

Estimating Quotients

Estimate each product.

1. $37\frac{1}{3} \div 5\frac{7}{8} =$	2. $25\frac{1}{2} \div 6\frac{1}{4} =$	3. $49\frac{4}{5} \div 6\frac{1}{2} =$
4. $12\frac{3}{4} \div 5\frac{5}{9} =$	5. $43\frac{2}{3} \div 5\frac{2}{5} =$	6. $8\frac{1}{3} \div 2\frac{9}{10} =$
7. $67\frac{1}{5} \div 7\frac{2}{7} =$	$ 8. 55\frac{5}{9} \div 7\frac{1}{6} =$	9. $19\frac{6}{7} \div 4\frac{1}{8} =$
10. $71\frac{4}{5} \div 7\frac{8}{9} =$	11. $15\frac{7}{10} \div 3\frac{4}{9} =$	12. $79\frac{4}{7} \div 8\frac{5}{8} =$
13. $26\frac{1}{4} \div 2\frac{3}{8} =$	14. $40\frac{8}{9} \div 7\frac{3}{5} =$	15. $58\frac{1}{3} \div 19\frac{5}{6} =$

- **16.** Number Sense Tran wants to cut strips of paper that are $2\frac{1}{4}$ in. wide. His sheet of paper is $11\frac{1}{2}$ in. wide. He estimates that $11\frac{1}{2} \div 2\frac{1}{4} = 6$, so he can cut 6 strips from each sheet of paper. Is his estimate an overestimate or an underestimate? Explain.
- **17. Writing to Explain** Eliza uses $2\frac{7}{8}$ feet of yarn in each gift basket she makes. Explain how to estimate how many baskets Eliza can make if she has 22 feet of yarn.
- **18. Geometry** The area of this rectangle is $257\frac{1}{4}$ sq in. What is the best estimate of side length *w*?
 - **A** 66,000 in.
 - **B** 50 in.
 - **C** 25 in.
 - **D** 5 in.
- **19. Critical Thinking** What estimation method did you use to find the length of side *w* in Problem 18?

 $257\frac{1}{4}$ sq in.

w

 $10\frac{1}{2}$ in.