

Convert improper fractions to mixed numbers

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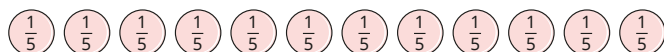
- How many thirds are there?
- Write this as an improper fraction.
- Circle groups of 3 thirds.
- Complete the sentences.

There are groups of 3 thirds.

There are thirds remaining.

As a mixed number, this is

2 Each counter represents one-fifth.



Complete the sentences.

There are groups of 5 fifths.

There are fifths remaining.

As a mixed number, $\frac{12}{5}$ is

3 Convert the improper fractions to mixed numbers.

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b) $\frac{11}{4}$



c) $\frac{29}{8}$

d) $\frac{17}{3}$

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Use Max's method to convert the improper fractions to mixed numbers.

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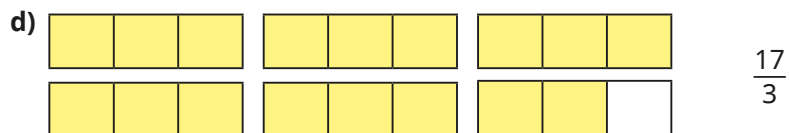
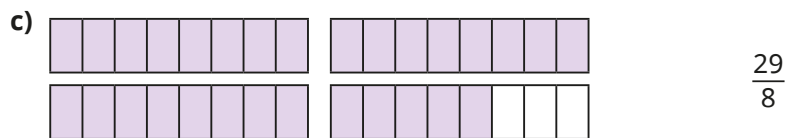
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$$\frac{72}{5} = 14\frac{2}{5}$$

Use this fact to convert the improper fractions to mixed numbers.

- a) $\frac{73}{5}$ b) $\frac{74}{5}$ c) $\frac{77}{5}$ d) $\frac{62}{5}$

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Whitney, Jo and Ron are using the digit cards to make mixed numbers and improper fractions.



All their fractions have 6 as the denominator.

Whitney $3\frac{2}{6}$ Jo $5\frac{3}{6}$



Ron

My improper fraction is greater than Whitney's number, but less than Jo's number.

What could Ron's improper fraction be?

Compare answers with a partner.