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2448 miles apart  
stop  $\frac{2}{9}$  of the trip

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→ ① "of" means multiply

$\frac{2}{9}$  of 2448

→ ② If the numerator  
and a denominator of  
the problem both  
divide evenly by the  
same number, reduce  
cancel them.

$$\frac{2}{9} \cdot 2448$$

$\frac{\cancel{2}}{\cancel{9}} \cdot \frac{2448}{\cancel{9}}$

$$\frac{544}{1}$$

→ ③ Multiply numerators  
Multiply denominators

544 miles