

# 4-9: Learning Goals

- Let's practice dividing fractions in different situations.



# 4-9-1: Greater than 1 or Less than 1?

Decide whether each of the following is greater than 1 or less than 1.

1.  $\frac{1}{2} \div \frac{1}{4}$

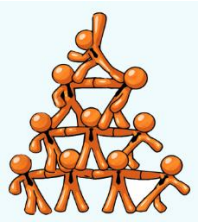
2.  $1 \div \frac{3}{4}$

3.  $\frac{2}{3} \div \frac{7}{8}$

4.  $2\frac{7}{8} \div 2\frac{3}{5}$



# 4-9-2: Two Water Containers

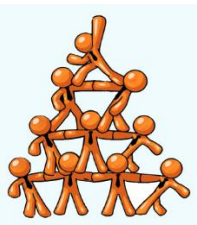


# 4-9-2: Two Water Containers



1. After looking at these pictures, Lin says, "I see the fraction  $\frac{2}{5}$ ." Jada says, "I see the fraction  $\frac{3}{4}$ ." What quantities are Lin and Jada referring to?
2. How many liters of water fit in the water dispenser?

Write a multiplication equation and a division equation for the question, then find the answer. Draw a diagram, if needed. Check your answer using the multiplication equation.



# 4-9-3: Amount in One Group

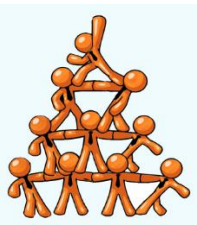
Write a multiplication equation and a division equation and draw a diagram to represent each situation and question. Then find the answer. Explain your reasoning.

1. Jada bought  $3\frac{1}{2}$  yards of fabric for \$21. How much did each yard cost?
2.  $\frac{4}{9}$  kilogram of baking soda costs \$2. How much does 1 kilogram of baking soda cost?
3. Diego can fill  $1\frac{1}{5}$  bottles with 3 liters of water. How many liters of water fill 1 bottle?
4.  $\frac{5}{4}$  gallons of water fill  $\frac{5}{6}$  of a bucket. How many gallons of water fill the entire bucket?



# 4-9-4: Inventing a Situation

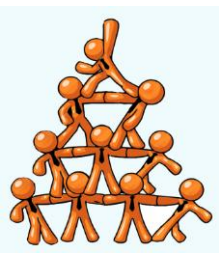
1. Think of a situation that involves a question that can be represented by  $\frac{1}{3} \div \frac{1}{4} = ?$  Write a description of that situation and the question.
2. Trade descriptions with a member of your group.
  - Review each other's description and discuss whether each invented question is an appropriate match for the equation.
  - Revise your description or question based on feedback from your partner.
3. Find the answer to your question. Explain or show your reasoning. If you get stuck, draw a diagram.



# 4-9: Lesson Synthesis

How long is a whole trip if  $\frac{2}{3}$  of a trip is  $\frac{4}{5}$  mile?

- What is the 'one group' we are interested in here?
- Do we know the number of groups or the fraction of a group?
- What multiplication equation and division equations can we write to represent this situation?
- How can we interpret  $\frac{2}{3} \cdot ? = \frac{4}{5}$  in this context?
- How might we set up a tape diagram to help us answer the question?



# 4-9: Learning Targets

- I can find the amount in one group in different real-world situations.





# 4-9-5: Refilling a Soap Dispenser

Noah fills a soap dispenser from a big bottle that contains  $2\frac{1}{3}$  liters of liquid soap. That amount of soap will fill  $3\frac{1}{2}$  dispensers. How many liters of soap fit into one dispenser?

Use the diagram below to answer the question. Label all relevant parts of the diagram.

