

Multiply Smart

Use place value and related facts to solve.

GRADE 3 • 3.CE.2.c

3.CE.2.c "Apply strategies (e.g., place value, the properties of multiplication and/or addition) when multiplying and dividing whole numbers."

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BREAK IT APART

Break a two-digit number into tens and ones. Multiply each part by the same factor, then add the partial products. For division, use a related multiplication fact to check your answer.

WORKED EXAMPLE

Use place value: 14×5

1. Break 14 into $10 + 4$.
2. Multiply: $10 \times 5 = 50$ and $4 \times 5 = 20$.
3. Add: $50 + 20 = 70$.

Answer: 70

PRACTICE 6 problems

1 $13 \times 4 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

ANSWER _____

2 $18 \times 2 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

ANSWER _____

3 $42 \div 6 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

ANSWER _____

4 $56 \div 7 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

ANSWER _____

5 $9 \times 7 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

ANSWER _____

6 $81 \div 9 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

ANSWER _____

APPLY IT Show your work

- 1** A game club puts 6 trading cards in each pack. They fill 8 packs. How many trading cards do they pack?

WORK SPACE

ANSWER _____

- 2** Mia has 72 beads. She uses all the beads to make 9 equal bracelets. How many beads are on each bracelet?

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ANSWER _____

CHALLENGE One step up

CHALLENGE

A team earns 24 points in each of 7 rounds. How many points does the team earn altogether? Use place value and show the partial products.

PART 1 • PRACTICE

#	PROBLEM	ANSWER
1	$13 \times 4 = \underline{\quad}$	52
2	$18 \times 2 = \underline{\quad}$	36
3	$42 \div 6 = \underline{\quad}$	7
4	$56 \div 7 = \underline{\quad}$	8
5	$9 \times 7 = \underline{\quad}$	63
6	$81 \div 9 = \underline{\quad}$	9

PART 2 • APPLY IT

1. **48 trading cards** Multiply the cards in each pack by the number of packs: $6 \times 8 = 48$.
2. **8 beads** Divide the total number of beads by the number of bracelets: $72 \div 9 = 8$.

CHALLENGE

168 points

Accept correct answers shown with any valid multiplication or division strategy. For the challenge, accept partial products of 140 and 28, with a total of 168.