

Multiply Tens, Hundreds, and Thousands

You can use a pattern to multiply with tens, hundreds, and thousands.

Count the number of zeros in the factors.

$$4 \times 6 = 24 \quad \leftarrow \text{basic fact}$$

$$4 \times \underline{60} = \underline{240} \quad \leftarrow \text{When you multiply by tens, the last digit in the product is 0.}$$

$$4 \times \underline{600} = \underline{2,400} \quad \leftarrow \text{When you multiply by hundreds, the last two digits in the product are 0.}$$

$$4 \times \underline{6,000} = \underline{24,000} \quad \leftarrow \text{When you multiply by thousands, the last three digits in the product are 0.}$$

When the basic fact has a zero in the product, there will be an extra zero in the final product:

$$5 \times 4 = 20, \text{ so } 5 \times \underline{4,000} = \underline{20,000}$$

Complete the pattern.

1 $9 \times 2 = 18$
 $9 \times 20 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 $9 \times 200 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 $9 \times 2,000 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

2 $8 \times 4 = 32$
 $8 \times 40 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 $8 \times 400 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 $8 \times 4,000 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

3 $6 \times 6 = 36$
 $6 \times 60 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 $6 \times 600 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 $6 \times 6,000 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

4 $4 \times 7 = 28$
 $4 \times 70 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 $4 \times 700 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 $4 \times 7,000 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Find the product.

5 $7 \times 300 = 7 \times \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ hundreds}$
 $\quad = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ hundreds}$
 $\quad = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

6 $5 \times 8,000 = 5 \times \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ thousands}$
 $\quad = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ thousands}$
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