Answer Key

Solve for the Unknown

Use the division and multiplication connection to help solve division problems.

Example: $36 \div 4 =$

1. Change the problem into a multiplication problem with a missing factor or product.

4 x ___ = 36

- 2. Choose a familiar multiplication strategy to find the unknown factor.
 - repeated addition

skip counting

arrays

• equal groups

3. The answer to your multiplication problem is also your answer for division problem.

$$4 \times 9 = 36$$

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 $36 \div 4 = 9$

Directions: Use strategies listed above to solve for the unknown factors in the problems. Be sure to show your work.

1.
$$35 \div 7 = 5$$

6.
$$40 \div 10 = 4$$

3.
$$18 \div 2 = 9$$

8.
$$40 \div 5 = 8$$

9.
$$36 \div 4 = 9$$

5.
$$56 \div _{7} = 8$$