

Divisibility rules practice

Grade 6 Factoring Worksheet

A. For each number on the left, place a check mark (✓) under the numbers it is divisible by. Use the divisibility rules on page 2.

Number	4	7	8	11	12
1) 128					
2) 147					
3) 256					
4) 363					
5) 480					
6) 616					
7) 792					
8) 1,012					
9) 2,145					
10) 3,168					

B. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

- 1) Write any 3-digit number divisible by 4 and 8. _____
- 2) Write any 3-digit number divisible by 7 and 11. _____
- 3) Write any 3-digit number divisible by 12. _____
- 4) Explain why 864 is divisible by 4 and 12.

Divisibility Rules

Divisible by	Rule
2	A number is divisible by 2 if its last digit is 0, 2, 4, 6, or 8.
3	A number is divisible by 3 if the sum of its digits is divisible by 3.
4	A number is divisible by 4 if its last two digits are divisible by 4.
5	A number is divisible by 5 if its last digit is 0 or 5.
6	A number is divisible by 6 if it is divisible by both 2 and 3.
7	A number is divisible by 7 if the difference between twice the last digit and the remaining number is 0 or a multiple of 7.
8	A number is divisible by 8 if its last three digits are divisible by 8.
9	A number is divisible by 9 if the sum of its digits is divisible by 9.
10	A number is divisible by 10 if its last digit is 0.
11	A number is divisible by 11 if the difference between the sums of alternating digits is 0 or a multiple of 11.
12	A number is divisible by 12 if it is divisible by both 3 and 4.

Answers

Number	4	7	8	11	12
1) 128	✓		✓		
2) 147		✓			
3) 256	✓		✓		
4) 363				✓	
5) 480	✓		✓		✓
6) 616	✓	✓	✓		
7) 792	✓				✓
8) 1,012	✓				
9) 2,145				✓	
10) 3,168	✓		✓		✓

- 1) Write any 3-digit number divisible by 4 and 8. 384 (Answers may vary)
- 2) Write any 3-digit number divisible by 7 and 11. 154 (Answers may vary)
- 3) Write any 3-digit number divisible by 12. 144 (Answers may vary)
- 4) Explain why 864 is divisible by 4 and 12.

864 is divisible by 4 because the last two digits are 64, and 64 is divisible by 4. It is divisible by 12 because it is divisible by both 3 and 4. The sum of its digits is $8 + 6 + 4 = 18$, and 18 is divisible by 3. Therefore, 864 is divisible by both 4 and 12.