

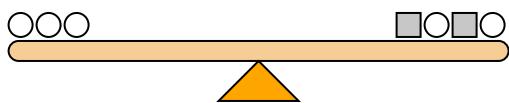


Keeping Scales Balanced

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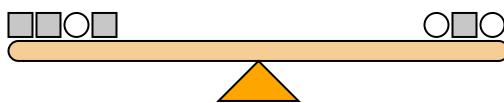
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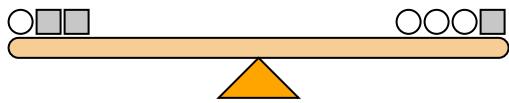
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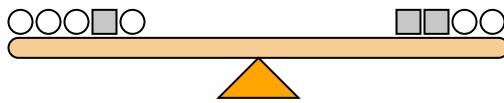
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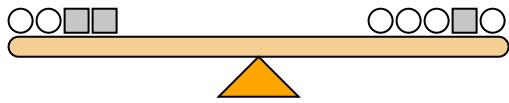
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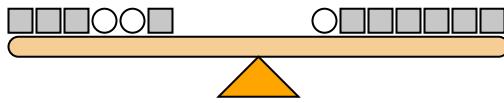
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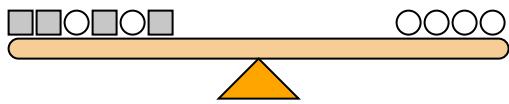
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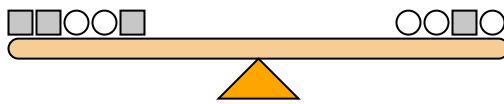
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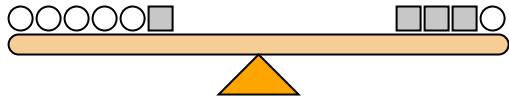
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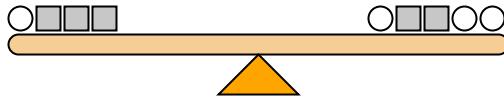
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9)



If you added 4 squares to the right side, how many circles would you have to add to the left side to keep it balanced?

10)



If you added 3 squares to the left side, how many circles would you have to add to the right side to keep it balanced?

Answers

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____

8. _____

9. _____

10. _____

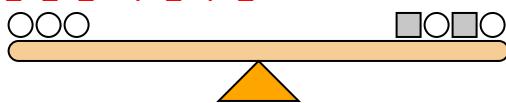


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Name: **Answer Key**

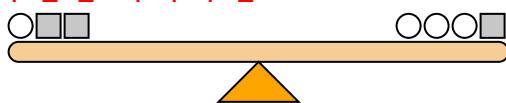
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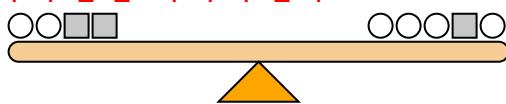
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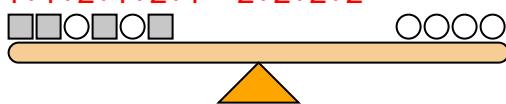
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5) $1+1+2+2 = 1+1+1+2+1$



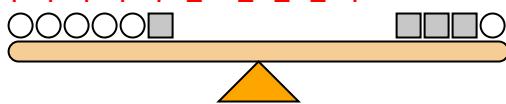
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7) $1+1+2+1+2+1 = 2+2+2+2$



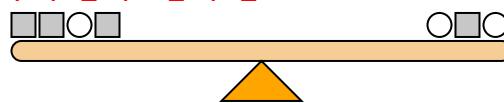
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9) $1+1+1+1+1+2 = 2+2+2+1$



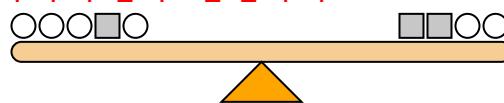
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2) $1+1+2+1 = 2+1+2$



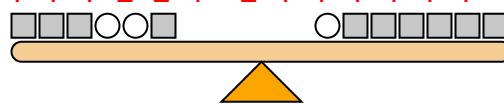
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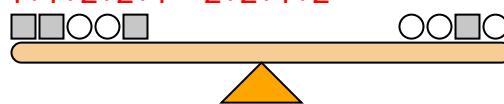
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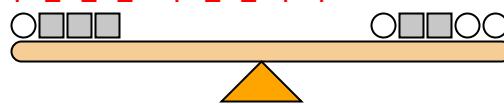
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8) $1+1+2+2+1 = 2+2+1+2$



If you added 8 squares to the right side, how many circles would you have to add to the left side to keep it balanced?

10) $1+2+2+2 = 1+2+2+1+1$



If you added 3 squares to the left side, how many circles would you have to add to the right side to keep it balanced?

Answers

1. **4**

2. **4**

3. **3**

4. **4**

5. **8**

6. **10**

7. **10**

8. **4**

9. **8**

10. **6**