

Fraction word problems

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Read each problem. Show your work.

- 1 Ben walked $\frac{1}{3}$ kilometre to the park. Then Ben walked $\frac{3}{5}$ kilometre to school. How far did Ben walk in all, in kilometres?
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- 2 Emma had $\frac{2}{3}$ kilogram of cheese. Emma used $\frac{5}{8}$ kilogram of the cheese for lunch. How much cheese is left, in kilograms?
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- 3 Emma has two pieces of ribbon. One is $\frac{1}{8}$ metre long and the other is $\frac{3}{8}$ metre long. How many metres of ribbon does Emma have in all? Give the answer in lowest terms.
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- 4 Dev painted $\frac{1}{5}$ of a fence in the morning and $\frac{3}{5}$ of the fence in the afternoon. What fraction of the fence did Dev paint in all? Give the answer in lowest terms.
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- 5 Emma's ribbon is $\frac{11}{12}$ metre long. Maya's ribbon is $\frac{7}{12}$ metre long. How much longer is Emma's ribbon than Maya's, in metres? Give the answer in lowest terms.
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- 6 There is $\frac{3}{4}$ of a pizza in a box. Maya eats $\frac{1}{4}$ of the whole pizza. What fraction of the whole pizza is left in the box? Give the answer in lowest terms.
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- 7 Emma ran $4\frac{4}{5}$ kilometres. Ben ran $3\frac{3}{5}$ kilometres. How many more kilometres did Emma run than Ben? Give the answer as a mixed number.
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- 8 Ivy had $2\frac{2}{3}$ cups of flour. Ivy used $1\frac{1}{3}$ cups of the flour to make bread. How many cups of flour are left? Give the answer as a mixed number.
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1	$\frac{14}{15}$	2	$\frac{1}{24}$	3	$\frac{1}{2}$
4	$\frac{4}{5}$	5	$\frac{1}{3}$	6	$\frac{1}{2}$
7	$1\frac{1}{5}$	8	$1\frac{1}{3}$		