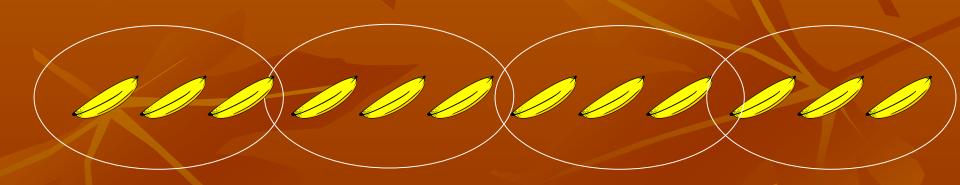
Fraction Problems

Learning Objective: To solve problems involving fractions

There are 12 bananas in a huge bunch. ¼ of the bananas are eaten. How many bananas are left?

$$12 \div 4$$



 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 12 is 3 or $12 \div 4 = 3$, so 3 bananas are eaten.

12 - 3 = 9, so 9 bananas are left.

I have 15 cans of baked beans. I share the cans between 5 friends. How many cans does each friend receive?

$$15 \div 5$$



1/5 of 15 is 3. There are 5 groups of 3, so $15 \div 5 = 3$.

Each friend receives 3 cans of baked beans.

Task: Now use your knowledge of fractions to complete the 'fraction problems' activity.

Remember – when sharing, each group must be of equal quantity (size)!