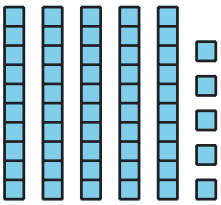
Subtract 2 Digits

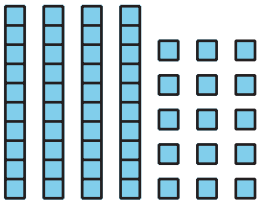
Let's subtract two-digit numbers.

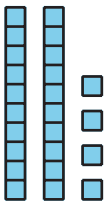
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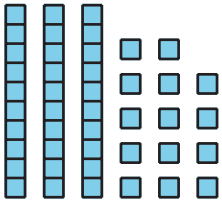
How Many Do You See: Compose a Ten

How many do you see? How do you see them?









Activity 1

What's the Difference?

Find the value of each difference. Show your thinking using objects, drawings, numbers, or words.

1. $46 - 28 =$ _____

2. $93 - 54 =$ _____

Activity 2

Use Blocks to Take Away

1. Choose a player card. Mix up the other cards. Put them facedown.

   Player name: _____

2. Represent your starting number. Use base-ten blocks.

   Starting number: _____

3. Take turns picking cards. Read your card to the group.

4. Listen for your player's name. Use blocks to show the change.

5. Write an equation.

6. Write an equation to show the new number.

   Equation 1: _____

   Equation 2: _____

   My player now has _____ tens and _____ ones.

   Ending number: _____

   Share this number with your group.

7. Write an equation to show the sum of the ending numbers in your group.

