

# Reasoning and Problem Solving

## Step 3: Multiply 2 Digits by 1 Digit 1

### National Curriculum Objectives:

Mathematics Year 3: (3C6) [Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables](#)

Mathematics Year 3: (3C7) [Write and calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division using the multiplication tables that they know, including for two-digit numbers times one-digit numbers, using mental and progressing to formal written methods](#)

Mathematics Year 3: (3C8) [Solve problems, including missing number problems, involving multiplication and division, including positive integer scaling problems and correspondence problems in which  \$n\$  objects are connected to  \$m\$  objects](#)

### Differentiation:

Questions 1, 4 and 7 (Reasoning)

**Developing** Explain whether a multiplication calculation (with no exchanges) is correct by using knowledge of the 2, 3, 5 and 8 times tables. Pictorial support and scaffolding given.

**Expected** Explain whether a multiplication calculation (with no exchanges) is correct by using knowledge of the 2, 3, 4, 5 and 8 times tables.

**Greater Depth** Identify the missing number for both calculations (with no exchanges) by using knowledge of the 2, 3, 4, 5 and 8 times tables.

Questions 2, 5 and 8 (Reasoning)

**Developing** Identify a mystery 2-digit number when multiplying by 2, 3, 4, 5 or 8. Pictorial support and scaffolding given.

**Expected** Identify a mystery 2-digit number when multiplying by 2, 3, 4, 5 or 8.

**Greater Depth** Identify a mystery 2-digit number when multiplying by 2, 3, 4, 5 or 8. Includes two-step problems.

Questions 3, 6 and 9 (Problem Solving)

**Developing** Create a multiplication calculation (with no exchanges) using three digit cards where some numbers have already been completed. Children apply knowledge of 2, 3, 4, 5 and 8 times tables. Pictorial support and scaffolding given.

**Expected** Create a multiplication calculation (with no exchanges) using three digit cards where some numbers have already been completed. Children apply knowledge of 2, 3, 4, 5 and 8 times tables.

**Greater Depth** Create a multiplication calculation (with no exchanges) using five digit cards. Children apply knowledge of 2, 3, 4, 5 and 8 times tables.


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1a. Rehan and Destiny have solved the following multiplications.



	T	O
	3	2
x		2
	5	4

Rehan

	T	O
	2	1
x		2
	4	2



Destiny

T	O
● ● ●	● ●
● ● ●	● ●


T	O
● ●	●
● ●	●

Are they both correct?  
Explain how you know.



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1b. Fatima and Dan have solved the following multiplications.



	T	O
	2	2
x		2
	4	4

Fatima

	T	O
	2	3
x		2
	1	2



Dan

T	O
● ●	● ●
● ●	● ●


T	O
● ●	● ● ●
● ●	● ● ●

Are they both correct?  
Explain how you know.

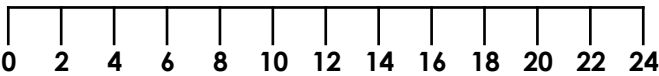


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2a. Jana is thinking of a number.



I multiplied a number by 2. The answer was 24.

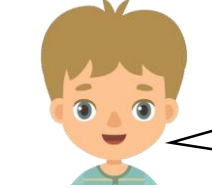


What is Jana's number?  
Explain how you know.

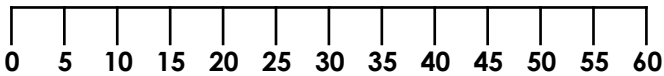


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2b. Jakub is thinking of a number.



I multiplied a number by 5. The answer was 55.



What is Jakub's number?  
Explain how you know.



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3a. Create and solve a calculation using the digit cards below.

	T	O
		3
x		
		9

● ●

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2

6

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3b. Create and solve a calculation using the digit cards below.

	T	O
		4
x		
		8

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● ● ●

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6

2

3



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4a. Brody and Rose have solved the following multiplications.



	T	O
	3	3
x		3
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	9	9

	T	O
	3	2
x		3
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	9	5



Are they correct?  
Explain how you know, using a place value grid to show your working.



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4b. Ian and Ellie have solved the following multiplications.



	T	O
	2	2
x		4
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	8	8

	T	O
	1	1
x		8
<hr/>		
	1	9



Are they correct?  
Explain how you know, using a place value grid to show your working.



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5a. Blake is thinking of a number.



I multiplied a number by 8. The answer was 88.

What is Blake's number?  
Explain how you know.



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5b. Brooke is thinking of a number.



I multiplied a number by 4. The answer was 48.

What is Brooke's number?  
Explain how you know.



R

6a. Create and solve a calculation using the digit cards below.

	T	O
	<div></div>	2
x		<div></div>
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	<div></div>	8

2	8	4
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6b. Create and solve a calculation using the digit cards below.

	T	O
	<div></div>	2
x		<div></div>
<hr/>		
	4	<div></div>

8	1	4
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7a. Sara and Riley have multiplied the same number by different amounts.



Sara

	T	O
	?	?
x		2
	4	6



Riley

	T	O
	?	?
x		3
	6	9

What was their number?  
Explain how you know, using a place value grid to show your working.




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7b. Rehan and Anna have multiplied the same number by different amounts.



Rehan

	T	O
	?	?
x		4
	8	4



Anna

	T	O
	?	?
x		3
	6	3

What was their number?  
Explain how you know, using a place value grid to show your working.



R

8a. Ben is thinking of a number.



I multiplied a number by 4. I then subtracted 5. The answer was 83.

What is Ben's number?  
Explain how you know.



R

8b. Fatima is thinking of a number.



I multiplied a number by 3. I then added 10 and the answer was 73.

What is Fatima's number?  
Explain how you know.



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9a. Create and solve a calculation using all the digit cards below.

	T	O
x		

- 3
- 2
- 9
- 6
- 3



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9b. Create and solve a calculation using all the digit cards below.

	T	O
x		

- 4
- 2
- 1
- 8
- 4



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### Multiply 2 Digits by 1 Digit 1

#### Developing

- 1a. Destiny is correct. Rehan has added 2 to each number instead of multiplying.  
2a.  $12; 2 \times 12 = 24$   
3a.  $23 \times 3 = 69$

#### Expected

- 4a. Brody is correct. Rose has added the numbers in the ones column.  
5a.  $11; 8 \times 11 = 88$   
6a.  $22 \times 4 = 88$

#### Greater Depth

- 7a. 23  
8a.  $22; 83 + 5 = 88$  and  $4 \times 22 = 88$   
9a.  $23 \times 3 = 69$  or  $32 \times 3 = 96$

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### Multiply 2 Digits by 1 Digit 1

#### Developing

- 1b. Fatima is correct. Dan has taken 1 away from each digit instead of multiplying.  
2b.  $11; 5 \times 11 = 55$   
3b.  $34 \times 2 = 68$

#### Expected

- 4b. Ian is correct. Ellie has added the numbers instead of multiplying.  
5b.  $12; 4 \times 12 = 48$   
6b.  $12 \times 4 = 48$

#### Greater Depth

- 7b. 21  
8b.  $21; 73 - 10 = 63$  and  $21 \times 3 = 63$   
9b.  $21 \times 4 = 84$  or  $12 \times 4 = 48$