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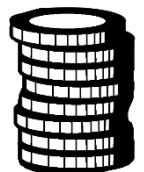2. Jez ate ½ a pizza. What fraction of pizza is left?

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   Ang got more than half correct (half of 14 is 7).

4. There are 20 children on a football team. ¼ of the children have black hair. How many children on the team have black hair?

   5 children on the team have black hair.

5. Dad has 8 coins. He takes a quarter of them and gives them to his daughter. How many coins does Dad have left?

   Dad has 6 coins left.