Fun with Fives



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The Big Idea

This book demonstrates how grouping items by fives makes counting faster.

Skills at a Glance

Monitor-Reading
- Discuss ideas with others

Comprehension
- Identify stated main idea and supporting details

Phonics
- Variant vowel /ar/ (are, art, markers, start, started)

Word Study
- Plurals (fives, ones, pencils, things, tools)

Fluency
- Read with appropriate stress or emphasis

Content Vocabulary
- add, group, pattern, total

* Numerals, vocabulary words on pages 2 and 3, and words in photo captions, labels, diagrams, and charts are not included in the word count for this book.

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I need to know these words.

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count



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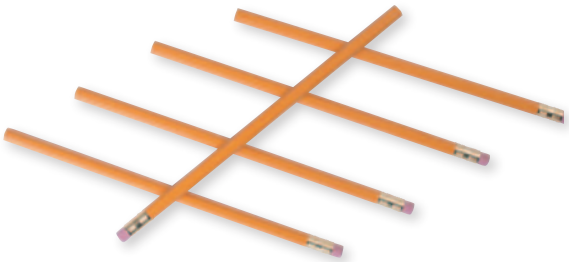


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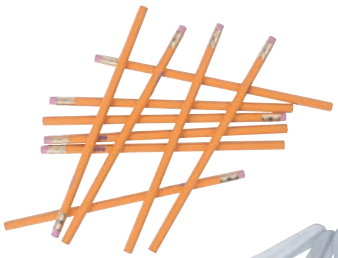
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five



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groups





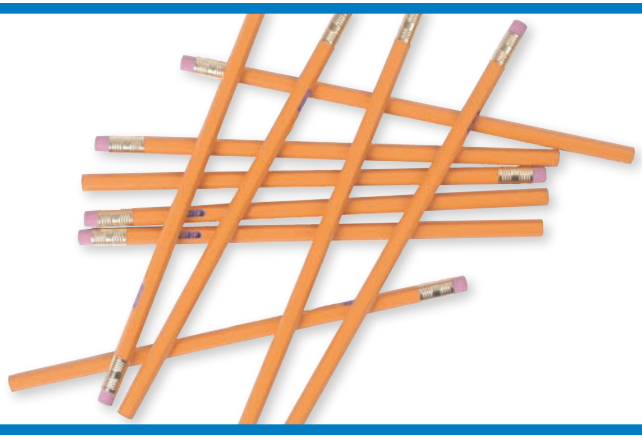


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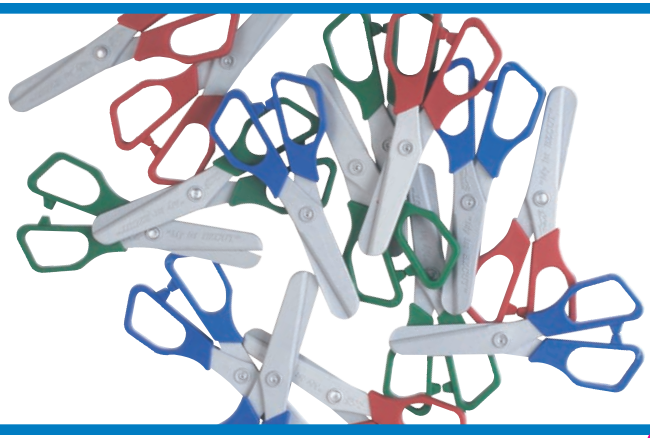
pattern

5 10 15 ?

pencils



scissors



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How Can You Count Faster?

How can you count many things?
You can count them one by one.
Can you count a faster way?



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You can put things in groups of five. You can count things faster in groups of five.





▲ You can count by fives instead.

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Can You Count the Fives?

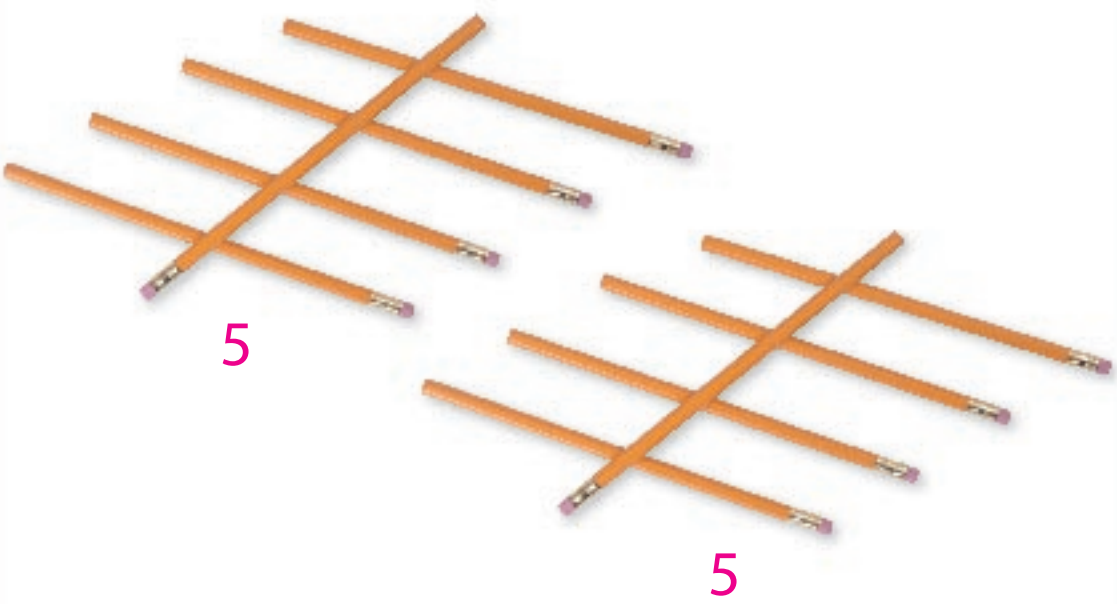
You can count by fives. You can start with pencils.



▲ How can you count the pencils?

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You can group the pencils by fives.
Count the groups by fives.
The total is 10.

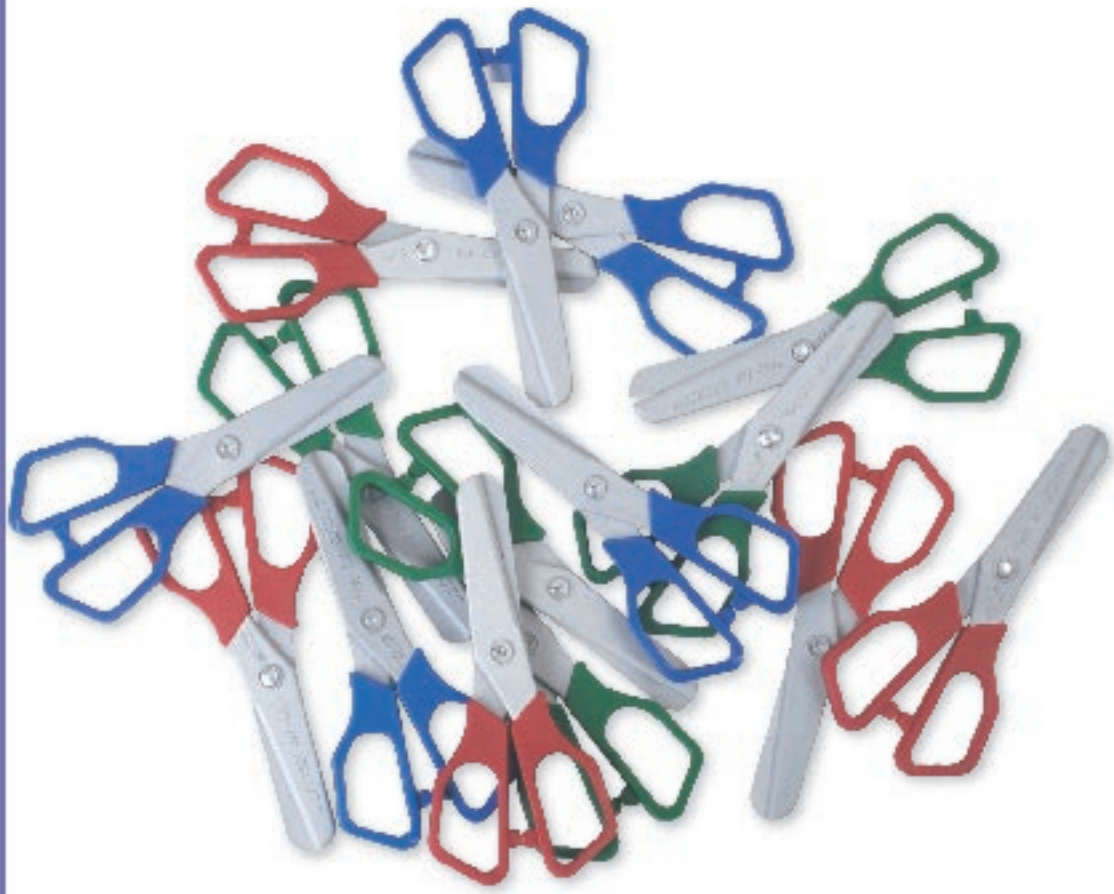


▲ How many groups of five make 10?

5 10

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Now you need to count the scissors. Use the faster way to count the scissors. Try to count by fives.



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Put the scissors into groups of five.
Then count the groups by fives.
What is the total?



5



5



5

5 10 15