Modeling Fractions Greater Than 1



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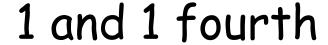
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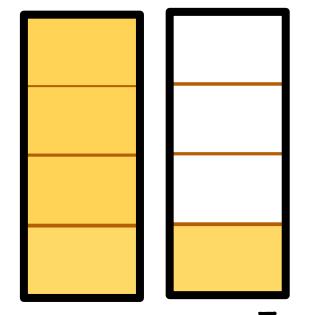
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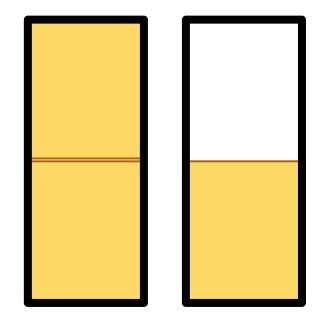
Summarize





$$5 \text{ fourths} = \frac{5}{4}$$

1 and 1 half

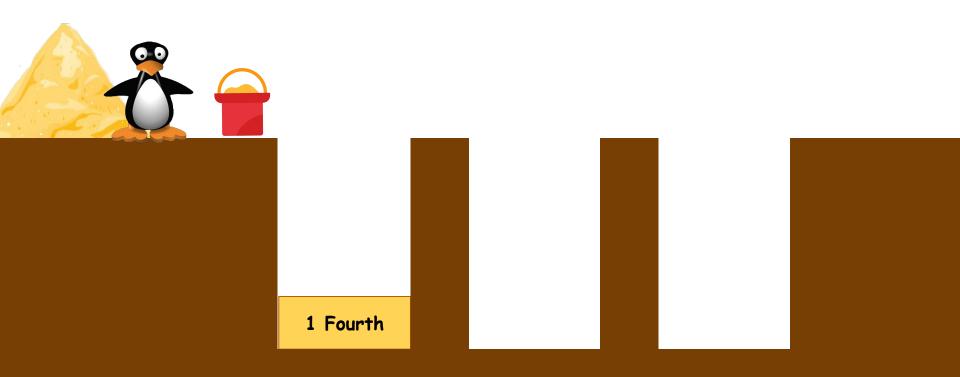


3 halves =
$$\frac{3}{2}$$



One bucket of sand filled 1 fourth of a pit.

How many pits are left to fill?



How many buckets are needed to fill them?

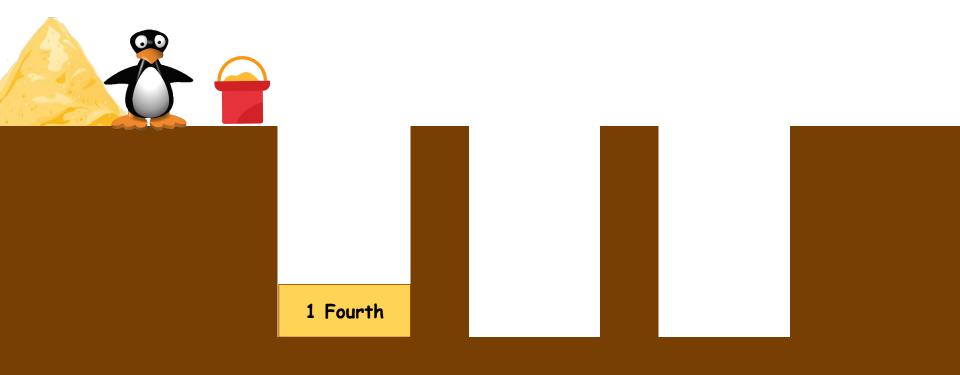
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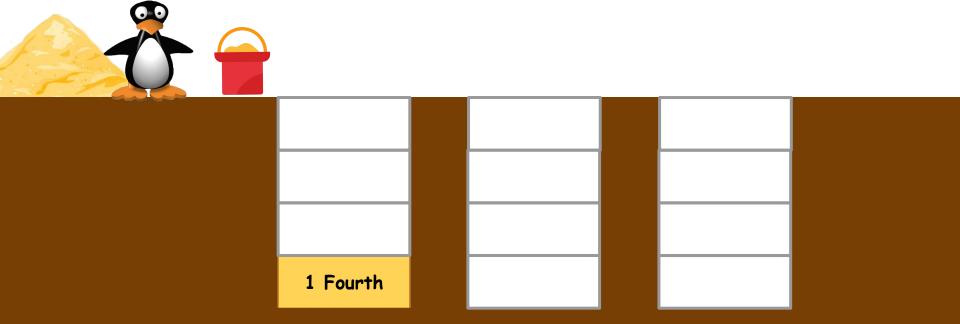


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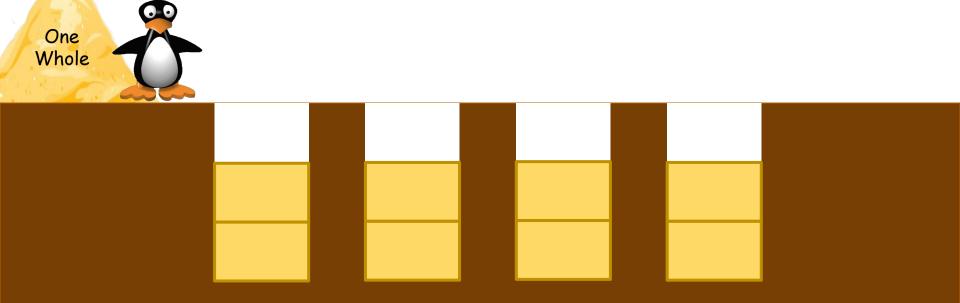
11 fourths filled ____ and 3 fourths of a pit.





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How many more piles of sand does JiJi need?



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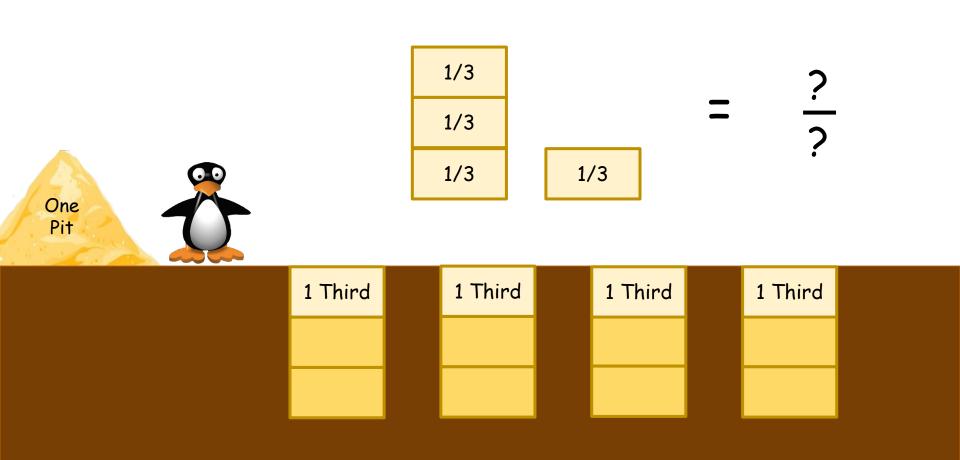
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Summary

JiJi needs 1 and 1 third of a pile to finish



What's another way of writing 1 and 1 third?



Which of these fractions is more than a whole?

How do you know?

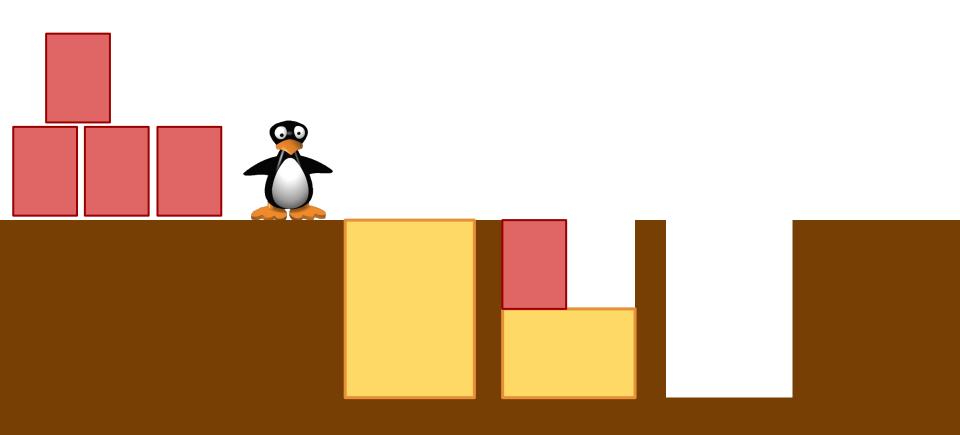
$$\frac{7}{3}$$
 $\frac{7}{8}$ $\frac{8}{6}$ $\frac{5}{6}$ $\frac{3}{4}$

Draw them on your organizer.

Bonus Question!

JiJi has run out of sand!

How many pits was JiJi able to fill with sand?



Are there enough bricks to fill in the rest?