# What Are Fractions?



### Integer

An integer is a \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_ number

Examples:

Non-Examples:

#### What is a Fraction?

- A fraction is \_\_\_\_\_\_
  - like a piece of a whole pizza or a whole pie





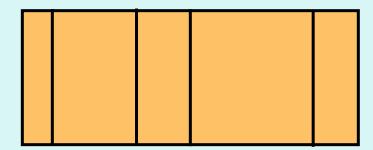
- A fraction is also
  - like in a dozen cupcakes



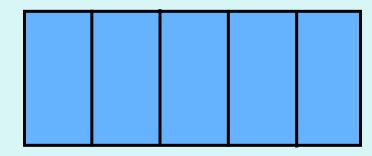
### **Equal Parts**

To have a fraction, you must have

not equal parts



equal parts



#### What does a fraction look like?



#### **Numerator and Denominator**

<u>Numerator</u> – The number on top that tells how many equal parts are described in the fraction.

<u>Denominator</u> – The quantity below the line in a fraction. It tells the number of equal parts into which the whole is divided.

### How Do We Read Fractions?

• Example - We made 6 cookies. 1 is peanut butter and 5 are chocolate chip. How would you write the number of peanut butter cookies as a fraction.









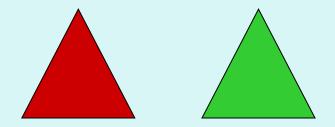




the number of peanut butter cookies ———

the total number of cookies ———

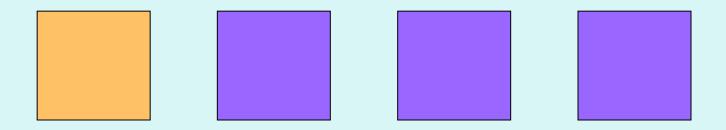
What fraction of the triangles are red?



red triangles ——

total number triangles ———

 What fraction of the boxes are orange?



orange boxes ———

total number boxes ———

What fraction of the stars are yellow?



yellow stars ——

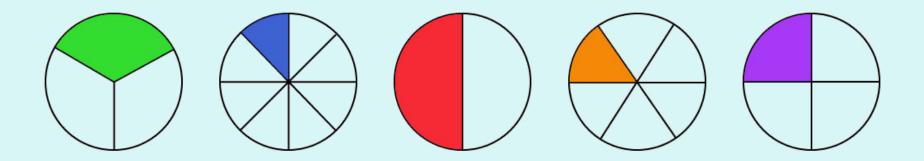
total number stars ———

Example – I ordered one whole pizza.
It was cut into 8 slices. I ate 2 slices.
What fraction of the whole pizza did I eat?

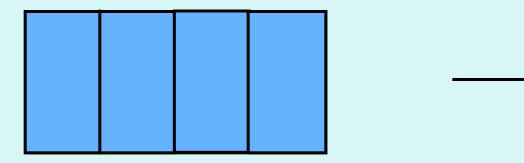
the number of slices I ate ----

the total number of pizza slices ———

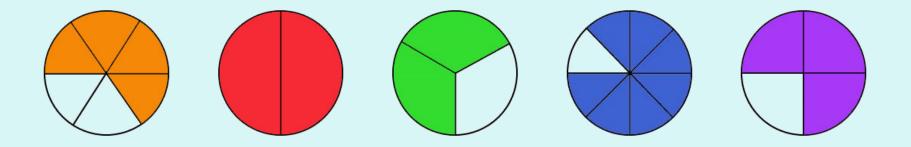
 What is the fraction of the colored part of each picture below?



 What is the fraction of the blue part of the picture below?



 What is the fraction of the colored part of each picture below?



### **Proper Fraction**

• Example:

### Improper Fraction

Fraction in which the numerator is \_\_\_\_\_ than the denominator. You must \_\_\_\_ to make it into a mixed number.

EX:

#### Mixed Number

Number that contains a \_\_\_\_\_ number and a \_\_\_\_

Ex:

#### **Greatest Common Facter**

Also known as GCF

• The \_\_\_\_ number that divides evenly into two or more numbers.

Used when \_\_\_\_\_fractions

## Least Common Multiple

 The least common multiple of the \_\_\_\_\_of two or more fractions.

- Ex: 4/8 and 5/6
- Multiples of 8:
- Multiples of 6:

- PowerPoint a combination of:
  - http://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Pr oduct/Intro-to-Fractions-PowerPoint-Lesson-506079

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