Estimate Quotients

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Interactive Examples

Use compatible numbers to estimate the quotient.

$$18 \div 3 = 6$$

Estimate the quotient.

11.
$$737.5 \div 9$$

Problem Solving Real World

- **13.** Taylor uses 645.6 gallons of water in 7 days. Suppose Taylor uses the same amount of water each day. About how much water does Taylor use each day?
- **14.** On a road trip, Sandy drives 368.7 miles. Her car uses a total of 18 gallons of gas. About how many miles per gallon does Sandy's car get?



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15. WRITE Math Explain how to find an estimate for the quotient $3.4 \div 6$.

Lesson Check

- 16. Terry bicycled 64.8 miles in 7 hours. What is the best estimate of the average number of miles she bicycled each hour?
- **17.** What is the best estimate for the following quotient?

$$891.3 \div 28$$

Spiral Review

- **18.** An object that weighs 1 pound on Earth weighs 1.19 pounds on Neptune. Suppose a dog weighs 9 pounds on Earth. How much would the same dog weigh on Neptune?
- 19. A bookstore orders 200 books. The books are packaged in boxes that hold 24 books each. All the boxes the bookstore receives are full, except one. How many boxes does the bookstore receive?

- **20.** Tara has \$2,000 in her savings account. David has one-tenth as much as Tara in his savings account. How much does David have in his savings account?
- **21.** Which symbol makes the statement true? Write >, <, or =.

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