

# Archeology Word Problems

Read each word problem and check the equations that match.  
Then circle the correct products.

1. In Colorado, an archeologist discovered a set of dinosaur bones! He dug up **8 dinosaurs**. Each dinosaur had **7 fossils**. How many fossils did the archeologist find in all?

$8 \times 9 = ?$

72

$8 \times 7 = ?$

56

$8 + 7 = ?$

15



2. An archeologist uncovered many fossils. She dug up **8 plant fossils** per day for **8 days**. How many plant fossils did she discover in 8 days?

$5 \times 8 = ?$

64

$8 + 8 = ?$

16

$8 \times 8 = ?$

40

