



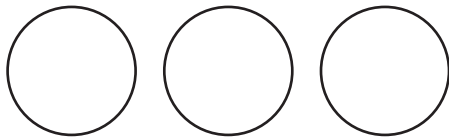
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The Meaning of Division

TAKS Objective 1
TEKS 3.4C

Solve each Problem.

1. Ben has 15 counters. To divide them into equal groups, Ben draws the circles below. Draw dots to show the number of counters Ben should place in each circle.



2. Write a division sentence to describe your completed picture from Problem 1. Label each part of the sentence as *number of counters*, *number of groups*, or *number in each group*.

3. Sarah and Cal each have 12 counters. Sarah places an equal number of her counters in each of 3 circles. Cal places an equal number of his counters in each of 4 circles. Whose circles have more counters in each circle?

4. Latifa has 8 counters. Steve has twice as many counters as Latifa. They combine their counters and then share them equally. How many counters do they each get?

5. Len is making 5 goodies bags for guests at his party. He has 20 stars, 15 stickers, and 10 colored pens to divide equally in the 5 bags. How many of each goodie will he put in each bag?

6. Beverly has 23 counters to put in 3 equal groups. How many counters must she add or take away before she can do this? Explain your reasoning.
