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$$\frac{3 + 1}{4} = \frac{4}{4} = 1$$

Therefore, Lizy needs 1 teaspoon of dried oregano and red pepper flakes.

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So, let's add the fractions $2\frac{1}{2} + 1 = (2 + 1)\frac{1}{2}$

$$= 3\frac{1}{2}$$

So, Lizy needs $3\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoons Granulated sugar and salt in all