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Developing

1a. Jen has represented 4 x 8 in her array. She needs to add an another column of 4 counters to show 4 x 9.

2a. Aryan could have 90, 99 or 108 donuts. He might need 10 (90 \div 9 = 10); 11 (99 \div 9 = 11) or 12 (108 \div 9 = 12) boxes.

3a. Zaina is not correct because she has 5 packs. 5 x 9 = 45 crayons. Zaina and Mason have an equal number of crayons.

Expected

4a. Lois has added 3 counters which represents 10 lots of 3. She needs to add another row of 9 counters to represent 4 x 9 to represent the answer of 36.

5a. Sue could have 54, 63 or 72 buns. She might need 6 (54 \div 9 = 6), 7 (63 \div 9 = 7) or 8 (72 \div 9 = 8) boxes.

6a. Lexi is correct because she has 6 packs. $6 \times 9 = 54$ stickers. Dylan has 63 stickers, so he has more.

Greater Depth

7a. Hassan's calculation would be:

 $6 \times 9 = 54$ and $3 \times 9 = 27$

54 + 27 = 81

or $6 + 3 = 9 \times 9 = 81$ which is not equal to $10 \times 9 = 90$.

8a. Connor could have filled 5, 6, 7 or 8 racks. He might have 45 (5 x 9 = 45), 54 (6 x 9 = 54), 63 (7 x 9 = 63) or 72 (8 x 9 = 72) bikes.

9a. Sophie is incorrect because she has 5 bags. $5 \times 9 = 45$ sweets. 45 + 18 = 63 sweets in total. Armin has $7 \times 9 = 63$ sweets so they each have an equal number.

Developing

1b. Esa has represented 6 x 6 with the number pieces. He needs to add 3 more 6s to show nine 6s and get the same answer of 54.

2b. Danielle could have 6, 7, 8, 9 or 10 bags. She might have 54 (6 x 9 = 54); 63 (7 x 9 = 63); 72 (8 x 9 = 72); 81 (9 x 9 = 81) or 90 (10 x 9 = 90) tennis balls.

3b. Finlay is incorrect because $90 \div 9 = 10$.

Expected

4b. Liam has removed the correct number of counters but he has arranged them to represent $3 \times 3 = 9$. He needs one row of 9 counters to represent $1 \times 9 = 9$.

5b. Josh could have used 9, 10, 11 or 12 crates. He might have packed 81 (9 x 9 = 81); 90 (10 x 9 = 90); 99 (11 x 9 = 99) or 108 (12 x 9 = 108) bottles of pop.

6b. Harry is correct because he has shared out 36 strawberries. $36 \div 9 = 4$ bowls. Maisie has prepared 3 bowls which is fewer than Harry's 4 bowls.

Greater Depth

7b. Lily's calculation would be:

 $12 \times 9 = 108$ and $4 \times 9 = 36$

108 - 36 = 72;

Or $12 - 4 = 8 \times 9 = 72$ which is not equal to $7 \times 9 = 63$.

8b. Emily could have 72, 81, 90 or 99 biscuits. She might have 8 (72 \div 9 = 8), 9 (81 \div 9 = 9), 10 (90 \div 9 = 10) or 11 (99 \div 9 = 11) full jars.

9b. Jim is correct because Kat has given out 6 packs. $54 \div 9 = 6$. Jim has given out 7 packs which is more than Kat.

