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Focus Question

How many cans of drink are there altogether?



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Multiply X

Groups of

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That means every group has the same number!



The cans of drink are in equal groups.

There are _____ groups of _____ = _____

We can use the symbol for multiply X to describe this...

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$$2 \times 3 = 6$$

FIRST count the number of groups

NEXT count the number in each group

Multiplying is easy when we can see the equal groups!



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$$2 + 2 + 2 = 6$$

$$3 \text{ groups of } 2 = 6 \Rightarrow 3 \times 2 = 6$$



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$$6 + 6 = 12$$

$$2 \text{ groups of } 6 = 12 \Rightarrow 2 \times 6 = 12$$

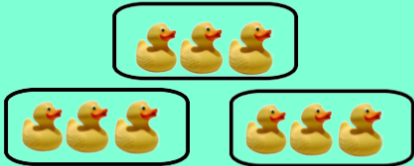


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$$3 + 3 + 3 = 9$$

$$3 \text{ groups of } 3 = 9 \Rightarrow 3 \times 3 = 9$$



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