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## Greatest Common Factor )——

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What are the factors of 12?

1, 2, 3, 4, 6, and 12

What are the factors of 20?

1, 2, 4, 5, 10, and 20

Which are the common factors?

1, 2, and 4

What is the GCF?

Find the GCF of each pair of numbers.

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# **Least Common Multiples**

Find the least common multiple (LCM) of 2 and 3.

The multiples of 2 are: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18...

The multiples of 3 are: 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18....

The common multiples of 2 and 3 are: 6, 12, 18...

The least common multiple of 2 and 3 is 6.



### Find the LCM of 3 and 4.

The multiples of 4 are: \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_, \_\_\_, \_\_\_, \_\_\_, \_\_\_...

The common multiples of 3 and 4 are: \_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_

The LCM of 3 and 4 is: \_\_\_\_\_

### Find the LCM.

- **a.** 2 and 7
- **b.** 4 and 10

**c.** 4 and 5

- LCM = \_\_\_\_\_
- LCM = \_\_\_\_\_
- LCM = \_\_\_\_\_

**d.** 6 and 10

- **e.** 4 and 12
- **f.** 6 and 18

- LCM = \_\_\_\_
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#### Find the LCM of 3 and 4.

The multiples of 3 are: 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27...

The multiples of 4 are: 4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24, 28 ...

The common multiples of 3 and 4 are: 12 and 24

The LCM of 3 and 4 is: 12

#### Find the LCM.

$$LCM = 14$$

$$LCM = 20$$

$$LCM = 20$$

$$LCM = 30$$

$$LCM = 12$$

$$LCM = 18$$