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## Answers

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4. $\quad 1 \frac{2}{6}$
5. $2 \frac{2}{5}$
6.
$13 / 12$
7. $2^{2} / 3$
8. $\quad 4 / 8$
9. $\quad 6 / 8$
$10 . \quad 2 \frac{1}{4}$
11. $22 / 4$
12. $\quad 15 / 10$


9) $\frac{3}{8} \times 2=$
10) $\frac{3}{4} \times 3=\square \rightarrow \rightarrow \square \rightarrow \square \rightarrow \square$
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