

Menu Order

You might not realize it, but we use mixed operations on a regular basis when we are purchasing multiple items, dividing costs, and considering deals. Find a menu of a restaurant, bakery, or fast food chain. Imagine that Person A will be purchasing food for themselves and two friends with the following preferences:

- Person A is really hungry and needs a large meal.
- Person B will enjoy the same thing as person A, but may need an extra snack.
- Person C is not really hungry and will eat something small.
- Everyone needs to order a drink.

Create a number sentence that reflects all of these needs in your purchase. How did you solve your problem? Is there another way that you could go about solving the number sentence you came up with?