

COMPARISON SHOPPING



Vendor A



Vendor B

Fruit Vendor A sells oranges for \$7.00 a dozen. *Fruit Vendor B* sells the oranges at 5 for \$3.00. Determine which fruit vendor gives the better buy. Show working to support your answer.

Answer: _____ [3]



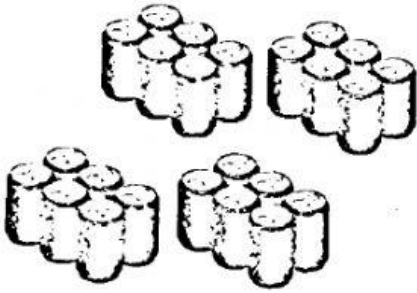
Tangerines

ValuMart
\$3.50 per dozen

True Value
8 for \$2.35

ValuMart sells tangerines at \$3.50 per dozen. *True Value* sells the same tangerines at 8 for \$2.35. Determine which store gives the better buy. Show working to support the answer.

Answer: _____ [3]



Thrifty...24 @ \$13.75



Savings Plus...6 @ \$3.40

The *Thrifty* store sells a case of 24 sodas for \$13.75. The *Savings Plus* store sells sodas at 6 for \$3.40. Determine which store gives the better buy. Show your working to support your answer.

Answer _____ [3]



\$1.59



\$2.99

A certain brand of peanut butter comes in jars of two sizes. The larger jar is 32 ounces and sells for \$2.99 while the smaller jar is 18 ounces and sells for \$1.59.

Calculate and state which is the better buy.

(Show working to support your answer.)

Answer: _____ [3]



A 340 g jar of instant coffee sells for \$7.65.

- (a) Calculate the cost, in cents, of 1 g of coffee.

Answer _____ c [2]

A 226 g jar of instant coffee sells for \$5.65.

- (b) State which jar is the better buy. Show your working to support your answer.

Answer _____ [2]