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- 4) A pet store had twenty-nine siamese cats and five house cats. During a sale they sold thirty-one cats. How many cats do they have left?
- 5) Vanessa bought two coloring books. One had forty-five pictures and the other had forty-seven. After one week she had already colored twenty-two of the pictures. How many pictures does she still have to color?
- 6) For the school bake sale Janet made pastries. She baked thirty-two cupcakes and seven cookies. After the sale she had five to take back home. How many pastries did she sell?
- 7) At the school's book fair Frank bought forty adventure books and forty-five mystery books. If eighty-three of the books were used, how many new books did he buy?
- **8)** At the arcade, Jerry won forty-seven tickets playing 'whack a mole' and thirty-five tickets playing 'skee ball'. If he spent fifty-three of his tickets on a hat, how many tickets does Jerry have left?
- **9**) Gwen had forty-eight music files and four video files on her flash drive. If she deleted thirty-two of the files, how many files were still on her flash drive?
- **10**) While shopping, Carol bought twenty-two green towels and twenty-four white towels. If she gave her mother four of them, how many towels did Carol end up with?

Answers

- 1. _____
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- 1. **12**
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 - 2
- **3**
- 5. **70**
- 6. _____34
- 7. **2**
- 8. **29**
- 9. **20**
- 10. **42**



Two Step Problems

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- J. _____
- washed 9 of them by the time school started, how many did he not wash?
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- **4)** A pet store had 29 siamese cats and 5 house cats. During a sale they sold 31 cats. How many cats do they have left?
- 7. _____
- 5) Vanessa bought two coloring books. One had 45 pictures and the other had 47. After one week she had already colored 22 of the pictures. How many pictures does she still have to color?
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- **6)** For the school bake sale Janet made pastries. She baked 32 cupcakes and 7 cookies. After the sale she had 5 to take back home. How many pastries did she sell?
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- 7) At the school's book fair Frank bought 40 adventure books and 45 mystery books. If 83 of the books were used, how many new books did he buy?
- **8**) At the arcade, Jerry won 47 tickets playing 'whack a mole' and 35 tickets playing 'skee ball'. If he spent 53 of his tickets on a hat, how many tickets does Jerry have left?
- 9) Gwen had 48 music files and 4 video files on her flash drive. If she deleted 32 of the files, how many files were still on her flash drive?
- **10)** While shopping, Carol bought 22 green towels and 24 white towels. If she gave her mother 4 of them, how many towels did Carol end up with?