

Renaming Fractions as Percents



In 2001, there were about 2,317,000 marriages in the United States. The table below shows the approximate number of marriages each month.

- Use a calculator to find the percent of the total number of marriages that occurred each month. Round the answers to the nearest whole-number percent.

Month	Approximate Number of Marriages	Approximate Percent of Total Marriages
January	147,000	6%
February	159,000	
March	166,000	
April	166,000	
May	189,000	
June	237,000	
July	244,000	
August	225,000	
September	224,000	
October	217,000	
November	191,000	
December	152,000	

Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

- According to the table, what is the most popular month for a wedding? _____
 What is the least popular month for a wedding? _____
- Describe how you used your calculator to find the percent for each month.

Practice

Name all the factors of each number.

4. 63 _____

5. 28 _____