

# Varied Fluency

## Step 7: Find a Third

### National Curriculum Objectives:

Mathematics Year 2: (2F1a) [Recognise, find, name and write fractions  \$\frac{1}{3}\$  ,  \$\frac{1}{4}\$  ,  \$\frac{2}{4}\$  and  \$\frac{3}{4}\$  of a length, shape, set of objects or quantity](#)

Mathematics Year 2: (2F1b) [Write simple fractions for example,  \$\frac{1}{2}\$  of  \$6 = 3\$](#)

### Differentiation:

**Developing** Questions to support finding a third by dividing the whole number or quantity into three equal parts, pictorial support provided with the use of dividing lines to show the thirds.

**Expected** Questions to support finding a third by dividing the whole number or quantity into three equal parts, pictorial support or scaffolding provided.

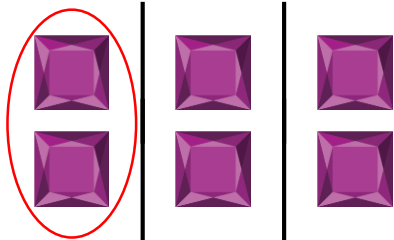
**Greater Depth** Questions to support finding a third of whole numbers or quantities, using some images arranged at random and numerals. No scaffolding provided.

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## Find a Third

1a. Use the image to complete the statement.

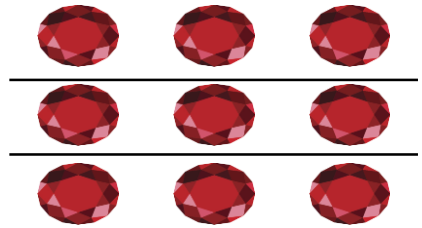


$\frac{1}{3}$  of 6 is



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1b. Use the image to complete the statement.

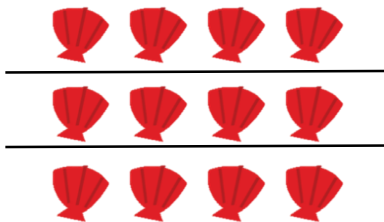


$\frac{1}{3}$  of 9 is



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2a. Circle  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the images and use it to complete the statement.

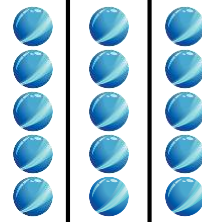


$\frac{1}{3}$  of  is



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2b. Circle  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the images and use it to complete the statement.



$\frac{1}{3}$  of  is



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3a. Use the pictures to complete the statements.

A.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 9 is



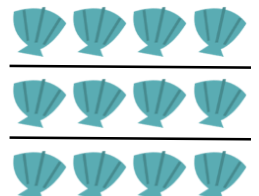
B.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of  is 2



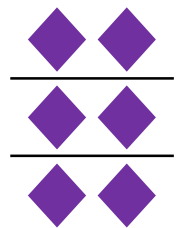
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3b. Use the pictures to complete the statements.

A.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 12 is

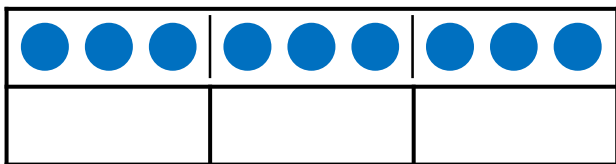


B.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of  is 2



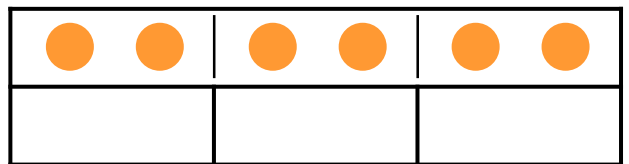
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4a. Use counters to complete the bar model to show one third of 9.



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4b. Use counters to complete the bar model to show one third of 6.



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5a. Use the image to complete the statement.



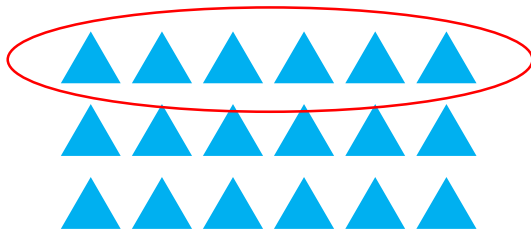
$\frac{1}{3}$  of 21 is



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## Find a Third

5b. Use the image to complete the statement.

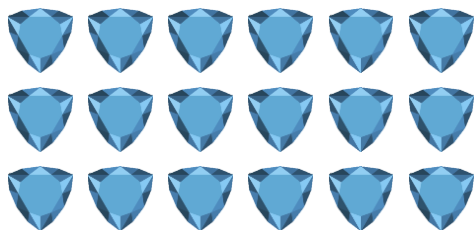


$\frac{1}{3}$  of 18 is



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6a. Circle  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the images and use it to complete the statement.

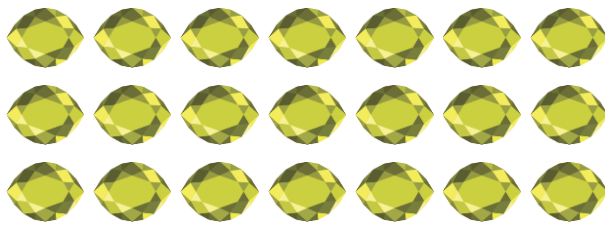


$\frac{1}{3}$  of  is



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6b. Circle  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the images and use it to complete the statement.



$\frac{1}{3}$  of  is



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7a. Use the pictures to complete the statements.

A.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 15 is



B.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of  is 2



C.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 12 is



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7b. Use the pictures to complete the statements.

A.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 12 is



B.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of  is 3

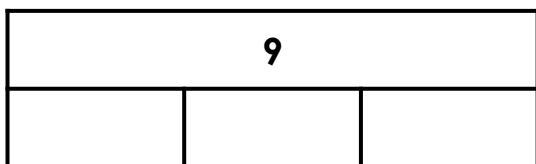


C.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 15 is



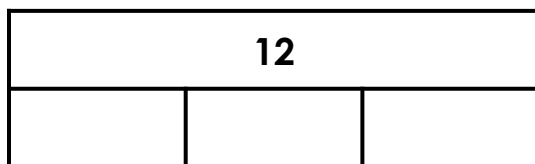
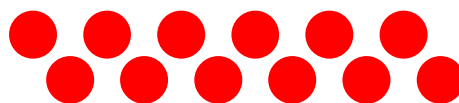
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8a. Use counters to complete the bar model to show one third of 9.



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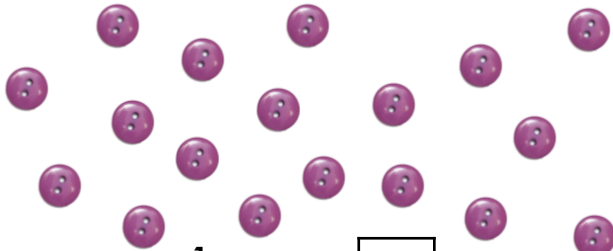
8b. Use counters to complete the bar model to show one third of 12.



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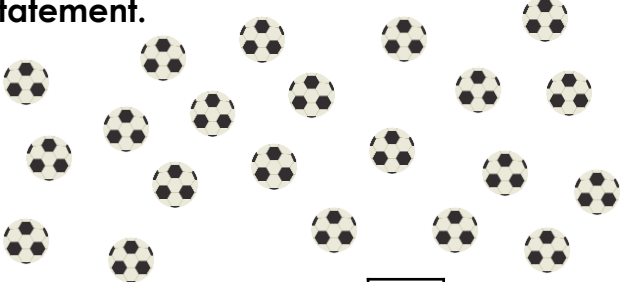
9a. Use the image to complete the statement.



$\frac{1}{3}$  of 18 is

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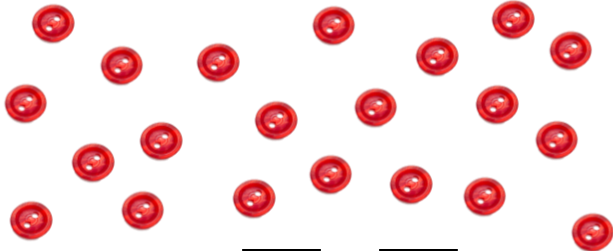
9b. Use the image to complete the statement.



$\frac{1}{3}$  of 21 is

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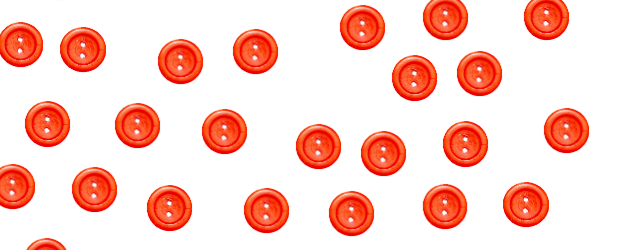
10a. Circle  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the images and use it to complete the statement.



$\frac{1}{3}$  of  is

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10b. Circle  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the images and use it to complete the statement.




$\frac{1}{3}$  of  is

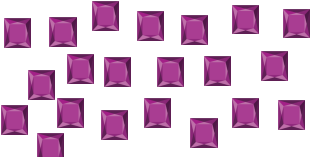
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11a. Use the pictures to complete the statements.


A.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 12 is



B.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of  is



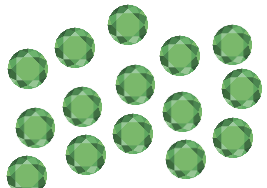
C.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 15 is



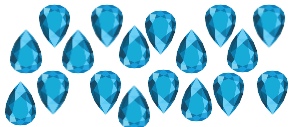
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11b. Use the pictures to complete the statements.


A.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 15 is



B.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of  is

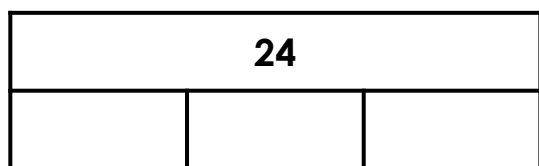


C.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 9 is



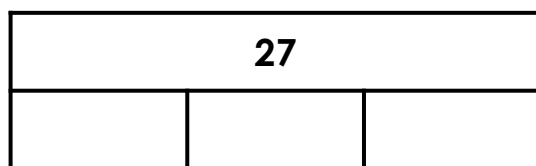
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12a. Use counters to complete the bar model to show one third of 24.



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12b. Use counters to complete the bar model to show one third of 27.



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**Developing**

- 1a. **2**
- 2a.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of **12** is **4**
- 3a. A.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 9 is **3**  
B.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of **6** is **2**
- 4a. **3** counters in each of the parts

**Expected**

- 5a. **7**
- 6a.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of **18** is **6**
- 7a. A.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 15 is **5**  
B.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of **6** is **2**  
C.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 12 is **4**
- 8a. **3** counters in each of the parts

**Greater Depth**

- 9a. **6**
- 10a.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of **21** is **7**
- 11a. A.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 12 is **4**  
B.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of **21** is **7**  
C.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 15 is **5**
- 12a. **8** counters in each of the parts

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**Developing**

- 1b. **3**
- 2b.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of **15** is **5**
- 3b. A.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 12 is **4**  
B.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of **6** is **2**
- 4b. **2** counters in each of the parts

**Expected**

- 5b. **6**
- 6b.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of **21** is **7**
- 7b. A.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 12 is **4**  
B.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of **9** is **3**  
C.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 15 is **5**
- 8b. **4** counters in each of the parts

**Greater Depth**

- 9b. **7**
- 10b.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of **24** is **8**
- 11b. A.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 15 is **5**  
B.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of **18** is **6**  
C.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of 9 is **3**
- 12b. **9** counters in each of the parts