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Complete the frequency table. Then answer the questions.

Weight of Pinches of Salt		
Weight (mg)	Tally	Frequency
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2. How many people did he test?		
3. What range was most common?		
4. What fraction of pinches weighed 500–699 mg? (Simplify.)	l	
 Children make up two thirds of the 200–499 mg range. How many children were in that range? (Show your work.) 		

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