## Answers

## Activity 1 - Multiplying decimals by whole numbers

1. a): $2 \times 0 \cdot 3=0.6$
2. b): $3 \times 0.03=0.09$
3. c): $4 \times 0 \cdot 2=0.8$
4. d$): 4 \times 1 \cdot 2=4 \cdot 8$
2.: $12 \times 0.3=3.6$
$21 \times 0.04=0.84$
$0.02 \times 32=0.64$
$12 \times 0.3$ has the greatest product and $0.02 \times 32$ has the smallest product.
5. a):

| $2 \times 3=6$ | $20 \times 3=60$ |
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| $0.2 \times 3=0.6$ | $20 \times 0.3=6$ |
| $0.02 \times 3=0.06$ | $20 \times 0.03=0.6$ |
| $2 \times 0.3=0.6$ | $200 \times 0.3=60$ |
| $2 \times 0.03=0.06$ | $2,000 \times 0.03=60$ |

3. b): There are lots of different ways to answer this question. You might have mentioned multiplication facts, powers of 10 and place value.
4. c): There are lots of different ways to answer this question. You might have mentioned multiplication facts, powers of 10 and place value.
