

Patterns in Multiplication and Division



Quick Review

Here are some strategies to help you multiply and divide.

► Skip count up or down from a known fact to multiply.

- To find 9×7 :

Start with: $7 \times 7 = 49$

$9 \times 7 = 49 + 7 + 7$

$= 63$

So, $9 \times 7 = 63$

- To find 6×8 :

Start with: $8 \times 8 = 64$

$6 \times 8 = 64 - 8 - 8$

$= 48$

So, $6 \times 8 = 48$

► Use related multiplication facts to divide.

- To find $56 \div 7$:

Think: $7 \times 8 = 56$

So, $56 \div 7 = 8$

- To find $72 \div 8$:

Think: $8 \times 9 = 72$

So, $72 \div 8 = 9$

Try These

1. Multiply.

a) $9 \times 8 = \underline{\quad}$

b) $4 \times 6 = \underline{\quad}$

c) $7 \times 6 = \underline{\quad}$

d) $6 \times 7 = \underline{\quad}$

e) $5 \times 8 = \underline{\quad}$

f) $8 \times 7 = \underline{\quad}$

2. Divide.

a) $72 \div 9 = \underline{\quad}$

b) $16 \div 2 = \underline{\quad}$

c) $81 \div 9 = \underline{\quad}$

d) $36 \div 4 = \underline{\quad}$

e) $63 \div 9 = \underline{\quad}$

f) $35 \div 5 = \underline{\quad}$

3. Write a related multiplication fact for each division.

a) $64 \div 8$ _____ b) $42 \div 7$ _____

c) $27 \div 3$ _____ d) $30 \div 6$ _____

4. Write as many related facts as you can for each set of numbers.

a) 6, 7, 42 _____

b) 6, 9, 54 _____