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$$\begin{array}{r} 3.801 \cdot x = 3.804801 \\ \hline 3.801 \qquad \qquad 3.801 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{x = 1.001}$$

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First + Additional

$$30 = 10 + 20$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total Cost} &= 10(0.50) + 20(0.12) \\ &= 5.00 + 2.40 \\ &= \boxed{7.40} \end{aligned}$$

4. A circle has an area of $16\pi \text{ in}^2$. What is its diameter.

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \pi r^2 \\ \frac{16\pi}{\pi} &= \frac{\pi r^2}{\pi} \end{aligned}$$

$$16 = r^2$$

$$\underline{4 = r}$$

$$\begin{aligned} d &= 2r \\ d &= 2(4) \\ \boxed{d} &= \boxed{8 \text{ in}} \end{aligned}$$