Sarah has some cookies in a jar.



In January she eats $\frac{5}{8}$ of the cookies.

There are 12 cookies left in the jar.

How many were in the jar at the start?

Tips

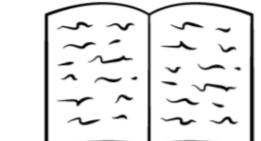
She starts with 8/8 in the jar.

If she has eaten 5/8 how many /8s are left?

So 12 cookies = ?/8

How many cookies would be 1/8?

Geoff is reading a book.



On Monday he reads $\frac{1}{3}$ of the book.

On Tuesday he reads $\frac{3}{10}$ of the remaining pages.

He has 35 pages left to read.

How many pages are in the book?

Tips

There are different fractions here—Can you start by making them into equivalent fractions? What could be a common denominator?

How much of the book has Geoff read so far? In a fraction how much does Geoff have left to read?