Equivalent Fractions

Objectives: 4.NF.A.1

Identify equivalent fractions, reduce fractions to lowest terms

Warm-up Problem: Use the numbers below to make the number 9 by combining them with appropriate mathematical symbols. You can rearrange them in any way you want, but be sure to use all 4 numbers.

7, 4, 1, 2

1. Find six different ways to shade ½ of a square.





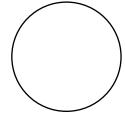








2. Andrew ate 4 out of the 8 slices of pizza. What fraction of the pizza did he eat?



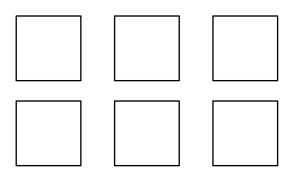
- 3. Find 5 fractions that are equal to 2/3. (We call them equivalent fractions.)
- 4. Use a picture to show whether 6/8 is the same as as 9/12.

5. Write each fraction in simplest terms.

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$$\frac{20}{25}$$

- 12 $\overline{32}$
 - 16
- 36
- 6. Write each fraction in simplest terms.
- 2430
- 15 24
 - 28
- 7. Use a picture to show whether 6/10 is the same as as 4/6.

1. Find 6 different ways to shade 1/4 of a square.



4. Write each fraction in simplest form.



- 24 $\overline{42}$
- 20 $\overline{32}$
- 2. Find 5 fractions that are equivalent to 3/5.
- 40 25
- 24 $\overline{60}$
- 32100
- 3. Use a picture to show whether 4/9 is the same as 5/12.
- 45 $\overline{60}$
- 48 $\overline{20}$
- 21

Challenge Problem: What is the meaning of the following fraction?