

**Examples**



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**Workout**

**Question 1:** Simplify the following expressions.

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|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| (a) $12x \div 2$   | (b) $9y \div 3$     | (c) $15a \div 5$    | (d) $28c \div 7$     |
| (e) $8m \div 2m$   | (f) $10c \div 2c$   | (g) $18d \div 3d$   | (h) $35m \div 5m$    |
| (i) $5ac \div a$   | (j) $6xy \div y$    | (k) $7mn \div n$    | (l) $20ab \div 2a$   |
| (m) $25xy \div 5y$ | (n) $80gh \div 10h$ | (o) $27xy \div 3xy$ | (p) $32abc \div 8ac$ |

**Question 2:** Simplify the following expressions.

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|------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| (a) $\frac{14c}{2}$    | (b) $\frac{56w}{7}$      | (c) $\frac{45a}{9a}$    | (d) $\frac{105y}{5y}$ |
| (e) $\frac{mw}{m}$     | (f) $\frac{8cf}{c}$      | (g) $\frac{15xy}{3x}$   | (h) $\frac{70ab}{2a}$ |
| (i) $\frac{30ef}{6ef}$ | (j) $\frac{20cde}{5cde}$ | (k) $\frac{42ghk}{6gh}$ |                       |

**Question 3:** Simplify the following expressions.

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|----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| (a) $h^2 \div h$     | (b) $x^3 \div x$      | (c) $7y^2 \div y$  | (d) $40m^2 \div 2m$ |
| (e) $16c^2 \div 4c$  | (f) $20g^2 \div g^2$  | (g) $45x^3 \div x$ | (h) $30t^3 \div 3t$ |
| (i) $9h^3 \div 3h^2$ | (j) $10x^3 \div 5x^3$ | (k) $24m^2 \div 3$ |                     |

**Question 4:** Simplify the following expressions.

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|--------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|
| (a) $\frac{g^2}{g}$      | (b) $\frac{w^3}{w}$     | (c) $\frac{3a^2}{a}$       | (d) $\frac{24e^2}{3e}$ |
| (e) $\frac{35c^3}{7c^2}$ | (f) $\frac{52c^3}{13c}$ | (g) $\frac{100w^3}{10w^3}$ |                        |

## Dividing Terms

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Question 5: Simplify the following expressions

- (a)  $a^2b^2 \div ab$       (b)  $xy^2 \div x$       (c)  $4ab^3 \div 2ab^2$       (d)  $25c^2d^2 \div 5cd$   
 (e)  $16x^4y^3 \div 4x^2y^2$     (f)  $10c^3de^2 \div 2cde$     (g)  $15abc^4 \div bc^3$     (h)  $24d^3e^9f \div 8d^3f$

Question 6: Simplify the following expressions.

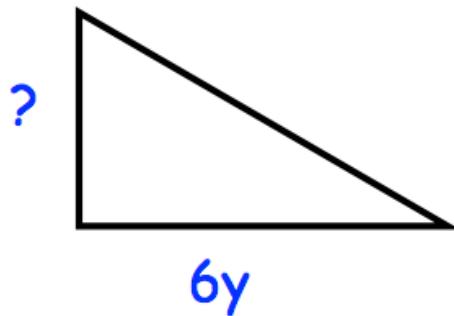
- (a)  $\frac{a^3c^3}{ac}$       (b)  $\frac{10a^4c^3}{2ac^2}$       (c)  $\frac{9abc^3}{3ac^2}$       (d)  $\frac{45a^5b^8c^4}{3a^3b^4c}$

### Apply

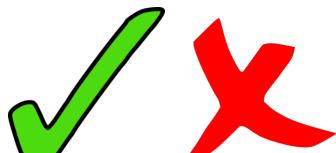
Question 1: The area of the rectangle shown below is  $18cd$   
 Find an expression for the length of the longest side.



Question 2: The area of the triangle shown below is  $12y^2$   
 Find an expression for the height of the triangle.



### Answers



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