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Unit Rate

Cost Comparisons - Which is the better buy?

Math 6

You are going to compare prices by finding the unit rate. Complete the tables below, show your division, and find the best cost per ounce.

1. Record the price of the item...
2. Find the size of the package in ounces...
3. Write the ratio of price to ounces as a fraction...
4. Find the unit rate by dividing the cost by the number of ounces in the package...
5. Round to the nearest cent and record the cost per ounce...
6. Explain which is the better buy and why...




Snack Food 	Price of Item Be sure to label with \$	Size of Package in ounces Be sure to label with oz.	Ratio in the form of a Fraction $\frac{\text{price}}{\text{ounce}}$	Divide the price by the number of ounces to find the unit rate.	Unit Rate Be sure to Label \$/oz.
Large Box Pretzels 					
Pretzels - Small 					
Which is the better buy and why?					

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Goldfish Crackers Family Size 					
Goldfish Crackers Standard Size Bag 					
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Raisins Large Container 					
Raisins Snack Size Boxes 					
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This table can be used if different snacks are used.

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