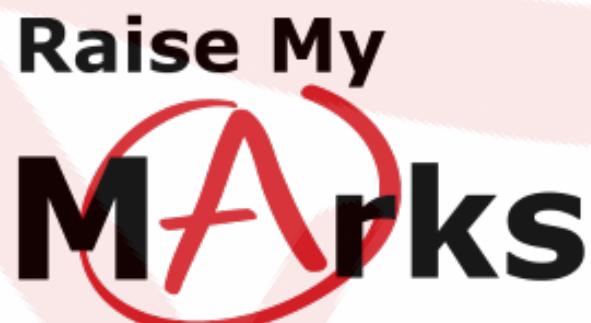


Multiplication of Fractions



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The *multiplication of fractions* is intuitive. Multiplie numerators together to give the new numerator; multiply the denominators together to give the new denominator. Example:

$$\frac{4}{5} \times \frac{2}{7} = \frac{4 \times 2}{5 \times 7} = \frac{8}{35}$$

$$\frac{10}{3} \times \frac{4}{7} = \frac{10 \times 4}{3 \times 7} = \frac{40}{21}$$

$$2\frac{3}{5} \times 3\frac{4}{7} = \frac{13}{5} \times \frac{25}{7} = \frac{455}{35}$$

1. Multiply the following fractions.

$$\text{a) } \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{2} =$$

$$\text{j) } \frac{11}{9} \times \frac{7}{6} =$$

$$\text{b) } \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{7}{10} =$$

$$\text{k) } \frac{6}{5} \times \frac{12}{8} =$$

$$\text{c) } \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{3} =$$

$$\text{l) } \frac{8}{7} \times \frac{5}{3} =$$

$$\text{d) } \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{5}{6} =$$

$$\text{m) } \frac{5}{2} \times \frac{11}{10} =$$

$$\text{e) } \frac{1}{6} \times \frac{2}{4} =$$

$$\text{n) } \frac{7}{6} \times \frac{13}{9} =$$

$$\text{f) } \frac{4}{7} \times \frac{3}{5} =$$

$$\text{o) } \frac{5}{4} \times \frac{12}{7} =$$

$$\text{g) } \frac{5}{8} \times \frac{3}{4} =$$

$$\text{p) } \frac{11}{8} \times \frac{3}{2} =$$

$$\text{h) } \frac{2}{9} \times \frac{1}{3} =$$

$$\text{q) } \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{7}{5} =$$

$$\text{i) } \frac{3}{10} \times \frac{1}{2} =$$

$$\text{r) } \frac{13}{10} \times \frac{6}{4} =$$