

## Recipe Ratio Problems



- 1). A bread dough recipe requires 5 cups of flour with 2 cups of milk.
  - a). If 20 cups of flour are used, how many cups of milk would be needed?
  - b). If 7 cups of milk are used, how many cups of flour would be needed?
  - c). 21 cup measures are used. How many cups of flour and how many cups of milk are used?
  
- 2). A super berry smoothie recipe requires 350 ml of strawberry yoghurt with 100 ml of milk.
  - a). What is the ratio of the volume of strawberry yoghurt to the volume of milk, in its simplest form?
  - b). If 700 ml of strawberry yoghurt is used, what volume of milk is needed?
  - c). If 250 ml of milk is used, what volume of strawberry yoghurt is needed?
  - d). 405 ml of strawberry yoghurt and milk is used.  
What volume of strawberry yoghurt and what volume of milk is used?
  
- 3). A doughnut recipe requires 225 g of plain flour with 50 g of butter.
  - a). What is the ratio of the amount of plain flour to the amount of butter, in its simplest form?
  - b). If 180 g of plain flour is used, how much butter is needed?
  - c). If 75 g of butter is used, how much plain flour is needed?
  - d). 1.43 kg of plain flour and butter is used. How much plain flour and how much butter is used?
  
- 4). A chocolate truffle requires just two ingredients, 75 g of cream cheese with 225 g of melting chocolate.
  - a). What is the ratio of the amount of cream cheese to the amount of chocolate, in its simplest form?
  - b). If 180 g of chocolate is used, how much cream cheese is needed?
  - c). If 720 g of chocolate is used, what would be the mass of the truffle produced?
  - d). 1.5 kg of chocolate truffle is made. How much cream cheese and how much chocolate is used?
  
- 5). A pizza dough requires just two ingredients, 1 cup of self raising flour with  $\frac{3}{4}$  cup of Greek yoghurt.
  - a). What is the ratio of the amount of self raising flour to the amount of Greek yoghurt, in its simplest form?
  - b). If 12 cups of self raising flour are used, how much Greek yoghurt will be needed?
  - c). If  $1\frac{1}{2}$  cups of Greek yoghurt are used, how much self raising flour will be needed?
  - d).  $31\frac{1}{2}$  cups of self raising flour and Greek yoghurt are used.  
How many cups of self raising flour and how many cups of Greek yoghurt are used?
  
- 6). Concrete is mixed with cement, sand and gravel in the ratio 1 : 2 : 3.
  - a). If 4 buckets of cement are used, how much sand and gravel is needed to make the concrete?
  - b). If 6 buckets of sand are used, how much cement and gravel is needed to make the concrete?
  - c). If  $1\frac{1}{2}$  buckets of gravel are used, how much sand and cement is needed to make the concrete?
  - d). Altogether 42 buckets are used to measure out the concrete.  
How many buckets of cement, sand and gravel are used?
  
- 7). A builder mixes cement and sand so it is in the ratio 1 : 3.  
Six further buckets of cement are added to this mixture so the ratio of cement to sand becomes 4 : 3.
  - a). How many buckets of cement were in the original mixture?
  - b). How many buckets of sand were in the original mixture?
  
- 8). A cocktail of orange and lemonade is mixed in a punch bowl so it is in the ratio 2 : 5.  
1.8 litres of orange is added to the punch bowl so the ratio of orange to lemonade becomes 6 : 5.
  - a). What volume of orange was in the original cocktail?
  - b). What volume of lemonade was in the original cocktail?

