

Sheet 13 – Ladybirds and Spiders

1 Complete the sentences and NOW box. You may use equipment to help you.



a There were 16 doughnuts on a plate. Mo ate 4.

First there were 16 doughnuts.

Then 4 were eaten.

Now there are _____ doughnuts.

$16 - 4 =$ _____.

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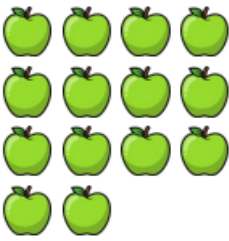
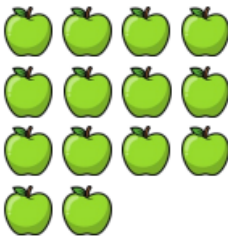
b There were 14 apples in a basket. Kat ate 3.

First there were _____ apples.

Then _____ were eaten.

Now there are _____ apples.

$14 - 3 =$ _____.

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c There were 15 sweets in a bag. Sue ate 2.

First there were _____ sweets.

Then _____ were eaten.

Now there are _____ sweets.

$15 - 2 =$ _____.

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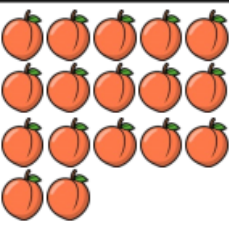
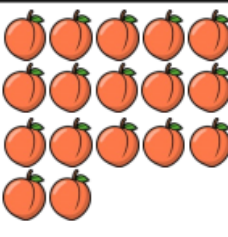
d There were 17 peaches in a bowl. Matt ate 1.

First there were _____ peaches.

Then _____ was eaten.

Now there are _____ peaches.

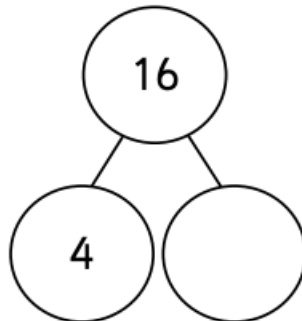
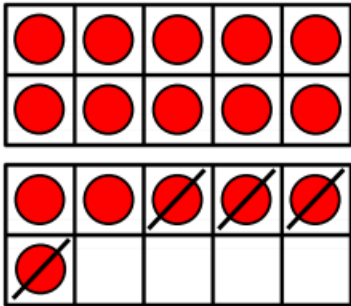
$17 - 1 =$ _____.

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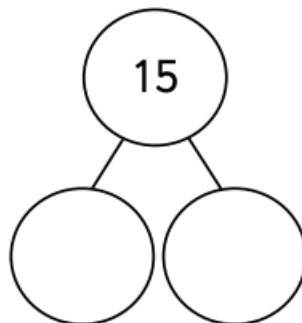
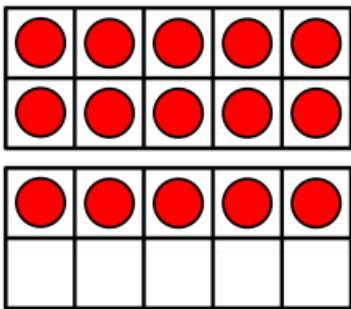
1 Complete each question. You may use counters to help you.

a There were 16 cupcakes. Then 4 were eaten.
How many are left?



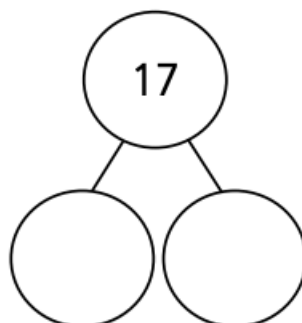
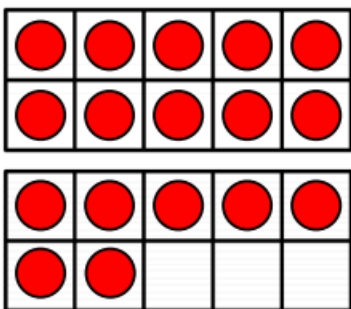
$$\boxed{16} - \boxed{4} = \boxed{}$$

b There were 15 hamsters. Then 1 was sold.
How many are left?



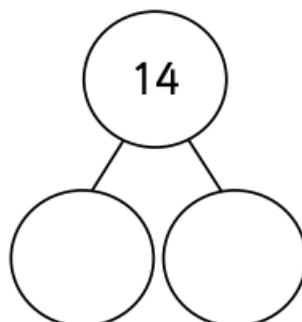
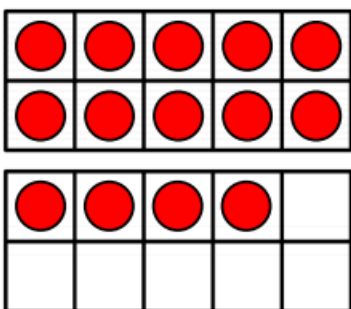
$$\boxed{15} - \boxed{} = \boxed{}$$

c There were 17 cookies. Then 2 were eaten.
How many are left?



$$\boxed{17} - \boxed{} = \boxed{}$$

d There were 14 rabbits. Then 3 were sold.
How many are left?



$$\boxed{14} - \boxed{} = \boxed{}$$