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Addition	Subtraction
add all together altogether both combine in all increased by larger larger than longer longer than more more than perimeter plus sum together total	change decreased difference fewer gave away How many more...? How many less...? left left over less less than minus remain shorter than smaller than subtract take away



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Multiplication	Division
area by (dimensions) cubed double each groups per product quadruple rows squared times triple in all	average divide each equal group fourth half How many in each...? quarter quotient ratio share separate split third