

Finding Fractional Parts with Division



These 8 hearts are divided into four equal groups. Each part is $\frac{1}{4}$ (one-fourth) of the whole.

We can use division: $8 \div 4 = 2$. Each group has 2 hearts. So, $\frac{1}{4}$ of 8 hearts is 2 hearts.

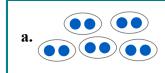


Mom divided 24 brownies into 6 equal parts. Each part is 1/6th of the whole. How many pieces are in each part?

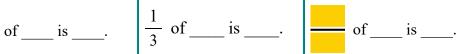
Divide to find out: $24 \div 6 = 4$. Four pieces. So, $\frac{1}{6}$ of 24 brownies is <u>4 brownies</u>.

To find $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{5}$ etc. part of something, divide by 2, 3, 4, 5, etc. (respectively).

1. Write a division sentence and a fractional part sentence.



$$\frac{1}{3}$$
 of ____ is ____





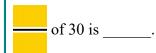
2. Write a fractional part sentence for each division sentence.

a.
$$30 \div 5 =$$

b.
$$48 \div 6 =$$

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$$30 \div 5 =$$
 _____ **b.** $48 \div 6 =$ ____ **c.** $25 \div 5 =$ ____ **d.** $50 \div 5 =$ ____

d.
$$50 \div 5 =$$



3. Find a part. Also write a division sentence.

a.
$$\frac{1}{6}$$
 of 30 is _____.

$$30 \div 6 = 5$$

a.
$$\frac{1}{6}$$
 of 30 is _____. **b.** $\frac{1}{7}$ of 49 is _____.

c.
$$\frac{1}{10}$$
 of 250 is _____.

d.
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 of 480 is _____

d.
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 of 480 is _____. **e.** $\frac{1}{9}$ of 1,800 is _____.

f.
$$\frac{1}{5}$$
 of 400 is _____.