ and $8 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2$, the least common denominator must have three factors of 2 (from 8) and one factor of 3 (from 12), so it is $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 = 24$. Write each fraction with a denominator of 24.

$$\frac{5}{12} = \frac{5}{12} \cdot \frac{2}{2} = \frac{10}{24}$$
 and $\frac{3}{8} = \frac{3}{8} \cdot \frac{3}{3} = \frac{9}{24}$

Now add.

$$\frac{5}{12} + \frac{3}{8} = \frac{10}{24} + \frac{9}{24} = \frac{10+9}{24} = \frac{19}{24}$$

(b) Write each mixed number as an improper fraction.

$$3\frac{1}{4} + 5\frac{5}{8} = \frac{13}{4} + \frac{45}{8}$$

The least common denominator is 8, so write each fraction with a denominator of 8.

$$\frac{45}{8}$$
 and $\frac{13}{4} = \frac{13}{4} \cdot \frac{2}{2} = \frac{26}{8}$

Now add.

$$\frac{13}{4} + \frac{45}{8} = \frac{26}{8} + \frac{45}{8} = \frac{26 + 45}{8}$$
$$= \frac{71}{8}, \text{ or } 8\frac{7}{8}$$

9. (a) Since 10 = 2.5 and 4 = 2.2, the least common denominator is 2.2.5 = 20. Write each fraction with a denominator of 20.

$$\frac{3}{10} = \frac{3}{10} \cdot \frac{2}{2} = \frac{6}{20}$$
 and $\frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{5}{5} = \frac{5}{20}$

Now subtract.

$$\frac{3}{10} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{6}{20} - \frac{5}{20} = \frac{1}{20}$$

(b) Write each mixed number as an improper fraction

$$3\frac{3}{8} - 1\frac{1}{2} = \frac{27}{8} - \frac{3}{2}$$

The least common denominator is 8. Write each fraction with a denominator of 8. $\frac{27}{8}$

remains unchanged, and $\frac{3}{2} = \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{4}{4} = \frac{12}{8}$.

Now subtract

$$\frac{27}{8} - \frac{3}{2} = \frac{27}{8} - \frac{12}{8} = \frac{27 - 12}{8} = \frac{15}{8}$$
, or $1\frac{7}{8}$

N9. (a) Since 11 = 11 and $9 = 3 \cdot 3$, the least common denominator is $3 \cdot 3 \cdot 11 = 99$. Write each fraction with a denominator of 99.

$$\frac{5}{11} = \frac{5}{11} \cdot \frac{9}{9} = \frac{45}{99}$$
 and $\frac{2}{9} = \frac{2}{9} \cdot \frac{11}{11} = \frac{22}{99}$

Now subtract.

$$\frac{5}{11} - \frac{2}{9} = \frac{45}{99} - \frac{22}{99} = \frac{23}{99}$$

(b) Write each mixed number as an improper fraction.

$$4\frac{1}{3} - 2\frac{5}{6} = \frac{13}{3} - \frac{17}{6}$$

The least common denominator is 6. Write each fraction with a denominator of 6. $\frac{17}{6}$

remains unchanged, and $\frac{13}{3} = \frac{13}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{2} = \frac{26}{6}$.

Now subtract

$$\frac{13}{3} - \frac{17}{6} = \frac{26}{6} - \frac{17}{6} = \frac{26 - 17}{6} = \frac{9}{6}$$

Now reduce.

$$\frac{9}{6} = \frac{3 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 3} = \frac{3}{2}$$
, or $1\frac{1}{2}$

10. To find out how many yards of fabric Jen should buy, add the lengths needed for each piece to obtain the total length. The common denominator is 12.

$$1\frac{1}{4} + 1\frac{2}{3} + 2\frac{1}{2} = 1\frac{3}{12} + 1\frac{8}{12} + 2\frac{6}{12} = 4\frac{17}{12}$$

Because $\frac{17}{12} = 1\frac{5}{12}$, we have

$$4\frac{17}{12} = 4 + 1\frac{5}{12} = 5\frac{5}{12}$$
. Jen should buy $5\frac{5}{12}$ yd of fabric.

N10. To find out how long each piece must be, divide the total length by the number of pieces.

$$10\frac{1}{2} \div 4 = \frac{21}{2} \div \frac{4}{1} = \frac{21}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} = \frac{21}{8}$$
, or $2\frac{5}{8}$

Each piece should be $2\frac{5}{8}$ feet long.

- 11. (a) In the circle graph, the sector for Other is the second largest, so Other had the second largest share of Internet users, $\frac{23}{100}$.
 - **(b)** The total number of Internet users, 3900 million, can be rounded to 4000 million (or 4 billion). Multiply $\frac{1}{10}$ by 4000.

$$\frac{1}{10} \cdot 4000 = 400 \text{ million}$$

(c) Multiply the fraction from the graph for Africa by the actual number of users.

$$\frac{1}{10} \cdot 3900 = 390$$
 million

- **N11.** (a) In the circle graph, the sector for Africa is the smallest, so Africa had the least number of Internet users.
 - (b) The total number of Internet users, 3900 million, can be rounded to 4000 million (or 4 billion). Multiply $\frac{1}{2}$ by 4000. $\frac{1}{2} \cdot 4000 = 2000$ million, or 2 billion
 - (c) Multiply the fraction from the graph for Asia by the actual number of users. $\frac{1}{2} \cdot 3900 = 1950$ million, or 1.95 billion

Exercises

- 1. True; the number above the fraction bar is called the numerator and the number below the fraction bar is called the denominator.
- 2. True; 5 divides the 31 six times with a remainder of one, so $\frac{31}{5} = 6\frac{1}{5}$.
- **3.** False; this is an improper fraction. Its value is 1.
- **4.** False; the number 1 is neither prime nor composite.
- 5. False; the fraction $\frac{13}{39}$ can be written in lowest terms as $\frac{1}{3}$ since $\frac{13}{39} = \frac{13 \cdot 1}{13 \cdot 3} = \frac{1}{3}$.
- **6.** False; the reciprocal of $\frac{6}{2} = 3$ is $\frac{2}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$.
- 7. False; *product* refers to multiplication, so the product of 10 and 2 is 20. The *sum* of 10 and 2 is 12.
- **8.** False; *difference* refers to subtraction, so the difference between 10 and 2 is 8. The *quotient* of 10 and 2 is 5.
- 9. $\frac{16}{24} = \frac{2 \cdot 8}{3 \cdot 8} = \frac{2}{3}$
Therefore, C is correct.

10. Simplify each fraction to find which are equal to $\frac{5}{-}$

to
$$\frac{5}{9}$$
.

$$\frac{15}{27} = \frac{3 \cdot 5}{3 \cdot 9} = \frac{5}{9}$$

$$\frac{30}{54} = \frac{6 \cdot 5}{6 \cdot 9} = \frac{5}{9}$$

$$\frac{40}{74} = \frac{2 \cdot 20}{2 \cdot 37} = \frac{20}{37}$$

$$\frac{55}{99} = \frac{11 \cdot 5}{11 \cdot 9} = \frac{5}{9}$$

Therefore, C is correct.

11. A common denominator for $\frac{p}{q}$ and $\frac{r}{s}$ must be a multiple of both denominators, q and s. Such a number is $q \cdot s$. Therefore, A is correct.

12. We need to multiply 8 by 3 to get 24 in the denominator, so we must multiply 5 by 3 as well.

$$\frac{5}{8} = \frac{5 \cdot 3}{8 \cdot 3} = \frac{15}{24}$$

Therefore, B is correct.

- **13.** Since 19 has only itself and 1 as factors, it is a prime number.
- **14.** Since 31 has only itself and 1 as factors, it is a prime number.

15.
$$30 = 2.15$$

$$=2\cdot3\cdot5$$

Since 30 has factors other than itself and 1, it is a composite number.

16.
$$50 = 2 \cdot 25$$

$$=2\cdot5\cdot5$$
,

so 50 is a composite number.

17.
$$64 = 2 \cdot 32$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 16$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 8$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 4$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2$$

Since 64 has factors other than itself and 1, it is a composite number.

18.
$$81 = 3 \cdot 27$$

$$=3\cdot3\cdot9$$

$$= 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3$$

Since 81 has factors other than itself and 1, it is a composite number.

- **19.** As stated in the text, the number 1 is neither prime nor composite, by agreement.
- **20.** The number 0 is not a natural number, so it is neither prime nor composite.
- 21. 57 = 3.19, so 57 is a composite number.
- 22. 51 = 3.17, so 51 is a composite number.
- **23.** Since 79 has only itself and 1 as factors, it is a prime number.
- **24.** Since 83 has only itself and 1 as factors, it is a prime number.

25.
$$124 = 2.62$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 31$$
,

so 124 is a composite number.

26.
$$138 = 2.69$$

$$=2\cdot3\cdot23$$

so 138 is a composite number.

27.
$$500 = 2 \cdot 250$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 125$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 5 \cdot 25$$

$$=2\cdot 2\cdot 5\cdot 5\cdot 5$$

so 500 is a composite number.

28.
$$700 = 2.350$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 175$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 5 \cdot 35$$

$$=2\cdot 2\cdot 5\cdot 5\cdot 7$$

so 700 is a composite number.

29.
$$3458 = 2.1729$$

$$= 2 \cdot 7 \cdot 247$$

$$= 2 \cdot 7 \cdot 13 \cdot 19$$

Since 3458 has factors other than itself and 1, it is a composite number.

30.
$$1025 = 5 \cdot 205$$

$$=5\cdot5\cdot41$$

Since 1025 has factors other than itself and 1, it is a composite number.

31.
$$\frac{8}{16} = \frac{1 \cdot 8}{2 \cdot 8} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{8}{8} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 = \frac{1}{2}$$

32.
$$\frac{4}{12} = \frac{1 \cdot 4}{3 \cdot 4} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{4}{4} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot 1 = \frac{1}{3}$$

33.
$$\frac{15}{18} = \frac{3 \cdot 5}{3 \cdot 6} = \frac{3}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{6} = 1 \cdot \frac{5}{6} = \frac{5}{6}$$

34.
$$\frac{16}{20} = \frac{4 \cdot 4}{5 \cdot 4} = \frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{4}{4} = \frac{4}{5} \cdot 1 = \frac{4}{5}$$

35.
$$\frac{90}{150} = \frac{3 \cdot 30}{5 \cdot 30} = \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{30}{30} = \frac{3}{5} \cdot 1 = \frac{3}{5}$$

36.
$$\frac{100}{140} = \frac{5 \cdot 20}{7 \cdot 20} = \frac{5}{7} \cdot \frac{20}{20} = \frac{5}{7} \cdot 1 = \frac{5}{7}$$

37.
$$\frac{18}{90} = \frac{1 \cdot 18}{5 \cdot 18} = \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{18}{18} = \frac{1}{5} \cdot 1 = \frac{1}{5}$$

38.
$$\frac{16}{64} = \frac{1 \cdot 16}{4 \cdot 16} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{16}{16} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot 1 = \frac{1}{4}$$

39.
$$\frac{144}{120} = \frac{6 \cdot 24}{5 \cdot 24} = \frac{6}{5} \cdot \frac{24}{24} = \frac{6}{5} \cdot 1 = \frac{6}{5}$$

40.
$$\frac{132}{77} = \frac{12 \cdot 11}{7 \cdot 11} = \frac{12}{7} \cdot \frac{11}{11} = \frac{12}{7} \cdot 1 = \frac{12}{7}$$

41.
$$7)12$$
 $\frac{7}{5}$

Therefore, $\frac{12}{7} = 1\frac{5}{7}$.

42.
$$9)16$$
 $\frac{9}{7}$

Therefore, $\frac{16}{9} = 1\frac{7}{9}$.

43.
$$12)77$$
 $\frac{6}{72}$ 5

Therefore, $\frac{77}{12} = 6\frac{5}{12}$.

44.
$$15)101$$
 90
 11

Therefore, $\frac{101}{15} = 6\frac{11}{15}$.

45.
$$11)83$$

Therefore, $\frac{83}{11} = 7\frac{6}{11}$.

46.
$$13)67$$
 65 2

Therefore, $\frac{67}{13} = 5\frac{2}{13}$.

47. Multiply the denominator of the fraction by the natural number and then add the numerator to obtain the numerator of the improper fraction. $5 \cdot 2 = 10$ and 10 + 3 = 13

The denominator of the improper fraction is the same as the denominator in the mixed number.

Thus,
$$2\frac{3}{5} = \frac{13}{5}$$
.

48. Multiply the denominator of the fraction by the natural number and then add the numerator to obtain the numerator of the improper fraction. 7.5 = 35 and 35 + 6 = 41

The denominator of the improper fraction is the same as the denominator in the mixed number.

Thus,
$$5\frac{6}{7} = \frac{41}{7}$$
.

49. Multiply the denominator of the fraction by the natural number and then add the numerator to obtain the numerator of the improper fraction. 8.10 = 80 and 80 + 3 = 83

The denominator of the improper fraction is the same as the denominator in the mixed number.

Thus,
$$10\frac{3}{8} = \frac{83}{8}$$
.

50. Multiply the denominator of the fraction by the natural number and then add the numerator to obtain the numerator of the improper fraction. $3 \cdot 12 = 36$ and 36 + 2 = 38

The denominator of the improper fraction is the same as the denominator in the mixed number.

Thus,
$$12\frac{2}{3} = \frac{38}{3}$$
.

51. Multiply the denominator of the fraction by the natural number and then add the numerator to obtain the numerator of the improper fraction. $5 \cdot 10 = 50$ and 50 + 1 = 51

The denominator of the improper fraction is the same as the denominator in the mixed number.

Thus,
$$10\frac{1}{5} = \frac{51}{5}$$
.

52. Multiply the denominator of the fraction by the natural number and then add the numerator to obtain the numerator of the improper fraction. 6.18 = 108 and 108 + 1 = 109

The denominator of the improper fraction is the same as the denominator in the mixed number.

Thus,
$$18\frac{1}{6} = \frac{109}{6}$$
.

- **53.** $\frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{6}{7} = \frac{4 \cdot 6}{5 \cdot 7} = \frac{24}{35}$
- **54.** $\frac{5}{9} \cdot \frac{2}{7} = \frac{5 \cdot 2}{9 \cdot 7} = \frac{10}{63}$
- **55.** $\frac{2}{15} \cdot \frac{3}{8} = \frac{2 \cdot 3}{15 \cdot 8} = \frac{6}{120} = \frac{1 \cdot 6}{20 \cdot 6} = \frac{1}{20}$
- **56.** $\frac{3}{20} \cdot \frac{5}{21} = \frac{3 \cdot 5}{20 \cdot 21} = \frac{15}{420} = \frac{1 \cdot 15}{28 \cdot 15} = \frac{1}{28}$
- 57. $\frac{1}{10} \cdot \frac{12}{5} = \frac{1 \cdot 12}{10 \cdot 5} = \frac{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 6}{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 5} = \frac{6}{25}$
- **58.** $\frac{1}{8} \cdot \frac{10}{7} = \frac{1 \cdot 10}{8 \cdot 7} = \frac{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 7} = \frac{5}{28}$
- 59. $\frac{15}{4} \cdot \frac{8}{25} = \frac{15 \cdot 8}{4 \cdot 25}$ $= \frac{3 \cdot 5 \cdot 4 \cdot 2}{4 \cdot 5 \cdot 5}$ $= \frac{3 \cdot 2}{5}$ $= \frac{6}{5}, \text{ or } 1\frac{1}{5}$
- **60.** $\frac{21}{8} \cdot \frac{4}{7} = \frac{21 \cdot 4}{8 \cdot 7}$ $= \frac{3 \cdot 7 \cdot 4}{4 \cdot 2 \cdot 7}$ $= \frac{3}{2}, \text{ or } 1\frac{1}{2}$

- **61.** $21 \cdot \frac{3}{7} = \frac{21}{1} \cdot \frac{3}{7}$ $= \frac{21 \cdot 3}{1 \cdot 7}$ $= \frac{3 \cdot 7 \cdot 3}{1 \cdot 7}$ $= \frac{3 \cdot 3}{1} = 9$
- **62.** $36 \cdot \frac{4}{9} = \frac{36}{1} \cdot \frac{4}{9}$ $= \frac{36 \cdot 4}{1 \cdot 9}$ $= \frac{4 \cdot 9 \cdot 4}{1 \cdot 9}$ $= \frac{4 \cdot 4}{1} = 16$
- **63.** Change both mixed numbers to improper fractions.

$$3\frac{1}{4} \cdot 1\frac{2}{3} = \frac{13}{4} \cdot \frac{5}{3}$$
$$= \frac{13 \cdot 5}{4 \cdot 3}$$
$$= \frac{65}{12}, \text{ or } 5\frac{5}{12}$$

64. Change both mixed numbers to improper fractions.

$$2\frac{2}{3} \cdot 1\frac{3}{5} = \frac{8}{3} \cdot \frac{8}{5}$$
$$= \frac{8 \cdot 8}{3 \cdot 5}$$
$$= \frac{64}{15}, \text{ or } 4\frac{4}{15}$$

65. Change both mixed numbers to improper fractions.

$$2\frac{3}{8} \cdot 3\frac{1}{5} = \frac{19}{8} \cdot \frac{16}{5}$$

$$= \frac{19 \cdot 16}{8 \cdot 5}$$

$$= \frac{19 \cdot 2 \cdot 8}{8 \cdot 5}$$

$$= \frac{38}{5}, \text{ or } 7\frac{3}{5}$$

66. Change both mixed numbers to improper fractions.

$$3\frac{3}{5} \cdot 7\frac{1}{6} = \frac{18}{5} \cdot \frac{43}{6}$$

$$= \frac{18 \cdot 43}{5 \cdot 6}$$

$$= \frac{3 \cdot 6 \cdot 43}{5 \cdot 6}$$

$$= \frac{3 \cdot 43}{5}$$

$$= \frac{129}{5}, \text{ or } 25\frac{4}{5}$$

67. Change both numbers to improper fractions.

$$5 \cdot 2 \frac{1}{10} = \frac{5}{1} \cdot \frac{21}{10}$$

$$= \frac{5 \cdot 21}{1 \cdot 10}$$

$$= \frac{5 \cdot 21}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 5}$$

$$= \frac{21}{1 \cdot 2}$$

$$= \frac{21}{2}, \text{ or } 10 \frac{1}{2}$$

68. Change both numbers to improper fractions.

$$3 \cdot 4\frac{2}{9} = \frac{3}{1} \cdot \frac{38}{9}$$

$$= \frac{3 \cdot 38}{1 \cdot 9}$$

$$= \frac{3 \cdot 38}{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 3}$$

$$= \frac{38}{1 \cdot 3}$$

$$= \frac{38}{3}, \text{ or } 12\frac{2}{3}$$

69. To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$\frac{7}{9} \div \frac{3}{2} = \frac{7}{9} \cdot \frac{2}{3}$$
$$= \frac{7 \cdot 2}{9 \cdot 3}$$
$$= \frac{14}{27}$$

70. To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$\frac{6}{11} \div \frac{5}{4} = \frac{6}{11} \cdot \frac{4}{5}$$
$$= \frac{6 \cdot 4}{11 \cdot 5}$$
$$= \frac{24}{55}$$

71. To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$\frac{5}{4} \div \frac{3}{8} = \frac{5}{4} \cdot \frac{8}{3}$$

$$= \frac{5 \cdot 8}{4 \cdot 3}$$

$$= \frac{5 \cdot 4 \cdot 2}{4 \cdot 3}$$

$$= \frac{5 \cdot 2}{3}$$

$$= \frac{10}{3}, \text{ or } 3\frac{1}{3}$$

72. To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$\frac{7}{5} \div \frac{3}{10} = \frac{7}{5} \cdot \frac{10}{3}$$
$$= \frac{7 \cdot 10}{5 \cdot 3}$$
$$= \frac{7 \cdot 2 \cdot 5}{5 \cdot 3}$$
$$= \frac{14}{3}, \text{ or } 4\frac{2}{3}$$

73. To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$\frac{32}{5} \div \frac{8}{15} = \frac{32}{5} \cdot \frac{15}{8}$$
$$= \frac{32 \cdot 15}{5 \cdot 8}$$
$$= \frac{8 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 8}$$
$$= \frac{4 \cdot 3}{1} = 12$$

74. To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$\frac{24}{7} \div \frac{6}{21} = \frac{24}{7} \cdot \frac{21}{6}$$
$$= \frac{24 \cdot 21}{7 \cdot 6}$$
$$= \frac{4 \cdot 6 \cdot 3 \cdot 7}{1 \cdot 7 \cdot 6}$$
$$= \frac{4 \cdot 3}{1} = 12$$

75. To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$\frac{3}{4} \div 12 = \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{12}$$

$$= \frac{3 \cdot 1}{4 \cdot 12}$$

$$= \frac{3 \cdot 1}{4 \cdot 3 \cdot 4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4 \cdot 4} = \frac{1}{16}$$

76. To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$\frac{2}{5} \div 30 = \frac{2}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{30}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cdot 1}{5 \cdot 30}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cdot 1}{5 \cdot 2 \cdot 15}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5 \cdot 15} = \frac{1}{75}$$

77. To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$6 \div \frac{3}{5} = \frac{6}{1} \cdot \frac{5}{3}$$
$$= \frac{6 \cdot 5}{1 \cdot 3}$$
$$= \frac{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{1 \cdot 3}$$
$$= \frac{2 \cdot 5}{1} = 10$$

78. To divide fractions, multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$8 \div \frac{4}{9} = \frac{8}{1} \cdot \frac{9}{4}$$
$$= \frac{8 \cdot 9}{1 \cdot 4}$$
$$= \frac{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 9}{1 \cdot 4}$$
$$= \frac{2 \cdot 9}{1} = 18$$

79. Change the first number to an improper fraction, and then multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$6\frac{3}{4} \div \frac{3}{8} = \frac{27}{4} \div \frac{3}{8}$$
$$= \frac{27}{4} \cdot \frac{8}{3}$$
$$= \frac{27 \cdot 8}{4 \cdot 3}$$
$$= \frac{3 \cdot 9 \cdot 2 \cdot 4}{4 \cdot 3}$$
$$= \frac{9 \cdot 2}{1} = 18$$

80. Change the first number to an improper fraction, and then multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor

$$5\frac{3}{5} \div \frac{7}{10} = \frac{28}{5} \div \frac{7}{10}$$
$$= \frac{28}{5} \cdot \frac{10}{7}$$
$$= \frac{28 \cdot 10}{5 \cdot 7}$$
$$= \frac{4 \cdot 7 \cdot 2 \cdot 5}{5 \cdot 7}$$
$$= \frac{4 \cdot 2}{1} = 8$$

81. Change both mixed numbers to improper fractions, and then multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$2\frac{1}{2} \div 1\frac{5}{7} = \frac{5}{2} \div \frac{12}{7}$$

$$= \frac{5}{2} \cdot \frac{7}{12}$$

$$= \frac{5 \cdot 7}{2 \cdot 12}$$

$$= \frac{35}{24}, \text{ or } 1\frac{11}{24}$$

82. Change both mixed numbers to improper fractions, and then multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$2\frac{2}{9} \div 1\frac{2}{5} = \frac{20}{9} \div \frac{7}{5}$$

$$= \frac{20}{9} \cdot \frac{5}{7}$$

$$= \frac{20 \cdot 5}{9 \cdot 7}$$

$$= \frac{100}{63}, \text{ or } 1\frac{37}{63}$$

83. Change both mixed numbers to improper fractions, and then multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor.

$$2\frac{5}{8} \div 1\frac{15}{32} = \frac{21}{8} \div \frac{47}{32}$$

$$= \frac{21}{8} \cdot \frac{32}{47}$$

$$= \frac{21 \cdot 32}{8 \cdot 47}$$

$$= \frac{21 \cdot 8 \cdot 4}{8 \cdot 47}$$

$$= \frac{21 \cdot 4}{47}$$

$$= \frac{84}{47}, \text{ or } 1\frac{37}{47}$$

84. Change both mixed numbers to improper fractions, and then multiply by the reciprocal of the divisor

$$2\frac{3}{10} \div 1\frac{4}{5} = \frac{23}{10} \div \frac{9}{5}$$

$$= \frac{23}{10} \cdot \frac{5}{9}$$

$$= \frac{23 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 9}$$

$$= \frac{23}{18}, \text{ or } 1\frac{5}{8}$$

- **85.** $\frac{7}{15} + \frac{4}{15} = \frac{7+4}{15} = \frac{11}{15}$
- **86.** $\frac{2}{9} + \frac{5}{9} = \frac{2+5}{9} = \frac{7}{9}$

87.
$$\frac{7}{12} + \frac{1}{12} = \frac{7+1}{12}$$
$$= \frac{8}{12}$$
$$= \frac{2 \cdot 4}{3 \cdot 4}$$
$$= \frac{2}{3}$$

88.
$$\frac{3}{16} + \frac{5}{16} = \frac{3+5}{16} = \frac{8}{16} = \frac{1}{2}$$

89. Since $9 = 3 \cdot 3$, and 3 is prime, the LCD (least common denominator) is $3 \cdot 3 = 9$.

$$\frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{3} = \frac{3}{9}$$

Now add the two fractions with the same denominator

$$\frac{5}{9} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{5}{9} + \frac{3}{9} = \frac{8}{9}$$

90. To add $\frac{4}{15}$ and $\frac{1}{5}$, first find the LCD. Since

15 = 3.5 and 5 is prime, the LCD is 15.

$$\frac{4}{15} + \frac{1}{5} = \frac{4}{15} + \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{3}{3}$$
$$= \frac{4}{15} + \frac{3}{15}$$
$$= \frac{4+3}{15}$$
$$= \frac{7}{15}$$

91. Since $8 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2$ and $6 = 2 \cdot 3$, the LCD is $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 = 24$.

$$\frac{3}{8} = \frac{3}{8} \cdot \frac{3}{3} = \frac{9}{24}$$
 and $\frac{5}{6} = \frac{5}{6} \cdot \frac{4}{4} = \frac{20}{24}$

Now add fractions with the same denominator.

$$\frac{3}{8} + \frac{5}{6} = \frac{9}{24} + \frac{20}{24} = \frac{29}{24}$$
, or $1\frac{5}{24}$

92. Since $6 = 2 \cdot 3$ and $9 = 3 \cdot 3$, the LCD is $2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 = 18$.

$$\frac{5}{6} = \frac{5}{6} \cdot \frac{3}{3} = \frac{15}{18}$$
 and $\frac{2}{9} = \frac{2}{9} \cdot \frac{2}{2} = \frac{4}{18}$

Now add fractions with the same denominator

$$\frac{5}{6} + \frac{2}{9} = \frac{15}{18} + \frac{4}{18} = \frac{19}{18}$$
, or $1\frac{1}{18}$

$$\frac{5}{9} = \frac{5}{9} \cdot \frac{16}{16} = \frac{80}{144}$$
 and $\frac{3}{16} = \frac{3}{16} \cdot \frac{9}{9} = \frac{27}{144}$

Now add fractions with the same denominator.

$$\frac{5}{9} + \frac{3}{16} = \frac{80}{144} + \frac{27}{144} = \frac{107}{144}$$

94. Since $4 = 2 \cdot 2$ and $25 = 5 \cdot 5$, the LCD is $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 = 100$.

$$\frac{3}{4} = \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{25}{25} = \frac{75}{100}$$
 and $\frac{6}{25} = \frac{6}{25} \cdot \frac{4}{4} = \frac{24}{100}$

Now add fractions with the same denominator.

$$\frac{3}{4} + \frac{6}{25} = \frac{75}{100} + \frac{24}{100} = \frac{99}{100}$$

95. $3\frac{1}{8} = 3 + \frac{1}{8} = \frac{24}{8} + \frac{1}{8} = \frac{25}{8}$ $2\frac{1}{4} = 2 + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{8}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{9}{4}$

$$3\frac{1}{8} + 2\frac{1}{4} = \frac{25}{8} + \frac{9}{4}$$

Since $8 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2$ and $4 = 2 \cdot 2$, the LCD is $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2$ or 8.

$$3\frac{1}{8} + 2\frac{1}{4} = \frac{25}{8} + \frac{9}{4} \cdot \frac{2}{2}$$
$$= \frac{25}{8} + \frac{18}{8}$$
$$= \frac{43}{8}, \text{ or } 5\frac{3}{8}$$

96. $4\frac{2}{3} = 4 + \frac{2}{3} = \frac{12}{3} + \frac{2}{3} = \frac{14}{3}$

 $2\frac{1}{6} = 2 + \frac{1}{6} = \frac{12}{6} + \frac{1}{6} = \frac{13}{6}$ Since $6 = 2 \cdot 3$, the LCD is 6.

$$4\frac{2}{3} + 2\frac{1}{6} = \frac{14}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{2} + \frac{13}{6}$$
$$= \frac{28}{6} + \frac{13}{6}$$
$$= \frac{41}{6}, \text{ or } 6\frac{5}{6}$$

97. $3\frac{1}{4} = 3 + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{12}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{13}{4}$ $1\frac{4}{5} = 1 + \frac{4}{5} = \frac{5}{5} + \frac{4}{5} = \frac{9}{5}$ Since $4 = 2 \cdot 2$, and 5 is prime, the LCD is $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 5 = 20$.

$$3\frac{1}{4} + 1\frac{4}{5} = \frac{13}{4} \cdot \frac{5}{5} + \frac{9}{5} \cdot \frac{4}{4}$$
$$= \frac{65}{20} + \frac{36}{20}$$
$$= \frac{101}{20}, \text{ or } 5\frac{1}{20}$$

98. To add $5\frac{3}{4}$ and $1\frac{1}{3}$, first change to improper

fractions then find the LCD, which is 12.

$$5\frac{3}{4} + 1\frac{1}{3} = \frac{23}{4} + \frac{4}{3}$$

$$= \frac{23}{4} \cdot \frac{3}{3} + \frac{4}{3} \cdot \frac{4}{4}$$

$$= \frac{69}{12} + \frac{16}{12}$$

$$= \frac{85}{12}, \text{ or } 7\frac{1}{12}$$

99.
$$\frac{7}{9} - \frac{2}{9} = \frac{7-2}{9} = \frac{5}{9}$$

100.
$$\frac{8}{11} - \frac{3}{11} = \frac{8-3}{11} = \frac{5}{11}$$

101.
$$\frac{13}{15} - \frac{3}{15} = \frac{13 - 3}{15}$$

= $\frac{10}{15}$
= $\frac{2 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 5} = \frac{2}{3}$

102.
$$\frac{11}{12} - \frac{3}{12} = \frac{11 - 3}{12}$$
$$= \frac{8}{12}$$
$$= \frac{2 \cdot 4}{3 \cdot 4} = \frac{2}{3}$$

103. Since $12 = 4 \cdot 3$ (12 is a multiple of 3), the LCD is 12.

$$\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{4}{4} = \frac{4}{12}$$

Now subtract fractions with the same denominator.

$$\frac{7}{12} - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{7}{12} - \frac{4}{12} = \frac{3}{12} = \frac{1 \cdot 3}{4 \cdot 3} = \frac{1}{4}$$

104. Since $6 = 3 \cdot 2$ (6 is a multiple of 2), the LCD is 6.

$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{3} = \frac{3}{6}$$

Now subtract fractions with the same denominator.

$$\frac{5}{6} - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{5}{6} - \frac{3}{6} = \frac{2}{6} = \frac{1 \cdot 2}{3 \cdot 2} = \frac{1}{3}$$

105. Since $12 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3$ and $9 = 3 \cdot 3$, the LCD is $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 = 36$.

$$\frac{7}{12} = \frac{7}{12} \cdot \frac{3}{3} = \frac{21}{36}$$
 and $\frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{4}{4} = \frac{4}{36}$

Now subtract fractions with the same denominator.

$$\frac{7}{12} - \frac{1}{9} = \frac{21}{36} - \frac{4}{36} = \frac{17}{36}$$

106. $\frac{11}{16} - \frac{1}{12} = \frac{11}{16} \cdot \frac{3}{3} - \frac{1}{12} \cdot \frac{4}{4}$ The LCD of 12 and 16 is 48.

$$= \frac{33}{48} - \frac{4}{48}$$
$$= \frac{29}{48}$$

107. $4\frac{3}{4} = 4 + \frac{3}{4} = \frac{16}{4} + \frac{3}{4} = \frac{19}{4}$

$$1\frac{2}{5} = 1 + \frac{2}{5} = \frac{5}{5} + \frac{2}{5} = \frac{7}{5}$$

Since $4 = 2 \cdot 2$, and 5 is prime, the LCD is

$$4\frac{3}{4} - 1\frac{2}{5} = \frac{19}{4} \cdot \frac{5}{5} - \frac{7}{5} \cdot \frac{4}{4}$$
$$= \frac{95}{20} - \frac{28}{20}$$
$$= \frac{67}{20}, \text{ or } 3\frac{7}{20}$$

108. Change both numbers to improper fractions then add, using 45 as the common denominator.

$$3\frac{4}{5} - 1\frac{4}{9} = \frac{19}{5} - \frac{13}{9}$$

$$= \frac{19}{5} \cdot \frac{9}{9} - \frac{13}{9} \cdot \frac{5}{5}$$

$$= \frac{171}{45} - \frac{65}{45}$$

$$= \frac{106}{45}, \text{ or } 2\frac{16}{45}$$

109. $6\frac{1}{4} = 6 + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{24}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{25}{4}$

$$5\frac{1}{3} = 5 + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{15}{3} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{16}{3}$$

Since $4 = 2 \cdot 2$, and 3 is prime, the LCD is $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 = 12$

$$6\frac{1}{4} - 5\frac{1}{3} = \frac{25}{4} - \frac{16}{3}$$

$$= \frac{25}{4} \cdot \frac{3}{3} - \frac{16}{3} \cdot \frac{4}{4}$$

$$= \frac{75}{12} - \frac{64}{12}$$

$$= \frac{11}{12}$$

110. $5\frac{1}{3} = 5 + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{15}{3} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{16}{3}$

$$4\frac{1}{2} = 4 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{8}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{9}{2}$$

2 and 3 are prime, so the LCD is $2 \cdot 3 = 6$.

$$5\frac{1}{3} - 4\frac{1}{2} = \frac{16}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{2} - \frac{9}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{3}$$
$$= \frac{32}{6} - \frac{27}{6}$$
$$= \frac{5}{6}$$

111. $8\frac{2}{9} = 8 + \frac{2}{9} = \frac{72}{9} + \frac{2}{9} = \frac{74}{9}$

$$4\frac{2}{3} = 4 + \frac{2}{3} = \frac{12}{3} + \frac{2}{3} = \frac{14}{3}$$

Since $9 = 3 \cdot 3$, and 3 is prime, the LCD is $3 \cdot 3 = 9$.

$$8\frac{2}{9} - 4\frac{2}{3} = \frac{74}{9} - \frac{14}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{3}$$
$$= \frac{74}{9} - \frac{42}{9}$$
$$= \frac{32}{9}, \text{ or } 3\frac{5}{9}$$

112. $7\frac{5}{12} = 7 + \frac{5}{12} = \frac{84}{12} + \frac{5}{12} = \frac{89}{12}$ $4\frac{5}{6} = 4 + \frac{5}{6} = \frac{24}{6} + \frac{5}{6} = \frac{29}{6}$ Since $12 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3$ and $6 = 2 \cdot 3$, the LCD is $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 = 12$.

$$7\frac{5}{12} - 4\frac{5}{6} = \frac{89}{12} - \frac{29}{6} \cdot \frac{2}{2}$$
$$= \frac{89}{12} - \frac{58}{12}$$
$$= \frac{31}{12}, \text{ or } 2\frac{7}{12}$$

- 113. Observe that there are 24 dots in the entire figure, 6 dots in the triangle, 12 dots in the rectangle, and 2 dots in the overlapping region.
 - (a) $\frac{12}{24} = \frac{1}{2}$ of all the dots are in the rectangle.
 - **(b)** $\frac{6}{24} = \frac{1}{4}$ of all the dots are in the triangle.
 - (c) $\frac{2}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$ of the dots in the triangle are in the overlapping region.
 - (d) $\frac{2}{12} = \frac{1}{6}$ of the dots in the rectangle are in the overlapping region.
- 114. (a) 12 is $\frac{1}{3}$ of 36, so Maureen got a hit in exactly $\frac{1}{3}$ of her at-bats.
 - **(b)** 5 is a little less than $\frac{1}{2}$ of 11, so Chase got a hit in just less than $\frac{1}{2}$ of his at-bats.
 - (c) 1 is a little less than $\frac{1}{10}$ of 11, so Chase got a home run in just less than $\frac{1}{10}$ of his atbats.
 - (d) 9 is a little less than $\frac{1}{4}$ of 40, so Christine got a hit in just less than $\frac{1}{4}$ of her at-bats.

- (e) 8 is $\frac{1}{2}$ of 16, and 10 is $\frac{1}{2}$ of 20, so Joe and Greg each got hits $\frac{1}{2}$ of the time they were at bat.
- **115.** Multiply the number of cups of water per serving by the number of servings.

$$\frac{3}{4} \cdot 8 = \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{8}{1}$$

$$= \frac{3 \cdot 8}{4 \cdot 1}$$

$$= \frac{24}{4}$$

$$= 6 \text{ cups}$$

For 8 microwave servings, 6 cups of water will be needed.

- 116. Four stove-top servings require $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp, or $\frac{2}{8}$ tsp, of salt. Six stove-top servings require $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp, or $\frac{4}{8}$ tsp, of salt. Five is halfway between 4 and 6, and $\frac{3}{8}$ is halfway between $\frac{2}{8}$ and $\frac{4}{8}$. Therefore, 5 stove-top servings would require $\frac{3}{8}$ tsp of salt.
- **117.** The difference in length is found by subtracting.

$$3\frac{1}{4} - 2\frac{1}{8} = \frac{13}{4} - \frac{17}{8}$$

$$= \frac{13}{4} \cdot \frac{2}{2} - \frac{17}{8} \quad LCD = 8$$

$$= \frac{26}{8} - \frac{17}{8}$$

$$= \frac{9}{8}, \text{ or } 1\frac{1}{8}$$

The difference is $1\frac{1}{8}$ inches.

118. The difference in length is found by subtracting.

$$4-2\frac{1}{8} = \frac{4}{1} - \frac{17}{8}$$

$$= \frac{4}{1} \cdot \frac{8}{8} - \frac{17}{8} \quad LCD = 8$$

$$= \frac{32}{8} - \frac{17}{8}$$

$$= \frac{15}{8}, \text{ or } 1\frac{7}{8}$$

The difference is $1\frac{7}{8}$ inches.

119. The difference between the two measures is found by subtracting, using 16 as the LCD.

$$\frac{3}{4} - \frac{3}{16} = \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{4}{4} - \frac{3}{16}$$
$$= \frac{12}{16} - \frac{3}{16}$$
$$= \frac{12 - 3}{16}$$
$$= \frac{9}{16}$$

The difference is $\frac{9}{16}$ inch.

120. The difference between the two measures is found by subtracting, using 16 as a common denominator.

$$\frac{9}{16} - \frac{3}{8} = \frac{9}{16} - \frac{3}{8} \cdot \frac{2}{2}$$
$$= \frac{9}{16} - \frac{6}{16}$$
$$= \frac{9 - 6}{16}$$
$$= \frac{3}{16}$$

The difference is $\frac{3}{16}$ inch.

121. The perimeter is the sum of the measures of the 5 sides.

$$196 + 98\frac{3}{4} + 146\frac{1}{2} + 100\frac{7}{8} + 76\frac{5}{8}$$

$$= 196 + 98\frac{6}{8} + 146\frac{4}{8} + 100\frac{7}{8} + 76\frac{5}{8}$$

$$= 196 + 98 + 146 + 100 + 76 + \frac{6 + 4 + 7 + 5}{8}$$

$$= 616 + \frac{22}{8} \quad \left(\frac{22}{8} = 2\frac{6}{8} = 2\frac{3}{4}\right)$$

$$= 618\frac{3}{4} \text{ feet}$$

The perimeter is $618\frac{3}{4}$ feet.

122. To find the perimeter of a triangle, add the lengths of the three sides.

$$5\frac{1}{4} + 7\frac{1}{2} + 10\frac{1}{8} = 5\frac{2}{8} + 7\frac{4}{8} + 10\frac{1}{8}$$
$$= 22\frac{7}{8}$$

The perimeter of the triangle is $22\frac{7}{8}$ feet.

123. Divide the total board length by 3.

$$15\frac{5}{8} \div 3 = \frac{125}{8} \div \frac{3}{1}$$

$$= \frac{125}{8} \cdot \frac{1}{3}$$

$$= \frac{125 \cdot 1}{8 \cdot 3}$$

$$= \frac{125}{24}, \text{ or } 5\frac{5}{24}$$

The length of each of the three pieces must be $5\frac{5}{24}$ inches.

124. Divide the total amount of tomato sauce by the number of servings.

$$2\frac{1}{3} \div 7 = \frac{7}{3} \div \frac{7}{1} = \frac{7}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{7} = \frac{7 \cdot 1}{3 \cdot 7} = \frac{1}{3}$$

For 1 serving of barbecue sauce, $\frac{1}{3}$ cup of tomato sauce is needed.

make, divide
$$15\frac{1}{2}$$
 by $1\frac{3}{4}$.
 $15\frac{1}{2} \div 1\frac{3}{4} = \frac{31}{2} \div \frac{7}{4}$
 $= \frac{31}{2} \cdot \frac{4}{7}$
 $= \frac{31 \cdot 2 \cdot 2}{2 \cdot 7}$
 $= \frac{62}{7}$, or $8\frac{6}{7}$

There is not quite enough sugar for 9 cakes. The caterer can make 8 cakes with some sugar left over.

126. Divide the total amount of fabric by the amount of fabric needed to cover one chair.

$$23\frac{2}{3} \div 2\frac{1}{4} = \frac{71}{3} \div \frac{9}{4}$$

$$= \frac{71}{3} \cdot \frac{4}{9}$$

$$= \frac{71 \cdot 4}{3 \cdot 9}$$

$$= \frac{284}{27}, \text{ or } 10\frac{14}{27}$$

Kyla can cover 10 chairs. There will be some fabric left over.

127. Multiply the amount of fabric it takes to make one costume by the number of costumes.

$$2\frac{3}{8} \cdot 7 = \frac{19}{8} \cdot \frac{7}{1}$$

$$= \frac{19 \cdot 7}{8 \cdot 1}$$

$$= \frac{133}{8}, \text{ or } 16\frac{5}{8} \text{ yd}$$

For 7 costumes, $16\frac{5}{8}$ yards of fabric would be needed.

128. Multiply the amount of sugar for one batch times the number of batches.

$$2\frac{2}{3} \cdot 4 = \frac{8}{3} \cdot \frac{4}{1}$$

$$= \frac{8 \cdot 4}{3 \cdot 1}$$

$$= \frac{32}{3}, \text{ or } 10\frac{2}{3}$$

 $10\frac{2}{3}$ cups of sugar are required to make four batches of cookies.

129. Subtract the heights to find the difference.

$$10\frac{1}{2} - 7\frac{1}{8} = \frac{21}{2} - \frac{57}{8}$$

$$= \frac{21}{2} \cdot \frac{4}{4} - \frac{57}{8} \qquad LCD = 8$$

$$= \frac{84}{8} - \frac{57}{8}$$

$$= \frac{27}{8}, \text{ or } 3\frac{3}{8}$$

The difference in heights is $3\frac{3}{8}$ inches.

130. Subtract $\frac{3}{8}$ from $\frac{11}{16}$ using 16 as the LCD.

$$\frac{11}{16} - \frac{3}{8} = \frac{11}{16} - \frac{3}{8} \cdot \frac{2}{2}$$
$$= \frac{11}{16} - \frac{6}{16}$$
$$= \frac{5}{16}$$

Thus, $\frac{3}{8}$ inch is $\frac{5}{16}$ inch smaller than $\frac{11}{16}$ inch.

131. A share of $\frac{11}{100}$ can be rounded to $\frac{10}{100} = \frac{1}{10}$.

Multiply by the total number of foreign-born people in the U.S., approximately 40 million.

$$\frac{1}{10} \cdot 40 = \frac{1}{10} \cdot \frac{40}{1} = \frac{4 \cdot 10}{1 \cdot 10} = \frac{4}{1} = 4,$$

There were approximately 4 million (or 4,000,000) foreign-born people in the U.S. who were born in Europe.

For the actual number:

$$\frac{11}{100} \cdot 40 = \frac{11}{100} \cdot \frac{40}{1} = \frac{11 \cdot 2 \cdot 20}{5 \cdot 20 \cdot 1} = \frac{22}{5}, \text{ or } 4\frac{2}{5}$$

The actual number who were born in Europe

was
$$4\frac{2}{5}$$
 million (or 4,400,000) people.

132. Multiply the fraction representing the U.S. foreign-born population from Latin America,

 $\frac{13}{25}$, by the total number of foreign-born people

in the U.S., approximately 40 million.

$$\frac{13}{25} \cdot 40 = \frac{13}{25} \cdot \frac{40}{1} = \frac{13 \cdot 5 \cdot 8}{5 \cdot 5 \cdot 1} = \frac{104}{5}, \text{ or } 20\frac{4}{5}$$

There were approximately $20\frac{4}{5}$ million (or

20,800,000) foreign-born people in the U.S. who were born in Latin America.

133. The sum of the fractions representing the U.S. foreign-born population from Latin America, Asia, or Europe is

$$\frac{13}{25} + \frac{29}{100} + \frac{11}{100} = \frac{13}{25} \cdot \frac{4}{4} + \frac{29}{100} + \frac{11}{100}$$
$$= \frac{52 + 29 + 11}{100}$$
$$= \frac{92}{100}$$
$$= \frac{23 \cdot 4}{25 \cdot 4}$$
$$= \frac{23}{25}.$$

So the fraction representing the U.S. foreignborn population from other regions is

$$1 - \frac{23}{25} = \frac{25}{25} - \frac{23}{25}$$
$$= \frac{2}{25}.$$

134. The sum of the fractions representing the U.S. foreign-born population from Latin America or Asia is

$$\frac{13}{25} + \frac{29}{100} = \frac{13}{25} \cdot \frac{4}{4} + \frac{29}{100}$$
$$= \frac{52 + 29}{100}$$
$$= \frac{81}{100}.$$

135. Estimate each fraction. $\frac{14}{26}$ is about $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{98}{99}$ is

about 1, $\frac{100}{51}$ is about 2, $\frac{90}{31}$ is about 3, and

$$\frac{13}{27}$$
 is about $\frac{1}{2}$.

Therefore, the sum is approximately

$$\frac{1}{2} + 1 + 2 + 3 + \frac{1}{2} = 7.$$

The correct choice is C.

136. Estimate each fraction. $\frac{202}{50}$ is about 4, $\frac{99}{100}$ is

about 1, $\frac{21}{40}$ is about $\frac{1}{2}$, and $\frac{75}{36}$ is about 2.

Therefore, the product is approximately

$$4 \cdot 1 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2 = 4$$

The correct choice is B.

R.2 Decimals and Percents

Classroom Examples, Now Try Exercises

1. (a)
$$0.15 = \frac{15}{100}$$

(b)
$$0.009 = \frac{9}{1000}$$

(c)
$$2.5 = 2\frac{5}{10} = \frac{25}{10}$$

N1. (a)
$$0.8 = \frac{8}{10}$$

(b)
$$0.431 = \frac{431}{1000}$$

(c)
$$2.58 = 2\frac{58}{100} = \frac{258}{100}$$

- 2. (a) 42.830 71.000 + 3.074 116.904
 - **(b)** 32.50 -21.72 10.78
- N2. (a) 68.900 42.720 + 8.973 120.593
 - **(b)** 351.800 - 2.706 349.094
 - 3. (a) 30.2 1 decimal place $\frac{\times 0.052}{604} = \frac{3 \text{ decimal places}}{604}$ $\frac{1510}{1.5704} = \frac{1+3=4}{4 \text{ decimal places}}$
 - (b) 0.06 2 decimal places $\times 0.12$ 2 decimal places 12 \downarrow 6 2+2=40.0072 4 decimal places

- N3. (a) 9.32 2 decimal places \times 1.4 1 decimal place 3728 932 2 + 1 = 313.048 3 decimal places
 - 0.6 1 decimal place $\times 0.004$ 3 decimal places 1 + 3 = 424 0.0024 4 decimal places
 - **4.** (a) To change the divisor 0.37 into a whole number, move each decimal point two places to the right. Move the decimal point straight up and divide as with whole numbers.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 14.8 \\
 37)547.6 \\
 \underline{37} \\
 177 \\
 \underline{148} \\
 296 \\
 \underline{296} \\
 0
\end{array}$$

Therefore, $5.476 \div 0.37 = 14.8$.

(b) To change the divisor 3.1 into a whole number, move each decimal point one place to the right. Move the decimal point straight up and divide as with whole numbers.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1.21 \\
 31 \overline{\smash{\big)}\ 37.60} \\
 \underline{31} \\
 66 \\
 \underline{62} \\
 40 \\
 \underline{31} \\
 9
\end{array}$$

We carried out the division to 2 decimal places so that we could round to 1 decimal place. Therefore, $3.76 \div 3.1 \approx 1.2$.

N4. (a) To change the divisor 14.9 into a whole number, move each decimal point one place to the right. Move the decimal point straight up and divide as with whole numbers.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 30.3 \\
 149)4514.7 \\
 \underline{447} \\
 447 \\
 \underline{447} \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

Therefore, $451.47 \div 14.9 = 30.3$.

(b) To change the divisor 1.3 into a whole number, move each decimal point one place to the right. Move the decimal point straight up and divide as with whole numbers.

We carried out the division to 3 decimal places so that we could round to 2 decimal places. Therefore, $7.334 \div 1.3 \approx 5.64$.

5. (a) Move the decimal point three places to the $19.5 \times 1000 = 19,500$

- N5. (a) Move the decimal point one place to the right. $294.72 \times 10 = 2947.2$
 - **(b)** Move the decimal point two places to the left. Insert a 0 in front of the 4 to do this. $4.793 \div 100 = 0.04793$

6. (a) Divide 3 by 50. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 0.06 \\
 50 \overline{\smash{\big)}\ 3.00} \\
 \underline{3.00} \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

Therefore, $\frac{3}{50} = 0.06$.

(b) Divide 11 by 1. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

Note that the pattern repeats. Therefore,

$$\frac{1}{11} = 0.\overline{09}$$
, or about 0.091.

N6. (a) Divide 20 by 17. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 0.85 \\
 20)17.00 \\
 \underline{160} \\
 100
 \end{array}$$

100 0

Therefore, $\frac{17}{20} = 0.85$.

(b) Divide 2 by 9. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

20

18 20

<u>18</u>

Note that the pattern repeats. Therefore,

$$\frac{2}{9} = 0.\overline{2}$$
, or 0.222.

7. (a)
$$5\frac{1}{4}\% = 5.25\%$$

= $\frac{5.25}{100}$

$$100 = 0.0525$$

(b)
$$200\% = \frac{200}{100} = 2.00$$
, or 2

N7. (a)
$$23\% = \frac{23}{100} = 0.23$$

(b)
$$350\% = \frac{350}{100} = 3.50$$
, or 3.5

8. (a)
$$0.06 = 0.06 \cdot 100\% = 6\%$$

(b)
$$1.75 = 1.75 \cdot 100\% = 175\%$$

N8. (a)
$$0.31 = 0.31 \cdot 100\% = 31\%$$

(b)
$$1.32 = 1.32 \cdot 100\% = 132\%$$

9. (a)
$$85\% = 0.85$$

(b)
$$110\% = 1.10$$
, or 1.1

(c)
$$0.30 = 30\%$$

(d)
$$0.165 = 16.5\%$$

N9. (a)
$$52\% = 0.52$$

(b)
$$2\% = 02\% = 0.02$$

(c)
$$0.45 = 45\%$$

(d)
$$3.5 = 3.50 = 350\%$$

10. (a)
$$65\% = \frac{65}{100}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{65}{100} = \frac{13 \cdot 5}{20 \cdot 5} = \frac{13}{20}$$

(b)
$$1.5\% = \frac{1.5}{100} = \frac{1.5}{100} \cdot \frac{10}{10} = \frac{15}{1000} = \frac{3}{200}$$

N10. (a)
$$20\% = \frac{20}{100}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{20}{100} = \frac{1 \cdot 20}{5 \cdot 20} = \frac{1}{5}$$

(b)
$$160\% = \frac{160}{100}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{160}{100} = \frac{8 \cdot 20}{5 \cdot 20} = \frac{8}{5}$$
, or $1\frac{3}{5}$

11. (a)
$$\frac{3}{50} = \frac{3}{50} \cdot 100\%$$

= $\frac{3}{50} \cdot \frac{100}{1} \%$
= $\frac{3 \cdot 50 \cdot 2}{50} \%$
= 6%

(b)
$$\frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot 100\%$$

= $\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{100}{1} \%$
= $\frac{100}{3} \%$
= $33\frac{1}{3}\%$, or $33.\overline{3}\%$

N11. (a)
$$\frac{6}{25} = \frac{6}{25} \cdot 100\%$$

= $\frac{6}{25} \cdot \frac{100}{1} \%$
= $\frac{6 \cdot 25 \cdot 4}{25} \%$
= 24%

(b)
$$\frac{7}{9} = \frac{7}{9} \cdot 100\%$$

= $\frac{7}{9} \cdot \frac{100}{1}\%$
= $\frac{700}{9}\%$
= $77\frac{7}{9}\%$, or $77.\overline{7}\%$

12. The discount is 30% of \$69. The word *of* here means multiply.

30% of 69
$$\downarrow$$
 \downarrow \downarrow 0.30 \cdot 69 = 20.7

The discount is \$20.70. The sale price is found by subtracting.

\$69.00 - \$20.70 = \$48.30

N12. The discount is 60% of \$120. The word of here means multiply.

60% of 120

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

0.60 $\cdot \quad 120 = 72$

The discount is \$72. The sale price is found by subtracting.

120.00 - 72 = 48

Exercises

- **1.** 367.9412
 - (a) Tens: 6
 - **(b)** Tenths: 9
 - (c) Thousandths: 1
 - (d) Ones: 7
 - (e) Hundredths: 4
- 2. Answers will vary. One example is 5243.0164.
- **3.** 46.249
 - (a) 46.25
 - **(b)** 46.2
 - (c) 46
 - (d) 50
- **4. (a)** 0.889
 - **(b)** 0.444
 - (c) 0.976
 - (d) 0.865

5.
$$0.4 = \frac{4}{10}$$

6.
$$0.6 = \frac{6}{10}$$

7.
$$0.64 = \frac{64}{100}$$

8.
$$0.82 = \frac{82}{100}$$

$$9. \quad 0.138 = \frac{138}{1000}$$

10.
$$0.104 = \frac{104}{1000}$$

11.
$$0.043 = \frac{43}{1000}$$

12.
$$0.087 = \frac{87}{1000}$$

13.
$$3.805 = 3\frac{805}{1000} = \frac{3805}{1000}$$

14.
$$5.166 = 5\frac{166}{1000} = \frac{5166}{1000}$$

15.	25.320	
	109.200	
	+ 8.574	
	143.094	

17.
$$28.73$$

$$\frac{-3.12}{25.61}$$

19.
$$43.50$$

$$-28.17$$

$$15.33$$

27. 12.8 1 decimal place
$$\times 9.1$$
 1 decimal place \downarrow 128 \downarrow 1 decimal place \downarrow 1152 \downarrow 1+1=2 116.48 2 decimal places

28.
$$34.04$$
 2 decimal places
 $\times 0.56$ 2 decimal places
 20424 \downarrow
 17020 2+2=4
 19.0624 4 decimal places

31. 0.2 1 decimal place
$$\times 0.03$$
 2 decimal places $\frac{6}{0.006}$ 3 decimal places

32. 0.07 2 decimal places
$$\times 0.004$$
 3 decimal places $2+3=5$ 0.00028 5 decimal places

33.
$$11)78.65$$
 $\frac{77}{16}$
 $\frac{11}{55}$

$$\begin{array}{r}
5.24 \\
34. \quad 14{)73.36} \\
\underline{70} \\
33 \\
\underline{28} \\
56 \\
\underline{56} \\
0
\end{array}$$

35. To change the divisor 11.6 into a whole number, move each decimal point one place to the right. Move the decimal point straight up and divide as with whole numbers.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \frac{2.8}{324.8} \\
 \frac{232}{928} \\
 \frac{928}{0}
\end{array}$$

Therefore, $32.48 \div 11.6 = 2.8$.

36. To change the divisor 17.4 into a whole number, move each decimal point one place to the right. Move the decimal point straight up and divide as with whole numbers.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 4.9 \\
 \hline
 174)852.6 \\
 \underline{696} \\
 1566 \\
 \underline{1566} \\
 \end{array}$$

Therefore, $85.26 \div 17.4 = 4.9$.

37. To change the divisor 9.74 into a whole number, move each decimal point two places to the right. Move the decimal point straight up and divide as with whole numbers.

$$\begin{array}{r}
2.05 \\
974)1996.70 \\
\underline{1948} \\
4870 \\
\underline{4870} \\
0
\end{array}$$

Therefore, $19.967 \div 9.74 = 2.05$.

38. To change the divisor 5.27 into a whole number, move each decimal point two places to the right. Move the decimal point straight up and divide as with whole numbers.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 8.44 \\
 527 \overline{\smash{\big)}\ 4447.88} \\
 \underline{4216} \\
 2318 \\
 \underline{2108} \\
 2108 \\
 \underline{2108} \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

Therefore, $44.4788 \div 5.27 = 8.44$.

- **39.** Move the decimal point one place to the right. $123.26 \times 10 = 1232.6$
- **40.** Move the decimal point one place to the right. $785.91 \times 10 = 7859.1$
- **41.** Move the decimal point two places to the right. $57.116 \times 100 = 5711.6$
- **42.** Move the decimal point two places to the right. $82.053 \times 100 = 8205.3$
- 43. Move the decimal point three places to the right. $0.094 \times 1000 = 94$
- **44.** Move the decimal point three places to the right. $0.025 \times 1000 = 25$
- **45.** Move the decimal point one place to the left. $1.62 \div 10 = 0.162$
- **46.** Move the decimal point one place to the left. $8.04 \div 10 = 0.804$
- **47.** Move the decimal point two places to the left. $124.03 \div 100 = 1.2403$
- **48.** Move the decimal point two places to the left. $490.35 \div 100 = 4.9035$
- **49.** Move the decimal point three places to the left. $23.29 \div 1000 = 023.29 \div 1000 = 0.02329$
- **50.** Move the decimal point three places to the left. $59.8 \div 1000 = 059.8 \div 1000 = 0.0598$
- **51.** Convert from a decimal to a percent. $0.01 = 0.01 \cdot 100\% = 1\%$

Fraction in Lowest Terms (or Whole Number)	Decimal	Percent
$\frac{1}{100}$	0.01	1%

52. Convert from a percent to a decimal.

$$2\% = \frac{2}{100} = 0.02$$

Fraction in Lowest Terms (or Whole Number)	Decimal	Percent
<u>1</u> 50	0.02	2%

53. Convert from a percent to a fraction.

$$5\% = \frac{5}{100}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{5}{100} = \frac{1 \cdot 5}{20 \cdot 5} = \frac{1}{20}$$

Fraction in Lowest Terms (or Whole Number)	Decimal	Percent
$\frac{1}{20}$	0.05	5%

54. Convert to a decimal first. Divide 1 by 10. Move the decimal point one place to the left. $1 \div 10 = 0.1$

Convert the decimal to a percent.

$$0.1 = 0.1 \cdot 100\% = 10\%$$

Fraction in Lowest Terms (or Whole Number)	Decimal	Percent
$\frac{1}{10}$	0.1	10%

55. Convert the decimal to a percent. $0.125 = 0.125 \cdot 100\% = 12.5\%$

Fraction in Lowest Terms (or Whole Number)	Decimal	Percent
$\frac{1}{8}$	0.125	12.5%

56. Convert the percent to a decimal first.

$$20\% = 0.20$$
, or 0.2

Convert from a percent to a fraction.

$$20\% = \frac{20}{100}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{20}{100} = \frac{1 \cdot 20}{5 \cdot 20} = \frac{1}{5}$$

Fraction in Lowest Terms (or Whole Number)	Decimal	Percent
$\frac{1}{5}$	0.2	20%

57. Convert to a decimal first. Divide 1 by 4. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

$$\begin{array}{c}
0.25 \\
4 \overline{\smash{\big)}\ 1.00} \\
\underline{\ 8} \\
20 \\
\underline{\ 20} \\
0
\end{array}$$

Convert the decimal to a percent.

$$0.25 = 0.25 \cdot 100\% = 25\%$$

Fraction in Lowest Terms (or Whole Number)	Decimal	Percent
$\frac{1}{4}$	0.25	25%

58. Convert to a decimal first. Divide 1 by 3. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

$$\begin{array}{c}
0.33...\\
3)1.00...\\
\underline{-9}\\
10\\
\underline{-9}\\
\end{array}$$

Note that the pattern repeats. Therefore,

$$\frac{1}{3} = 0.\overline{3}.$$

Convert the decimal to a percent.

$$0.33\overline{3} = 0.33\overline{3} \cdot 100\% = 33.\overline{3}\%$$
, or $33\frac{1}{3}\%$

Fraction in Lowest Terms (or Whole Number)	Decimal	Percent
$\frac{1}{3}$	0.3	$33.\overline{3}\%$ or $33\frac{1}{3}\%$

59. Convert the percent to a decimal first. 50% = 0.50, or 0.5

Convert from a percentl to a fraction.

$$50\% = \frac{50}{100}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{50}{100} = \frac{1 \cdot 50}{2 \cdot 50} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Fraction in Lowest Terms (or Whole Number)	Decimal	Percent
$\frac{1}{2}$	0.5	50%

60. Divide 2 by 3. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

$$\begin{array}{r}
0.66...\\
3)2.00...\\
\underline{18}\\
20\\
\underline{18}\\
2
\end{array}$$

Note that the pattern repeats. Therefore,

$$\frac{2}{3} = 0.\overline{6}$$
.

Fraction in Lowest Terms (or Whole Number)	Decimal	Percent
$\frac{2}{3}$	0.6	$66.\overline{6}\%$ or $66\frac{2}{3}\%$

61. Convert the decimal to a percent first. $0.75 = 0.75 \cdot 100\% = 75\%$

Convert from a percent to a fraction.

$$75\% = \frac{75}{100}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{75}{100} = \frac{3 \cdot 25}{4 \cdot 25} = \frac{3}{4}$$

Fraction in Lowest Terms (or Whole Number)	Decimal	Percent
$\frac{3}{4}$	0.75	75%

62. Convert the decimal to a percent. $1.0 = 1.0 \cdot 100\% = 100\%$

Fraction in Lowest Terms (or Whole Number)	Decimal	Percent
1	1.0	100%

63. Divide 21 by 5. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

$$\begin{array}{r}
4.2 \\
5)21.0 \\
\underline{20} \\
10 \\
\underline{10} \\
0
\end{array}$$

64. Divide 9 by 5. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

$$5)9.0$$
 $5/9.0$
 40
 40
 0

65. Divide 9 by 4. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

$$\begin{array}{r}
2.25 \\
4)9.00 \\
\underline{8} \\
10 \\
\underline{8} \\
20 \\
\underline{20}
\end{array}$$

0

66. Divide 15 by 4. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

3.75	
4)15.00	
<u>12</u>	
30	
<u>28</u>	
20	
<u>20</u>	
0	

67. Divide 3 by 8. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \underbrace{0.375}_{8)3.000} \\
 \underbrace{24}_{60} \\
 \underbrace{56}_{40} \\
 \underbrace{40}_{0}
\end{array}$$

68. Divide 7 by 8. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 0.875 \\
 \hline
 8)7.000 \\
 \underline{64} \\
 \hline
 60 \\
 \underline{56} \\
 40 \\
 \underline{40} \\
 \hline
 0
\end{array}$$

69. Divide 5 by 9. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

Note that the pattern repeats. Therefore,

$$\frac{5}{9} = 0.\overline{5}$$
, or about 0.556.

70. Divide 8 by 9. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

Note that the pattern repeats. Therefore,

$$\frac{8}{9} = 0.\overline{8}$$
, or about 0.889.

71. Divide 1 by 6. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

Note that the pattern repeats. Therefore,

$$\frac{1}{6} = 0.1\overline{6}$$
, or about 0.167.

72. Divide 5 by 6. Add a decimal point and as many 0s as necessary.

Note that the pattern repeats. Therefore,

$$\frac{5}{6} = 0.8\overline{3}$$
, or about 0.833.

73.
$$54\% = 0.54$$

75.
$$7\% = 07\% = 0.07$$

76.
$$4\% = 04\% = 0.04$$

77.
$$117\% = 1.17$$

79.
$$2.4\% = 02.4\% = 0.024$$

80.
$$3.1\% = 03.1\% = 0.031$$

81.
$$6\frac{1}{4}\% = 6.25\% = 06.25\% = 0.0625$$

82.
$$5\frac{1}{2}\% = 5.5\% = 05.5\% = 0.055$$

83.
$$0.8\% = 00.8\% = 0.008$$

84.
$$0.9\% = 00.9\% = 0.009$$

87.
$$0.02 = 2\%$$

88.
$$0.08 = 8\%$$

89.
$$0.004 = 0.4\%$$

90.
$$0.005 = 0.5\%$$

94.
$$0.6 = 0.60 = 60\%$$

95.
$$6 = 6.00 = 600\%$$

96.
$$10 = 10.00 = 1000\%$$

97.
$$51\% = \frac{51}{100}$$

98.
$$47\% = \frac{47}{100}$$

99.
$$15\% = \frac{15}{100}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{15}{100} = \frac{3 \cdot 5}{20 \cdot 5} = \frac{3}{20}$$

100.
$$35\% = \frac{35}{100}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{35}{100} = \frac{7 \cdot 5}{20 \cdot 5} = \frac{7}{20}$$

101.
$$2\% = \frac{2}{100}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{2}{100} = \frac{1 \cdot 2}{50 \cdot 2} = \frac{1}{50}$$

102.
$$8\% = \frac{8}{100}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{8}{100} = \frac{2 \cdot 4}{25 \cdot 4} = \frac{2}{25}$$

103.
$$140\% = \frac{140}{100}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{140}{100} = \frac{7 \cdot 20}{5 \cdot 20} = \frac{7}{5}$$
, or $1\frac{2}{5}$

104.
$$180\% = \frac{180}{100}$$

$$\frac{180}{100} = \frac{9 \cdot 20}{5 \cdot 20} = \frac{9}{5}$$
, or $1\frac{4}{5}$

105.
$$7.5\% = \frac{7.5}{100} = \frac{7.5}{100} \cdot \frac{10}{10} = \frac{75}{1000}$$

In lowest terms,

$$\frac{75}{1000} = \frac{3 \cdot 25}{40 \cdot 25} = \frac{3}{40}$$