

Examples of Rates



1. Look for examples of rates in newspapers, in magazines, and on labels.

Study the two examples below, and then list some of the examples you find. If possible, bring your samples to class.

Example: Label on a can of corn says "Servings Per Container $3\frac{1}{2}$ "



Example: Lightbulbs come in packages of 4 bulbs.

The package doesn't say so, but there are always

4 bulbs in each package.

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Practice

2.
$$\frac{4}{5} - \frac{1}{5} =$$

3.
$$= \frac{7}{8} - \frac{3}{4}$$

4. _____ =
$$\frac{1}{9} + \frac{8}{9}$$

5.
$$\frac{1}{3} + \frac{3}{6} =$$