

Dividing into Two Parts — Halves

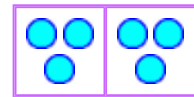
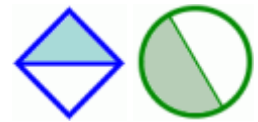
If you divide something into *two* same sized parts, or *two equal* parts, then either part is one-HALF of the whole.

We write one-half this way: $\frac{1}{2}$

You can also write one-half this way: $1/2$

You can also find half of so-many objects. For example, you can find half of ten apples. It is five apples.

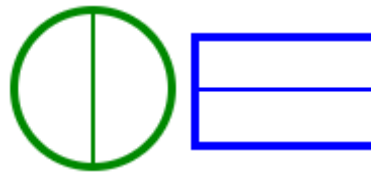
You can also find half of a number. For example, half of 6 is 3.



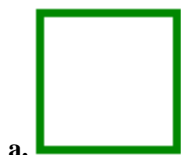
1. a. Color one half of each shape.



b. Color two halves of each shape.



2. Draw a line into these shapes and divide them into two halves. Color one half.



3. Divide the items into two EQUAL groups. Write an addition sentence. Find half of the total.

<p>10 balls</p>	<p>40</p>	<p>24</p>
<p>a. $\underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} = \underline{\quad}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$ of 10 is $\underline{\quad}$.</p>	<p>b. $\underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} = \underline{\quad}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$ of 40 is $\underline{\quad}$.</p>	<p>c. $\underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} = \underline{\quad}$</p> <p>$\frac{1}{2}$ of 24 is $\underline{\quad}$.</p>