# Unit 4 Lesson 8: How Much in Each Group? (Part 1)

## 1 Inventing a Situation (Warm up)

#### **Student Task Statement**

1. Think of a situation with a question that can be represented by the equation  $12 \div \frac{2}{3} = ?$  Describe the situation and the question.

2. Trade descriptions with your partner, and answer your partner's question.

## 2 How Much in One Batch?

#### Student Task Statement

To make 5 batches of cookies, 10 cups of flour are required. Consider the question: How many cups of flour does each batch require?

We can write equations and draw a diagram to represent this situation.

 $5 \cdot ? = 10 \ 10 \div 5 = ?$ 



This helps us see that each batch requires 2 cups of flour.

For each question, write a multiplication equation and a division equation, draw a diagram, and find the answer.

- 1. To make 4 batches of cupcakes, it takes 6 cups of flour. How many cups of flour are needed for 1 batch?
- 2. To make  $\frac{1}{2}$  batch of rolls, it takes  $\frac{5}{4}$  cups of flour. How many cups of flour are needed for 1 batch?
- 3. Two cups of flour make  $\frac{2}{3}$  batch of bread. How many cups of flour make 1 batch?

**Activity Synthesis** 



## **3 One Container and One Section of Highway**

Images for Launch



#### **Student Task Statement**

Here are three tape diagrams that represent situations about filling containers of water.



Match each situation to a diagram and use the diagram to help you answer the question. Then, write a multiplication equation and a division equation to represent the situation.

- 1. Tyler poured a total of 15 cups of water into 2 equal-sized bottles and filled each bottle. How much water was in each bottle?
- 2. Kiran poured a total of 15 cups of water into equal-sized pitchers and filled  $1\frac{1}{2}$  pitchers. How much water was in the full pitcher?
- 3. It takes 15 cups of water to fill  $\frac{1}{3}$  pail. How much water is needed to fill 1 pail?

Here are tape diagrams that represent situations about cleaning sections of highway.



Match each situation to a diagram and use the diagram to help you answer the question. Then, write a multiplication equation and a division equation to represent the situation.

- 4. Priya's class has adopted two equal sections of a highway to keep clean. The combined length is  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a mile. How long is each section?
- 5. Lin's class has also adopted some sections of highway to keep clean. If  $1\frac{1}{2}$  sections are  $\frac{3}{4}$  mile long, how long is each section?
- 6. A school has adopted a section of highway to keep clean. If  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the section is  $\frac{3}{4}$  mile long, how long is the section?