Exploring Fractions



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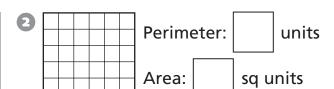
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 $\frac{1}{5}$ of the area is _____ square units

 $\frac{2}{5}$ of the area is _____ square units

 $\frac{3}{5}$ of the area is _____ square units

 $\frac{4}{5}$ of the area is _____ square units

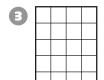


 $\frac{1}{5}$ of the area is _____ square units

 $\frac{2}{5}$ of the area is _____ square units

 $\frac{3}{5}$ of the area is _____ square units

 $\frac{6}{5}$ of the area is _____ square units



Perimeter:

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 $\frac{1}{8}$ of the area is _____ square units

 $\frac{3}{8}$ of the area is _____ square units

 $\frac{6}{8}$ of the area is _____ square units

 $\frac{1}{6}$ of the area is _____ square units $\frac{3}{6}$ of the area is _____ square units $\frac{5}{6}$ of the area is _____ square units

5 Separate the group of stars into thirds.

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____ stars are in $\frac{1}{3}$ of the group.

____ stars are in $\frac{2}{3}$ of the group.

____ stars are in $\frac{3}{3}$ of the group.

____ stars are in $\frac{4}{3}$ of the group.

6 Divide the segment into fourths.

If the line segment were 4 inches long, how long would $\frac{1}{4}$ of it be?

If the line segment were 16 inches long, how long would $\frac{1}{4}$ of it be?

Exploring Fractions Greater than 1

Try these problems. You can use pattern blocks if they help.

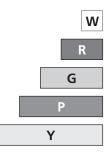
5 If **G** is
$$4\frac{1}{2}$$
, then what is **B** ? _____

10 If B is
$$1\frac{1}{2}$$
, then what is Y?

Exploring Fractions with Cuisenaire® Rods

To complete the number sentences, refer to these Cuisenaire® Rods.

The yellow rod equals 1.



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$$\frac{2}{5} + \frac{3}{5} =$$

2

$$\frac{2}{5} + \frac{2}{5} + \frac{1}{5} =$$

B



$$\frac{3}{5} + \frac{1}{5} =$$

4



$$\frac{4}{5}$$
 + $\boxed{}$ = $\frac{5}{5}$

5



$$\frac{4}{5} + \frac{2}{5} =$$

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$$\frac{3}{5} + \frac{4}{5} =$$

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Reasoning about Cuisenaire® Rod **Fractions**

Nick's recipe for trail mix calls for:

- 1 c granola
- $\frac{1}{2}$ c dried apricots
- c sunflower seeds
- c raisins
- $\frac{1}{4}$ c chocolate chips

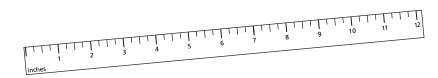
Nick decided to make one batch of trail mix. He looked to see if he had what he needed. This is what he found in his kitchen:

- $\frac{9}{8}$ c granola
- c dried apricots
- c sunflower seeds
- c raisins
- $\frac{1}{3}$ c chocolate chips
- Which ingredients does he NOT have enough of?
- With the ingredients that Nick already has, how much trail mix can he make?
- How much of each ingredient will Nick use?

- 4 How much granola will Nick have left?
- 5 Which other ingredients will Nick NOT use up completely?

Fractions of a Foot

Use an inch ruler to solve.



12 inches = 1 foot

1 yard = 3 feet

 $2 \frac{1}{4} \text{ foot} = \underline{\qquad} \text{ inches}$

 $3 \frac{1}{3}$ foot = ____ inches

4 _____ foot = 1 inch

5 _____ foot = 5 inches

6 _____ foot = 2 inches

1 yard = _____ inches

8 $\frac{1}{2}$ yard = _____ inches

10 _____ yard = 1 inch

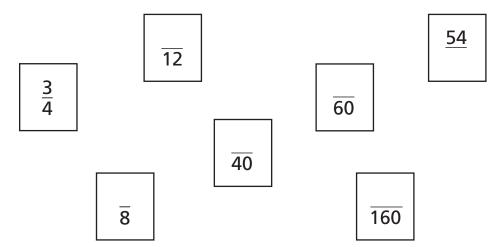
1 ______ yard = 5 inches

1 _____ yard = 24 inches

 $\frac{1}{3} \text{ yard } + \frac{1}{2} \text{ yard } + \frac{1}{6} \text{ yard } = \underline{\qquad} \text{ inches}$

Comparing Fractions with One Half

Complete each fraction so that it equals $\frac{3}{4}$.



Use <, >, or = to compare the fractions.

$$1 \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{2}{2}$$
 $\frac{3}{4}$

$$\frac{3}{2}$$
 $\frac{3}{4}$

$$\frac{3}{8}$$

5
$$\frac{1}{8}$$
 $\frac{3}{4}$

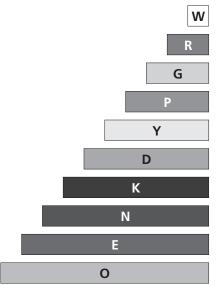
6
$$\frac{6}{8}$$
 $\frac{3}{4}$

$$7 \frac{7}{15}$$

$$\frac{14}{15}$$
 $\frac{3}{4}$

Comparing Fractions

Draw two Cuisenaire® Rods to represent the fractions. In all of the problems, the orange rod is equal to 1. You can use Cuisenaire® Rods if you need help.



 $0\frac{1}{5}$

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 $2\frac{2}{4}$

 $\frac{9}{10}$

 $\frac{4}{5}$

5 $\frac{12}{20}$

 $\frac{20}{50}$

Finding Equivalent Fractions

Use an inch ruler to solve.



- 1 $\frac{1}{6}$ of a foot is _____ inches. $\frac{2}{12}$ of a foot is also ____ inches.
- $2\frac{2}{6}$ of a foot is _____ inches. ____ of a foot is also ____ inches.
- $\frac{3}{6}$ of a foot is _____ inches. ____ of a foot is also ____ inches.

- $\bigcirc \frac{6}{6}$ of a foot is _____ inches. ____ of a foot is also ____ inches.

Making Equivalent Fractions

Complete the sentences.

$$1 \frac{9}{18} = \frac{1}{}$$

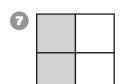
$$\frac{9}{27} = \frac{1}{}$$

$$\frac{3}{8} = \frac{3}{3}$$

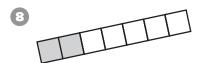
$$\frac{4}{75} = \frac{5}{\boxed{}}$$

$$\frac{3}{21} = \frac{1}{1}$$

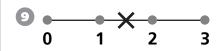
$$\frac{18}{30} = \frac{3}{30}$$

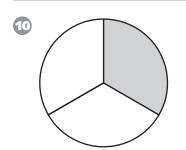


Half of
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 is _____.

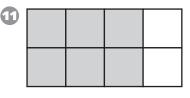


Half of
$$\frac{2}{7}$$
 is _____.

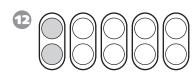




Half of $\frac{1}{3}$ is _____.



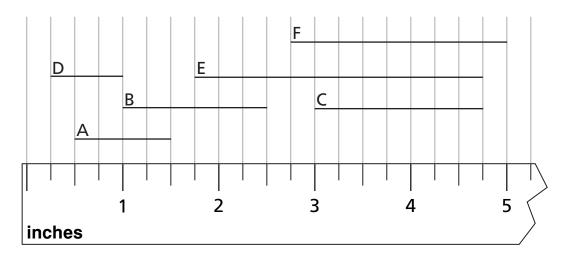
Half of
$$\frac{3}{4}$$
 is _____.



Half of
$$\frac{1}{5}$$
 is _____.

Fractions in Measurement

Record the lengths of these lines.



Lengths:

- **A:** _____ inches **C:** _____ inches **E:** _____ inches

- **B**: _____ inches
- **D**: _____ inches
- F: _____ inches

Sums of lengths:

A and B: _____ inches

D and **E**: _____ inches

B and **C**: ______ inches

E and F: _____ inches

Differences between lengths:

B and **D**: _____ inches

E and F: _____ inches

B and **A**: _____ inches

C and D: _____ inches

Modeling Addition of Fractions

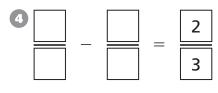
Make $\frac{2}{3}$ in as many ways as you can. Record your number sentences below. Use the back of the page if you have ideas for more number sentences.

<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
3	3	3

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