

### 5.3 Multiplying Decimals And Circumference Of A Circle

#### \* Multiplying Decimal Numbers

1. Ignore the decimal points and multiply as they are whole numbers
2. The number of decimal places in the product is equal to the sum of the number of decimal places in the factors

**Ex 1.** Perform indicated operations.

a.  $34.8 \times 0.62$

b.  $0.0641 \times 71$

c.  $(7.3)(-0.9)$

d.  $-15.463 \times 10$

e.  $-15.463 \times 100$

f.  $-15.463 \times 1000$

g.  $-15.463 \times 0.1$

h.  $-15.463 \times 0.01$

**\* Multiplying Decimals by Power of 10 such as 10, 100, 1000, 10000, ...**

Move the decimal point to the right the same number of places as there are zeros in the power of 10.

**\* Multiplying Decimals by Power of 10 such as 0.1, 0.01, 0.001, 0.0001, ...**

Move the decimal point to the left the same number of places as there are decimal places in the power of 10.

**Ex 2.** Perform indicated operations.

a.  $46.8 \times 10 =$

b.  $203.004 \times 100 =$

c.  $-2.33 \times 1000 =$

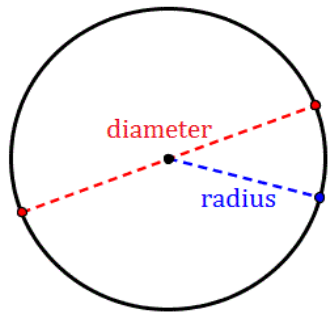
d.  $6.94 \times 0.1 =$

e.  $3.9 \times 0.01 =$

f.  $-7682 \times 0.001 =$

**\* Finding the Circumference of a Circle**

**Def.** The distance around a circle is called circumference.



Notation  
Diameter =  $d$

Formula  
Circumference =  $\pi \cdot \text{diameter}$   
 $C = \pi \cdot d$

Radius =  $r$   
 $d = 2r$

Circumference =  $2 \cdot \pi \cdot \text{radius}$   
 $C = 2 \cdot \pi \cdot r$

**Ex 3.** Find the circumference of a circle whose radius is 11 meters. Then use the approximation 3.14 for  $\pi$  to approximate this circumference.

**Ex 4.** Find the circumference of a circle whose diameter is 2.2 meters. Then use the approximation 3.14 for  $\pi$  to approximate this circumference.