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$x = \#$ of skates

$y = \#$ of bikes

$$15x + 20y = 450$$

$$x + y = 25$$

1) Isolate
a variable

$$x = 25 - y$$

2) Substitute

$$15(25 - y) + 20y = 450$$

3) Solve $15(25-y) + 20y = 450$

$$375 - 15y + 20y = 450$$

$$375 + 5y = 450$$

$$5y = 75$$

$$y = 15$$

4) Find the
other variable
by substitution

$$x + 15 = 25$$

$$x = 10$$

Solution: 10 pairs of in-line skate rentals and 15 bicycle rentals.

Chapter 11-5 Multiplying Rational Expression Notes

Things to consider:

- look to simplify by canceling
- remember to use the integer and exponent rules
- may have to factor out a variable, number, or an expression (parentheses)
- multiply numerators together then denominators together

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$$\frac{\cancel{7}n^5}{\cancel{5}n^2} \cdot \frac{\cancel{10}n^3}{\cancel{14}n}$$

$$\frac{n^8}{n^3} = n^5$$

division: subtract exponents

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$$\frac{\overset{1}{\cancel{3}}x}{\underset{2}{\cancel{8}}x^2} \cdot \frac{\overset{1}{\cancel{4}}x^3}{\underset{1}{\cancel{3}}x^4}$$


$$\frac{x^4}{2x^6} = \frac{1}{2x^2}$$

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Factor 

$$\frac{\overset{4}{\cancel{8}}x}{(\cancel{x+2})(x+2)} \cdot \frac{\cancel{x+2}}{\cancel{2}x^3}$$

$$\frac{4\cancel{x}}{\cancel{x}^2(x+2)} = \frac{4}{x^2(x+2)}$$

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$$4. \quad \frac{3x}{x^2 - 2x - 24} \cdot \frac{x - 6}{6x^2 + 9x}$$

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$$\frac{\cancel{3x}}{(\cancel{x-6})(x+4)} \cdot \frac{\cancel{x-6}}{\cancel{3x}(2x+3)} = \frac{1}{(x+4)(2x+3)}$$

Simplify

$$5. \quad \frac{6x^2 + 7x - 33}{x + 4} \cdot \frac{1}{6x - 11}$$

Simplify

Factor with box method

$$5. \frac{6x^2 + 7x - 33}{x + 4} \cdot \frac{1}{6x - 11}$$

$$AC = -198$$

factors of \pm -2, 99

-3, 66

-6, 33

-9, 22

-11, 18

$$\frac{(x+3)(\cancel{6x-11})}{x+4} \cdot \frac{1}{\cancel{6x-11}}$$

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$6x$	$6x^2$	$18x$
-11	$-11x$	-33

$$\frac{x+3}{x+4}$$