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## MPI: Finding common multiples

Colour all the multiples of 9

Circle all the multiples of 6

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100

Continue the lists of multiples.

**Multiples of 5**

5, 10, 15, , , , , , ,  
, , , ,

**Multiples of 7**

7, 14, 21, , , , , , ,  
, , , ,

Circle the common multiples of 5 and 7

List any common multiples of 9 and 6

Write the first five common multiples of these numbers.

a) 2 and 3

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b) 3 and 12

\_\_\_\_\_

c) 15 and 10

\_\_\_\_\_



Jack

I worked out the common multiples of 4 and 6 by multiplying 4 and 6 together to get 24. Then I added on 24 again and again: 24, 48, 72 . . .



Rosie

I think your method might miss some common multiples.

Who do you agree with and why?

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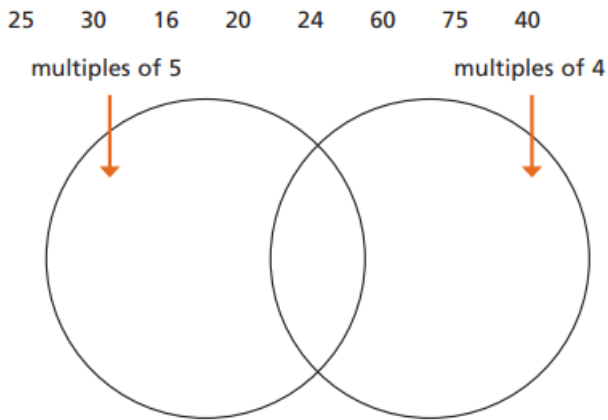
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Write the numbers in the sorting diagram.



Write all the common multiples of 4 and 5 from the list.

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Look at the common multiples of 4 and 5.

What do you notice?

Describe how to find more common multiples to add to this list.

Could you ever run out of common multiples?

*Journal your answers in your Maths book.*

Rita has 2 grandchildren in different years at school.

On Rita's 90th birthday she says to her grandchildren,

"My age is a multiple of both your ages today."

How old could Rita's grandchildren be?

Describe two different solutions.

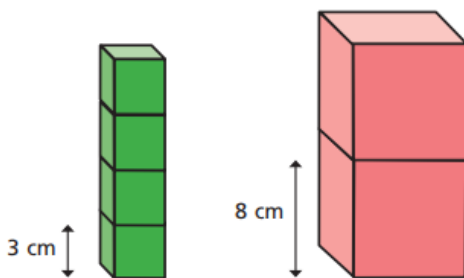
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What is the lowest common multiple of 6 and 8?

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Scott is building a tower from blocks 3 cm tall.

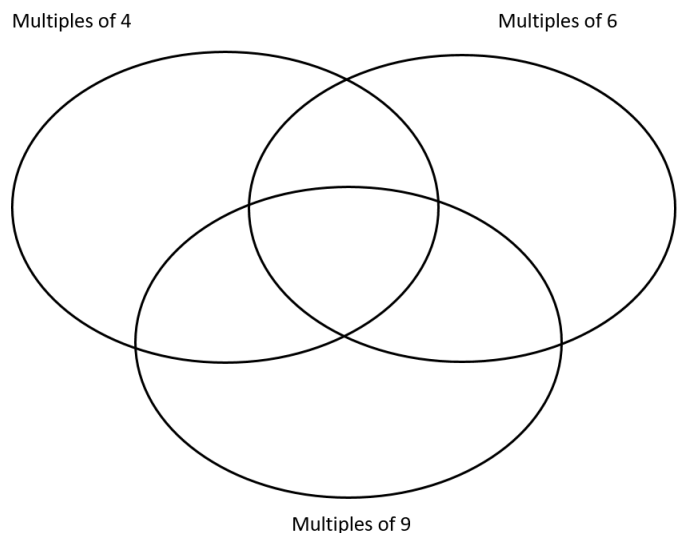
Dora is building a tower from blocks 8 cm tall.

They each build a tower taller than 50 cm, but shorter than 1 m.

The towers are exactly the same height.

How tall could the towers be?

Put at least 3 numbers into each region. Include the lowest common multiple.



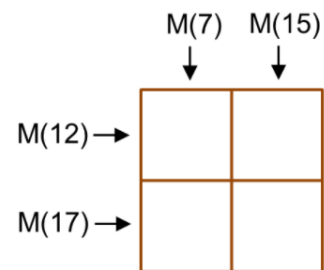
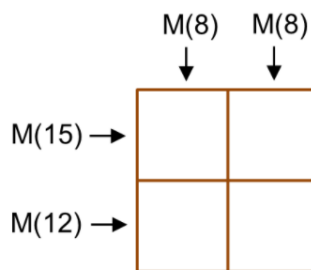
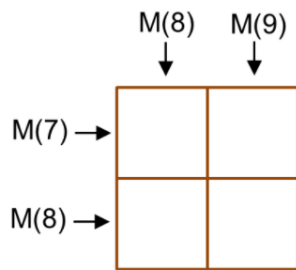


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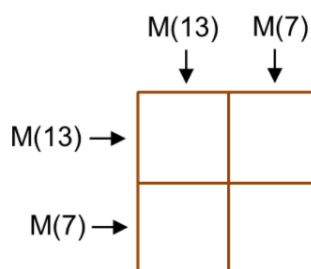
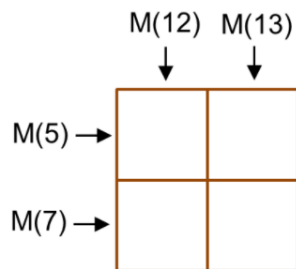
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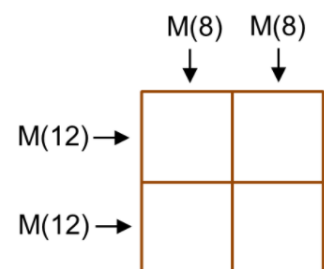
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find four digits (all different) to go in each of the boxes to make 2-digit multiples of the required number when you read across and down:



all the 4 digits in each problem should be different



3 solutions possible



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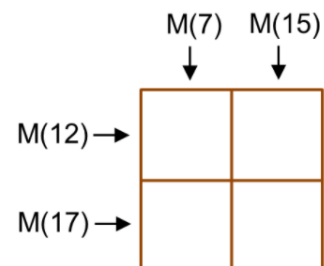
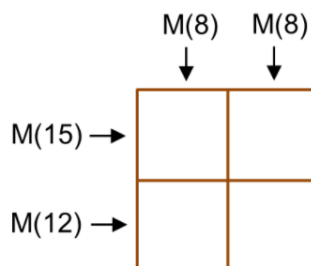
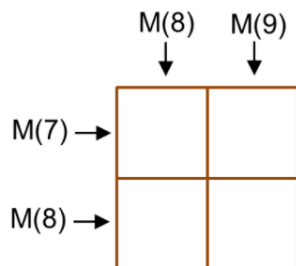


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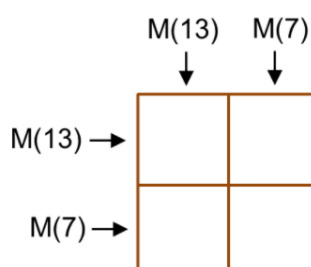
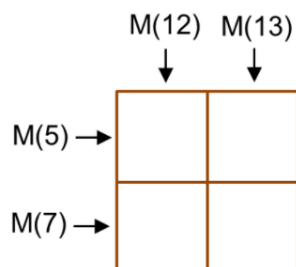
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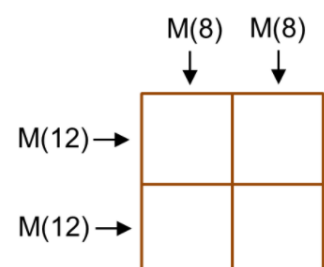
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## MPI: Finding common factors

What are the common factors of 18 and 24?

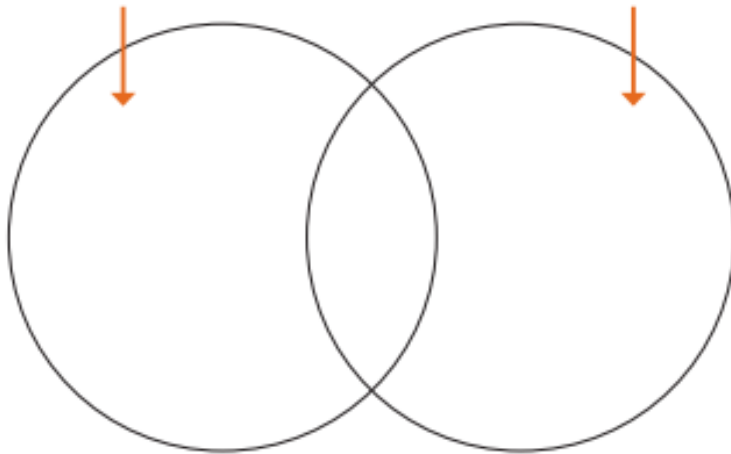
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Write the numbers in the sorting diagram.

1   2   3   4   5   6   8   12   15   24

factors of 15

factors of 24



Complete the sentence.

The common factors of 15 and 24 are \_\_\_\_\_

Find the common factors of each pair of numbers.

a) 12 and 20

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b) 16 and 25

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c) 20 and 50

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d) 20 and 60

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## MPI: Finding common factors

 I am thinking of a 2-digit number.

 My number has a factor of 7 in common with Annie's number.

 The common factors of my number and Annie's number are 1, 5 and 10

What number is Annie thinking of?

\_\_\_\_\_


Whitney is trying to simplify these fractions.

$$\frac{18}{46}$$

$$\frac{24}{81}$$

$$\frac{40}{100}$$

$$\frac{121}{132}$$

 I can use common factors to work out how to simplify these fractions.

Show how Whitney's method could work.

Talk about your answer with a partner.

Complete the table.

Factor pairs of 50	Factor pairs of 75	Factor pairs of 100
$1 \times 50$ $2 \times 25$ $5 \times 10$	$1 \times$	


What are the common factors of 50, 75 and 100?

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Alex is making party bags.

She has 35 sweets and 25 balloons.

The sweets and balloons need to be shared equally, so that each bag has the same number of sweets and balloons.

 I can put 5 sweets and 5 balloons in each bag because 5 is a common factor of 35 and 25

List 3 common factors of 360 and 180 that are greater than 50

Is Alex correct? \_\_\_\_\_

Explain your answer.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_



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### BONUS CHALLENGE

a number has 4 factors, one of which is 9, what is it?

a number is one less than a square number; it has 4 factors, one of which is 5; what could it be?

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MPI: Finding prime numbers and factors

Circle the prime numbers in each list.

a) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

b) 17 22 9 36 21 35 23

c) 10 18 38 74 92 2 14

In your Maths book, journal the answer to these questions:

a) Many people think that 1 is a prime number.

Explain why 1 is not a prime number.

b) Many people think that 2 is not a prime number.

Explain why people might think this.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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Cross out all the numbers that are **not** prime numbers.

List the prime numbers between 0 and 50

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Write ten numbers in the sorting diagram. Each section must have at least one number.

	Even	Not even
Prime		
Not prime		



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## MPI: Finding prime numbers and factors

Journal your responses in your Maths books...

I think 87 is a prime number because it is odd and most numbers that end in 7 are prime.



$$\star + \blacksquare = 100$$

Both  $\star$  and  $\blacksquare$  are prime numbers.

How many different solutions can you find?

Do you agree with Rosie? \_\_\_\_\_

Test whether or not 87 is a prime number and show your reasoning.

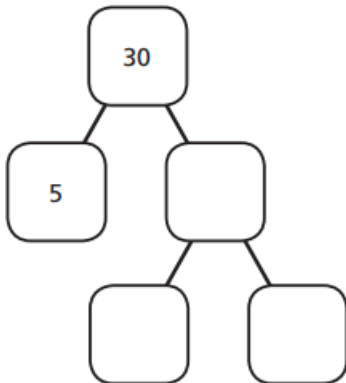
How many prime numbers are there between 50 and 80?

What is the first prime number after 100?

What is the only even prime number?

Complete the prime factor trees.

a)

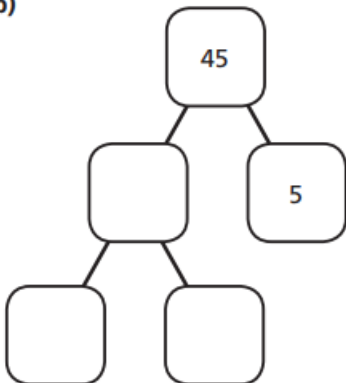


c)



For each factor tree, write the prime factors as an equation.

b)



d)





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Place the numbers 1, 2, 3,..., 9 one on each square of a 3 by 3 grid so that all the rows and columns add up to a prime number. Two solutions are considered to be the same if, as in the example shown, they contain the same six triples. How many different solutions can you find?

2	8	3
6	4	9
5	7	1

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5	1	7
6	9	4

Show that it is impossible to place the numbers 1, 2, 3,..., 9 one on each square of a 3 by 3 grid so that the diagonals, as well as all the rows and columns, add up to prime numbers.

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MPI: Investigating prime numbers: Challenge 1

## the primes less than 100

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81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
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find two primes that  
sum to a multiple of 6

find primes that are  
one more than a  
multiple of 6

find two primes that  
have a difference of 6

find primes that are  
one less than a  
multiple of 6

find two primes that  
add up to 54

**twin primes** are two  
apart e.g. 41 and 43

which decade (less  
than 100) has least  
primes in?

what is a common  
property of twin  
primes?



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MPI: Investigating prime numbers: Challenge 2

(a) find two prime numbers that sum to:

- |        |                                   |
|--------|-----------------------------------|
| (1) 4  | note that 1 is not a prime number |
| (2) 14 |                                   |
| (3) 24 |                                   |
| (4) 34 | you may use the same prime        |
| (5) 44 | number twice e.g. $34 = 17 + 17$  |
| (6) 54 |                                   |

(b) find two prime numbers that sum to:

- |        |                          |
|--------|--------------------------|
| (1) 24 |                          |
| (2) 30 |                          |
| (3) 36 |                          |
| (4) 42 |                          |
| (5) 48 |                          |
| (6) 54 | does a pattern continue? |



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