

## Comparing Fractions

**Objectives:** 4.NF.A.2

Compare two fractions using a variety of techniques.

**Warm-up Problem:** Use the numbers below to make the number 4 by combining them with appropriate mathematical symbols. You can rearrange them in any way you want, but be sure to use all 4 numbers.

**1, 3, 5, 7**

1. Compare each pair of fractions by using a symbol "=", ">", or "<".

•  $\frac{3}{8}$        $\frac{20}{33}$

•  $\frac{1}{8}$        $\frac{1}{10}$

•  $\frac{21}{22}$        $\frac{9}{10}$

•  $\frac{3}{7}$        $\frac{5}{7}$

•  $\frac{3}{11}$        $\frac{5}{13}$

•  $\frac{9}{17}$        $\frac{4}{17}$

•  $\frac{5}{12}$        $\frac{11}{25}$

•  $\frac{3}{5}$        $\frac{3}{8}$

•  $\frac{25}{6}$        $\frac{32}{7}$

•  $\frac{5}{9}$        $\frac{5}{7}$

•  $\frac{3}{4}$        $\frac{9}{12}$

•  $\frac{8}{13}$        $\frac{9}{12}$

1. Write each fraction as a mixed number.

•  $\frac{2}{17}$        $\frac{2}{7}$

•  $\frac{1}{3}$        $\frac{2}{7}$

•  $\frac{4}{5}$        $\frac{5}{6}$

•  $\frac{3}{4}$        $\frac{2}{5}$

•  $\frac{6}{12}$        $\frac{13}{26}$

•  $\frac{8}{13}$        $\frac{8}{15}$

•  $\frac{7}{24}$        $\frac{5}{24}$

•  $\frac{2}{5}$        $\frac{5}{9}$

•  $\frac{5}{15}$        $\frac{24}{60}$

•  $\frac{100}{8}$        $\frac{66}{5}$

•  $\frac{7}{10}$        $\frac{21}{32}$

•  $\frac{101}{20}$        $\frac{523}{200}$

**Challenge Problem:** Put the following numbers in increasing order from least to greatest:

$\frac{3}{5}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{6}{11}, \frac{5}{9}, \frac{4}{7}$