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Familiarisation task: Comparing fractions

Fractions Lab will compare fractions for you. Let's try it.

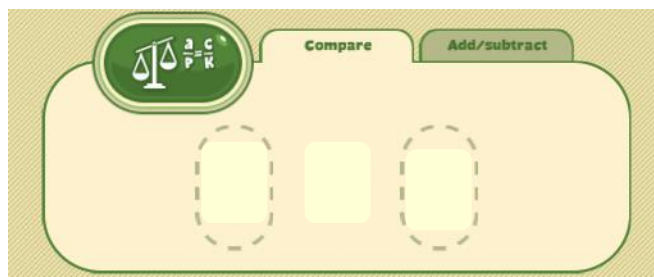
1. Circle the fraction you think is the biggest:

$$\frac{1}{3} \quad \frac{1}{5}$$

2. Make $\frac{1}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{5}$ using the same type of representation in Fractions Lab.

3. Open the 'compare box' by clicking on the  button.

4. Drag the two fractions into the compare box. Look at the < or > sign in the compare box. Write what you see here:



5. Was your thinking correct? **Yes / No**

Explain why one is greater than the other.