



Fraction Word Problems

For each word problem, make a labeled sketch and write an equation. Explain your answer to someone. The track is 2 miles long.

Chris went for a walk on the trail. He walked $1\frac{1}{8}$ of a mile. Then he turned around and walked back to the start. How many miles did he walk in all?

Labeled Sketch:

Equation:

Laura ran to the $\frac{3}{4}$ mile marker and ran back to the $\frac{1}{4}$ mile marker. Then she turned around and ran the rest of the trail. How many miles did she run in all?

Labeled Sketch:

Equation:

Everyday Justin walks the trail. When he gets to the $1\frac{1}{4}$ mile marker, he turns around and walks back to the start. How many miles does he walk in 5 days?

Labeled Sketch:

Equation: