



Finding Greatest Common Factor

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Determine the greatest common factor (GCF) of each set of numbers.

12 , 16 To find the GCF of 12 & 16, first write down the factors of each number.

Factors of 12 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 12

Factors of 16 1, 2, 4, 8, 16

2 & 4 are factors both 12 and 16 have in common, with 4 being the greatest. So **4** is the GCF.

1) 24 , 20

Factors of 24 _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

Factors of 20 _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

2) 6 , 28

Factors of 6 _____, _____, _____, _____

Factors of 28 _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

3) 30 , 8

Factors of 30 _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

Factors of 8 _____, _____, _____, _____

4) 3 , 27

Factors of 3 _____, _____

Factors of 27 _____, _____, _____, _____

5) 39 , 12

Factors of 39 _____, _____, _____, _____

Factors of 12 _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

6) 33 , 24

Factors of 33 _____, _____, _____, _____

Factors of 24 _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

7) 2 , 24

Factors of 2 _____, _____

Factors of 24 _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

8) 42 , 21

Factors of 42 _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

Factors of 21 _____, _____, _____, _____

9) 15 , 20

Factors of 15 _____, _____, _____, _____

Factors of 20 _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

Answers

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____

8. _____

9. _____



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2) 6 , 28

Factors of 6 1, 2, 3, 6

Factors of 28 1, 2, 4, 7, 14, 28

3) 30 , 8

Factors of 30 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 15, 30

Factors of 8 1, 2, 4, 8

4) 3 , 27

Factors of 3 1, 3

Factors of 27 1, 3, 9, 27

5) 39 , 12

Factors of 39 1, 3, 13, 39

Factors of 12 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 12

6) 33 , 24

Factors of 33 1, 3, 11, 33

Factors of 24 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 24

7) 2 , 24

Factors of 2 1, 2

Factors of 24 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 24

8) 42 , 21

Factors of 42 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 14, 21, 42

Factors of 21 1, 3, 7, 21

9) 15 , 20

Factors of 15 1, 3, 5, 15

Factors of 20 1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 20

Answers

1. 4

2. 2

3. 2

4. 3

5. 3

6. 3

7. 2

8. 21

9. 5