The Meaning of Division

Use division when you want to separate objects into groups of equal size.

You have 12 marbles.

You want to make 3 groups of equal size.

You put 4 marbles in each group.

Say: 12 divided by 3 equals 4. Write: $12 \div 3 = 4$





How many in all? _____ How many groups? _____

How many in each group? ____

12 ÷ 2 = _____

How many in all? _____ How many groups? _____ How many in each group? _____ 8 ÷ 2 = ____



How many in all? _____ How many groups? _____ How many in each group? ____ $12 \div 6 = ____$ 4. O O O O How many in all? _____ How many groups? _____ How many in each group? ____

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8 ÷ 4 = _____

