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Multiplication Word Problems - Guided Lesson Explanation

Explanation #1

We can see that they have 72 pizzas. Each pizza is sliced into 2 pieces.

Total number of slices is 72 x 2 = 144.

Explanation #2

Each of Alan's friends has 8 (3 + 5) pets. He has 5 friends.

Total numbers of pets is 8 x 5 = 75.

Explanation #3

There are 4 boys and they each have 50 books.

Total number of books is 50 x 4 = 200.