

# Using Multiplication Facts to Estimate

Estimate each quotient. Show which multiplication facts you used to make your estimates.

Example:  $7 \overline{)468}$

Think:

$7 \times 50 =$	350	
$7 \times 60 =$	420	← 468
$7 \times 70 =$	490	

**Answer:** The quotient will be at least 60 but less than 70. I used multiples of 10 and  $7 \times 5$ ,  $7 \times 6$ , and  $7 \times 7$ . Since 468 is between  $7 \times 60 = 420$  and  $7 \times 70 = 490$ .

1. Kenya listed the following quotients to help her solve  $384 \div 5$ .

$5 \times$	50	= 250
$5 \times$	60	= 300
$5 \times$	70	= 350
$5 \times$	80	= 400

Write an estimate using her list of multiplication facts.

2.  $256 \div 4$

3.  $416 \div 5$