

4.OA.B.4 Prime and Composite Numbers

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1.	What is a	composite	number?	Give 2	2 examp	les of	composite	number?
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Solution:

2. Draw arrays to find the factors. Determine whether the number is prime or composite.

Number	Arrays	Factors	Prime or Composite?
6			
14			
19			
25			

- 3. Write prime or composite for each number.
 - a. 5
- f. 30
- b. 11
- g. 31
- c. 18
- h. 33
- d. 21
- i. 34
- e. 27
- j. 37

Solution:

a.

f.

b.

g.

c. d. h. i.

- e.
- j.

- 4. Which number is <u>not</u> a composite number
 - A. 51
- B. 53
- C. 55
- D. 57

Solution:

- 5. A composite number is greater than 20 and less than 30. All the factors of these numbers are prime numbers. Which number is it?
 - A. 21
- B. 24
- C. 27
- D. 28

Solution:

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Answer Key

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1. What is a composite number? Give 2 examples of composite number?

Solution: A composite number has more than two factors. Examples are 4, 10 etc.

2. Draw arrays to find the factors. Determine whether the number is prime or composite.

Number	Arrays	Factors	Prime or Composite?
6		1, 2, 3, 6	Composite
14		1, 2, 7, 14	Composite
19		1, 19	Prime
25		1, 5, 25	Composite

- 3. Write prime or composite for each number.
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Solution:

- a. Prime
- f. Composite
- b. Prime
- g. Prime
- c. Composite
- h. Composite
- d. Composite
- i. Composite
- e. Composite
- j. Prime

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Solution: B

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Solution: A