

Assignment Record Sheet

Math Core A

Full Name: _____

Week: 2/24 - 2/28

Unit Name: Let's Be Rational

Period: 4

Date Assigned	Focus Question??	Homework (IP=in packet)	Meets Expectation (15 points)	Approaching Expectations (5 points)	Below Expectation (0 points)
Monday Feb. 24	<i>What strategies can you use to multiply all combinations of factors including whole numbers, fractions, and mixed numbers?</i>	WU: None CW: Unit Test Corrections HW: None	WU: CW: HW:		
Tuesday Feb. 25	<i>What strategies can you use to multiply all combinations of factors including whole numbers, fractions, and mixed numbers?</i>	WU: None CW: STAR 360 HW: None	WU: CW: HW:		
Wed. Feb. 26	<i>What strategies can you use to multiply all combinations of factors including whole numbers, fractions, and mixed numbers?</i>	WU: None CW: Math Review HW: None	WU: CW: HW:		
Thursday Feb. 27	<i>How can you use number properties and equivalent fractions to multiply rational numbers?</i>	WU: Intro. to Lesson 2.3 CW: Prob. 2.3 A (IP) HW: Labsheet (IP)	WU: CW: HW:		
Friday Feb. 28	<i>How can you use number properties and equivalent fractions to multiply rational numbers?</i>	WU: None CW: Introduction to DESMOS HW: None Turn in your math packet	WU: CW: HW:		

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Total Homework Score for the Week: _____/75

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Daily Materials Score _____/25

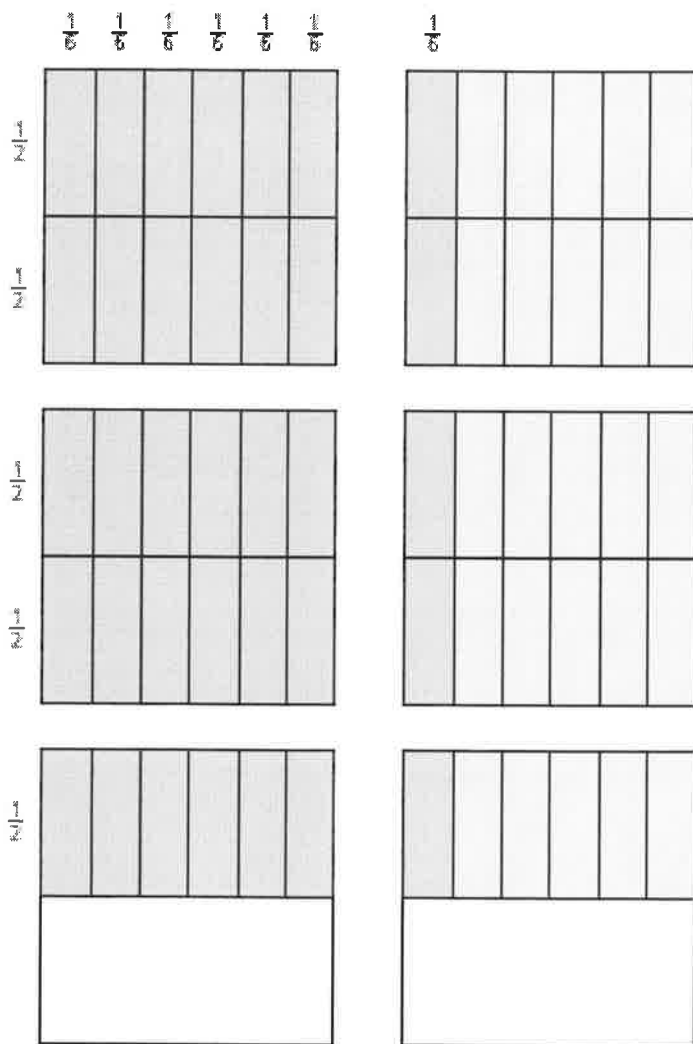
Problem 2.3

Diagrams for Question B, part (3)

(For Class Discussion)

In the diagram below, a student converted each mixed number into an improper fraction.

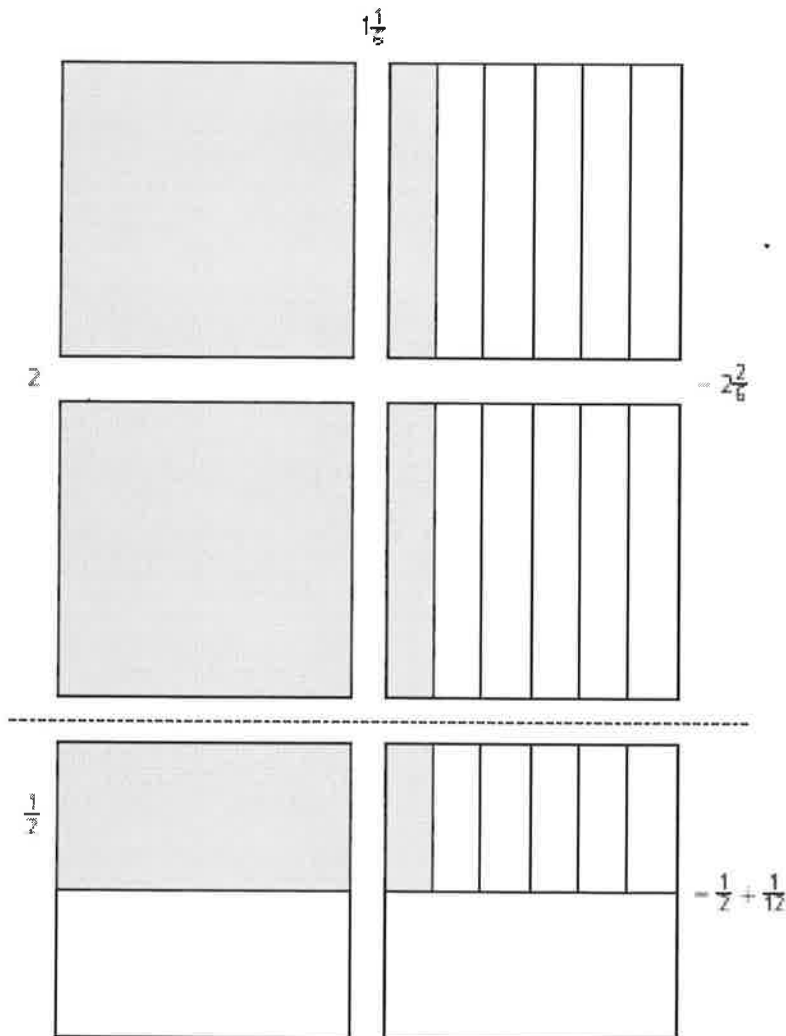
For $2\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{6}$, $2\frac{1}{2}$ was converted into $\frac{5}{2}$, and $1\frac{1}{6}$ was converted into $\frac{7}{6}$.



Problem 2.3

Diagrams for Question B, part (3)
(For Class Discussion)

In the diagram below, a student used the Distributive Property and separated $2\frac{1}{2}$ into $2 + \frac{1}{2}$. The student then multiplied both 2 and $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{6}$, then combined those separate products.



Problem 2.3A

Takoda's and Yuri's Strategies

Takoda's Strategy

I used what I know about fractions to rewrite $2\frac{2}{3}$ as $\frac{8}{3}$ to make the problem easier to solve.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{2}{3} &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{8}{3} \\ &= \frac{8}{6} \\ &= 1\frac{2}{6} \\ &= 1\frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Yuri's Strategy

I wrote $2\frac{2}{3}$ as $(2 + \frac{2}{3})$ and used the Distributive Property to make the problem easier to solve.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{2}{3} &= \frac{1}{2} \times (2 + \frac{2}{3}) \\ &= (\frac{1}{2} \times 2) + (\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{3}) \\ &= 1 + \frac{2}{6} \\ &= 1\frac{2}{6} \\ &= 1\frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

- a. Does each strategy work? How do you know?
- b. How are the strategies similar? How are they different?
- c. Use one of the strategies to solve $1\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{4}{5}$

Labsheet

Writing a Multiplication Algorithm

A. For each of the following products:

- Estimate the sum or product.
- Use an algorithm to find the exact product.
- Compare your estimate to the exact answer.

1. $\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{3}{4}$

2. $\frac{2}{5} \times 12$

3. $3\frac{2}{3} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$

4. $2\frac{1}{4} \times 2\frac{5}{6}$

5. $6 \times 1\frac{3}{8}$

6. $\frac{1}{4} \times \frac{2}{5}$

7. $\frac{2}{3} \times \frac{5}{7}$

8. $1\frac{1}{5} \times 2\frac{2}{3}$

9. $2 \times 1\frac{7}{8}$

B. 1. Sort the problems from Question A into two groups:

- Group 1: problems that require less work than the others to solve
- Group 2: problems that require more work than the others to solve

2. Explain why you put each problem into the group you chose.

~~C. Write some new problems that belong in each group.~~

~~D. Describe an algorithm for finding the products in each group.~~