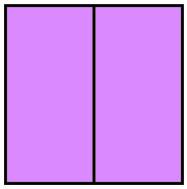
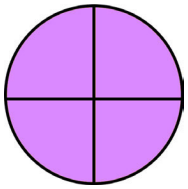
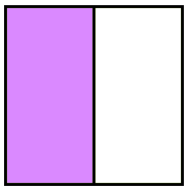
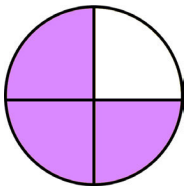
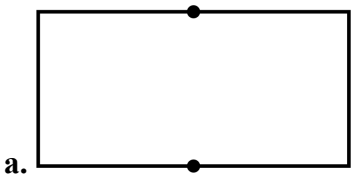
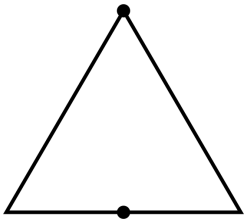
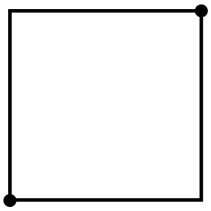
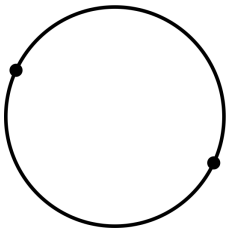
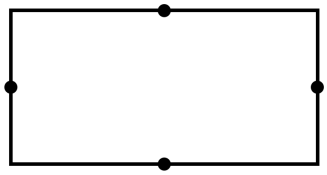
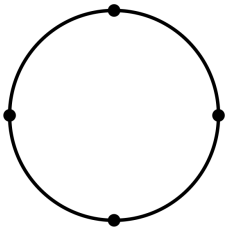
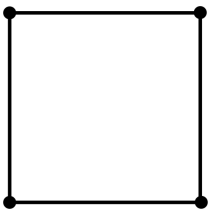
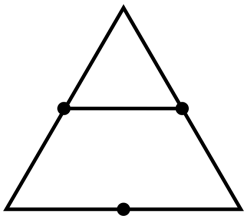
Halves and Quarters

This square is divided into two parts that are the same. The parts are ***halves***. Each part is <u>one half</u>. 	This circle is divided into four parts that are the same. The parts are called ***fourths*** or ***quarters***. Each part is <u>one fourth</u> or <u>one quarter</u>. 
Here, one-half of the square is colored. The other half is white. 	Here, three-fourths of the circle are colored. One-fourth of it is white. 

1. Divide these shapes into halves by drawing a straight line from dot to dot. Then color as you are asked to.

a.  Color one half.	**b.**  Color two halves.	**c.**  Color one half.	**d.**  Color both halves, but different colors.

2. Divide these shapes into fourths by drawing two straight lines from dot to dot. Then color as you are asked to.

a.  Color one fourth.	**b.**  Color three fourths.	**c.**  Color two fourths.	**d.**  Color four fourths = the WHOLE triangle.