

Word problems — Adding

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Read each problem. Write the answer.

- 1 First Fox found 14 mushrooms, and then 10 more.

How many mushrooms does Fox have altogether? $14 + 10 = 24$ mushrooms

- 2 Between them, Fox has 15 acorns and Hedgehog has 12.

How many acorns do they have altogether? ____

- 3 Fox had 15 chestnuts before finding 10 more at the old oak tree.

How many chestnuts does Fox have now? ____

- 4 Deer had 17 acorns before gathering 6 more at the old oak tree.

How many acorns does Deer have now? ____

- 5 Deer has 18 mushrooms. Mole has 5.

How many mushrooms do they have in all? ____



Word problems — Subtracting

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Read each problem. Write the answer.

- 1 Mole had 16 acorns and picked some more to reach 25 acorns.

How many acorns did Mole pick? $25 - 16 = 9$ acorns

- 2 Out of 9 mushrooms, Mole gave away 8.

How many mushrooms does Mole have left? ____

- 3 Together Mole and Fox have 26 berries, and 17 belong to Mole.

How many berries belong to Fox? ____

- 4 After dropping 15 of the 18 chestnuts, Fox counted the rest.

How many chestnuts does Fox have now? ____

- 5 Fox began with 7 mushrooms. After finding some more, Fox had 13 mushrooms.

How many mushrooms did Fox find? ____



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- 1 Compared to Bea's 31 carrots, Rafi has 7 more.

How many carrots does Rafi have? $31 + 7 = 38$ carrots

- 2 Rafi is growing 23 bulbs while Bea is growing 17 bulbs. Rafi has 3 seedlings as well.

Between the two of them, how many bulbs are there? ____

- 3 Rafi already had 21 seedlings together with 5 tomatoes by the greenhouse, and then potted 11 more seedlings.

How many seedlings does Rafi have in all? ____

- 4 Theo and Priya have some seeds. Theo has 33 and Priya has 23.

How many seeds do the two of them have in total? ____

- 5 Priya is holding 12 rocks. Theo has 7 more.

How many rocks does Theo have? ____



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- 1 Tomas and Ines share 28 seedlings, and 22 of them are Tomas's. Tomas also has 7 tomatoes.

How many seedlings belong to Ines? $28 - 22 = 6$ seedlings

- 2 Tomas started with 15 carrots, potted some more, and had 21 carrots in all.

How many carrots did Tomas pot? ____

- 3 Tomas is growing 26 tomatoes. Ines is growing only 16. Besides those, Tomas has 5 carrots.

How many more tomatoes does Tomas have than Ines? ____

- 4 Priya had 25 leaf samples and removed 10 of them.

How many leaf samples does Priya have left? ____

- 5 Priya is holding 38 photos, while Ben is holding 9.

How many more photos does Priya have than Ben? ____



Word problems — Mixed operations

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Read each problem. Write the answer.

- 1 Rafi had 19 tomatoes and was left with 7 tomatoes after giving away some. Rafi has 8 seedlings as well.

How many tomatoes did Rafi give away? $19 - 7 = 12$ tomatoes

- 2 Rafi is growing 24 carrots while Otto is growing 10 carrots. Rafi has 7 bulbs as well.

Between the two of them, how many carrots are there? ____

- 3 Rafi set out with 24 seedlings and ended up pulling up 22 of them.

How many seedlings are left now? ____

- 4 Tomas packed 10 bulbs into rows of 5. Tomas also has 8 tomatoes.

How many rows did Tomas fill? ____

- 5 Tomas already had 39 carrots and planted 37 more.

How many carrots does Tomas have in all? ____



Power Pack · Story problems: + and – — Answer key



Adding stories

1. $14 + 10 = 24$ mushrooms
2. $15 + 12 = 27$ acorns
3. $15 + 10 = 25$ chestnuts
4. $17 + 6 = 23$ acorns
5. $18 + 5 = 23$ mushrooms

Subtracting stories

1. $25 - 16 = 9$ acorns
2. $9 - 8 = 1$ mushroom
3. $26 - 17 = 9$ berries
4. $18 - 15 = 3$ chestnuts
5. $13 - 7 = 6$ mushrooms

Adding stories, bigger numbers

1. $31 + 7 = 38$ carrots
2. $23 + 17 = 40$ bulbs
3. $21 + 11 = 32$ seedlings
4. $33 + 23 = 56$ seeds
5. $12 + 7 = 19$ rocks

Subtracting stories, bigger numbers

1. $28 - 22 = 6$ seedlings
2. $21 - 15 = 6$ carrots
3. $26 - 16 = 10$ tomatoes
4. $25 - 10 = 15$ leaf samples
5. $38 - 9 = 29$ photos

Mixed stories

1. $19 - 7 = 12$ tomatoes
2. $24 + 10 = 34$ carrots
3. $24 - 22 = 2$ seedlings
4. $10 \div 5 = 2$ rows
5. $39 + 37 = 76$ carrots