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placement of the decimal point is different. The product of  $4.2 \times 6.7$  is 28.14 and the product of  $42 \times 67$  is 2,814.

Show your work.

a. 15.96

b. 0.206

c. 0.0518

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The product is 0.8064.

Check for reasonableness 0.8064  $\approx$  0 ✓

**Got it?** Do these problems to find out.

a.  $5.7 \times 2.8$

b.  $4.12 \times 0.05$

c.  $0.014 \times 3.7$

how  
our  
work

1.  $0.6 \times 0.5 = \underline{0.3}$

2.  $27.43 \times 1.089 = \underline{29.87127}$

3.  $0.98 \times 7.3 = \underline{7.154}$

4.  $2.7 \times 1.35 = \underline{3.645}$

5.  $0.03 \times 0.09 = \underline{0.0027}$

6.  $0.04 \times 2.12 = \underline{0.0848}$

7. A mile is equal to approximately 1.609 kilometers. How many kilometers is 2.5 miles? Justify your

answer. (Example 5)  $\underline{4.0225 \text{ km}; 1.609 \times 2.5 \approx 1.5 \times 3 = 4.5; 4.5 \approx 4.0225}$

8.  **Building on the Essential Question** Why is estimating not as helpful when multiplying very small numbers such as

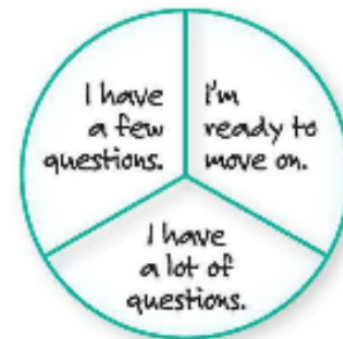
0.007 and 0.053?  $\underline{\text{Sample answer: Both numbers}}$

$\underline{\text{will round to 0. So, it will be difficult to know if you}}$

$\underline{\text{have multiplied correctly.}}$

### Rate Yourself!

Are you ready to move on?  
Shade the section that applies.



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Multiply. (Examples 1–4)

1.  $0.7 \times 0.4 = \underline{0.28}$



2.  $0.4 \times 3.7 = \underline{1.48}$

 3.  $0.52 \times 2.1 = \underline{1.092}$

4.  $6.2 \times 0.03 = \underline{0.186}$

5.  $14.7 \times 11.361 = \underline{167.0067}$

6.  $0.28 \times 0.08 = \underline{0.0224}$



**7 STEM** A giraffe can run up to 46.93 feet per second. How far could a giraffe run in 1.8 seconds? Justify your answer.

(Example 5)

**84.474 ft;  $46.93 \times 1.8 \approx 45 \times 2 = 90$ ;  $84.474 \approx 90$**

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8. A nutrition label indicates that one serving of apple crisp oatmeal has 2.5 grams of fat. How many grams of fat are there in 3.75 servings? Justify your answer. (Example 5)

**9.375 g;  $25 \times 375 = 9,375$ , and there are 3 total decimal places, so the decimal point is placed 3 places from the right.**

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**Multiply.**

10.  $25.04 \times 3.005 = \underline{75.2452}$

11.  $1.03 \times 1.005 = \underline{1.03515}$

12.  $5.12 \times 4.001 = \underline{20.48512}$

13. **STEM** The table shows the approximate distance around Earth.

Location	Approximate Distance (mi)
around Earth at the equator	24,889.78
around Earth through the poles	24,805.94

- a. About how many more miles would a satellite travel if it circled the equator 2.5 times than if it circled around the poles 2.5 times?

**209.6 mi**

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- b. The distance around Jupiter at the equator is about 17.6 times greater than the distance around Earth at the equator. About how many more miles would a satellite travel if it circled Jupiter's equator than if it circled Earth's equator? Round to the nearest tenth.

**413,170.3 mi**

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### **H.O.T. Problems** Higher Order Thinking

14. **MP Reason Abstractly** Write a multiplication problem in which the product is between 0.05 and 0.75. **Sample answer:  $0.1 \times 0.6$**
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15. **MP Justify Conclusions** Place the decimal point in the answer to make it correct. Explain your reasoning.  $3.9853 \times 8.032856 = 32013341\dots$   
32.013341\dots; Sample answer:  $3.9853 \times 8.032856$  rounds to  $4 \times 8 = 32$ , so the answer must be about 32.

16. **MP Construct an Argument** Determine whether the following statement is *always*, *sometimes*, or *never* true. Give examples to justify your answer.
- The product of two decimals less than 1  
is less than either of the factors.*

always; Sample answer:  $0.3 \times 0.5 = 0.15$ ;  $0.75 \times 0.6 = 0.45$

17. **MP Reason Inductively** Is the product of  $0.4 \times 1.8$  greater than or less than 0.4? Explain your reasoning. greater than 0.4; It is being multiplied by a decimal greater than 1.

18. **MP Persevere with Problems** Evaluate the expression  $0.3(3 - 0.5)$ . 0.75

19. **MP Model with Mathematics** Write a world problem in which you multiply two decimals. The product should be between 0 and 1.  
Sample answer: Diego is growing plants from seeds. Each day, the plant grows 0.5 inch. How many inches tall is the plant after 1.5 days? 0.75 in.