

# Arithmetic problem set 38

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1. A squirrel found twelve acorns, but a blue jay stole four of them. How many acorns does the squirrel have now?

Number sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

Answer: The squirrel now has \_\_\_\_\_ acorns.

2. Lily baked twenty cookies, and her brother ate seven of them. How many cookies are left?

Number sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

Answer: There are \_\_\_\_\_ cookies left.

3. A clown had nine rubber chickens, and then he bought eight more. How many rubber chickens does he have in total?

Number sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

Answer: The clown has \_\_\_\_\_ rubber chickens in total.

4. A farmer had thirty-five fluffy sheep. Ten of them ran away to join the circus. How many sheep does the farmer have left?

Number sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

Answer: The farmer has \_\_\_\_\_ sheep left.

5. A pirate found seventeen gold coins and his parrot found two. How many gold coins did they find together?

Number sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

Answer: They found \_\_\_\_\_ gold coins together.

6. A baker made forty-two cupcakes, but the dog ate three of them. How many cupcakes are left?

Number sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

Answer: There are \_\_\_\_\_ cupcakes left.