

Introduction to Ratio - Review

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f. $56 : 72$

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g. $81 : 108$

d. $18 : 48$

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a. $4 : 12 = 1 : 3$

e. $28 : 42 = 2 : 3$

b. $8 : 20 = 2 : 5$

f. $56 : 72 = 7 : 9$

c. $12 : 40 = 3 : 10$

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Animal	Birth (kg)	Adult (kg)	Birth : Adult
Bear	4	280	1 : 70.0
Elephant	100	6000	1 : 60.0
Killer Whale	150	1450	1 : 9.7
Tortoise	0.03	4	1 : 133.3

Tortoise grows the most