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Distributive Property: Make it Simple!

Rewrite each of the following equations using the distributive property. Write the correct answer for each problem. Remember to show your work.

Example: $7 \times 32 =$ 224

$$(7 \times 30) + (7 \times 2)$$

$$210 + 14$$

$$224$$

Actual student answers may vary. Examples of correct answers.

A) $6 \times 55 =$ 330

$$(6 \times 50) + (6 \times 5)$$

$$300 + 30$$

$$330$$

B) $9 \times 74 =$ 666

$$(9 \times 70) + (9 \times 4)$$

$$630 + 36$$

$$666$$

C) $12 \times 140 =$ 1680

$$(12 \times 100) + (12 \times 40)$$

$$1200 + 480$$

$$1680$$

D) $8 \times 112 =$ 896

$$(8 \times 110) + (8 \times 2)$$

$$880 + 16$$

$$896$$

E) $30 \times 156 =$ 530

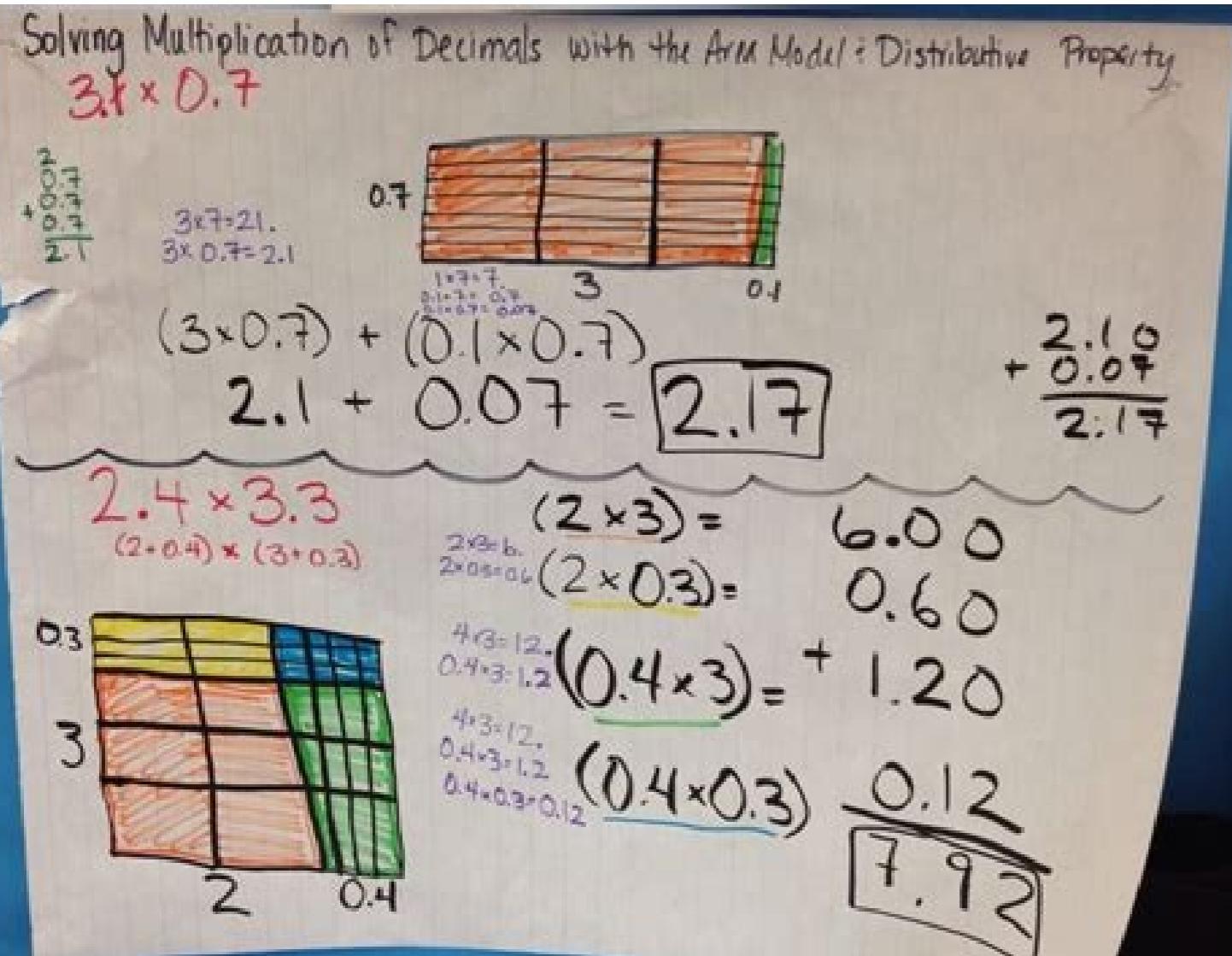
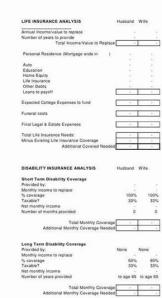
$$(30 \times 150) + (30 \times 6)$$

$$450 + 180$$

$$530$$

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**Distributive Property (A)**

Use the distributive property to simplify each expression.

$-9n(-8n - 7)$

$-2t(-9 + 9t)$

$-3b(6b + 6)$

$-7r(8 + 3r)$

$3m(-2 + 3m)$

$7w(-8 + 3w)$

$2w(-w - 4)$

$6q(-4 + 8q)$

$-8v(-2 - 5v)$

$-8a(7a + 2)$

$5g(g - 1)$

$y(-9 + 6y)$

$6b(8 + 7b)$

$3r(-4r - 8)$

$3d(-5 + 8d)$

$-7r(4 - 6r)$

$-8j(7 - 6j)$

$-3j(9 + 9j)$

$2m(4 - 4m)$

$8c(-5c + 9)$

Distributive Property Match UP	
$32 \times 45 =$	(<u> </u> + <u> </u>) \times <u> </u>
$63 \times 42 =$	(<u> </u> + <u> </u>) \times <u> </u>
$27 \times 18 =$	(<u> </u> + <u> </u>) \times <u> </u>
$85 \times 46 =$	(<u> </u> + <u> </u>) \times <u> </u>
$91 \times 73 =$	(<u> </u> + <u> </u>) \times <u> </u>
6,643	3,910
14,40	486
2,646	

Solving equations using the distributive property worksheet answer key