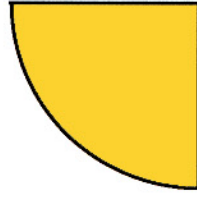


Multiplication

of a fraction by a whole number



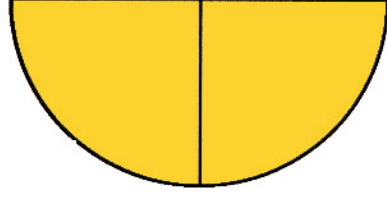
$$\frac{1}{4}$$

x

$$\boxed{2}$$

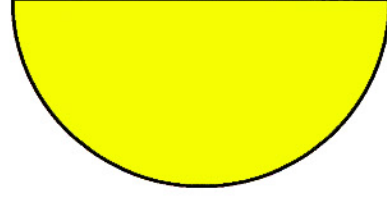
$$= \frac{1 \times 2}{4}$$

$$= \frac{2}{4}$$



=

$$\frac{1}{2}$$



Multiply the numerator by 2

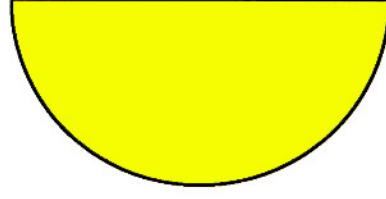
$$\frac{1}{4}$$

x

$$\boxed{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4 \div 2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$



or divide the denominator by 2.