

156 ft to inches 12 in = 1 ft

ft → inches - Multiply? YES

* Answer will be greater than 156

Proportion: 2 fractions that are equal

$$\text{Option 1: } \frac{156 \text{ ft}}{X \text{ in}} = \frac{1 \text{ ft}}{12 \text{ in}} \qquad \frac{2 \text{ ft}}{24 \text{ in}}$$

$$\text{Option 2: } \frac{X \text{ in}}{156 \text{ ft}} = \frac{12 \text{ in}}{1 \text{ ft}}$$

$$\text{Solve for } X: \frac{156 \text{ ft}}{X \text{ in}} = \frac{1 \text{ ft}}{12 \text{ in}}$$

Cross Multiply $156 \cdot 12 = X \cdot 1$ $\frac{156 \text{ ft}}{X \text{ in}} \times \frac{1 \text{ ft}}{12 \text{ in}}$

$$\frac{1872}{1} = X$$

w/out cross mult. $\frac{156}{X} = \frac{1}{12}$

"Isolate X"

What math can we do?

$$X = \boxed{}$$

$$\boxed{} = X$$

- Mult. both sides by 12

$$12 \left(\frac{156}{X} \right) = \frac{1}{12} \cdot 12$$

$$\frac{12 \cdot 156}{X} = 1$$

$$\frac{1872}{X} = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{12} \cdot 12 \\ &= \frac{1 \cdot 12}{12} \\ &= \frac{12}{12} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{156}{x} = \frac{1}{12}$$

*Focus on moving x

$$x \left(\frac{156}{x} \right) = \frac{1}{12} \cdot x$$

$$156 = \frac{1}{12} \cdot x$$

$$\begin{aligned} 12 \cdot 156 &= \frac{1}{12} \cdot x \cdot 12 \\ &= \frac{1 \cdot x \cdot 12}{12} \end{aligned}$$

$$12 \cdot 156 = x$$

20.5 yards to feet. 3ft = 1yd

$$\frac{20.5}{x} = \frac{1}{3}$$

*Mult. both
sides by x

$$x \left(\frac{20.5}{x} \right) = \frac{1}{3} x$$

$$20.5 = \frac{1}{3} x$$

$$3 \cdot 20.5 = \frac{1 \cdot x \cdot 3}{3}$$

$$61.5 = X$$

$$\frac{20.5}{X}$$

$$\frac{1}{3}$$

$$20.5 \times 3 = 1 \cdot X$$