

Answers

To simplify the ratio 12:16, divide both numbers by their greatest common divisor (GCD).

The GCD of 12 and 16 is

Now divide both numbers by

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$$12 \div 4 = 3$$

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$$16 \div 4 = 4$$

Simplest form: 3:4.

To divide \$120 in the ratio 2:3:

Add the parts of the ratio:

$$2 + 3 = 5 \text{ parts total}$$

Find the value of one part:

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$$\text{First part (2 parts): } 2 \times \$24 = \$48$$

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$$\text{Second part (3 parts): } 3 \times \$24 = \$72$$

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Answer:

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First share: \$48

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Second share: \$72

The ratio of cats to dogs is 4:7, and there are 28 dogs.

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In the ratio, 7 parts = 28 dogs

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Find the value of one part:

$$28 \div 7 = 4$$

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Now calculate the number of cats (4 parts):

$$4 \times 4 = 16 \text{ cats}$$

Answer: There are 16 cats.

To find the rate of pay per hour:

$$\text{Rate per hour} = \frac{\text{Total pay}}{\text{Total hours}} = \frac{240}{8} = 30$$

Answer: \$30 per hour.

To check if the ratios 6:9 and 8:12 are proportional, simplify both ratios:

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6:9 ? divide both by 3 ? 2:3

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8:12 ? divide both by 4 ? 2:3

Since both simplify to 2:3, yes, the ratios are proportional.

If 3 shirts cost \$45, first find the cost per shirt:

$$\frac{45}{3} = 15 \text{ dollars per shirt}$$

Now multiply by 5:

$$5 \times 15 = 75$$

Answer: 5 shirts would cost \$75.

If 5 pens cost \$10, first find the cost per pen:

$$\frac{10}{5} = 2 \text{ dollars per pen}$$

Now calculate the cost of 12 pens:

$$12 \times 2 = 24$$

Answer: 12 pens would cost \$24.

The class has:

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18 boys

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12 girls

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Total students = $18 + 12 = 30$

So, the ratio of boys to total students is:

$$\frac{18}{30} = \frac{3}{5}$$

Answer: The ratio is 3:5.

To find 25% of 480:

$$25\% \times 480 = \frac{25}{100} \times 480 = \frac{1}{4} \times 480 = 120$$

Answer: 25% of 480 is 120.

A 20% discount means the jacket was sold for 80% of the original price:

$$0.8x = 150$$

Now solve for x:

$$x = \frac{150}{0.8} = 187.50$$

Answer: The original price was \$187.50.

To calculate 5% commission on \$2,000:

$$\frac{5}{100} \times 2000 = 0.05 \times 2000 = 100$$

Answer:

The salesperson earns \$100 in commission.

Given:

$$60\% \text{ of } x = 180$$

$$\rightarrow 0.6x = 180$$

Now solve for x:

$$x = \frac{180}{0.6} = 300$$

Answer: The original number is 300.

To calculate simple interest, use the formula:

$$\text{Simple Interest (SI)} = \frac{P \times R \times T}{100}$$

Where

P =

Rate:

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P = 1200 (principal)

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R = 5% (rate)

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T = 3 years

$$\text{SI} = \frac{1200 \times 5 \times 3}{100} = \frac{18000}{100} = 180$$

Answer: The simple interest is \$180.

To calculate compound interest and the total amount, use the formula:

$$A = P \left(1 + \frac{r}{100}\right)^t$$

Where:

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$P = 2000$ (principal)

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$r = 10\%$ (rate)

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$t = 3$ years

$$A = 2000 \left(1 + \frac{10}{100}\right)^3 = 2000 \times (1.1)^3$$

$$A = 2000 \times 1.331 = 2662$$

Answer: The total amount after 3 years is \$2,662.

To find the total amount to be repaid, we first calculate the simple interest using the formula:

$$\text{SI} = \frac{P \times R \times T}{100}$$

Where:

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$P = 2000$

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$R = 6\%$

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$T = 2$ years

$$\text{SI} = \frac{2000 \times 6 \times 2}{100} = \frac{24000}{100} = 240$$

Now add the interest to the principal:

$$\text{Total amount} = 2000 + 240 = 2240$$

Answer: The total amount to be repaid is \$2,240.