
circle the equivalent fraction


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Solve the word problems using the RDW strategy. Show all of your work.

1. George weeded $\frac{1}{5}$ of the garden, and Summer weeded some, too. When they were finished, $\frac{2}{3}$ of the garden still needed to be weeded. What fraction of the garden did Summer weed?
2. Jing spent $\frac{1}{3}$ of her money on a pack of pens, $\frac{1}{2}$ of her money on a pack of markers, and $\frac{1}{8}$ of her money on a pack of pencils. What fraction of her money is left?
3. Shelby bought a 2-ounce tube of blue paint. She used $\frac{2}{3}$ ounce to paint the water, $\frac{3}{5}$ ounce to paint the sky, and some to paint a flag. After that she has $\frac{2}{15}$ ounce left. How much paint did Shelby use to paint her flag?
4. Jim sold $\frac{3}{4}$ gallon of lemonade. Dwight sold some lemonade, too. Together, they sold $1 \frac{5}{12}$ gallons. Who sold more lemonade, Jim or Dwight? How much more?
5. Leonard spent $\frac{1}{4}$ of his money on a sandwich. He spent 2 times as much on a gift for his brother as on some comic books. He had $\frac{3}{8}$ of his money left. What fraction of his money did he spend on the comic books?

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Mr. Pham mowed $\frac{2}{7}$ of his lawn. His son mowed $\frac{1}{4}$ of it. Who mowed the most? How much of the lawn still needs to be mowed?

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1. Christine baked a pumpkin pie. She ate $\frac{1}{6}$ of the pie. Her brother ate $\frac{1}{3}$ of it and gave the leftovers to his friends. What fraction of the pie did he give to his friends?
2. Liang went to the bookstore. He spent $\frac{1}{3}$ of his money on a pen and $\frac{4}{7}$ of it on books. What fraction of his money did he have left?
3. Tiffany bought $\frac{2}{5} \mathrm{~kg}$ of cherries. Linda bought $\frac{1}{10} \mathrm{~kg}$ of cherries less than Tiffany. How many kilograms of cherries did they buy altogether?
4. Mr. Rivas bought a can of paint. He used $\frac{3}{8}$ of it to paint a bookshelf. He used $\frac{1}{4}$ of it to paint a wagon. He used some of it to paint a birdhouse and has $\frac{1}{8}$ of the paint left. How much paint did he use for the birdhouse?
5. Ribbon $A$ is $\frac{1}{3} \mathrm{~m}$ long. It is $\frac{2}{5} \mathrm{~m}$ shorter than Ribbon $B$. What's the total length of the two ribbons?
