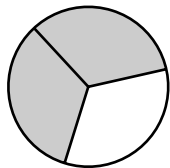


Parts of a Region

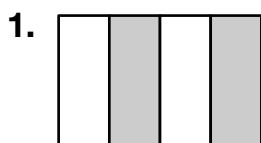
The top number, the numerator, tells the number of equal parts described. The bottom number, the denominator, tells how many equal parts there are in all.

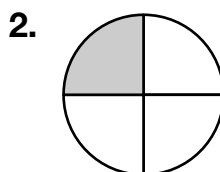


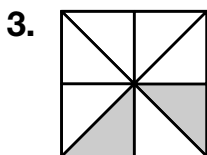
$\frac{2}{3}$ ← Numerator. 2 parts are shaded.
 $\frac{2}{3}$ ← Denominator. There are 3 parts total.

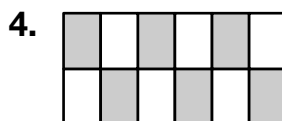
$\frac{2}{3}$ of the circle is shaded.

Write a fraction for the part of the region that is shaded.









Draw a model to show each fraction.

5. $\frac{5}{15}$

6. $\frac{7}{9}$

7. **Reasoning** Tara says that $\frac{1}{2}$ of a salad is always the same amount. Lynn says that it could be different amounts, depending on how large the salad is. Who is correct? Why?
