Quotient

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## **Partial Quotients**

## Divide. Use partial quotients.

858 ÷ 57

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Step 1 Estimate the number of groups of	858	
57 that are in 858. You know $57 \times 10 = 570$ .	<u>-570</u>	10
Since 570 < 858, at least 10 groups of 57	288	
are in 858. Write 10 in the quotient column,		
because 10 groups of the divisor, 57, are in		
the dividend, 858.		

**Step 2** Now estimate the number of groups of 57 that are in 288. You know  $60 \times 4 = 240$ . So at least 4 groups of 57 are in 288. Subtract 228 from 288, because  $57 \times 4 = 228$ . Write 4 in the quotient column, because 4 groups of the divisor, 57, are in 288.

**Step 3** Identify the number of groups of 57 that are in 60.  $57 \times 1 = 57$ , so there is 1 group of 57 in 60. Write 1 in the quotient column.

**Step 4** Find the total number of groups of the divisor, 57, that are in the dividend, 858, by adding the numbers in the quotient column.

Include the remainder in your answer.

## remainder $\rightarrow \frac{60}{-57}$ $+ \frac{1}{15}$

288

60

-228

Answer: 15 r3

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