Proportional Reasoning, Level 3+

Puzzling Patterns

You need 🚺 pattern blocks

🗹 a classmate

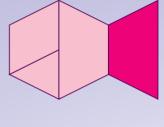
ii.

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iv.

Activity

Hamish created these designs using pattern blocks: a fish, an animal face, a tree, and a yacht: i.



iii.

- **1** What fraction of each design (i-iv) is the shaded trapezium?
- 25 What fraction of each design (i–iv) is made using small triangles?
- **3** Hamish uses pattern blocks to help him create this windmill design:

- a. What fraction of the design is orange?
- **b**. What fraction of the design is this shape? —
- **4.** Make your own design using pattern blocks, then make up a fraction question for a classmate to solve.

Exploring fractions in relation to area