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## Solving proportional equations

Ratio	Proportions
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A ratio uses _____ to compare two quantities.</li><li>There are THREE ways to write the ratio of two quantities a and b, when <math>b \neq 0</math>: (1) <math>a</math> _____ <math>b</math> (2) <math>a</math> _____ <math>b</math> (3) <math>\frac{a}{b}</math>.</li><li>Ratios are read "the ratio of a to b" no matter which way it is written.</li><li>Ratios should always be written as _____ in simplest form.</li></ul>	<p>A proportion is an equation that states two _____ are equivalent:</p> $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{c}{d}, \text{ where } b \neq 0 \text{ and } d \neq 0$

\* Solving proportional equations using cross product.

- A cross product is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ of one ratio and \_\_\_\_\_ of the other ratio.
- The **cross product** of proportions are \_\_\_\_\_.

**Examples of solving proportional equations.**

(1) Solve  $\frac{8}{x} = \frac{6}{15}$ .

(2) Solve  $\frac{4}{x} = \frac{8}{x-3}$

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## DO NOW!

Use Cross Product property to solve for  $x$ .

(1)  $\frac{10}{8} = \frac{x}{10}$

solution:

(2)  $\frac{7}{5} = \frac{x}{3}$

solution:

(3)  $\frac{7}{x} = \frac{8}{7}$

solution:

(4)  $\frac{4}{3} = \frac{8}{x}$

solution:

(5)  $\frac{7}{x+5} = \frac{10}{5}$

solution:

(6)  $\frac{6}{x-1} = \frac{9}{7}$

solution:

(7)  $\frac{5}{6} = \frac{7x+9}{9}$

solution:

(8)  $\frac{7}{9} = \frac{x}{x-10}$

solution:

(9)  $\frac{9}{x-7} = \frac{6}{x}$

solution:

(10)  $\frac{x}{5} = \frac{x-6}{4}$

solution: