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Objective: I will find unit rates and solve proportional equations.

## Vocabulary

Inverse Operations: operations that undo each other; the opposite operation


Isolate Variables: to get a variable alone on one side of the equation; use inverse operations to isolate variables

## Steps:

1. Isolate each variable. Use inverse operations to find unit rate.
2. Label the $x, y$, and $k$ in your unit rate equation.
3. Plug values into the equation.

## Proportional Equation:

$$
y=k x
$$

$y$ is directly proportional to $x$ $k$ is the Constant of Proportionality

## Example \# 1

## Example \# 2

Directions: Find the unit rate for both variables in $y=k x$ form. Solve for the given variable.

$$
4 a=8 b
$$

## Unit rates:

If $b=3$, then $a=$ ?
If $a=7$, then $b=$ ?

## Solution:

Since the value of $a$ is double $b$, which also means $b$ is half of $a$, if $b=3$, then $a=6$. If $a=7$, then $b=3 \frac{1}{2}$.

$$
\frac{2}{3} g=\frac{1}{5} h
$$

## Unit rates:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { If } h=5 \text {, then } g=\text { ? } \\
& \text { If } g=9, \text { then } h=?
\end{aligned}
$$

Solution:
Since the value of $g$ is $\frac{3}{10}$ of $h$ and $h$ is $3 \frac{1}{3}$ times $g$, then if $h=5$, then $g=1 \frac{1}{2}$. If $g=9$, then $h=30$.

Directions: Find the unit rate for both variables in $y=k x$ form. Solve for the given variable.

| 1. $2 x=5 y$ | 2. $24 a=6 b$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Unit rates: | Unit rates: |
| If $x=3$, then $y=$ ? | If $a=6$, then $b=$ ? |
| If $y=12$, then $x=$ ? | If $b=10$, then $a=$ ? |
| 3. 4 families $=12$ children | 4. $\frac{3}{4} k=\frac{2}{5} c$ |
| Unit rates: | Unit rates: |
| If families $=10$, then children $=$ ? | If $k=6$, then $c=$ ? |
| If children $=42$, then families $=$ ? | If $c=8$, then $k=$ ? |
| 5. $6 b=4 \frac{1}{4} z$ | 6. $2 \frac{1}{3} p=1 \frac{1}{2} q$ |
| Unit rates: | Unit rates: |
| If $b=15$, then $z=$ ? | If $p=25$, then $q=$ ? |
| If $z=20$, then $b=$ ? | If $q=3$, then $p=$ ? |

Explain the steps you used to solve problem number $\qquad$ .

