

# Balancing operations



Use the numbers to balance the scales. Some of the numbers have been given.

a

$1 + \square$

$3 + \square$

2 4 ~~3~~ ~~1~~

b

$9 - \square$

$5 - \square$

~~9~~ 6 ~~5~~ 2

c

$10 \times \square$

$2 \times \square$

5 1 ~~2~~ ~~10~~

d

$9 + \square$

$12 + \square$

~~12~~ 9 ~~9~~ 6

e

$16 - \square$

$9 - \square$

1 8 ~~9~~ ~~16~~

f

$4 \times \square$

$6 \times \square$

~~4~~ 2 ~~6~~ 3

g

$8 + \square$

$4 + \square$

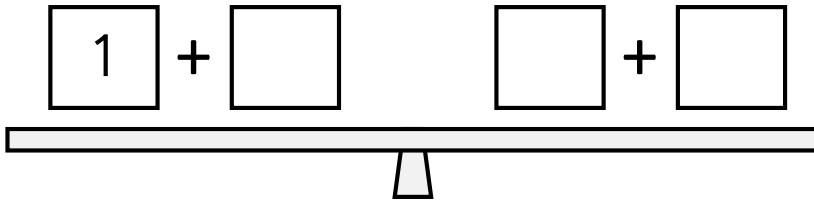
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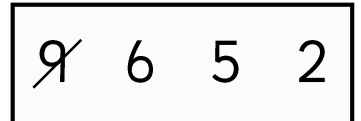
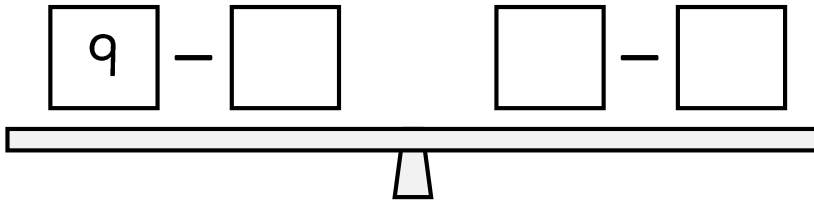


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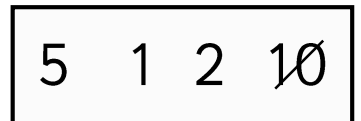
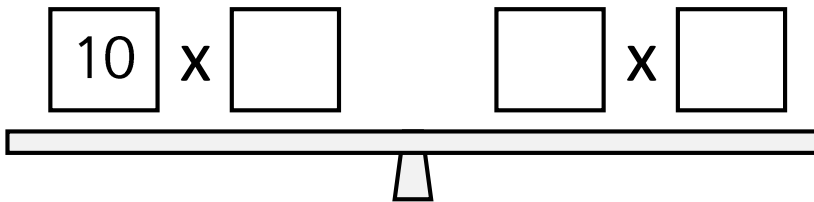
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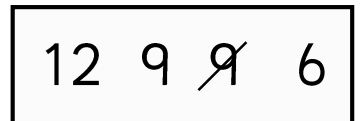
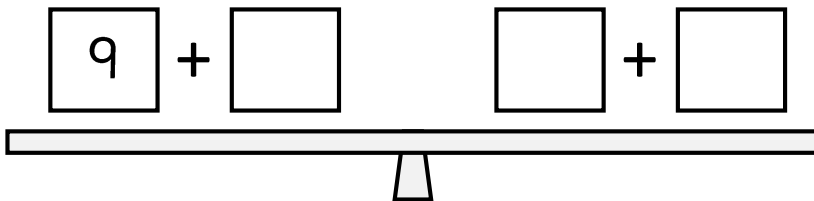
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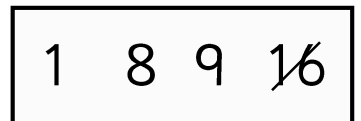
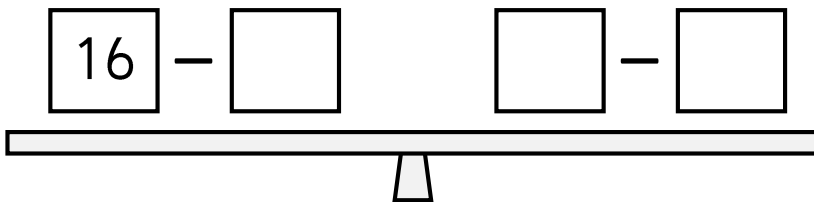
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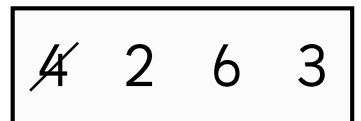
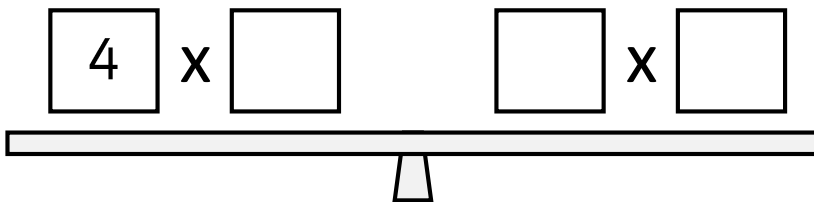
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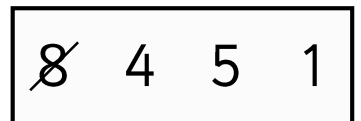
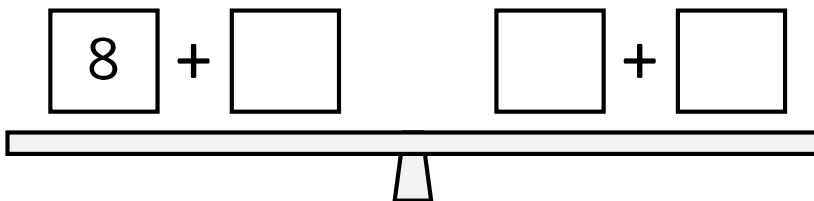
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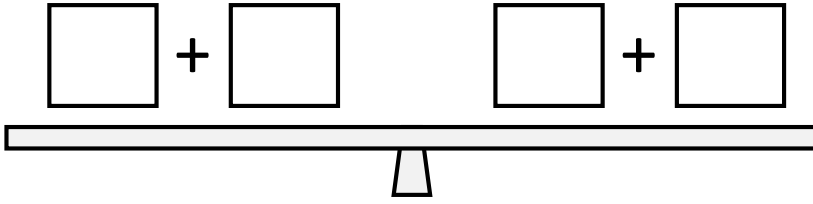


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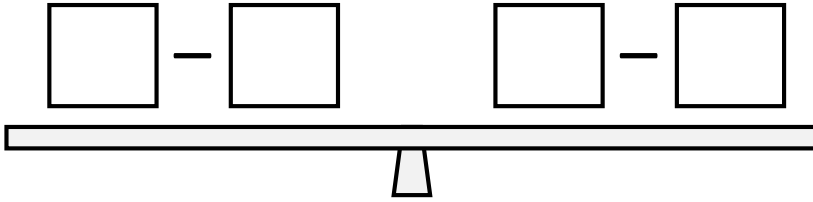
Use the numbers to balance the scales.

a



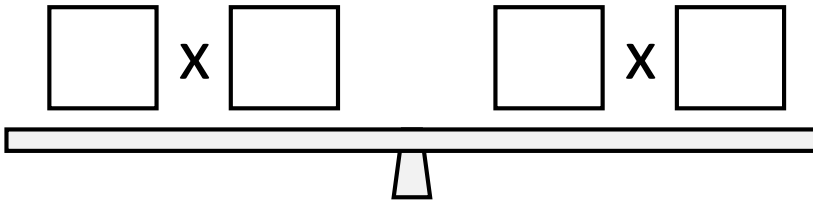
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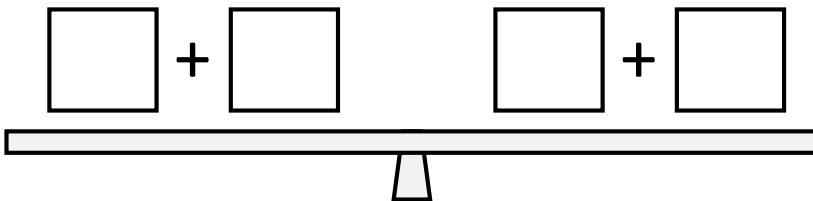
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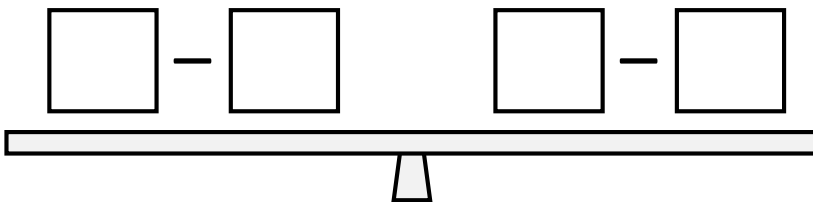
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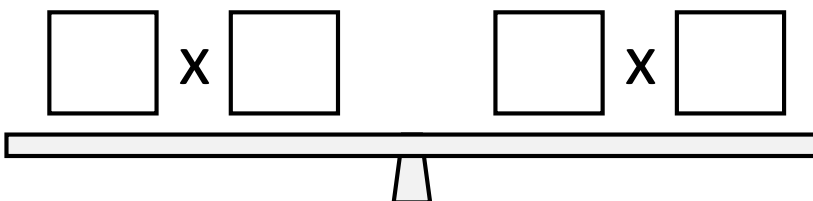
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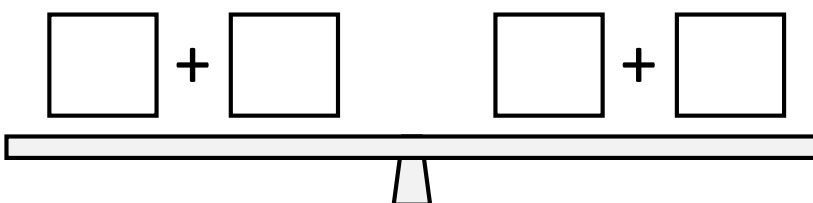
1 8 9 16

f



4 2 6 3

g



8 4 5 1

# Answers - Balancing operations

Use the numbers to balance the scales. Possible answers but not limited to:

a

$$\boxed{1} + \boxed{4}$$

$$\boxed{3} + \boxed{2}$$

2 4 3 1

b

$$\boxed{9} - \boxed{6}$$

$$\boxed{5} - \boxed{2}$$

9 6 5 2

c

$$\boxed{10} \times \boxed{1}$$

$$\boxed{2} \times \boxed{5}$$

5 1 2 10

d

$$\boxed{9} + \boxed{9}$$

$$\boxed{12} + \boxed{6}$$

12 9 9 6

e

$$\boxed{16} - \boxed{8}$$

$$\boxed{9} - \boxed{1}$$

1 8 9 16

f

$$\boxed{4} \times \boxed{3}$$

$$\boxed{6} \times \boxed{2}$$

4 2 6 3

g

$$\boxed{8} + \boxed{1}$$

$$\boxed{4} + \boxed{5}$$

8 4 5 1