Grade 1 Unit 5 worksheet: Tens and ones (answer key)

ANSWERS AT A GLANCE

1. (a) 10 (b) 4 tens 8 ones (c) 1 ten 6 ones (d) 70

2. B

3. 4 stacks and 3 loose cups.

4. 25

WORKED SOLUTIONS

1. Fill in the blanks.

(a) 1 ten = _____ ones

(b) 48 = _____ tens ☐ ones

(c) 16 = _____ tens ☐ ones

(d) 7 tens 0 ones = _____

ANSWER

(a) 10 (b) 4 tens 8 ones (c) 1 ten 6 ones (d) 70

SOLUTION

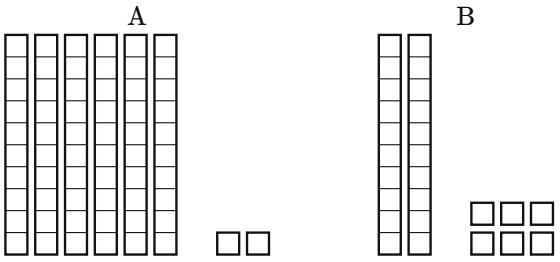
(a) Untie a ten and it gives back 10 ones.

(b) The 4 is in the tens place and the 8 is in the ones place: 40 + 8 = 48.

(c) 16 is one ten and 6 more: 10 + 6 = 16.

(d) 7 tens is 70. The 0 says there are no ones.

2. Mia makes 26 with cube trains. Each train has ten cubes. Circle the one that shows 26.



ANSWER

B

SOLUTION

26 is 2 tens and 6 ones. B has 2 trains and 6 cubes: 10, 20, then 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26.

A has 6 trains and 2 cubes. That is 62, not 26.

3. Grace has 43 cups. She puts them in stacks of ten.

Stacks: _____ Loose cups: _____

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ANSWER

4 stacks and 3 loose cups.

SOLUTION

43 is 4 tens and 3 ones. So Grace makes 4 stacks and 3 loose cups.

Check: 10, 20, 30, 40, then 41, 42, 43.

4. Samir has 2 bags of ten buns. He has 5 more buns. He writes 52. Write the right number. _____

ANSWER

25

SOLUTION

The 2 bags are 2 tens. The 5 buns are 5 ones. Tens go on the left, so it is 25.

Samir put the ones first. 52 would be 5 bags and 2 buns.

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