

Math 70
Exam 1 Answers

1. (a) $\frac{4}{5} + 4\frac{7}{10} = \frac{4}{5} + \frac{47}{10} = \frac{8}{10} + \frac{47}{10} = \frac{55}{10} = \frac{11}{2}$ or $5\frac{1}{2}$

(b) $11 + (-3) = \boxed{8}$

(c) $-13 - 7 = \boxed{-20}$

(d) $-\frac{5}{6} + \frac{1}{4} = -\frac{10}{12} + \frac{3}{12} = \boxed{-\frac{7}{12}}$

(e) $-8 - (-3) = -8 + 3 = \boxed{-5}$

(f) $1.5 - (-12.34) = 1.5 + 12.34 = \boxed{13.84}$

2. $\frac{9 \text{ miles}}{1} \times \frac{1.61 \text{ km}}{1 \text{ mile}} = \boxed{14.49 \text{ km}}$

3. $\frac{12500 \text{ mm}}{1} \times \frac{1 \text{ m}}{1000 \text{ mm}} = \frac{12500}{1000} \text{ m} = \boxed{12.5 \text{ m}}$

4. (a) $\frac{1}{2} \div 2\frac{3}{4} = \frac{1}{2} \div \frac{11}{4} = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{4}{11} = \frac{4}{22} = \boxed{\frac{2}{11}}$

(b) $\frac{5}{3} \left(\frac{9}{20}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{45}{120} = \boxed{\frac{3}{8}}$

(c) $\frac{18}{\frac{6}{7}} = 18 \div \frac{6}{7} = 18 \times \frac{7}{6} = \frac{126}{6} = \boxed{21}$

(d) $(3.1)(1.2) = \boxed{3.72}$

(e) $7.26 \div 0.3$ This is the same as $72.6 \div 3 = \boxed{24.2}$

(f) Here are two ways to approach this:

- $\frac{2}{3} - 0.4 = \frac{2}{3} - \frac{4}{10} = \frac{20}{30} - \frac{12}{30} = \frac{8}{30} = \boxed{\frac{4}{15}}$

- $\frac{2}{3} - 0.4 = 0.6\bar{6} - 0.4 = \boxed{0.2\bar{6}}$

5. Here are two ways to approach this:

- Discount = 70% of 30 = $0.7(30) = 21 \Rightarrow$ Sale Price = $30 - 21 = \boxed{\$9}$

- Sale Price = 30% of 30 = $0.3(30) = \boxed{\$9}$

6. Here are two ways to approach this:

- $$\frac{\text{Number of non-chocolate chip cookies}}{\text{Total cookies}} = \frac{75-42}{75} = \frac{33}{75} = \frac{11}{25}$$

Using either division to get that $\frac{11}{25} = 0.44$ or the fact that $\frac{11}{25} = \frac{44}{100}$, we get that $\boxed{44\%}$ of the cookies are not chocolate chip.

- If you calculate $\frac{\text{Number of chocolate chip cookies}}{\text{Total cookies}} = \frac{42}{75} = \frac{14}{25} = 0.56$ or $\frac{56}{100}$, you get that 56% of the cookies are chocolate chip.

That means that $100\% - 56\% = \boxed{44\%}$ are not chocolate chip.

7. If one batch of cookies requires $5\frac{1}{4}$ cups of flour, how much flour is needed for two-thirds of a batch?

$$\text{Flour for two-thirds of a batch} = \frac{2}{3} \times 5\frac{1}{4} = \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{21}{4} = \frac{42}{12} = \boxed{\frac{7}{2} \text{ or } 3\frac{1}{2} \text{ cups}}$$