



Decode the Maths Joke



Fractions of Amounts

Calculate a value for each of the letters of the alphabet.

A	$\frac{3}{5}$ of 30	18
B	$\frac{1}{4}$ of 200	50
C	$\frac{1}{3}$ of 81	27
D	$\frac{2}{3}$ of 174	116
E	$\frac{5}{6}$ of 90	75
F	$\frac{3}{10}$ of 150	45
G	$\frac{5}{8}$ of 48	30
H	$\frac{6}{7}$ of 42	36
I	$\frac{2}{5}$ of 320	128
J	$\frac{1}{5}$ of 10	2
K	$\frac{11}{12}$ of 60	55
L	$\frac{1}{2}$ of 5	2.5
M	$\frac{5}{6}$ of 78	65

N	$\frac{3}{4}$ of 2400	1800
O	$\frac{3}{10}$ of 3	0.9
P	$\frac{3}{5}$ of 200	120
Q	$\frac{3}{4}$ of 120	90
R	$\frac{2}{7}$ of 35	10
S	$\frac{2}{5}$ of 4	1.6
T	$\frac{5}{8}$ of 256	160
U	$\frac{2}{5}$ of 60	24
V	$\frac{4}{5}$ of 9000	7200
W	$\frac{7}{10}$ of 40	28
X	$\frac{3}{4}$ of 28	21
Y	$\frac{2}{3}$ of 360	240
Z	$\frac{7}{10}$ of 290	204

Now decode the joke....

28 36 240 / 128 1.6 / 18 / 65 18 160 36 1.6 / 50 0.9 0.9 55 /
18 2.5 28 18 240 1.6 / 24 1800 36 18 120 120 240 ???

50 75 27 18 24 1.6 75 / 128 160 / 36 18 1.6 / 2.5 0.9 160 1.6 /
0.9 45 / 120 10 0.9 50 2.5 75 65 1.6 !!!

_____ Why is a maths book always unhappy?? _____

_____ Because it has lots of problems!! _____
