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Answers

- Oliver bought a box of fruit that weighed $5\frac{1}{3}$ kilograms. If he gave away $4\frac{4}{7}$ kilograms of fruit to his friends, how many kilograms does he have left?
- Frank drew a line that was $4\frac{2}{4}$ inches long. If he drew a second line that was $9\frac{1}{3}$ inches longer, what is the length of the second line?
- Isabel's class recycled $7\frac{2}{3}$ boxes of paper in a month. If they recycled another $8\frac{5}{7}$ boxes the next month was is the total amount they recycled?
- Carol's new puppy weighed $9\frac{4}{6}$ pounds. After a month it had gained $3\frac{1}{3}$ pounds. What is the weight of the puppy after a month?

- A king size chocolate bar was $15\frac{1}{2}$ inches long. The regular size bar was $14\frac{3}{6}$ inches long. What is the difference in length between the two bars?

On Saturday a restaurant used $7\frac{2}{3}$ cans of vegetables. On Sunday they used another $2\frac{5}{12}$ cans. What is the total amount of vegetables they used?

- In two months Robin's class recycled $3\frac{2}{10}$ pounds of paper. If they recycled $2\frac{6}{8}$ pounds the first month, how much did they recycle the second month?
- While exercising John travelled $17\frac{1}{3}$ kilometers. If he walked $7\frac{3}{5}$ kilometers and jogged the rest, how many kilometers did he jog?
- For Halloween, Gwen received $2^{7}/_{10}$ pounds of candy in the first hour and another $4^{3}/_{9}$ pounds the second hour. How much candy did she get total?



Name: Answer Key

Solve each problem. Write the answer as an improper fraction (if possible).

- 1) At the beach, Tom built a sandcastle that was $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet high. If he added a flag that was $3\frac{5}{9}$ feet high, what is the total height of his creation?
- Oliver bought a box of fruit that weighed $5\frac{1}{3}$ kilograms. If he gave away $4\frac{4}{7}$ kilograms of fruit to his friends, how many kilograms does he have left?
- 3) Frank drew a line that was $4\frac{2}{4}$ inches long. If he drew a second line that was $9\frac{1}{3}$ inches longer, what is the length of the second line?
- Isabel's class recycled $7\frac{2}{3}$ boxes of paper in a month. If they recycled another $8\frac{5}{7}$ boxes the next month was is the total amount they recycled?
- Carol's new puppy weighed $9\frac{4}{6}$ pounds. After a month it had gained $3\frac{1}{3}$ pounds. What is the weight of the puppy after a month?
- 6) A king size chocolate bar was $15\frac{1}{2}$ inches long. The regular size bar was $14\frac{3}{6}$ inches long. What is the difference in length between the two bars?
- On Saturday a restaurant used $7\frac{2}{3}$ cans of vegetables. On Sunday they used another $2\frac{5}{7}$ cans. What is the total amount of vegetables they used?
- 8) In two months Robin's class recycled $3\frac{2}{10}$ pounds of paper. If they recycled $2\frac{6}{8}$ pounds the first month, how much did they recycle the second month?
- While exercising John travelled $17\frac{1}{3}$ kilometers. If he walked $7\frac{3}{5}$ kilometers and jogged the rest, how many kilometers did he jog?
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Answers

- - 166/

- 7. 218/₂₁
- 9. 146/15
- 10. 90



Solve each problem. Write the answer as an improper fraction (if possible).

16/ ₂₁	⁷⁸ / ₆	⁶ / ₆	633/90	166/12
$\frac{344}{21}$	127/ ₁₈	18/40	218/21	146/15

- 1) At the beach, Tom built a sandcastle that was $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet high. If he added a flag that was $3\frac{5}{9}$ feet high, what is the total height of his creation? (LCM = 18)
- 2) Oliver bought a box of fruit that weighed $5\frac{1}{3}$ kilograms. If he gave away $4\frac{4}{7}$ kilograms of fruit to his friends, how many kilograms does he have left? (LCM = 21)
- 3) Frank drew a line that was $4^2/_4$ inches long. If he drew a second line that was $9^1/_3$ inches longer, what is the length of the second line? (LCM = 12)
- 4) Isabel's class recycled $7\frac{2}{3}$ boxes of paper in a month. If they recycled another $8\frac{5}{7}$ boxes the next month was is the total amount they recycled? (LCM = 21)
- Carol's new puppy weighed $9\frac{4}{6}$ pounds. After a month it had gained $3\frac{1}{3}$ pounds. What is the weight of the puppy after a month? (LCM = 6)
- 6) A king size chocolate bar was $15\frac{1}{2}$ inches long. The regular size bar was $14\frac{3}{6}$ inches long. What is the difference in length between the two bars? (LCM = 6)
- 7) On Saturday a restaurant used $7\frac{2}{3}$ cans of vegetables. On Sunday they used another $2\frac{5}{7}$ cans. What is the total amount of vegetables they used? (LCM = 21)
- 8) In two months Robin's class recycled $3\frac{2}{10}$ pounds of paper. If they recycled $2\frac{6}{8}$ pounds the first month, how much did they recycle the second month? (LCM = 40)
- 9) While exercising John travelled $17\frac{1}{3}$ kilometers. If he walked $7\frac{3}{5}$ kilometers and jogged the rest, how many kilometers did he jog? (LCM = 15)
- 10) For Halloween, Gwen received $2\frac{7}{10}$ pounds of candy in the first hour and another $4\frac{3}{9}$ pounds the second hour. How much candy did she get total? (LCM = 90)

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- 2. _____
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