1. Label the tape diagrams. Then, fill in the blanks below to make the statements true.

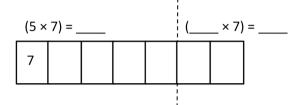
a. **6 × 7 =** _____

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$$(6 \times 7) = (5 + 1) \times 7$$

= $(5 \times 7) + (1 \times 7)$
= $35 +$

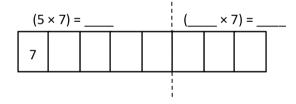
b. **7 × 7 =**____



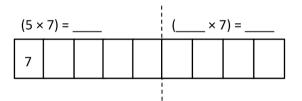
$$(7 \times 7) = (5 + 2) \times 7$$

= $(5 \times 7) + (2 \times 7)$
= $35 +$
= ____

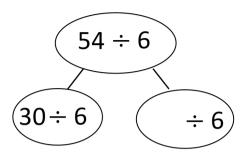
c. **8** × **7** = _____



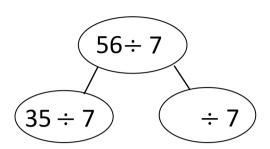
d. **9 × 7 =**



2. Break apart 54 to solve $54 \div 6$.



3. Break apart 56 to solve $56 \div 7$.



4. Forty-two third grade students sit in 6 equal rows in the auditorium. How many students sit in each row? Show your thinking.

5. Ronaldo solves 7×6 by thinking of it as $(5 \times 7) + 7$. Is he correct? Explain Ronaldo's strategy.

Answer Key

- 1. a. Tape diagrams accurately labeled; 42; 35; 1, 7; 7, 42
 - b. Tape diagrams accurately labeled; 49; 35; 2, 14; 14, 49
 - c. Tape diagrams accurately labeled; 56; 35; 3, 21; 3; 3; 21; 56
 - d. Tape diagrams accurately labeled; 63; 35; 4, 28; 4; 4; 28; 63
- 2. 24; 24; 4; 9
- 3. 21; 35, 7; 21, 7; 3; 8
- 4. 7; explanations will vary.
- 5. Yes; explanations will vary.