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Answers

Ex. ______**36**

3. _____

4. _____

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Fraction Comparisons With Tape Diagram

Name: Answer Key

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DS]		
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