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# CHOCOLATE CUPCAKE DAY!



Chocolate Cupcake Day, celebrated on October 18th, is a sweet and indulgent day dedicated to chocolate cupcakes, inviting everyone to enjoy this beloved treat, which combines the rich flavors of chocolate in a small, delightful package.

**Directions:** Use your math skills to find the value of each icon and the '?' in the puzzle below.

$$\text{cupcake} + \text{cupcake liner} + \text{cupcake} = 36$$

$$\text{cupcake} + \text{chocolate bar} + \text{chocolate bar} = 28$$

$$\text{chocolate bar} - \text{mixing bowl} = 4$$

$$\text{cupcake} = \text{cupcake liner}$$

$$\text{cupcake} + \text{mixing bowl} + \text{chocolate bar} + \text{cupcake liner} = ?$$

My Answer: ? = \_\_\_\_\_

Answer Key:

Cupcake=12

Cupcake Holder=12

Chocolate Bar=8

Baking Supplies=4

**?=36**

**Fun Fact:** Cupcakes originated in the United States in the 19th century, and their name comes from the small cups or ramekins in which they were originally baked. This method was quicker and more convenient than baking larger cakes, and chocolate quickly became a favorite flavor. By the early 20th century, chocolate cupcakes had become a staple in American baking, celebrated for their convenience, portion control, and the delicious versatility they offered in terms of toppings and mix-ins.