

Pedro's String

Use a diagram to answer the question. Show your work.

Pedro had a piece of string.

Pedro gave Bill $\frac{1}{3}$ of the string.

Pedro gave Jen $\frac{1}{2}$ of the leftover string.

Pedro had 6 feet of string after giving pieces to Bill and Jen.

How long was the string before Pedro gave Bill and Jen pieces of it?



3 Reads

1st Read – Context

The problem is about...

2nd Read – Purpose

I need to find out...

3rd Read – Information

Important information is...

Diagram:

Create a diagram that shows the important information and helps you answer the question.

Answer (use your diagram):

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