

Fractions of Whole Numbers

Task- Use practical equipment to find the following.

Remember, for $\frac{1}{2}$, halve it, for $\frac{1}{4}$ halve it twice, for $\frac{1}{3}$ share by 3, and for $\frac{1}{5}$ share by 5.

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| | 16 | 20 | 28 | 40 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ of | | | | |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ of | | | | |

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| | 9 | 15 | 24 | 36 |
| $\frac{1}{3}$ of | | | | |
| $\frac{2}{3}$ of | | | | |

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| | 15 | 20 | 35 | 50 |
| $\frac{1}{5}$ of | | | | |
| $\frac{2}{5}$ of | | | | |

Going Deeper:

What is $\frac{1}{2}$ of 24?

15 is half of what number?

6 is $\frac{1}{3}$ of what number?

I spent $\frac{3}{4}$ of my money and had £10 left. How much did I have to start with?