Ratio and Proportion Problem-Solving

To use the ingredients for 1 person, you divide all the quantities by 10 (÷ 10).

Ingredients for Fruit Smoothie
(serves 10 people)

To use the ingredients for 5 people, you halve all the quantities (÷ 2).

800g of bananas

500g of strawberries

200g of raspberries

700ml of milk

300ml of natural yogurt

To use the ingredients for 20 people, you double all the quantities (× 2).

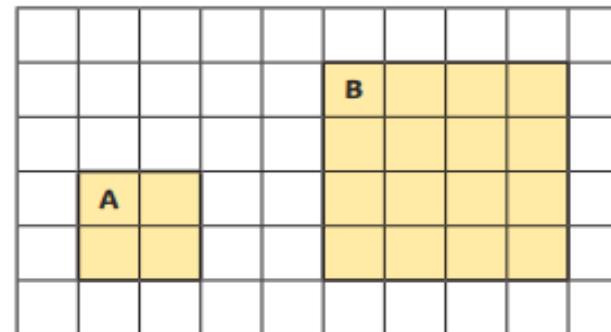In a bag of 15 sweets, there is 1 smiley face sweet for every 4 love heart sweets.

Therefore, there will be 3 smiley face sweets and 12 love heart sweets in the bag.
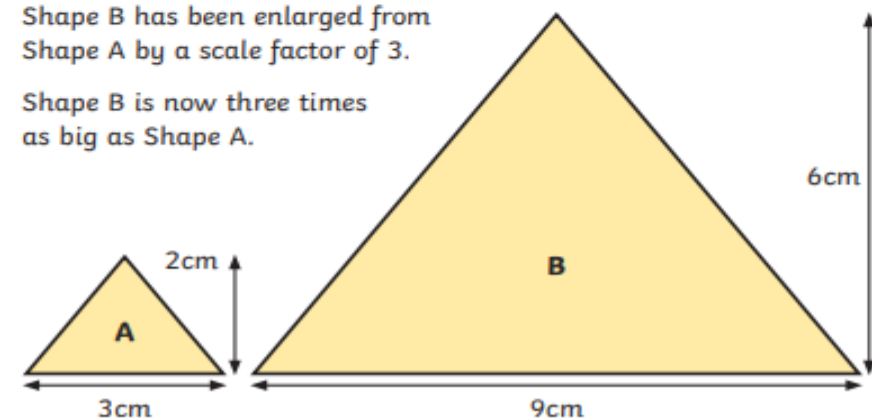
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Scale Factors

Shape A has been enlarged by a scale factor of 2 to make Shape B.

Shape B is now two times as big as Shape A.

Shape B has been enlarged from Shape A by a scale factor of 3.

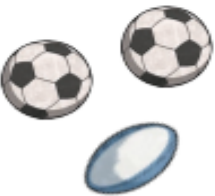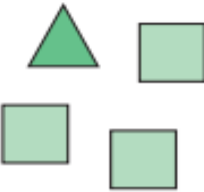Shape B is now three times as big as Shape A.

A: 2cm, 3cm

B: 6cm, 9cm

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Key Vocabulary

- ratio
- proportion
- "for every... there are..."
- part
- whole
- scale factor
- enlargement
- similar shapes
- length
- width
- perimeter

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Ratio Language

For every 1 circle, there are 2 triangles.

For every 2 bananas, there are 3 apples.

For every 1 football, there are 3 rugby balls.

Ratio and Fractions

For every 1 rugby ball, there are 2 footballs.

Ratio of rugby balls to footballs: 1:2

$\frac{1}{3}$ of the balls are rugby balls.

For every 1 triangle, there are 3 squares.

Ratio of triangles to squares: 1:3

$\frac{1}{4}$ of the shapes are triangles.

The Ratio Symbol

The ratio of footballs to rugby balls: 1:4

The ratio of rugby balls to footballs: 4:1

The ratio of circles to triangles: 2:3

The ratio of triangles to circles: 3:2

The ratio of apples to bananas: 1:2

The ratio of bananas to oranges: 2:3

The ratio of apples to bananas to oranges: 1:2:3

The ratio of oranges to bananas to apples: 3:2:1