

PERCENTAGES & CIRCLE GRAPHS

Important Things to Remember (Fill in the blank)

Calculating Percentages

Step One: Add all data numbers together to calculate the whole total.

Example:

Ice Cream	Votes For Favorite Ice Cream
Chocolate	12
Vanilla	6
Strawberry	8
Coffee Dough	10
Gummi	1

12 + 6 + 8 + 10 + 1 = 37

Total = 37

Step Two: Divide EACH data number by Round the decimal to the nearest

Chocolate to the nearest 0.32

Step Three: Move the decimal over TWICE & you have your percentage!

Example:

Ice Cream	Equation	Equals (Percent Number)
Chocolate	$12 \div 37$	$0.32 = 32\%$
Vanilla	$6 \div 37$	$0.16 = 16\%$
Strawberry	$8 \div 37$	$0.21 = 21\%$
Coffee Dough	$10 \div 37$	$0.27 = 27\%$
Gummi	$1 \div 37$	$0.03 = 3\%$