

MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

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6 Cool Strategies for Mental Subtraction!



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MS1: Manipulate Calculation



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

$$84 - 29 = 55$$



$$85 - 30 = 55$$



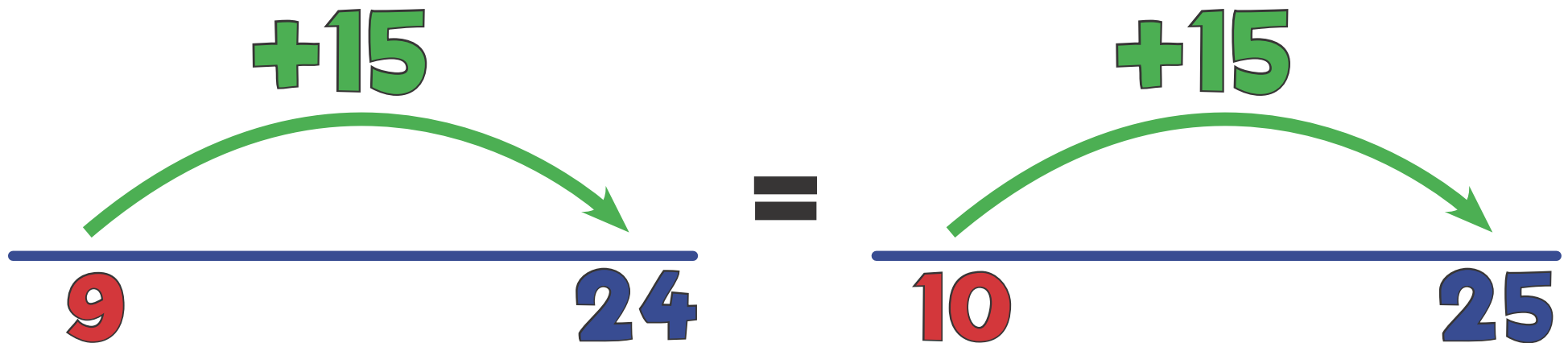
MS1: Manipulate Calculation



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Visualisation

Same Difference!

$$24 - 9 = 15$$



$$24 - 9 = 25 - 10$$
$$(24 + 1) - (9 + 1)$$



MS1: Manipulate Calculation



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

1

Same Difference!

$$24 - 9 = 15$$



$$25 - 10 = 15$$



MS1: Manipulate Calculation



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

2

Same Difference!

$$84 - 29 = 55$$



$$85 - 30 = 55$$



MS1: Manipulate Calculation



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

3

Same Difference!

$$463 - 97 = 366$$



$$466 - 100 = 366$$



MS1: Manipulate Calculation



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

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Same Difference!

$$876 - 298 = 578$$



$$878 - 300 = 578$$



MS1: Manipulate Calculation

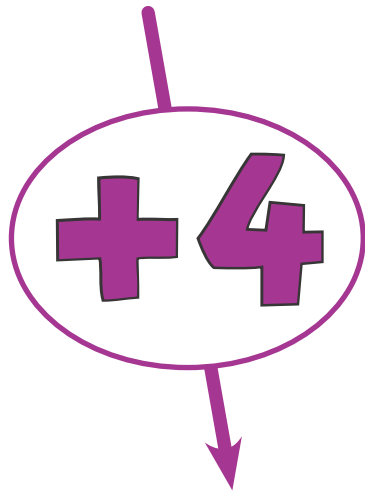


MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

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Same Difference!

$$5864 - 2996 = 2868$$



$$5868 - 3000 = 2868$$



MS1: Manipulate Calculation



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Same Difference!

$$46357 - 11999 = 34358$$



$$46358 - 12000 = 34358$$



MS2: Round & Adjust



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$$84 - 29 = 55$$

$$84 - 30 + 1$$

Diagram showing the relationship between the original problem and the adjusted problem. Red lines connect the '2' in '29' to the '3' in '30' and the '9' to the '+1'. A blue line connects the '4' in '84' to the '4' in '54'.

$$54 + 1 = 55$$

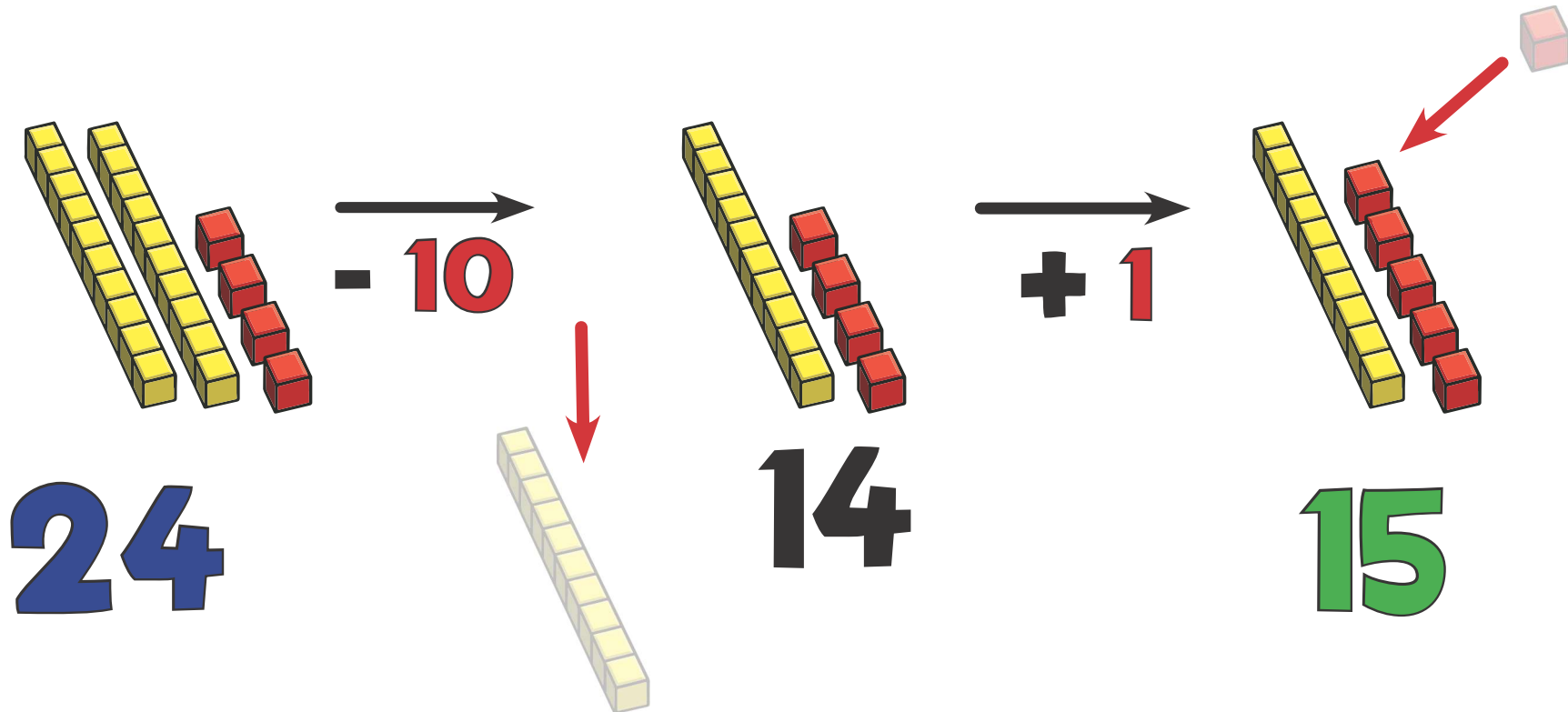


MS2: Round & Adjust



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Visualisation

$$24 - 9 = 15$$



MS2: Round & Adjust



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

1

$$24 - 9 = 15$$

$$24 - 10 + 1$$

$$14 + 1 = 15$$



MS2: Round & Adjust



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

2

$$84 - 29 = 55$$

$$84 - 30 + 1$$

$$54 + 1 = 55$$



MS2: Round & Adjust



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

3

$$463 - 97 = 366$$

$$463 - 100 + 3$$

$$363 + 3 = 366$$



MA2: Round & Adjust



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

4

$$876 - 298 = 578$$

$$876 - 300 + 2$$

$$576 + 2 = 578$$



MA2: Round & Adjust



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

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$$5864 - 2996 = 2868$$

$$5864 - 3000 + 4$$

$$2864 + 4 = 2868$$



MS2: Round & Adjust



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$$46357 - 11999 = 34358$$

$$46357 - 12000 + 1$$

$$46357 + 1 = 34358$$



MS3: Partitioning



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$$63 - 35 = 28$$

$$- 33 - 2$$

63

30

28



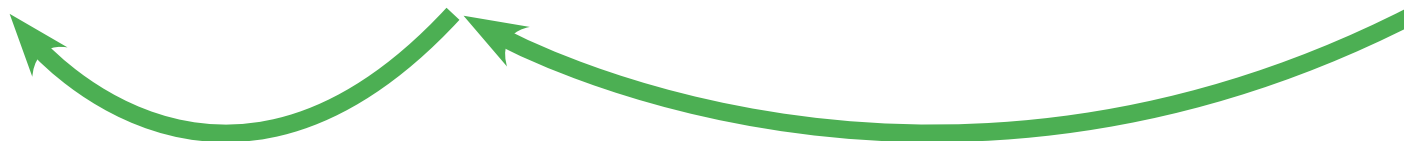
MS3: Partitioning



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Visualisation

$$63 - 35 = 28$$

28 30 63



MS3: Partitioning



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

1

$$23 - 8 = 15$$

$$- 3 - 5$$

23

20

15



MS3: Partitioning



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

2

$$63 - 35 = 28$$

$$- 33 - 2$$

63

30

28



MS3: Partitioning



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

3

$$123 - 28 = 95$$

$$- 23 - 5$$

123

100

95



MS3: Partitioning



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

4

$$132 - 58 = 74$$

$$- 52 - 6$$

132

80

74



MS3: Partitioning



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

5

$$750 - 372 = 378$$

$$- 350 - 22$$

750

400

378



MS3: Partitioning



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$$£64.30 - £24.50 = £39.80$$

$$- £24.30 - 20p$$

£64.30

£40

£39.80



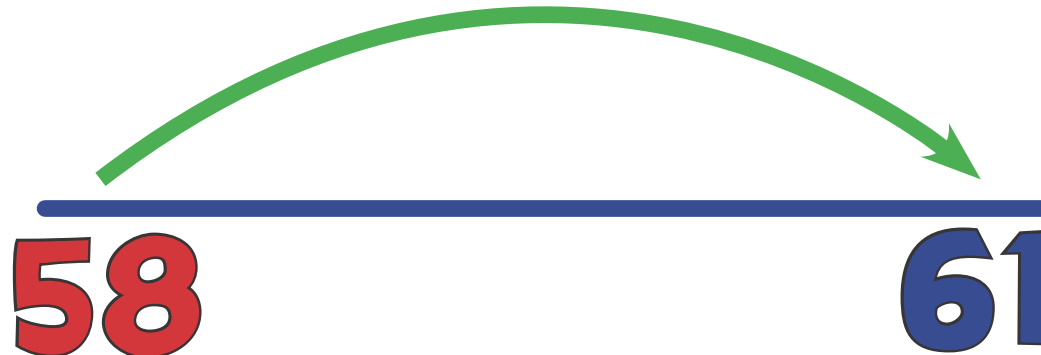
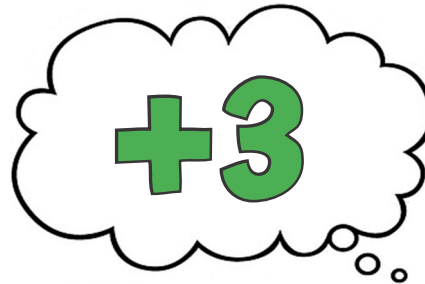
MS4a: Counting On



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

Small Difference

$$61 - 58 = 3$$



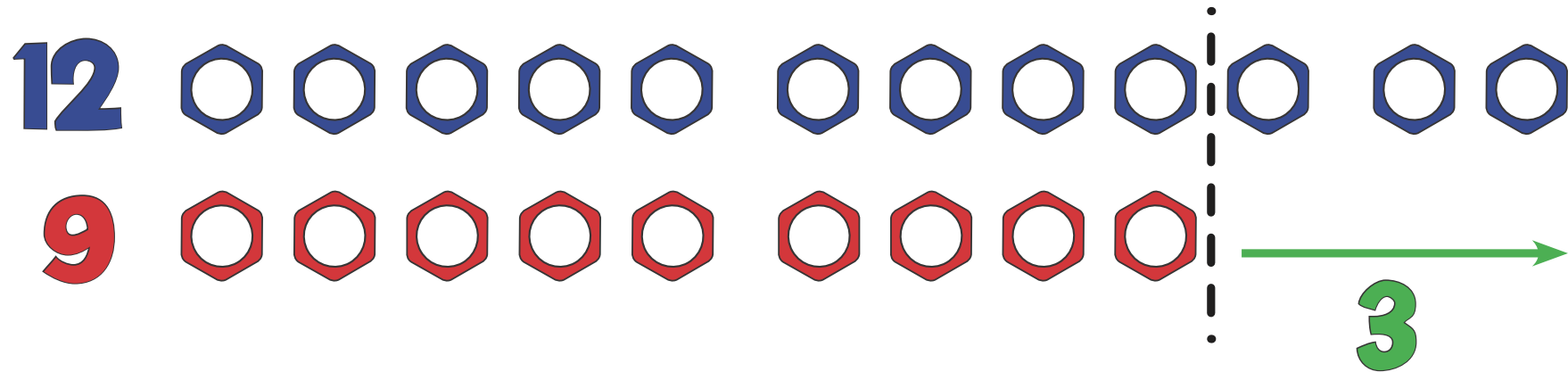
MS4a: Counting On



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa
Visualisation

Small Difference

$$12 - 9 = 3$$



MS4a: Counting On

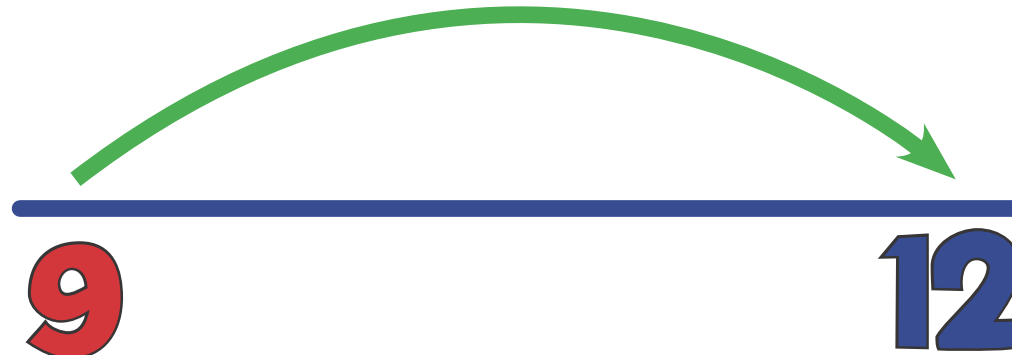


MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

1

Small Difference

$$12 - 9 = 3$$



MS4a: Counting On

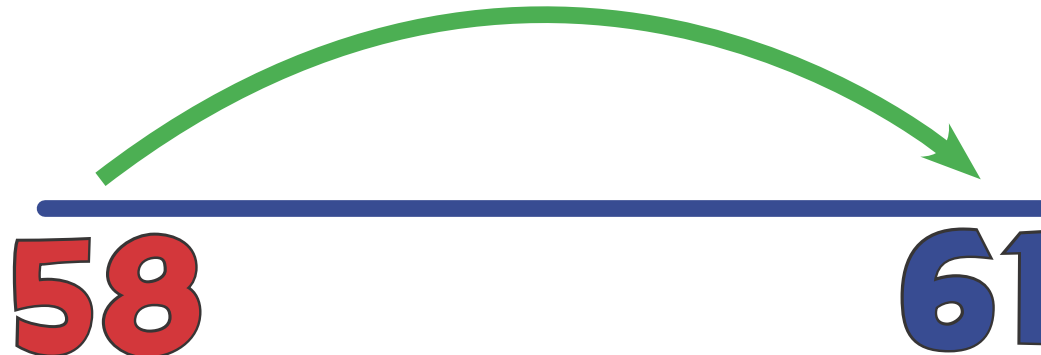


MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

2

Small Difference

$$61 - 58 = 3$$



MS4a: Counting On

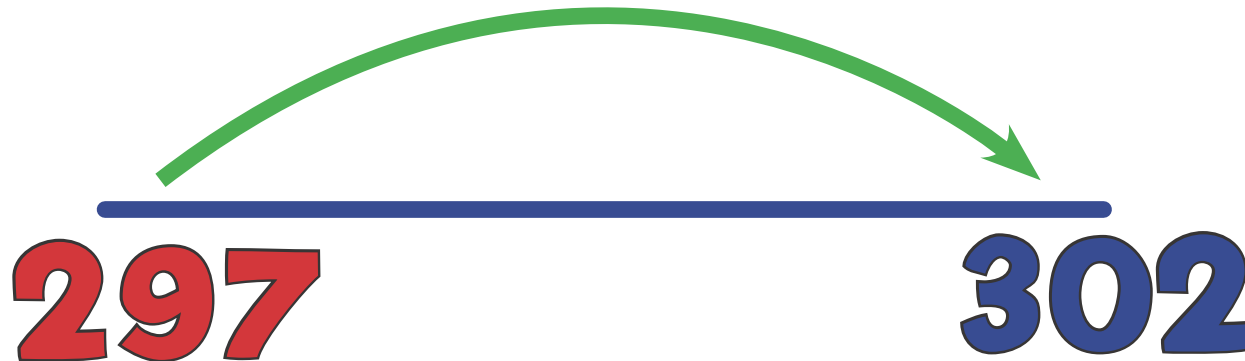


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3

Small Difference

$$302 - 297 = 5$$



MS4a: Counting On

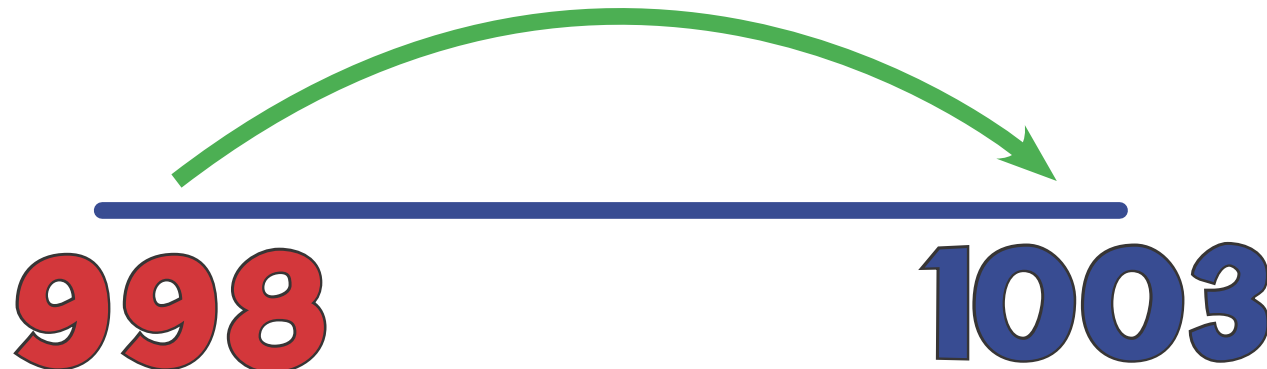


MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

4

Small Difference

$$1003 - 998 = 5$$



MS4a: Counting On



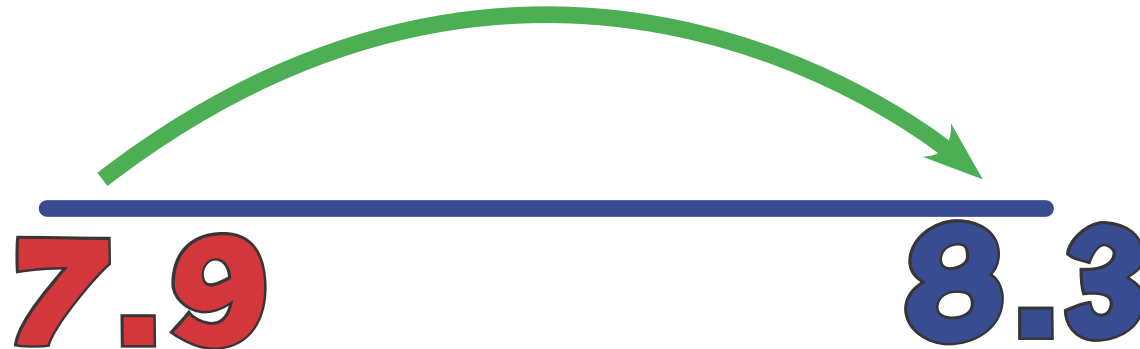
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5

Small Difference

$$8.3 - 7.9 = 0.4$$

+0.4



MS4a: Counting On

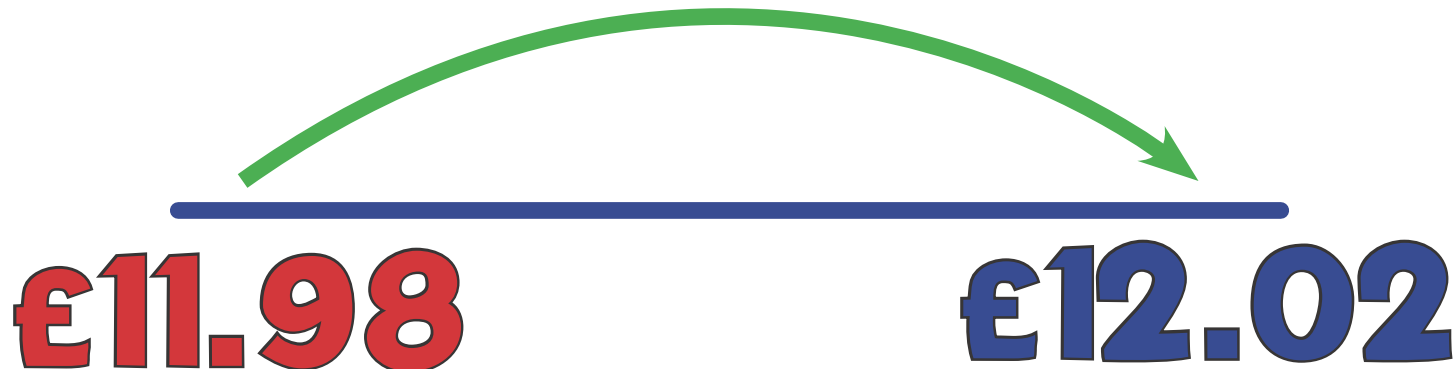


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6

Small Difference

$$€12.02 - €11.98 = 4p$$



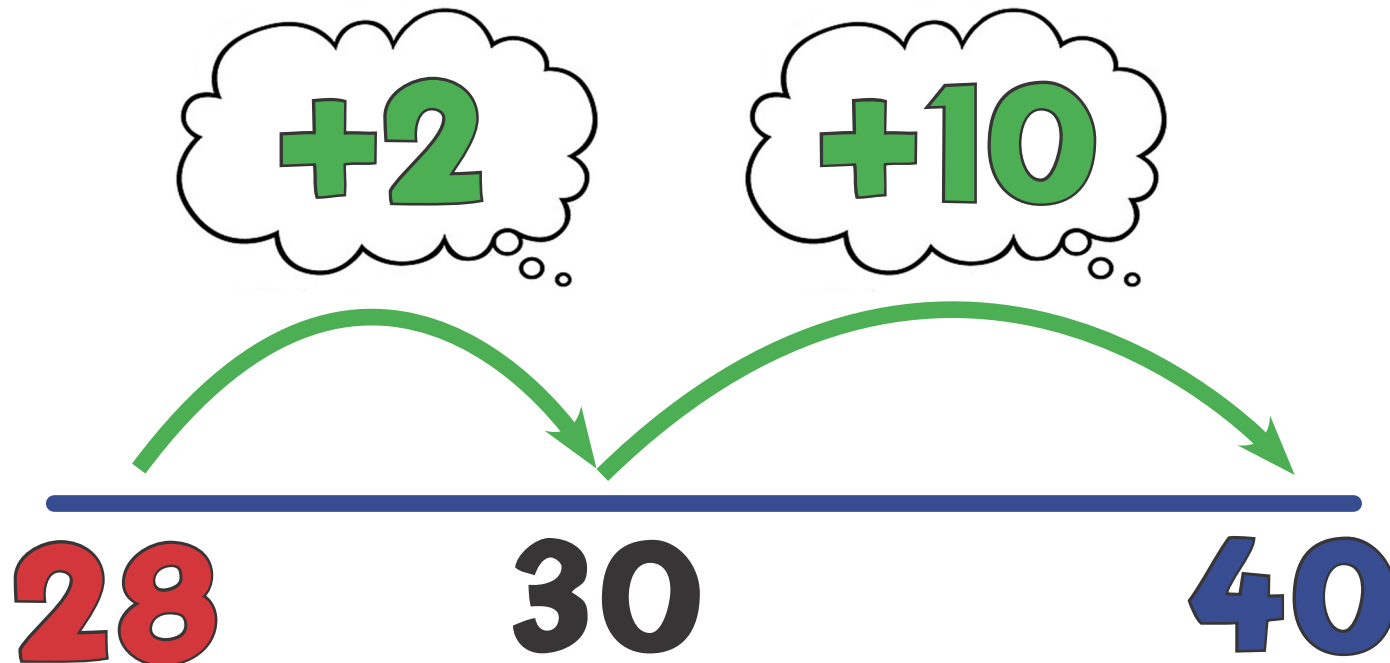
MS4b: Counting On



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Jumps

$$40 - 28 = 12$$

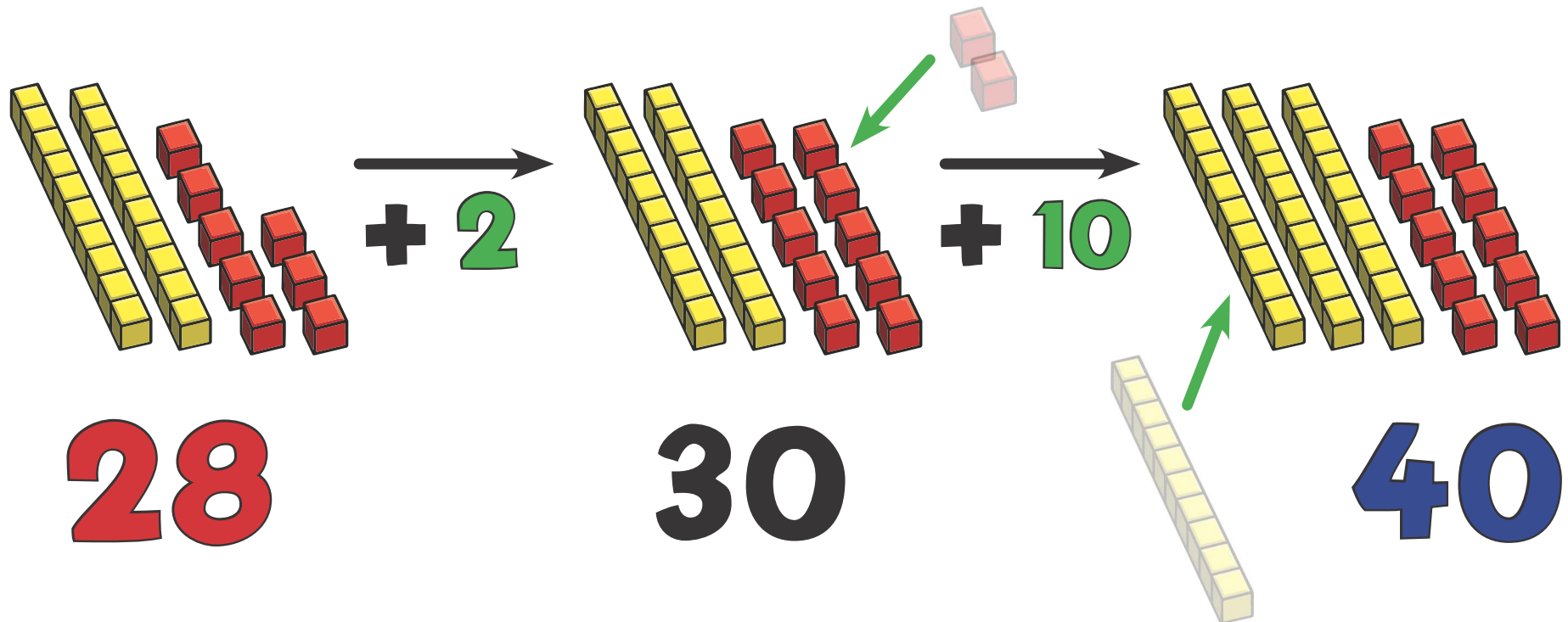


MS4b: Counting On

MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa
Visualisation

Jumps

$$40 - 28 = 12$$



MS4b: Counting On

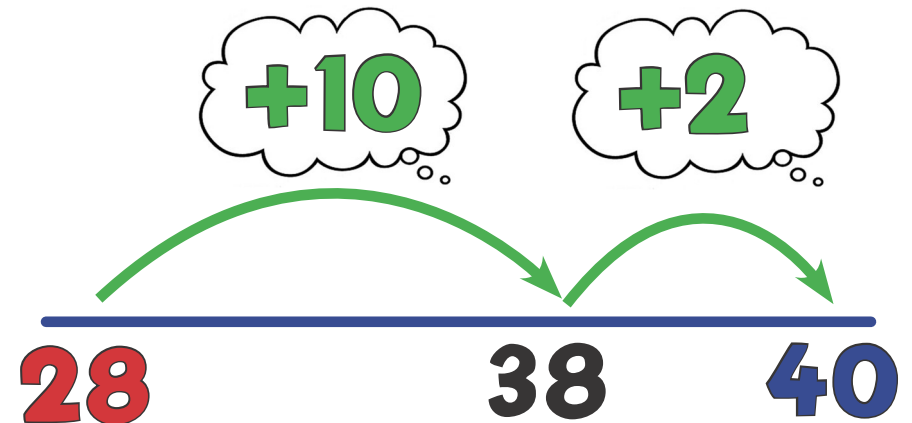
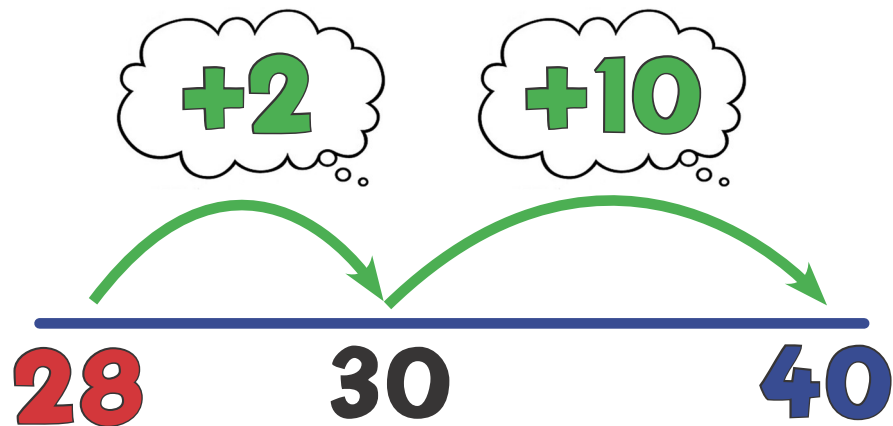


MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

2

Jumps

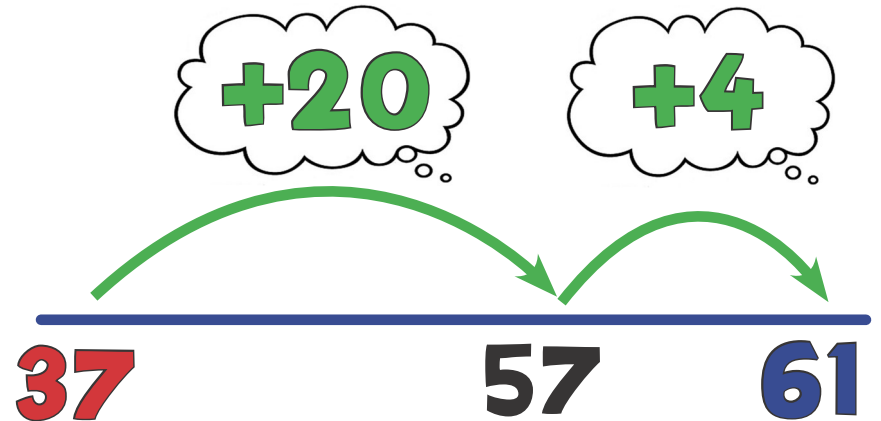
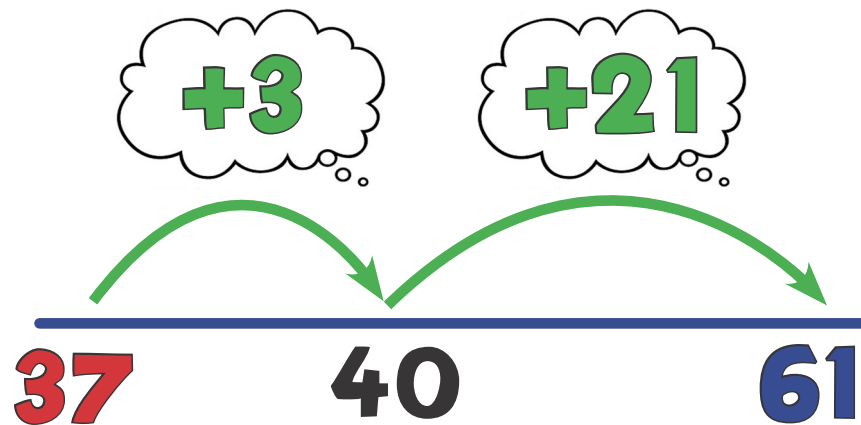
$$40 - 28 = 12$$



MS4b: Counting On

MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa
3 Jumps

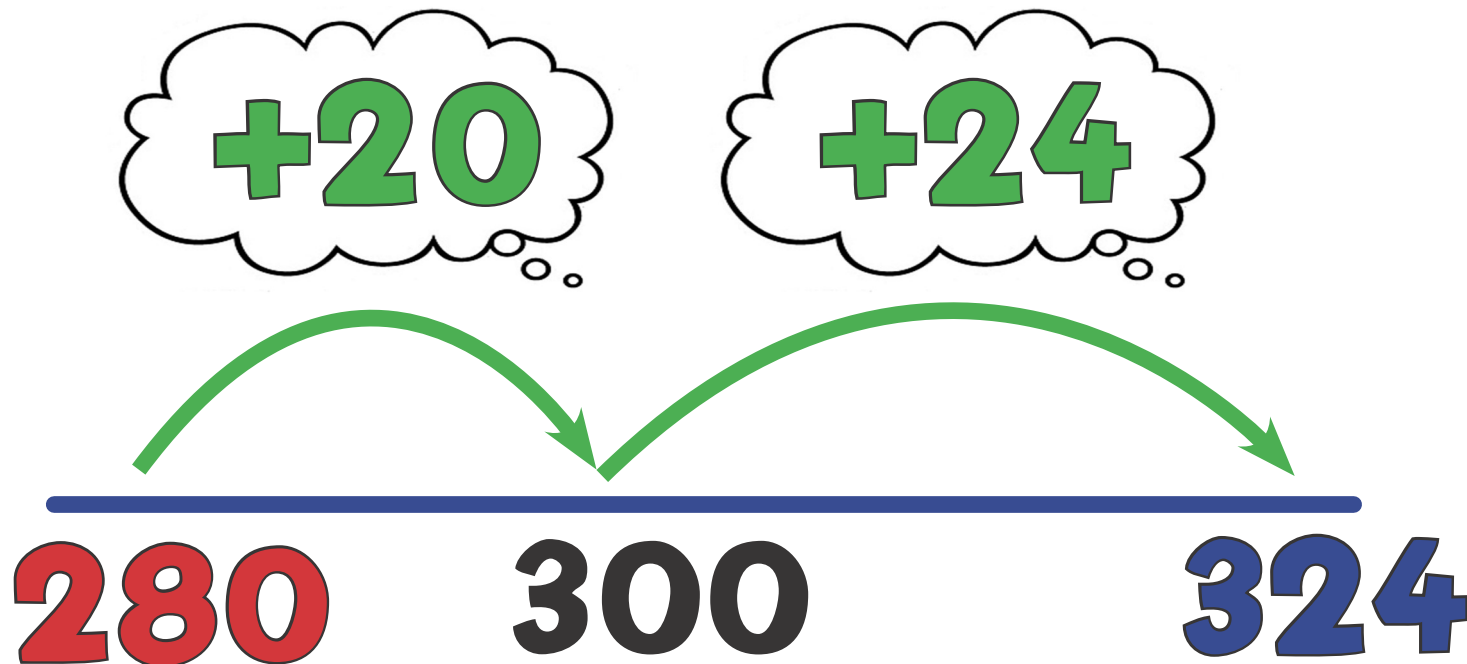
$$61 - 37 = 24$$



MS4b: Counting On

MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa
4 Jumps

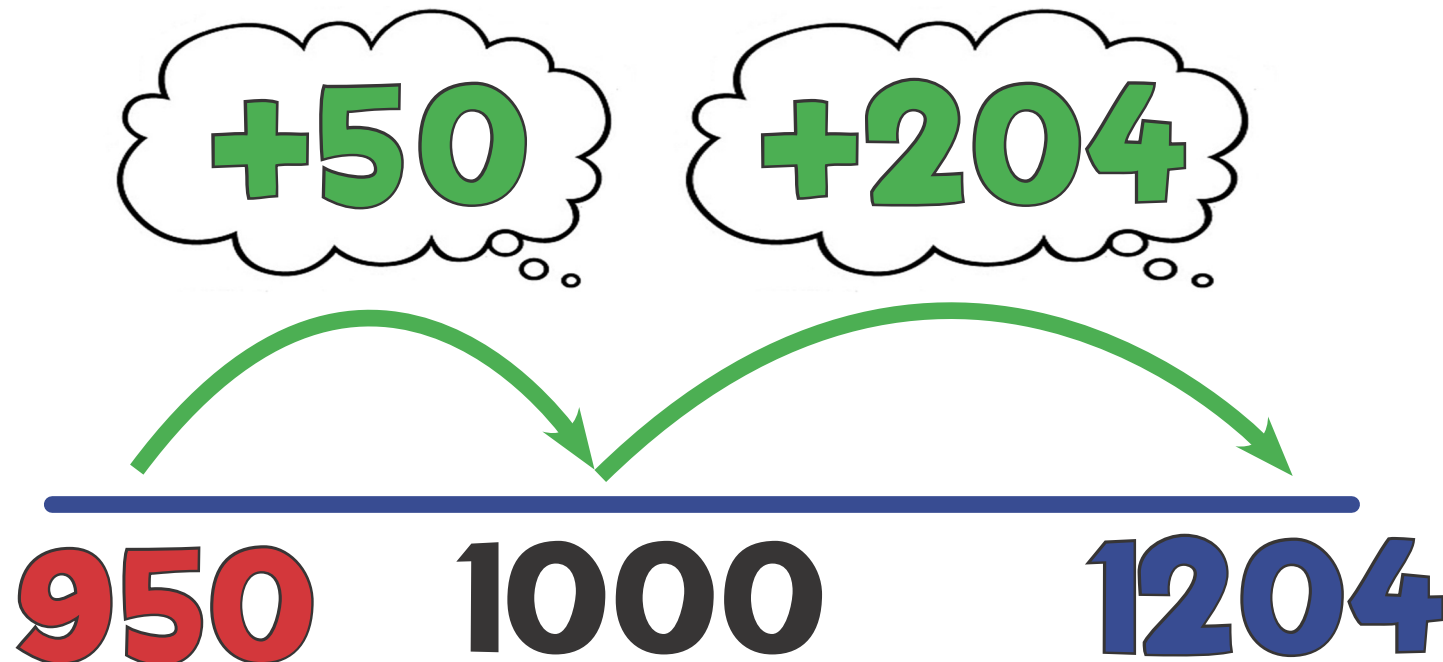
$$324 - 280 = 44$$



MS4b: Counting On

MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa
5 Jumps

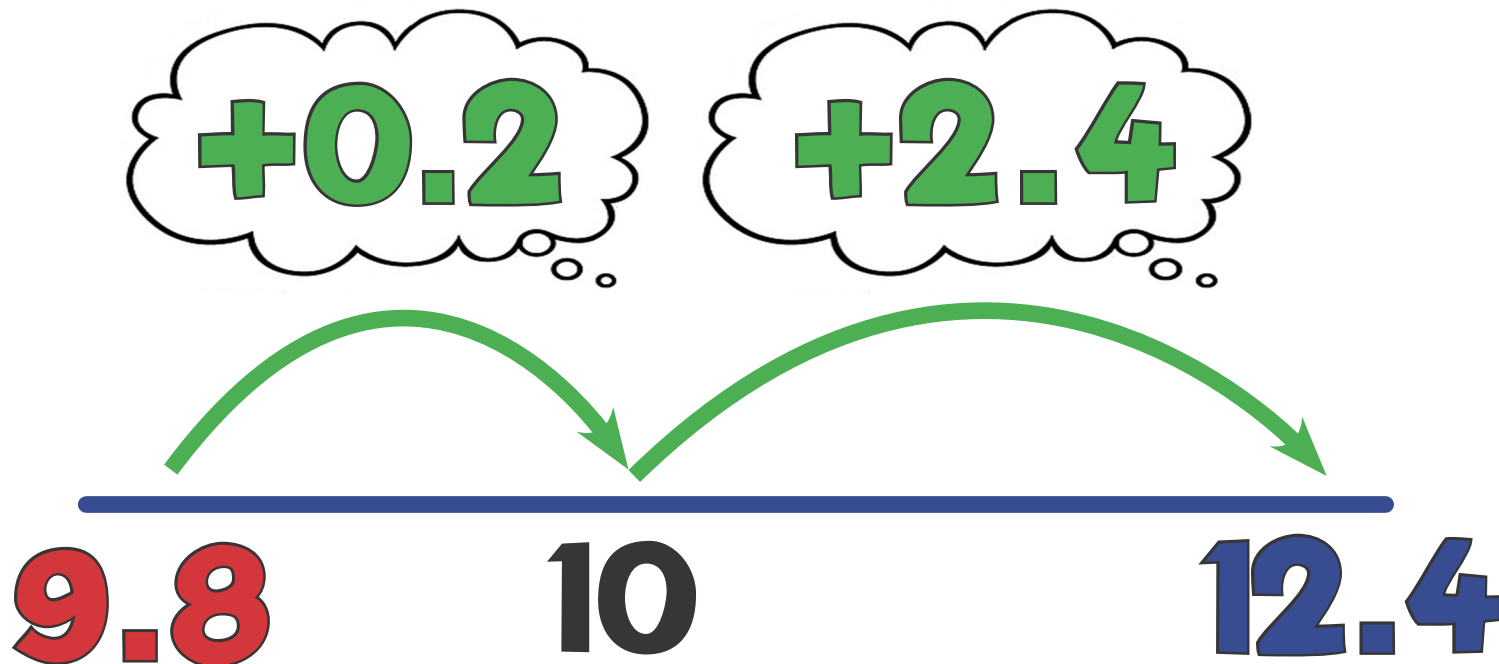
$$1204 - 950 = 254$$



MS4b: Counting On

MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa
6 Jumps

$$12.4 - 9.8 = 2.6$$

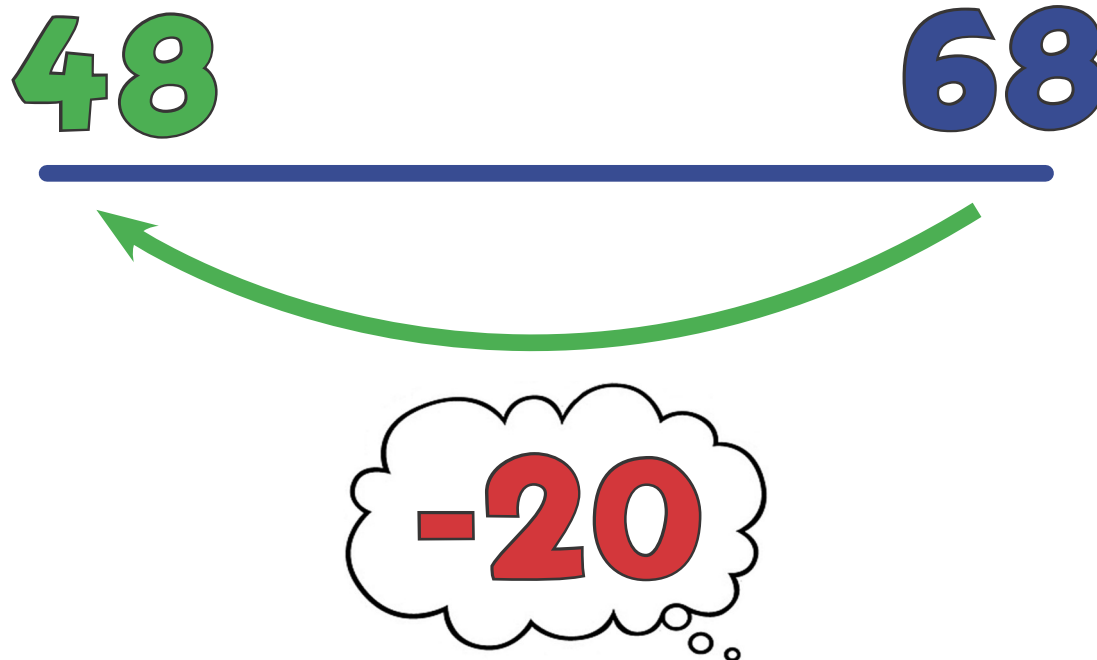


MS5a: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

$$68 - 20 = 48$$

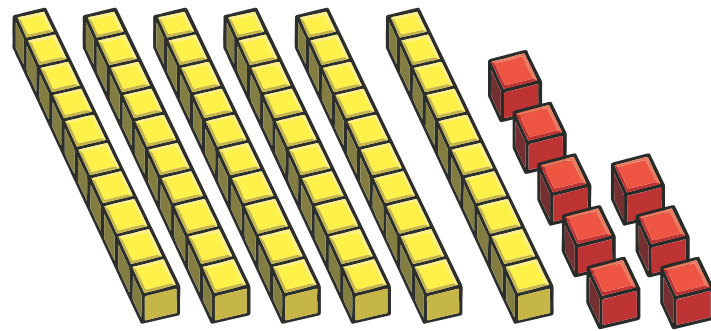


MS5a: Counting Back



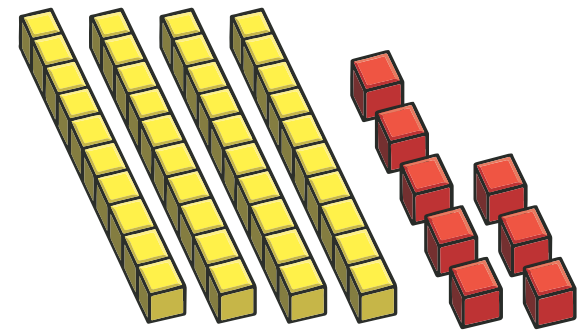
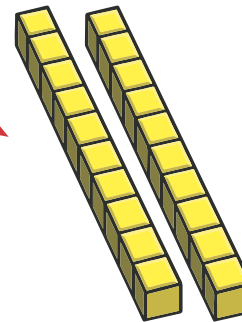
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Visualisation

$$68 - 20 = 48$$



68

-20



48



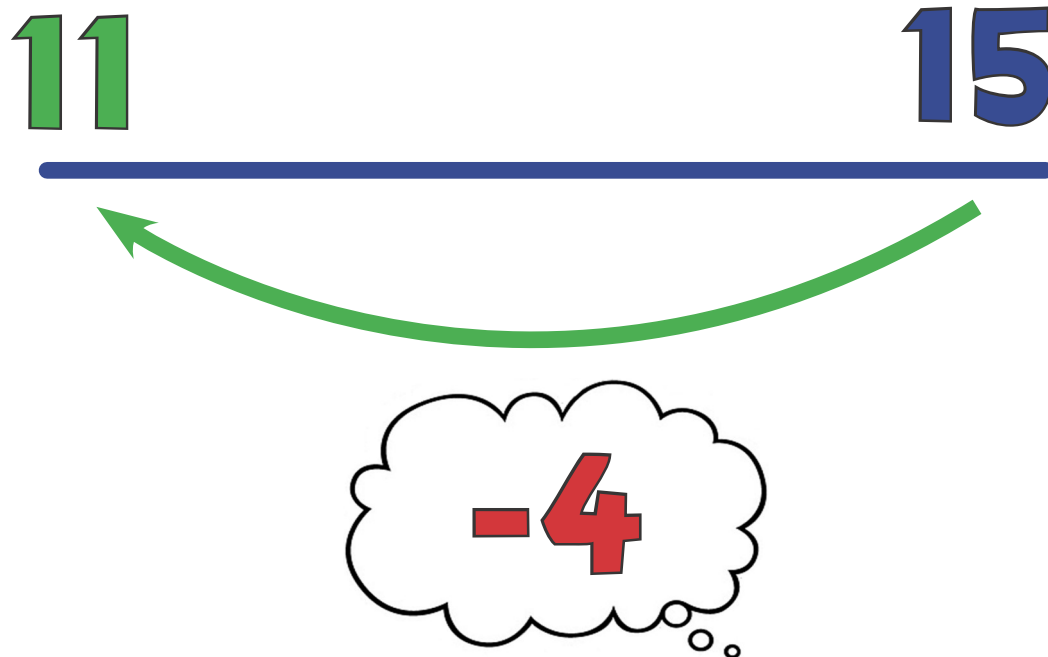
MS5a: Counting Back



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1

$$15 - 4 = 11$$



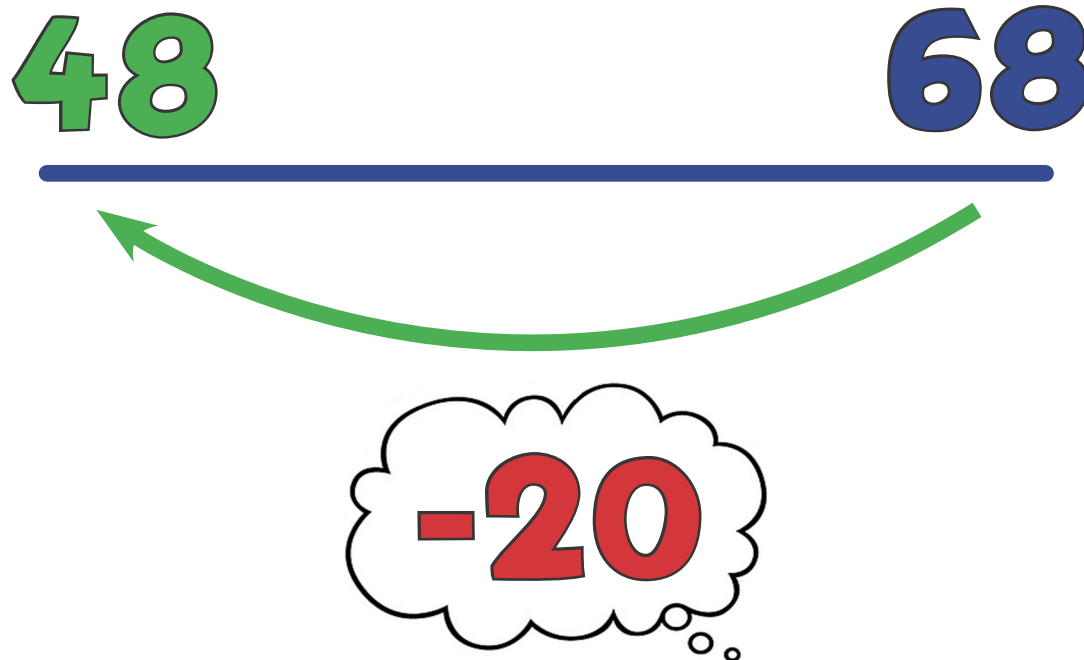
MS5a: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

2

$$68 - 20 = 48$$



MS5a: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

3

$$378 - 50 = 328$$

328

378



MS5a: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

4

$$768 - 200 = 568$$

568

768



-200



MS5a: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

5

$$7291 - 2000 = 5291$$

5291

7291



-2000



MS5a: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

6

$$86374 - 20000 = 66374$$

66374

86374



-20000



MS5b: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

Jumps

$$86 - 12 = 74$$

$$- 10 - 2$$

86

76

74



MS5b: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa
Visualisation

Jumps

$$86 - 12 = 74$$

74 76 86



-2

-10



MS5b: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

2

Jumps

$$86 - 12 = 74$$

$$- 10 - 2$$

86

76

74



MS5b: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

3

Jumps

$$89 - 34 = 55$$

-

30

-

4

89

59

55



MS5b: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

4

Jumps

$$578 - 45 = 533$$

-

40

-

5

578

538

533



MS5b: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

5

Jumps

$$8.6 - 4.1 = 4.5$$

$- 4 \quad - 0.1$

8.6

4.6

4.5



MS5b: Counting Back



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

6

Jumps

$$£65.87 - £30.24 = £35.63$$

- £30

- 24p

£65.87

£35.87

£35.63



MS6: Number Facts



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

$$61 - 41 = 20$$

$$41 + 20 = 61$$



MS6: Number Facts



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa
Visualisation

$$61 - 41 = 20$$

$$41 + 20 = 61$$

40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70



MS6: Number Facts



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

1

$$19 - 9 = 10$$

$$9 + 10 = 19$$



MS6: Number Facts



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

2

$$61 - 41 = 20$$

$$41 + 20 = 61$$



MS6: Number Facts



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

3

$$123 - 83 = 40$$

$$83 + 40 = 123$$



MS6: Number Facts



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

4

$$847 - 447 = 400$$

$$447 + 400 = 847$$



MS6: Number Facts



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

5

$$1424 - 724 = 700$$

$$724 + 700 = 1424$$



MS6: Number Facts



MC RaPa CoOCoB NumFa

6

$$13.2 - 9.2 = 4$$

$$9.2 + 4 = 13.2$$

