

Trial and Improvement (to find area)



4x10
8x5
This rectangle has area 40cm^2
20x2

What are some possible dimensions?

1x40
16x 2.5
32x1.25
0.5x 80
0.25 x 160



The area of this rectangle
42cm²

Find some possible dimensions...where both numbers are whole numbers.



This rectangle has area 132cm^2

Find some possible dimensions...where both numbers are whole numbers.

[Trial and Improvement \(to do hard sums\)](#)

Use your calculator to work out the missing digits:

$$5\overset{6}{_} \times 89 = 4984$$

$$6\overset{3}{_} \times 35 = 22\overset{0}{_}5$$

Handwritten working: $65 \times 35 = 2275$

$$\overset{6}{_}2 \times 65 = 4\overset{0}{_}30$$

Showing your working!

$$62x_4 = 45_8$$

$$8_x 43 = 3_26$$

Showing all your working, work out:

1. $3_x 62 = 22_2$

2. $_4x 71 = 59_4$

3. $59x_1 = 12_9$

$$36x62=2232$$

$$84x71=5964$$

$$59x21= 1239$$

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Trial and Improvement

Using a systematic method solve the following problems:

$$\begin{array}{r} 1265 \\ 23 \times 5 \underline{} = 12 \underline{8} \\ 23 \times 5 \underline{6} = 128 \underline{8} \end{array}$$



$$\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ \underline{2} \times 69 = 289 \underline{} \\ 2 \times 69 = 3588 \text{ to} \\ 4 \times 69 = 2898 \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$23 \times 56 = 1288$$

$$6 \underline{} \times 28 = 18 \underline{} 6$$



$$\begin{array}{l} 65 \times 28 = 1820 \text{ts} \\ 66 \times 28 = 1848 \text{ts} \\ 67 \times 28 = 1876 \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$\underline{7} \times 36 = 169 \underline{}$$

$$67 \times 28 = 1876$$



$$8 \underline{3} \times 47 = 4056 \underline{} \quad 47 \times 36 = 1692$$



$$863 \times 47 = 40561$$



Trial and Improvement

$$2.\underline{5} \times 5.9 = 13.\underline{\quad}7$$

$$2.5 \times 5.9 = 14.75 \text{ too big}$$

$$2.3 \times 5.9 = 13.57 \checkmark$$

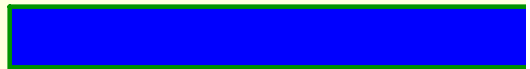


$$2.3 \times 5.9 = 13.57$$

$$9.2 \times \underline{\quad}.9 = 63.4\underline{\quad}$$

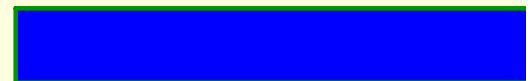
$$9.2 \times 6.9 = 63.48$$

$$6.4 \times 2.\underline{\quad} = 17.9\underline{\quad}$$



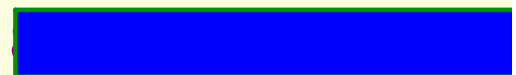
$$6.4 \times 2.8 = 17.92$$

$$9.7 \times \underline{\quad}.6 = 34.\underline{\quad}2$$



$$8.3 \times 1.4\underline{\quad} = 12.20\underline{\quad}$$

$$8.7\underline{\quad} \times 3.1 = 27.21\underline{\quad}$$



Use trial and improvement to solve these Fibonacci strips

3	5	8	13	21		
7	8	15	23	38		
2	3	5	8	13		
8	2	10	12	22		
10	5	15	20 20	35		
4	5	9	14	23	37	60
2	5	7	12	19	31	50
7	1	8	9	17	26	43
9	10	19	29	48	77	125
12						180

Is 20 a square number?

$4.5^2 = 20.25$ too
 $4.4^2 = 19.36$
 $4.45^2 = 19.8025$

$x = 4.5$
to 1 dp

Does 20 have a square root?

4.4	4.45	4.5
↑ too	↑ too	↑ too

What do you know about the square root of 20?

Is 324 a square number?

Is 260 a square number?

Using your calculator find out if these numbers have a square root that is a whole number.

187

$$15^2 = 225 \text{ tb}$$

$$13^2 = 169 \text{ ts}$$

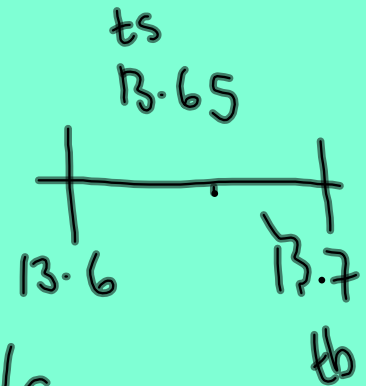
$$14^2 = 196 \text{ tb}$$

$$13.5^2 = 182.25 \text{ ts}$$

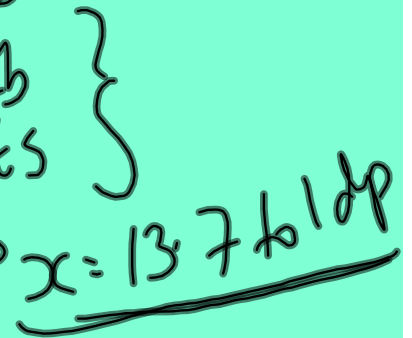
$$13.7^2 = 187.69 \text{ tb}$$

$$13.6^2 = 184.96 \text{ ts}$$

$$13.65^2 = 186.3 \text{ ts}$$



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1690

1296

9801

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game

Find two numbers that differ by 1 and have a product of

1) $6 = 2 \times 3$

2) $56 = 7 \times 8$

3) $110 = 10 \times 11$

4) $182 = 13 \times 14$

5) $272 = 16 \times 17$

6) $462 = 21 \times 22$
multiply

7) $1190 = 34 \times 35$

8) $10100 = 101 \times 100$

9) $3192 = 56 \times 57$

10) $3540 = 59 \times 60$

- 1) $2 \times 3 = 6$
- 2) $6 \times 7 = 56$
- 3) $10 \times 11 = 110$
- 4) $13 \times 14 = 182$
- 5) $16 \times 17 = 272$
- 6) $21 \times 22 = 462$
- 7) $34 \times 35 = 1190$
- 8) $100 \times 101 = 10100$
- 9) $56 \times 57 = 3192$
- 10) $59 \times 60 = 3540$

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The area of this shape is 552cm^2 .

The length is one cm longer than the width. Find the length and width.

length	width	area	too big /small
$x+1$	x	$x(x+1)$	
23	22	22×23	506 $\neq 552$
24	23	23×24	552 ✓



The area of this shape is 2970cm^2 .

The length is one cm longer than the width. Find the length and width.

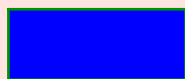
length	width	area	too big /small



The area of this shape is 2679cm^2 . The length is 10cm longer than the width.

Find the length and width.

length	width	area	too big /small



The area of this shape is 552cm^2 . The length is one cm longer than the width.

Find the length and width.

length	width	area	too big /small

Trial and improvement

Find the solution to the equation $x(x+2) = 40$ to 1 decimal place.

x	$x(x+2)$	40
2	$2 \times 4 = 8$	ts
6	$6 \times 8 = 48$	tb
5	$5 \times 7 = 35$	ts
5.5	$5.5 \times 7.5 = 41.25$	tb
5.4	$5.4 \times 7.4 = 39.96$	ts
5.45	$5.45 \times 7.45 = 40.60$	ts

Handwritten notes: A number line between 5.4 and 5.5 shows 5.45. The final answer is $x = 5.4$ to 1 dp.

By using trial and improvement find the solution to $x^3 = 30$ to 1 decimal place.

x	x^3	30
2	8	ts
3	27	ts
4	64	tb
3.5	42.87	tb
3.2	32.768	tb
3.1	29.791	ts
3.15	31.258	tb

Handwritten notes: A number line between 3.1 and 3.2 shows 3.15. The final answer is $x = 3.1$ to 1 dp.

By using trial and improvement find the solution to $x^3 + x = 40$ to 1 dp.

Solve these equations by trial and improvement to 1 dp

x		16
5		tb
4		ts
4.5		ts
4.7		tb
4.6		tb
4.55		tb
x=4.5		
x		100
15		ts
17		tb
16		ts
16.5		tb
16.3		tb
16.2		tb
16.1		ts
16.15		ts
x=16.2 to 1 dp		

x	$x(x-1)$	16
5	20	tb
4	12	ts
4.5	15.75	ts
4.7	17.39	tb
4.6	16.56	tb
4.55	16.152	tb
x=4.5		
x	$x(x-10)$	100
15	75	ts
17	119	tb
16	96	ts
16.5	107.25	tb
16.3	102.69	tb
16.2	100.44	tb
16.1	98.21	ts
16.15	99.32	ts
x=16.2 to 1 dp		

Attachments

fibonnaci strips.xls