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Computation
Multiplying Decimals

To multiply decimals: 1. Multiply as if you were multiplying whole numbers.
2. Count how many numbers are to the RIGHT of the decimal.
3. Place the decimal point in the product.

Examples:

3
2.5 (one number to the right)
 $\begin{array}{r} \times 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$ (no decimal point)
15.0 (one decimal place)

1
5
4.7 (one number to the right)
 $\begin{array}{r} \times 2.8 \\ \hline \end{array}$ (one number to the right)
376
 $\begin{array}{r} + 940 \\ \hline \end{array}$
13.16 (count two places then put the decimal point)

Calculate the product. Use a paper and pencil for your working. Select the correct answer.

1. $4.2 \times 6 =$

2. $6.7 \times 2.5 =$

3. $3.8 \times 7.5 =$

4. $8.5 \times 9.2 =$

5. $18.7 \times 9.3 =$