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\[ \text{Planned time} = 3 + \frac{5}{6} \]  

\[ = 3 \frac{5}{6} \text{ hours} \]

2) Patrick grated \( \frac{2}{3} \) of a block of cheese to make macaroni. What fraction of the block is left?

\[ \text{Left} = 1 - \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{3} \]

3) Denver’s closet is 8 feet tall while his younger brother’s is \( \frac{23}{4} \) feet tall. What is the difference between the heights of the two closets?

\[ \text{Difference} = 8 - \frac{23}{4} = \frac{32}{4} - \frac{23}{4} = \frac{9}{4} \text{ feet} \]

4) Clara usually walks briskly to the farmers’ market, and it takes her 22 minutes. Today she walked leisurely, and it took \( \frac{61}{2} \) minutes. How much more time than usual did her take to reach the market today?

\[ \text{Extra time} = \frac{61}{2} - 22 = \frac{61}{2} - \frac{44}{2} = \frac{17}{2} \text{ minutes} \]

5) Susan had 4 boxes of cereal in her pantry. If she went through \( \frac{7}{2} \) boxes in a month, how many boxes of cereal remain?

\[ \text{Remaining boxes} = 4 - \frac{7}{2} = \frac{8}{2} - \frac{7}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ box} \]
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\frac{13}{6} \text{ or } 2 \frac{1}{6} \text{ hours}
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\frac{1}{3} \text{ of the block}
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5) Susan had 4 boxes of cereal in her pantry. If she went through \(\frac{7}{2}\) boxes in a month, how many boxes of cereal remain?

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\text{half a box}
\]