Creating Division Stories

Write a story problem for the following measurement division: $\frac{3}{4} \div \frac{1}{8} = 6.$

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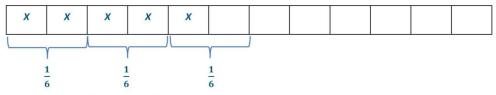
Please use each of the five steps of the process you learned. Label each step.

- 1. Write a measurement division story problem for $6 \div \frac{3}{4}$.
- 2. Write a measurement division story problem for $\frac{5}{12} \div \frac{1}{6}$.

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Step 1: Measurement

Step 2: Model, shown below (Students may have used a different type of model.)



Step 3: How many $\frac{1}{6}$ are there in $\frac{5}{12}$?

$$\frac{5}{12} \div \frac{1}{6} = \frac{5}{12} \div \frac{2}{12} = \frac{5}{2} = 2\frac{1}{2}$$

Step 4: Feet (Answers may vary.)

Step 5: Answers may vary, but this is one possible answer.

There are 12 inches in a foot. A piece of wire is 5 inches ($\frac{5}{12}$ foot) long. Hector needs to cut pieces of wire that are 2 inches ($\frac{1}{6}$ foot) long. How many can he cut? $2\frac{1}{2}$