

Question:

Jennie is helping at her mom's office. She has a pile of 60 letters needing stamps and a pile of letters already stamped. She puts stamps on one-third of the letters needing stamps. If there are now 30 letters in the pile of already-stamped letters, how many were in that pile when Jennie began?

Reasoning + Answer:

<think> Jennie used $60 / 3 = 20$ stamps on the letters. There were $30 - 20 = 10$ letters in the pre-stamped pile initially </think><answer>10</answer>