



Ratio and Proportion

Ratio problems/Recipes

11a. The ratio of cupcakes to donuts and cookies is 6:1:7

Sarah has 70 treats in total.

Calculate the number of cupcakes, donut and cookies.

11b. The ratio of cupcakes to donuts and cookies is 5:3:2.

Jacob has 90 treats in total.

Calculate the number of cupcakes, donut and cookies.

Cupcakes

Donuts

Cookies

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12a. Omar is buying baking ingredients.

The ratio of flour to sugar to butter is 125:150:90.

If he buys 750g of flour, how much sugar and butter will he need?

12b. Toby is buying baking ingredients.

The ratio of flour to sugar to butter is 95:110:75.

If he buys 770g of sugar, how much flour and butter will he need?

Sugar

Flour

Butter

Butter

8. Here is part of a recipe for 8 individual trifles.

500ml of custard
196g of strawberries
4 tsp of sherry

A. Calculate the quantities needed for 1 person.

B. Calculate the quantities needed for 5 people.

	Custard	Strawberries	Sherry
1 person	ml	g	tsp
5 people	ml	g	tsp

9. True or false?

At Sally's Supermarket, I can buy 4 cans of beans for £1.24.

At Cheap-as-Chips, I can buy 5 cans of beans for £1.30.

At Bargains for You, I can buy 7 cans of beans for £1.75

Beans are cheaper if I buy them from Cheap-as-Chips.

Explain your answer.

7a. Lucy is making photo frames using buttons. She needs 5 red buttons for every 3 blue and 4 yellow buttons.

The costs are as follows:

Red: 45p each

Blue: 90p each

Yellow: 25p each

She has spent £17.85 in total.

How many of each has she bought?

7b. Molly is making photo frames using sequins. She needs 7 red sequins for every 5 blue and 2 yellow sequins.

The costs are as follows:

Red: 60p each

Blue: 70p each

Yellow: 50p each

She has spent £34.80 in total.

How many of each has she bought?

Red

Blue

Yellow