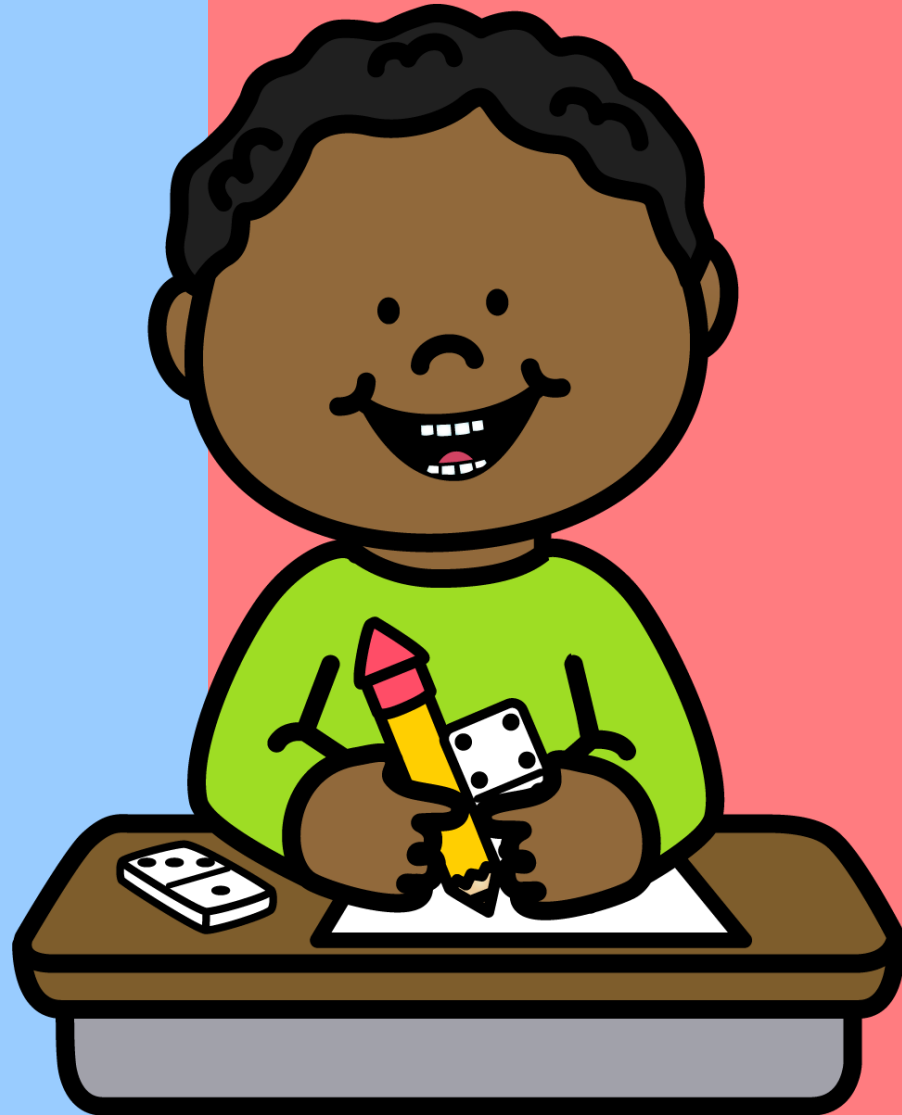


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project pack – preschoolers

Take on the role of a creator and discover the world of numbers around you from crafting to counting. This pack is part of a growing bundle of Project Packs. I created this resource for the members of the celebratePLAY community as a tool to support them with daily PLAY in their homes.

In this resource you will find:

- 1 x set of Numeral Mats for loose parts play, tracing or sensory tray bases (instructions included)
  - 1 x Playdough Numeracy Mat Idea
  - 1 x set of Hands Counting Cards
    - 2 x Craft Idea
- A series of printable resources from walls that teach displays (word wall) to table learning resources to exploring dramatic play when going on a scavenger hunt.
  - A weekly PLAY Planner to plan out the week using these resources.

Our PLAY ideas in this pack are nothing new, they are simple, quick and easy play ideas to boost imagination, creativity, Language and Literacy and explore the world around us while nurturing the flow of PLAY (by having a project to investigate over time).

I hope this resource is helpful when boosting daily play and nurturing the flow of PLAY in your home.

*erin xx*

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about erin

Hi there!! I'm Erin, teacher (EC and Primary), Mum (of 2), wife, smoothie obsessed, organisational nerd and soon to be your greatest PLAYmate...the one that will share:

- play ideas with you
- the one that will support you in creating play systems and play spaces that fit YOUR life
- the playmate that will celebrate the PLAY wins with YOU and
- the one that will empower YOU to totally rock this motherhood PLAY gig thing - it's a REAL \*thing\*♡.

play notes

Thank you for becoming our newest, greatest PLAYmate by joining the Project PLAY membership.

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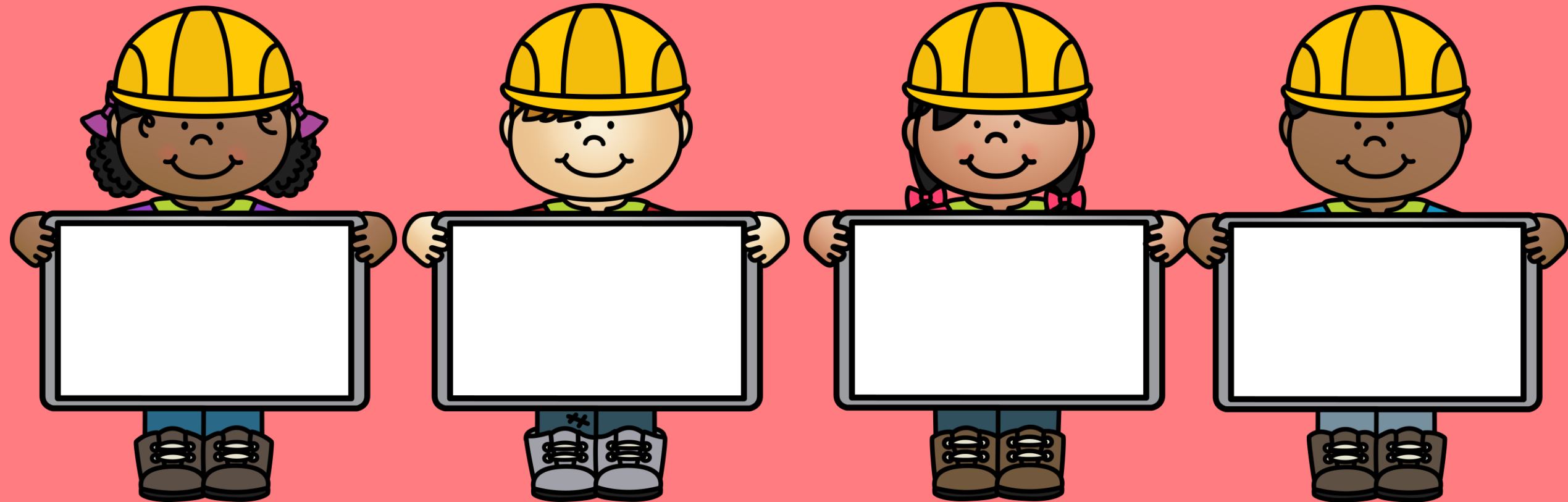
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## Investigative Question

*project play pack - toddlers and preschoolers*

How can I explore Number through PLAY?



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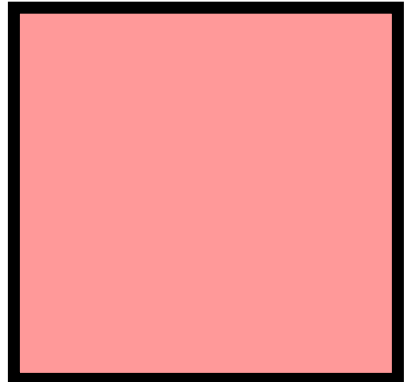
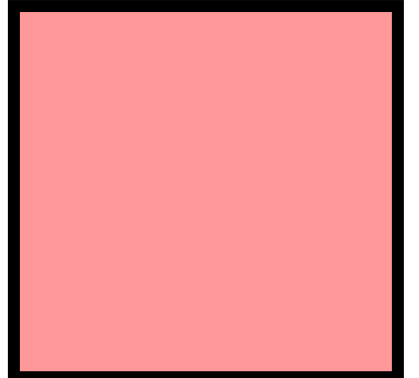
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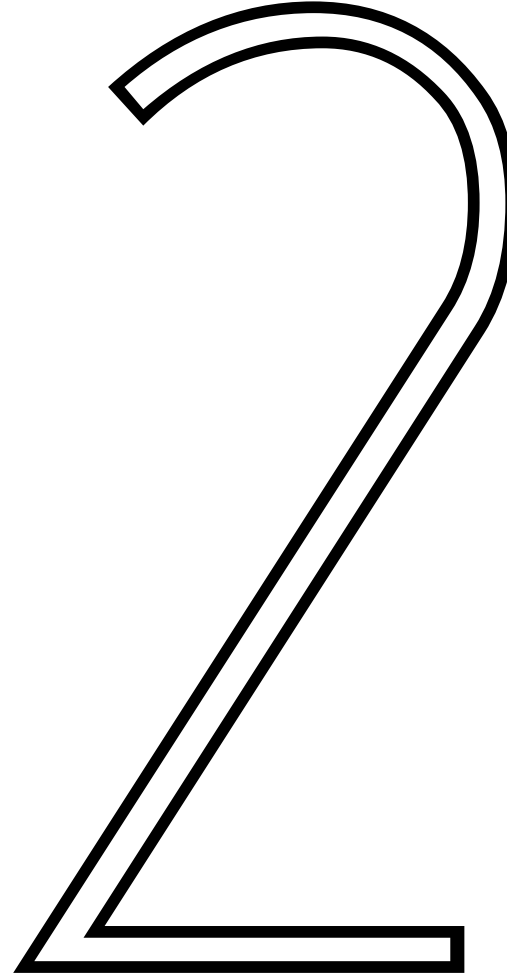
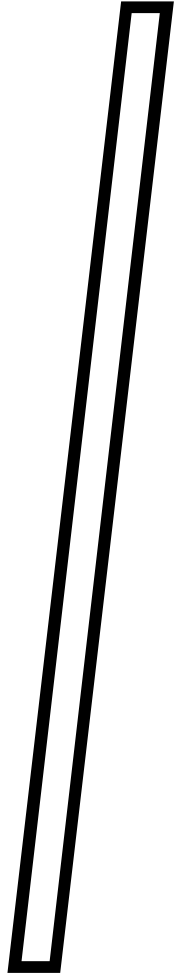
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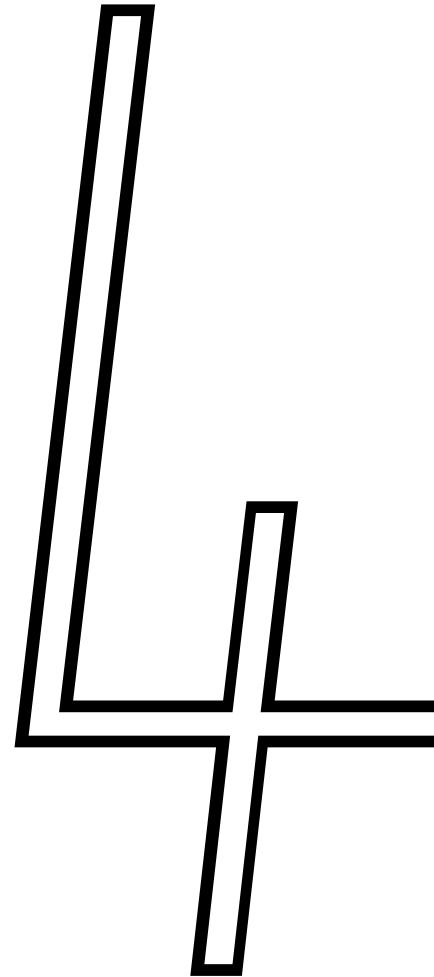
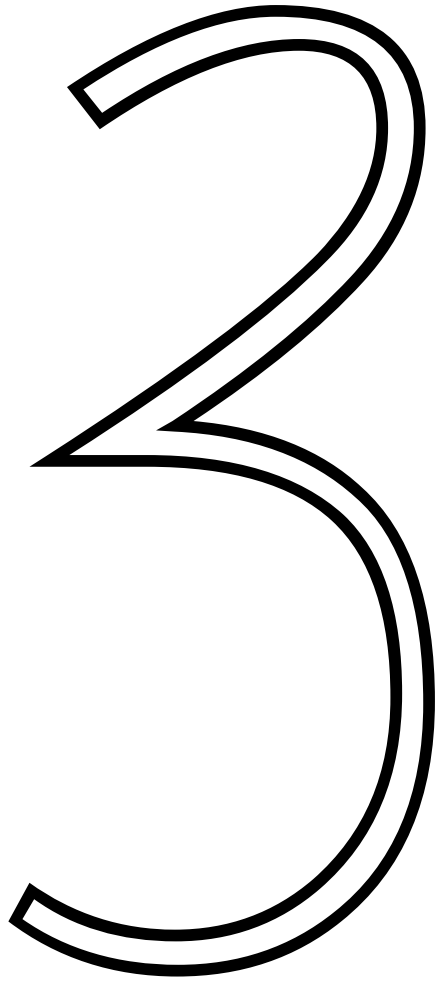
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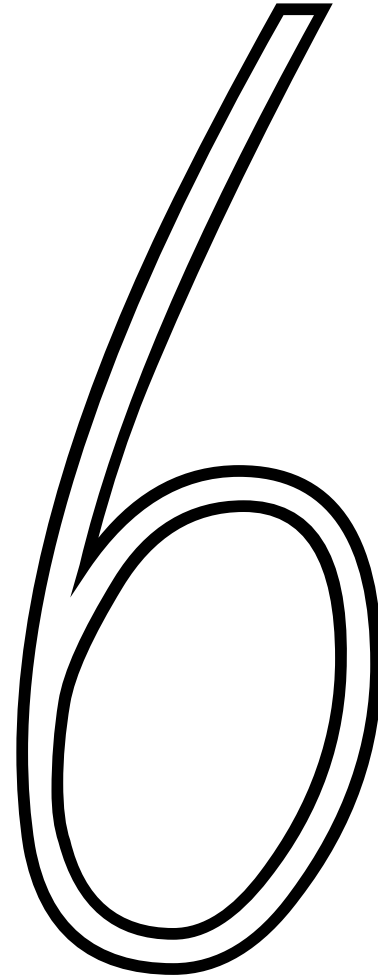
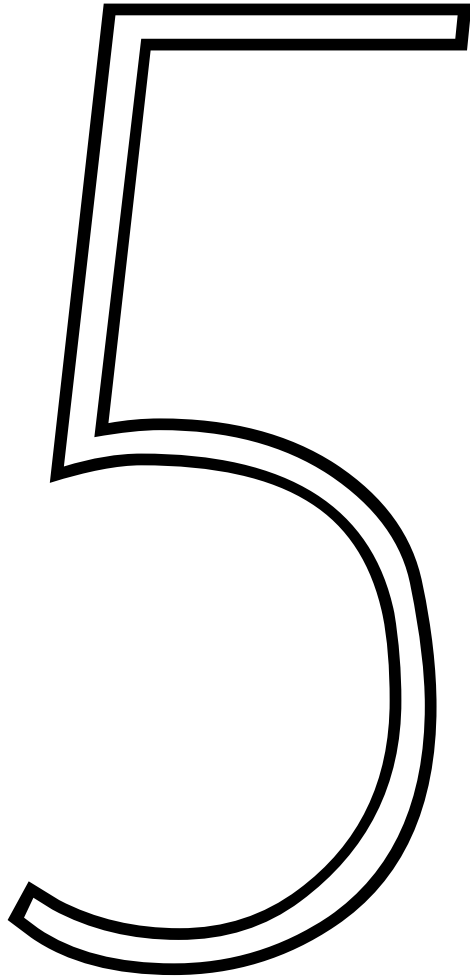


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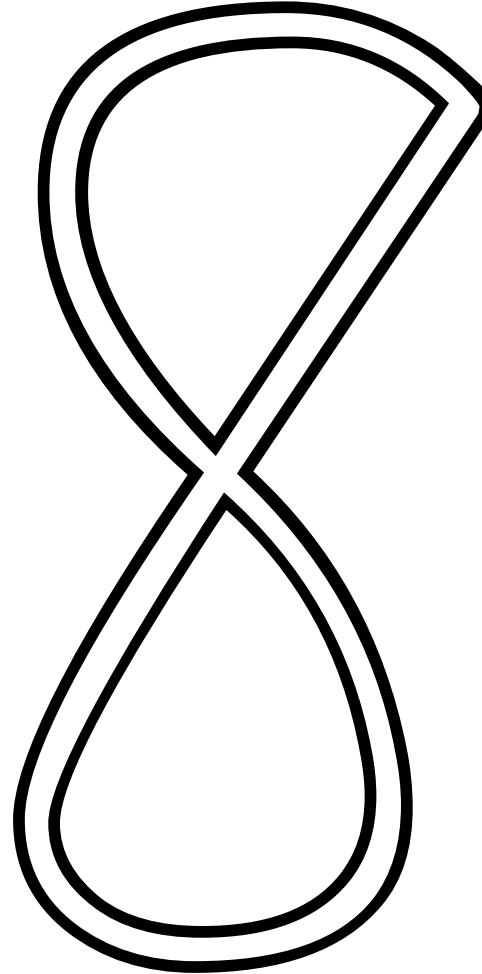
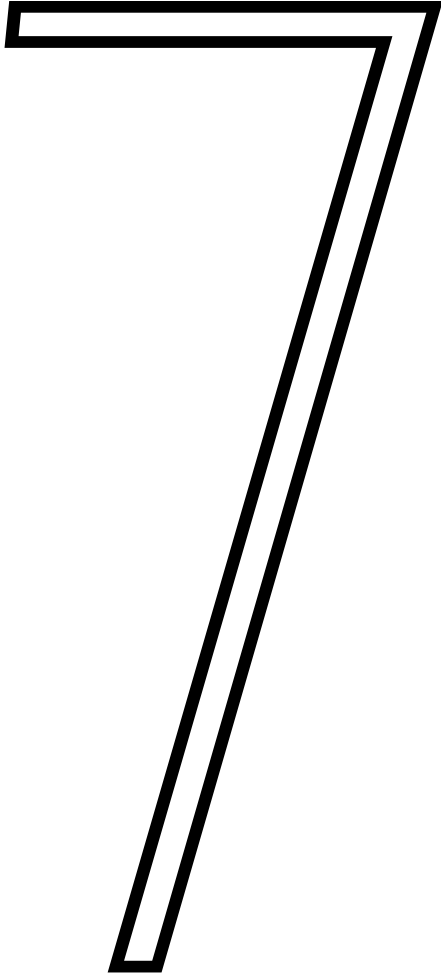




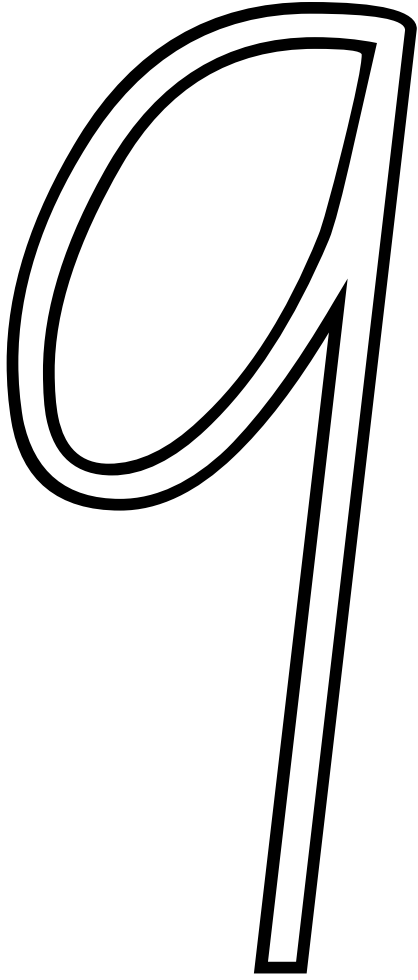
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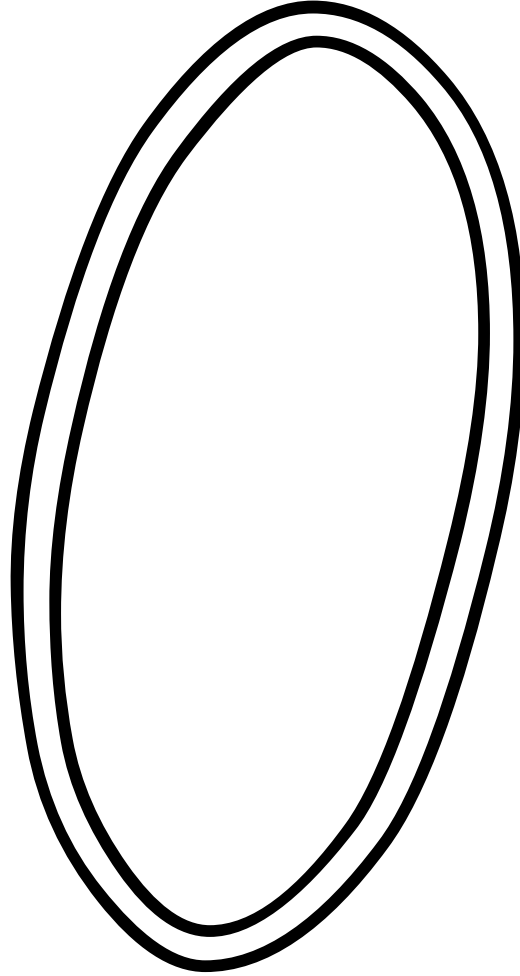
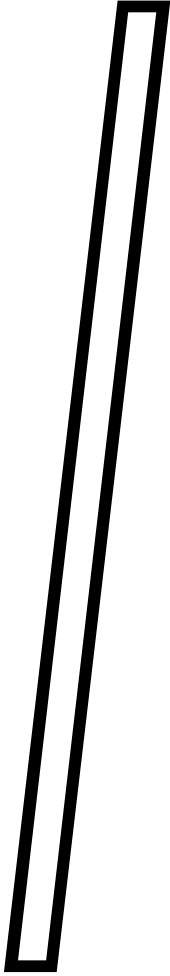
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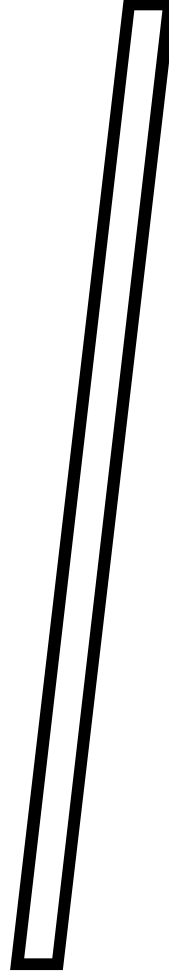
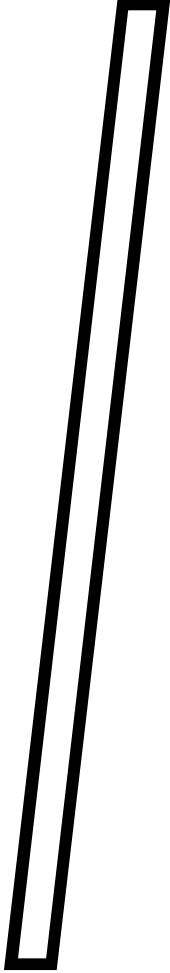
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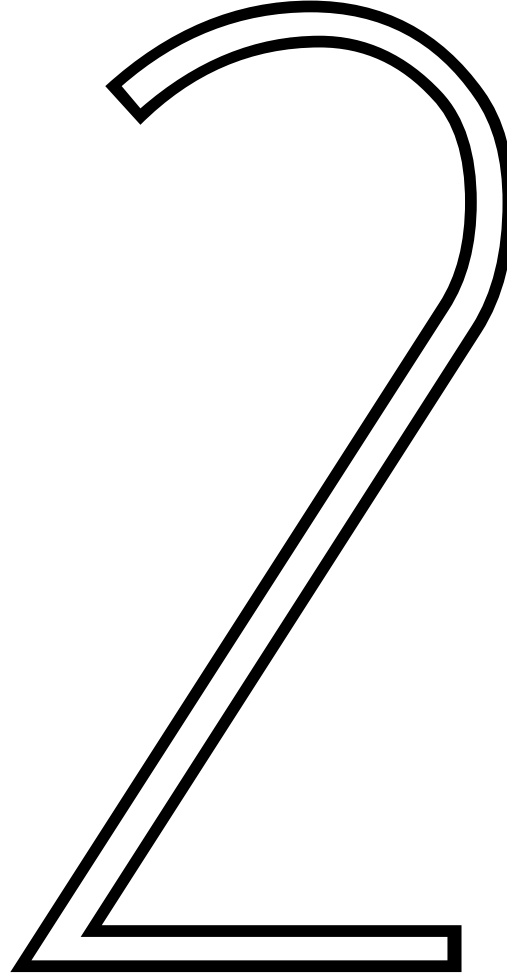
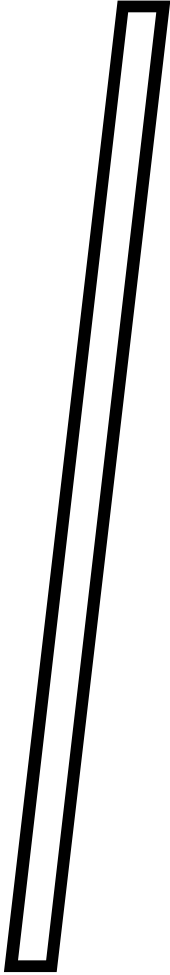
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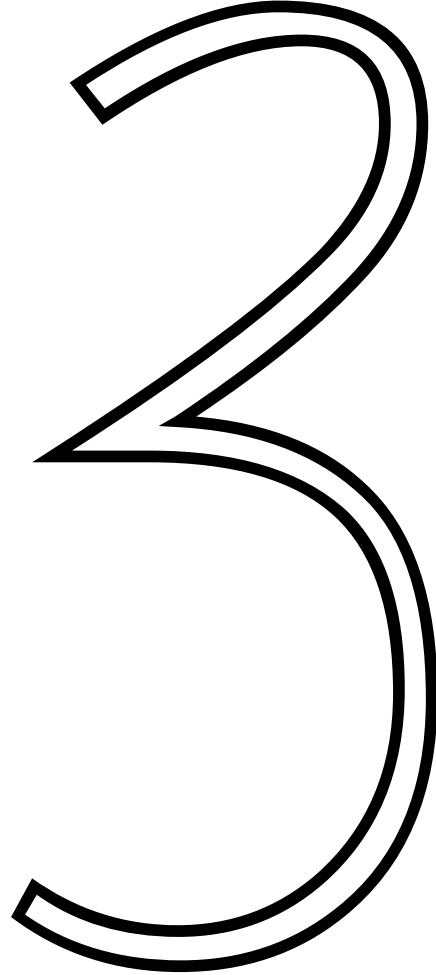
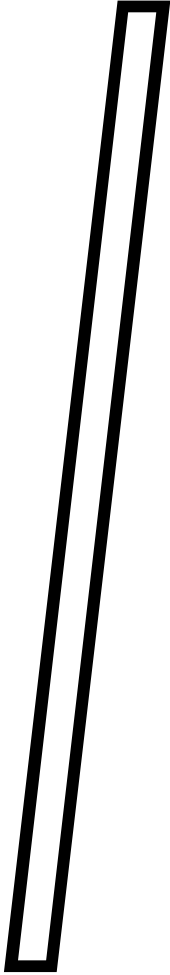
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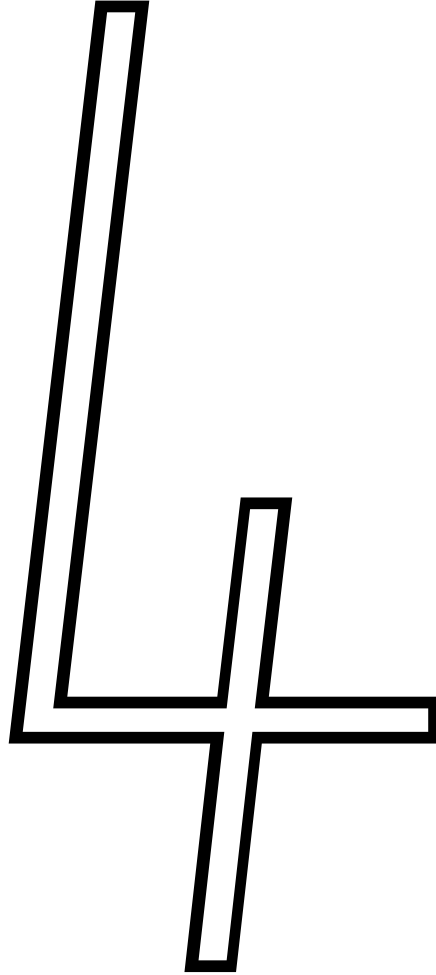
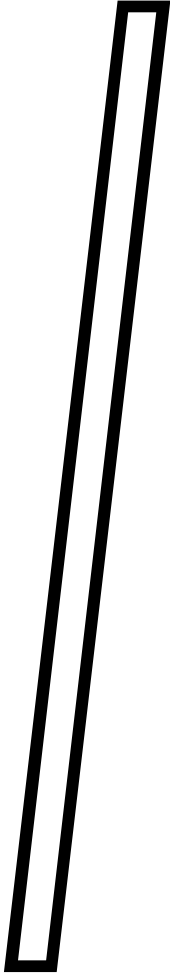
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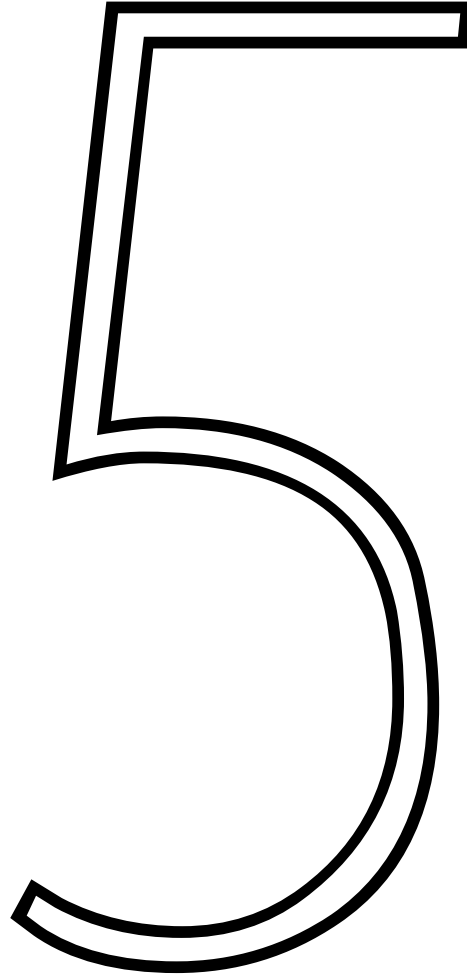
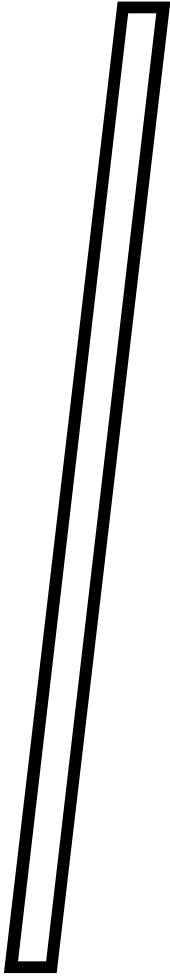


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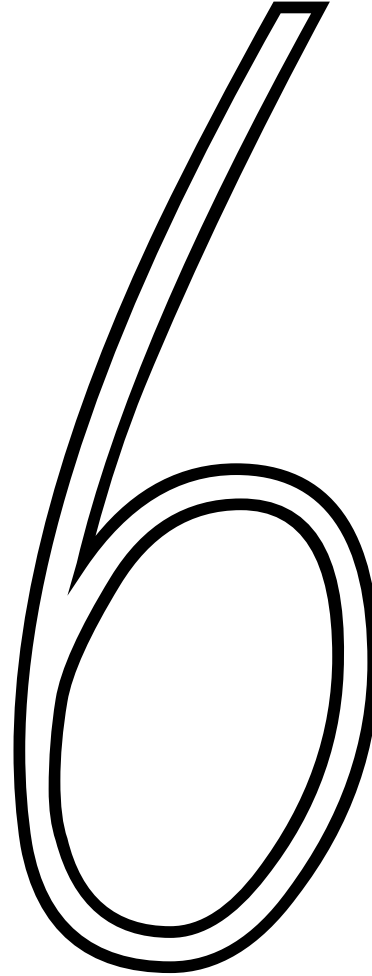
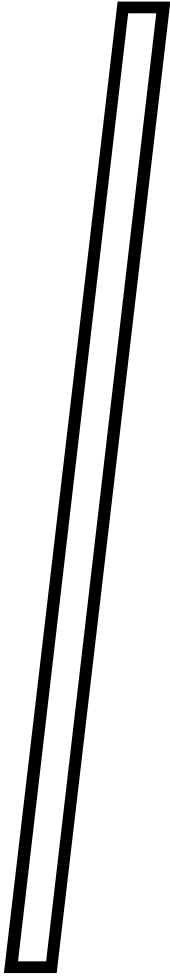




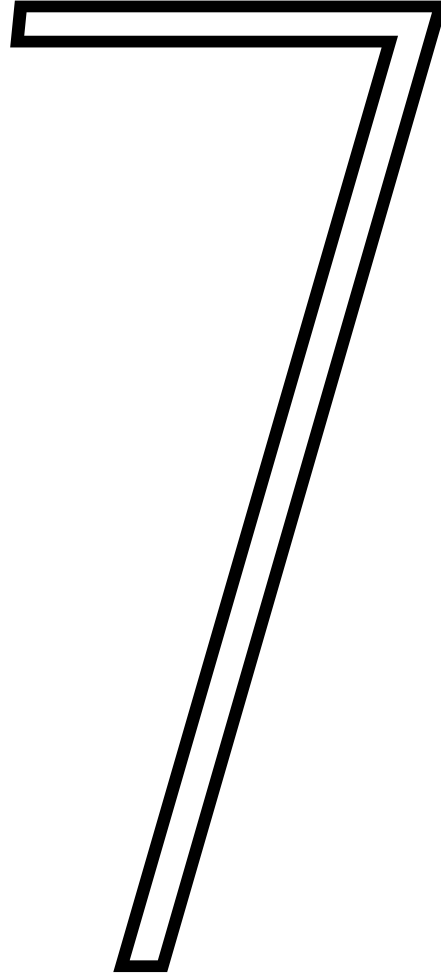
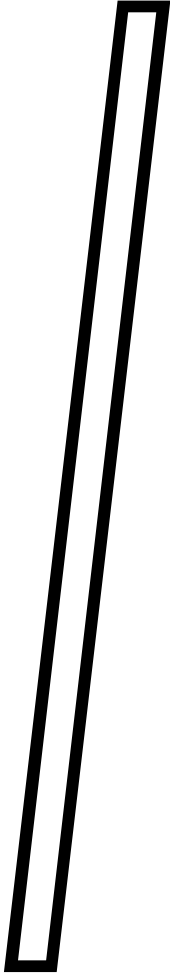
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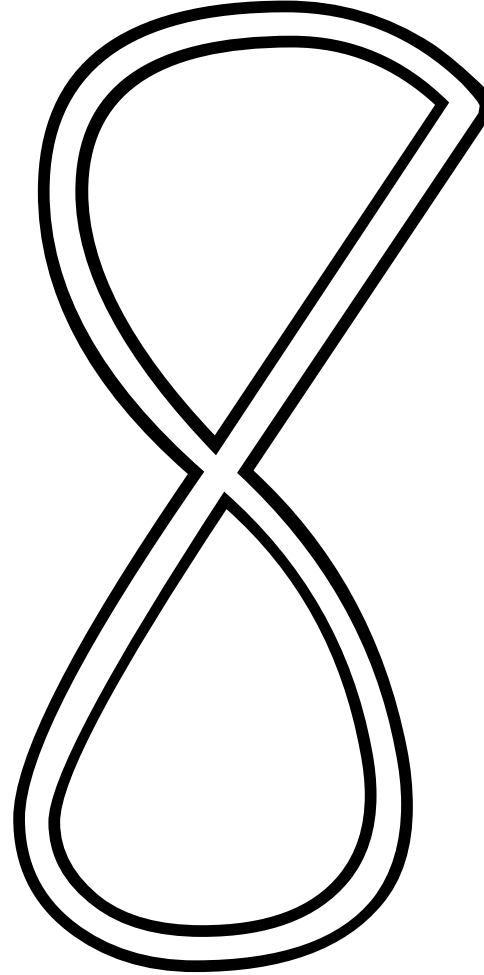
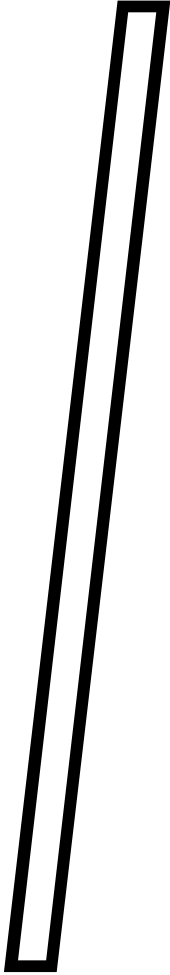
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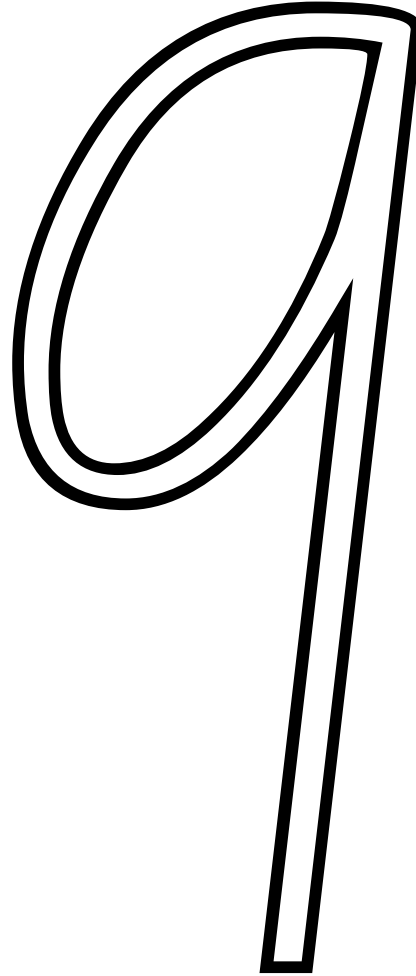
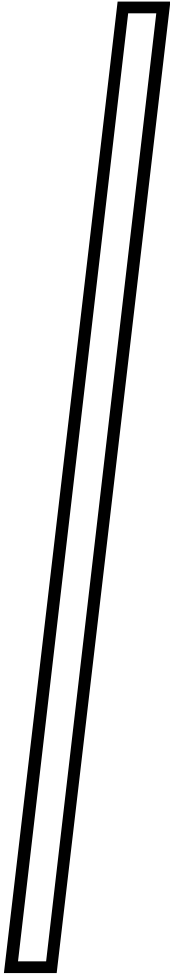
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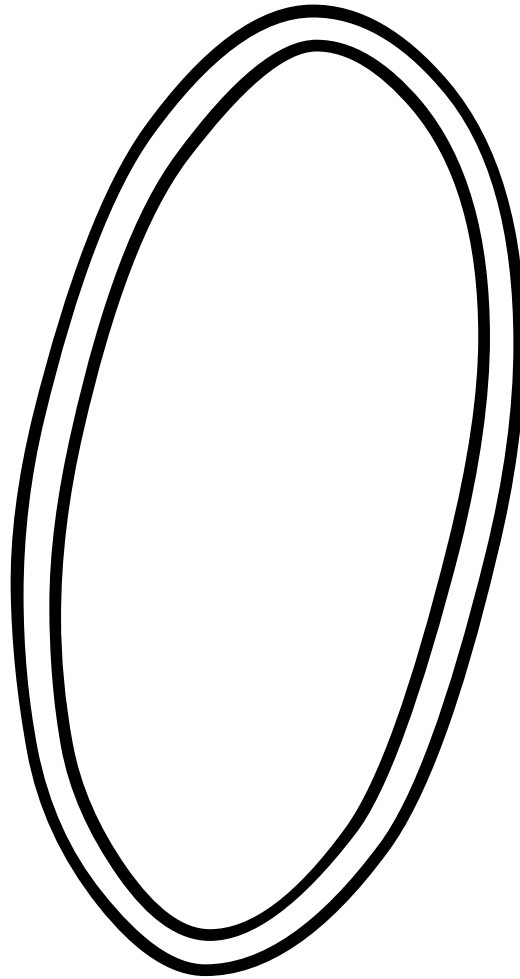
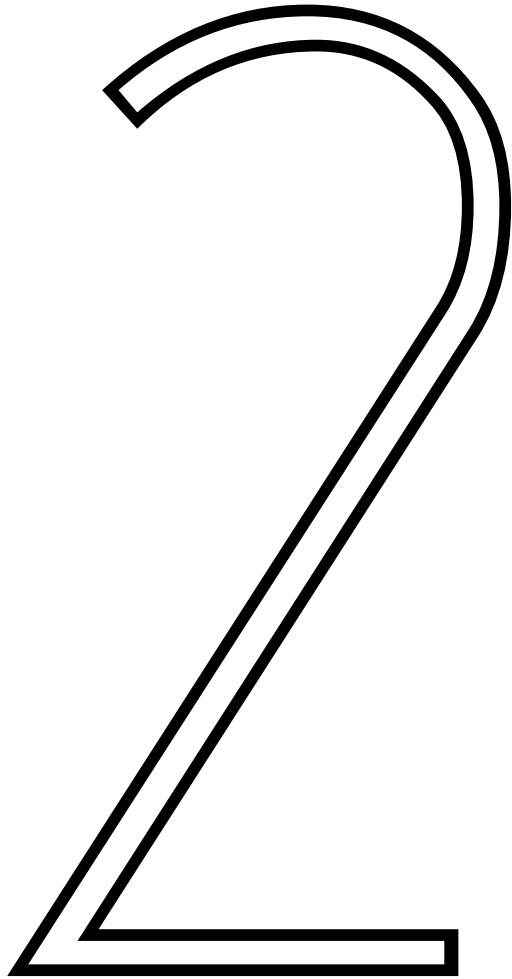
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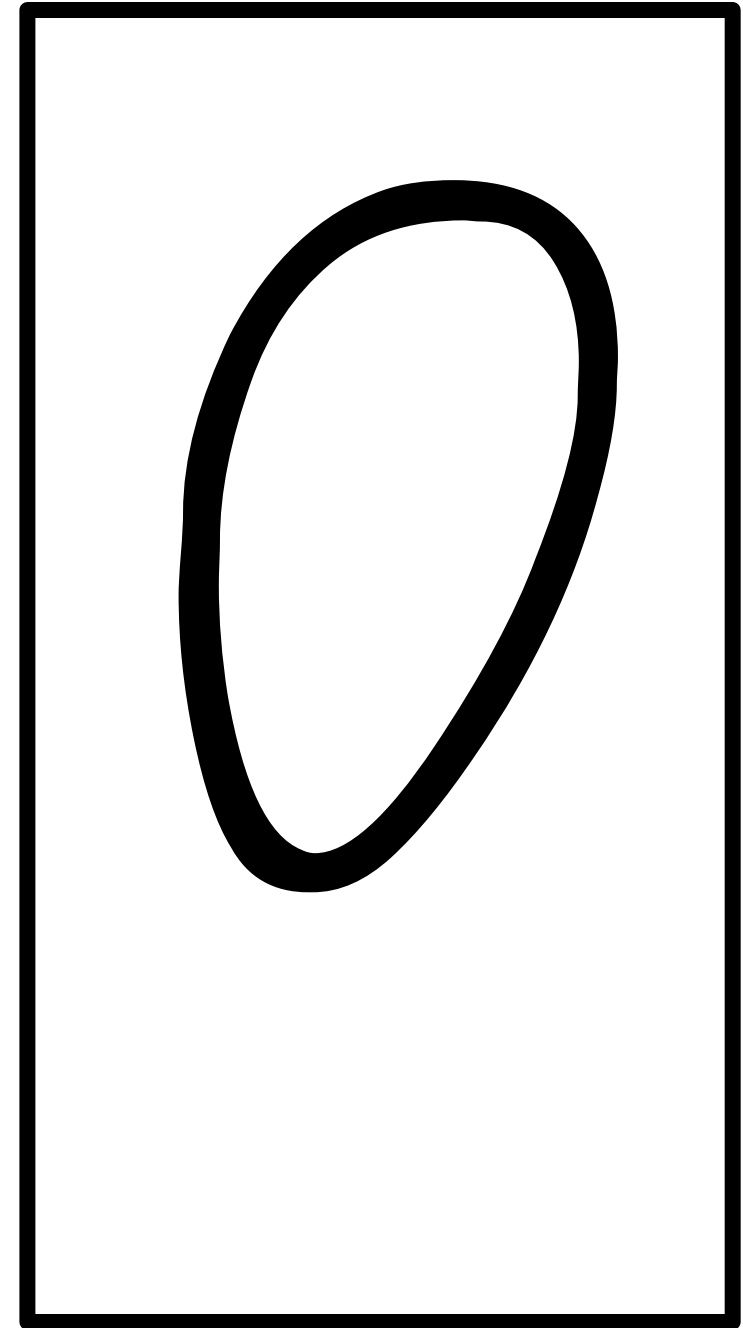
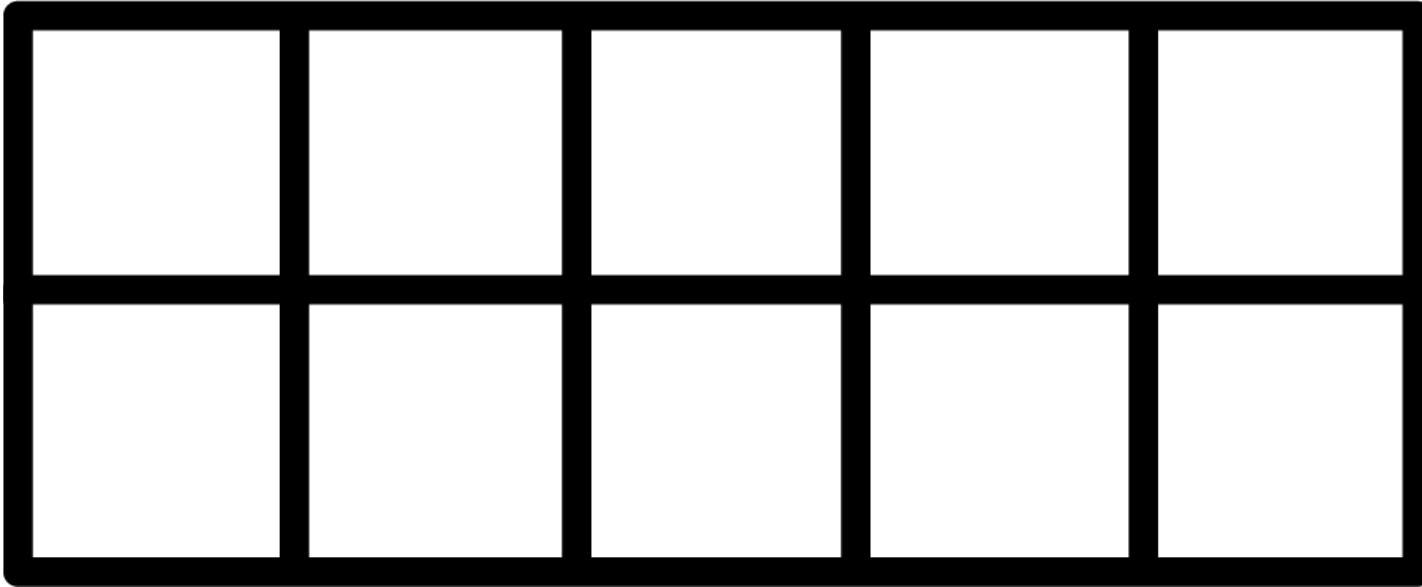


## Sensory Tray Mat Idea

1. Print the number mats and place into a baking tray or the lid of a storage container.
2. Choose a dry sensory base such as sprinkles, coloured rice or coloured sand.
3. Pair with a paintbrush or pastry brush and sweep the sensory base away to discover the number beneath.
4. Snap a pic and tag @celebrate\_play on Instagram to be featured in our stories.

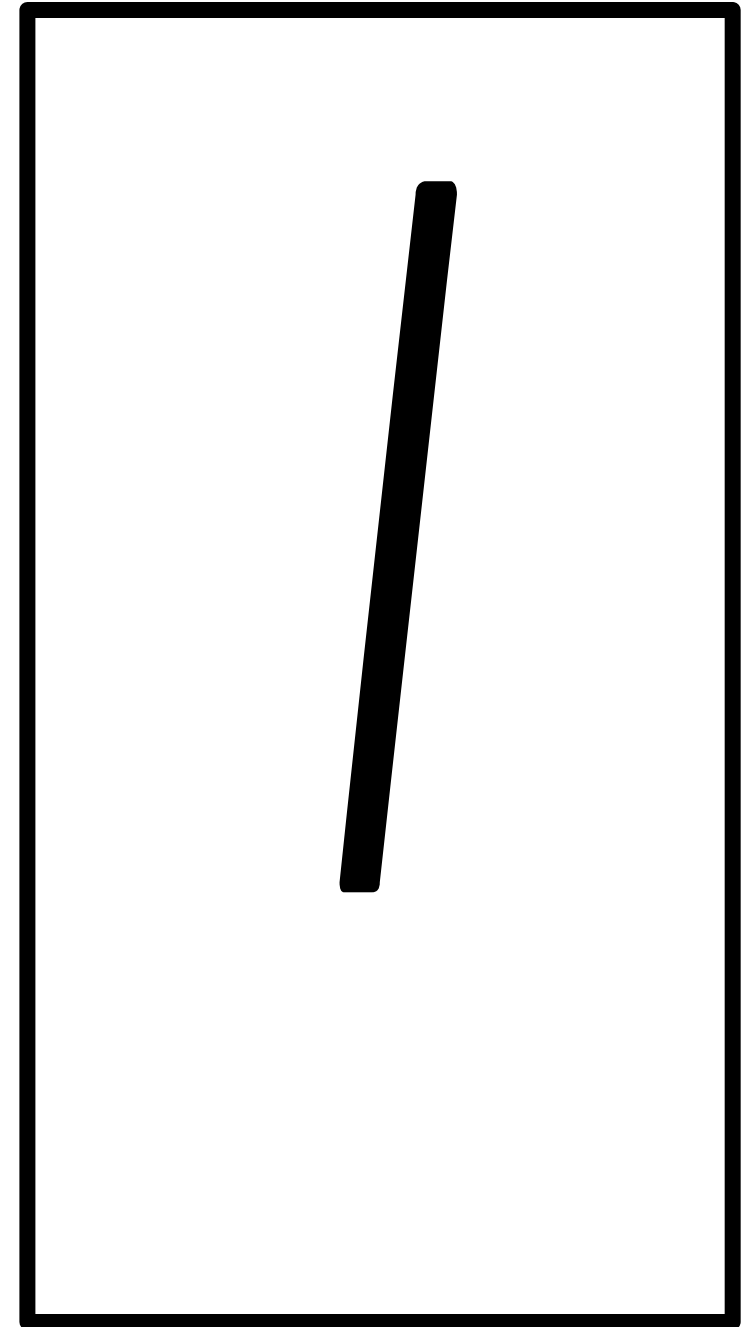
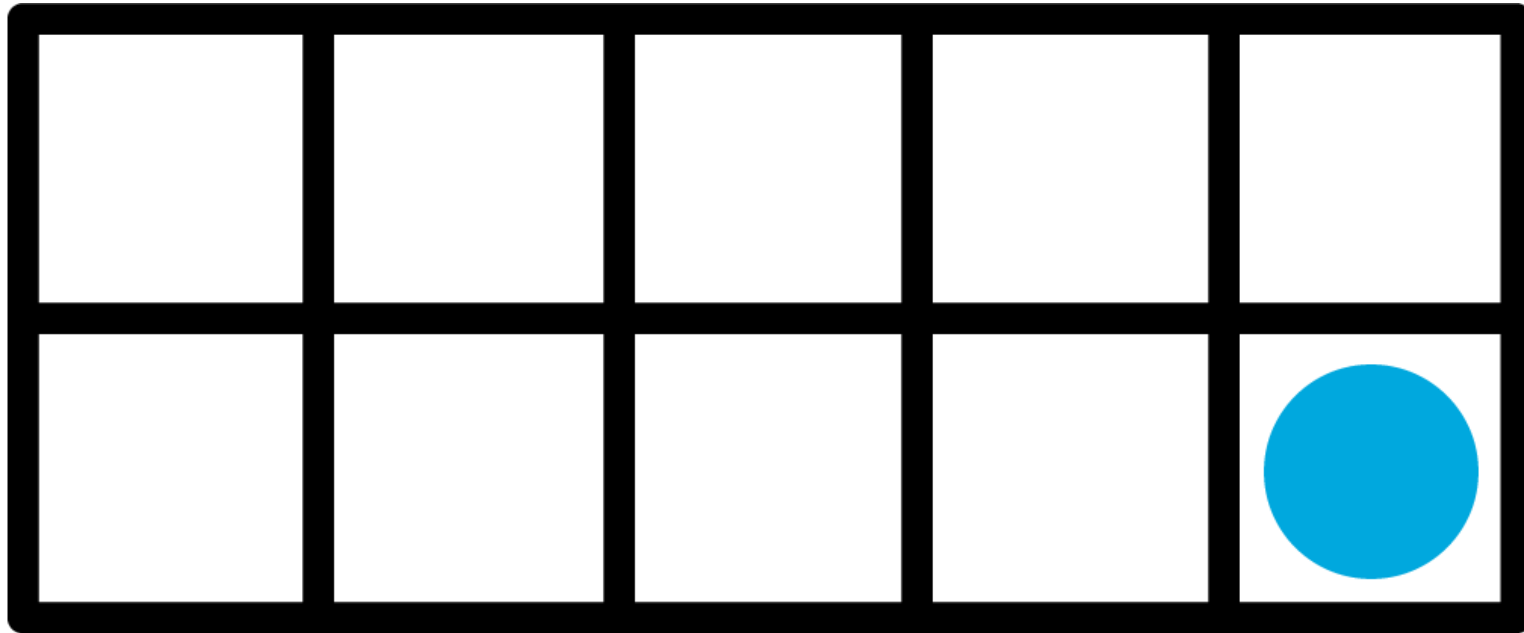


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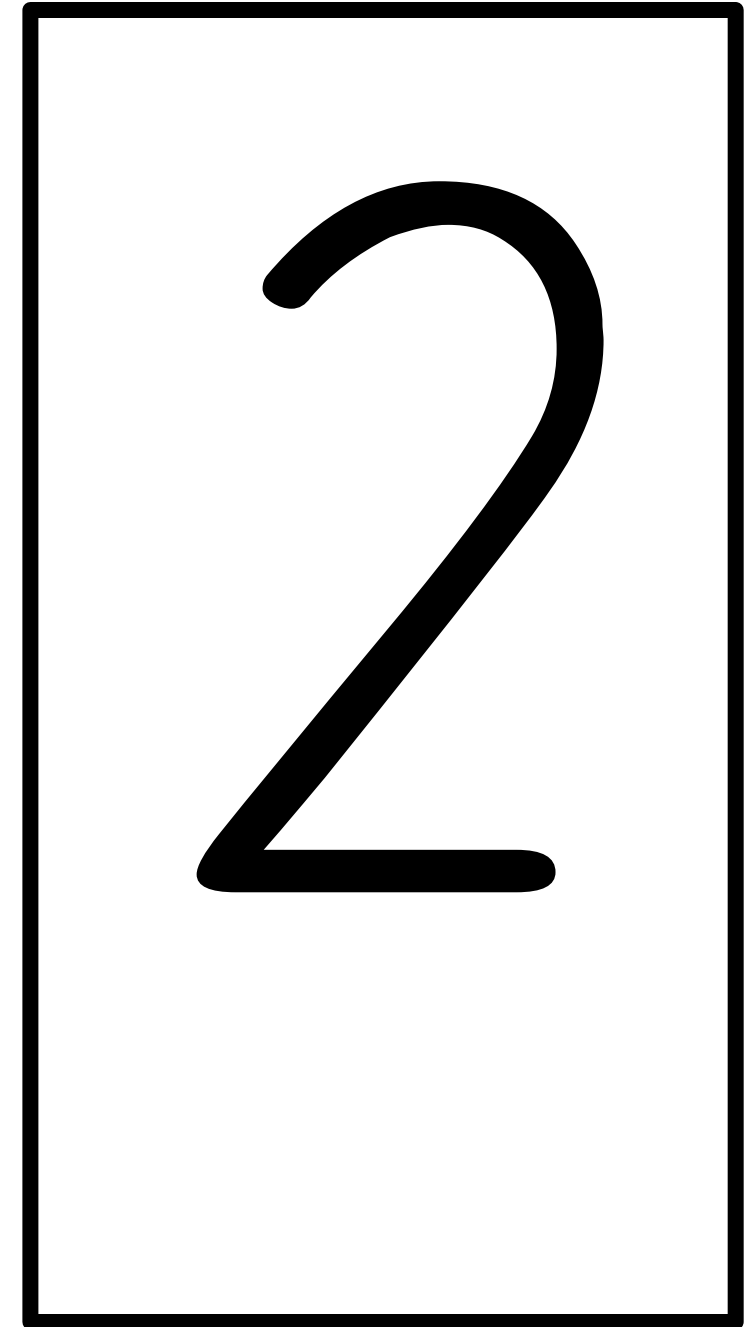
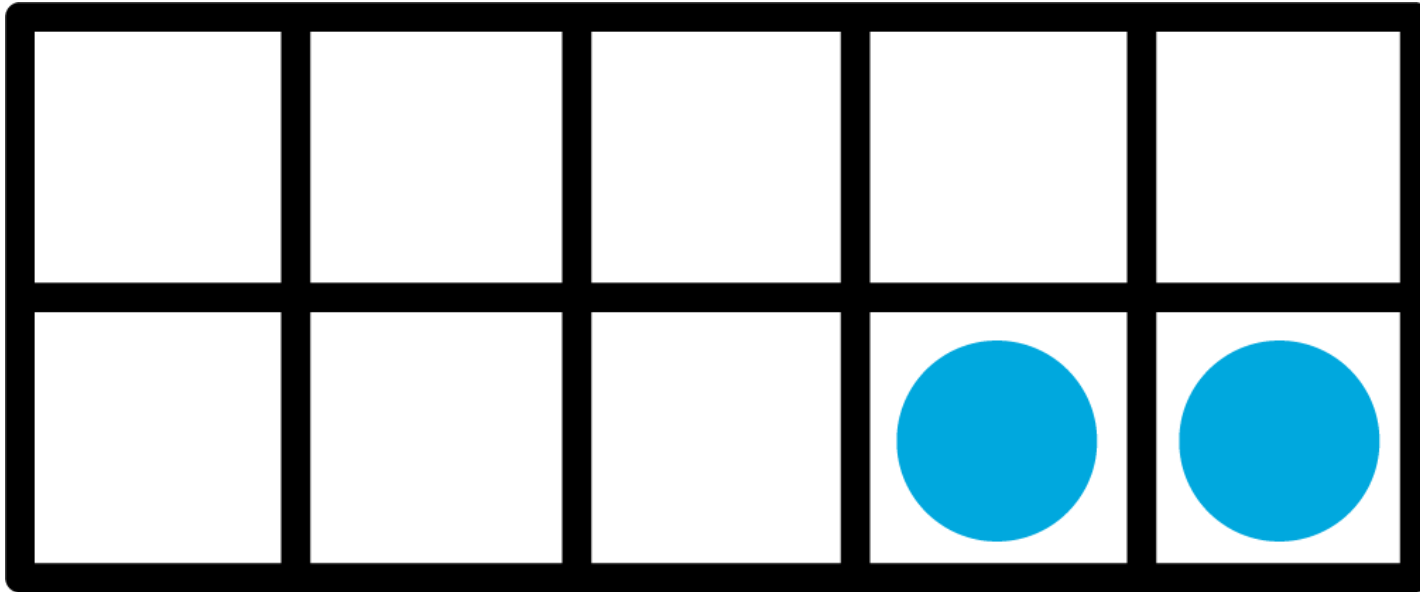




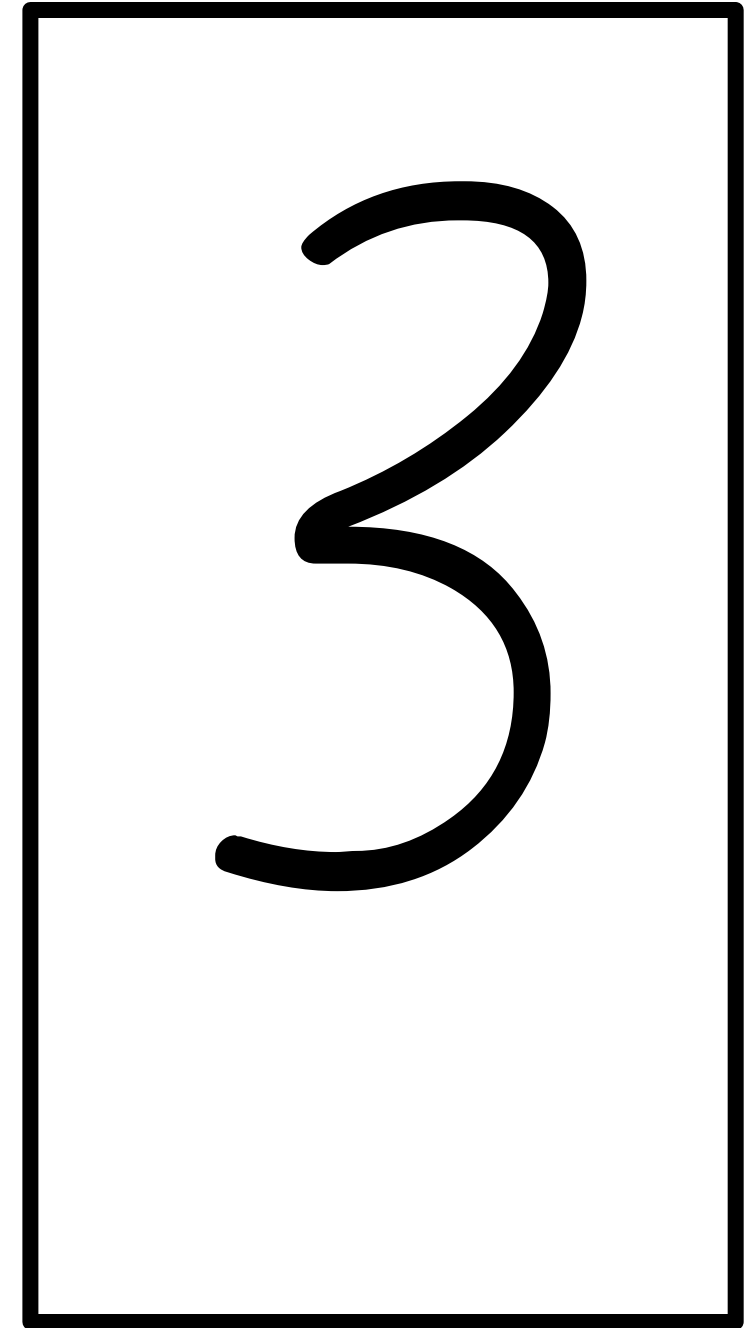
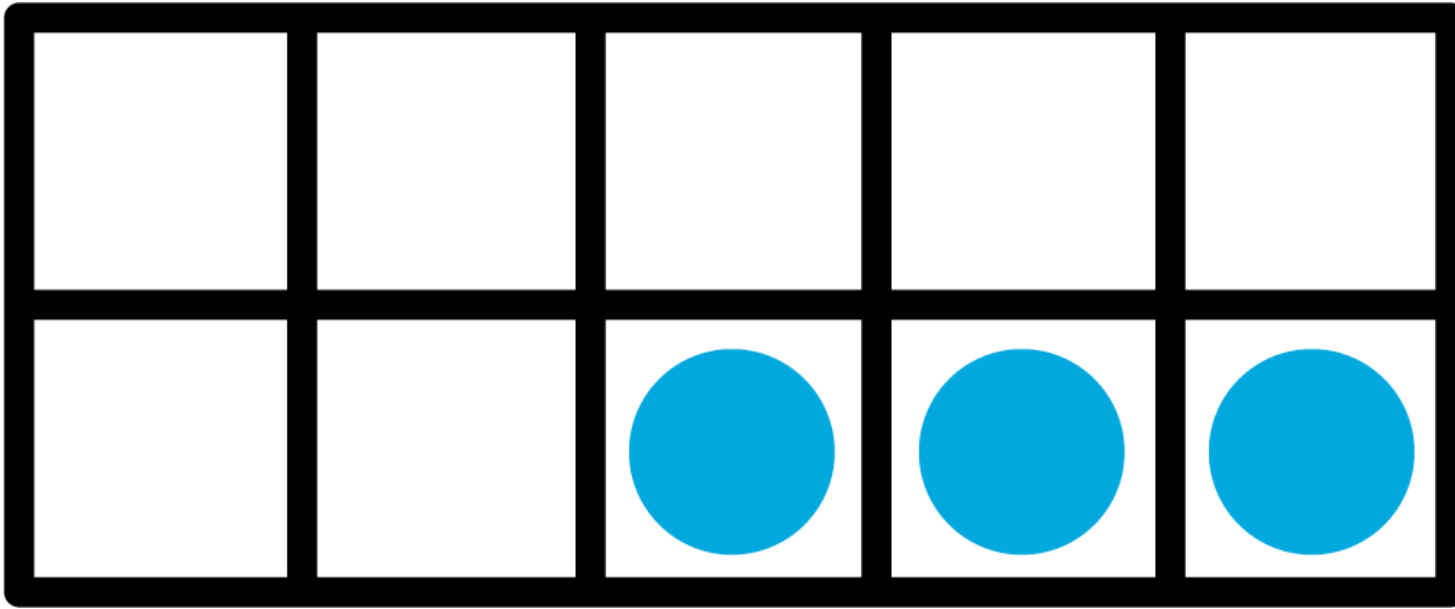
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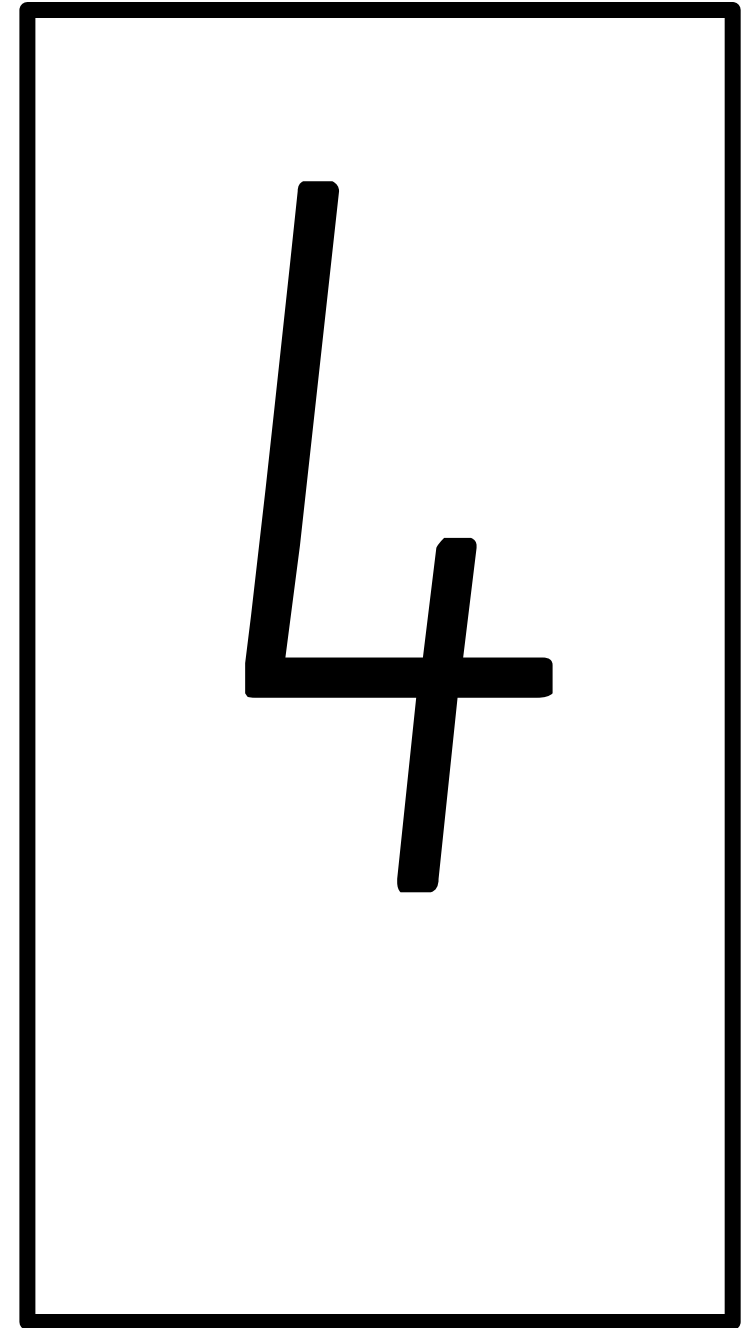
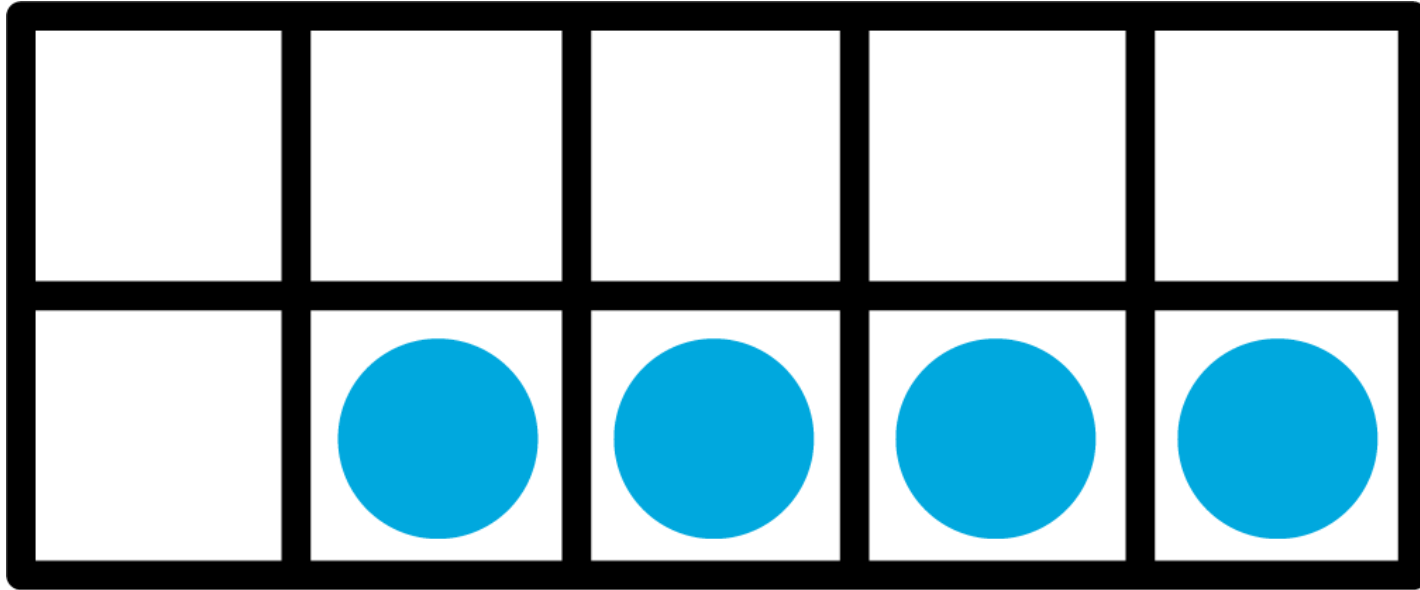
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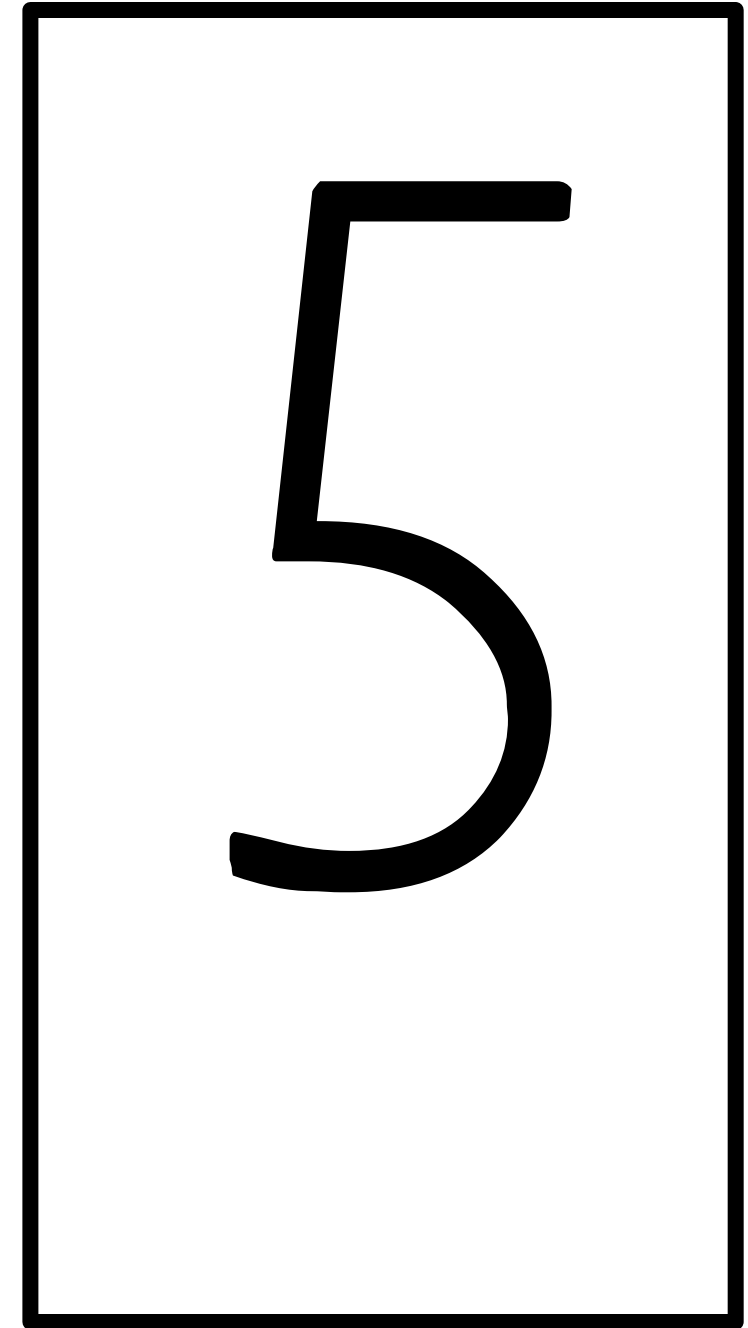
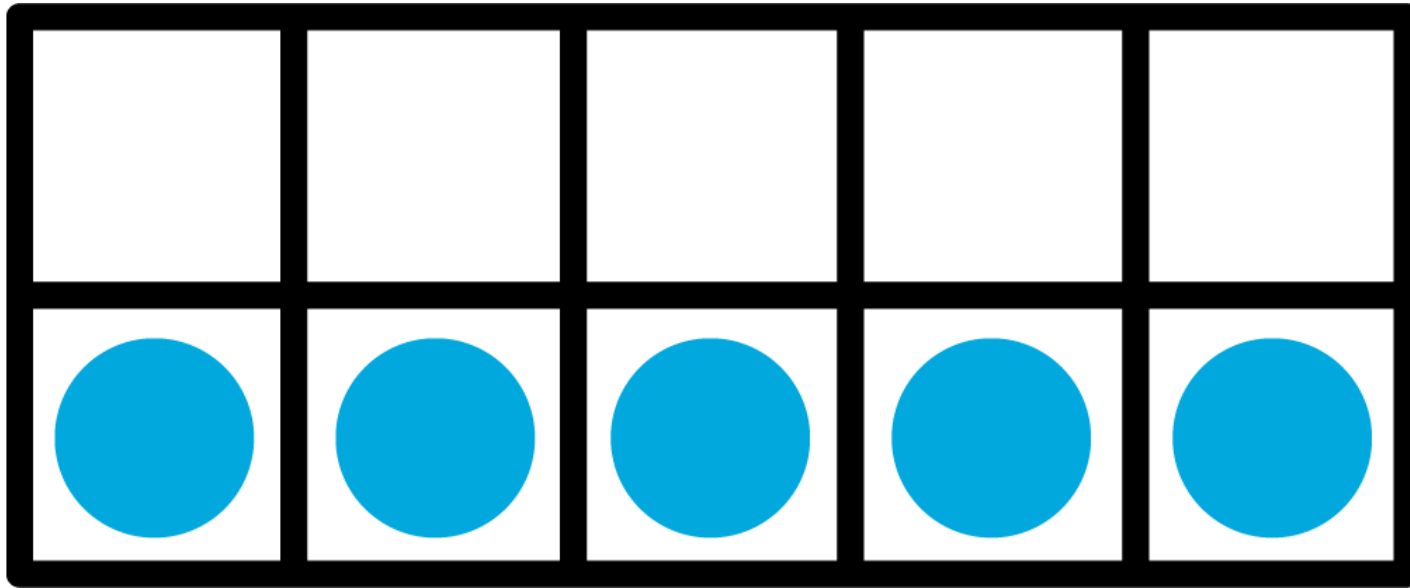
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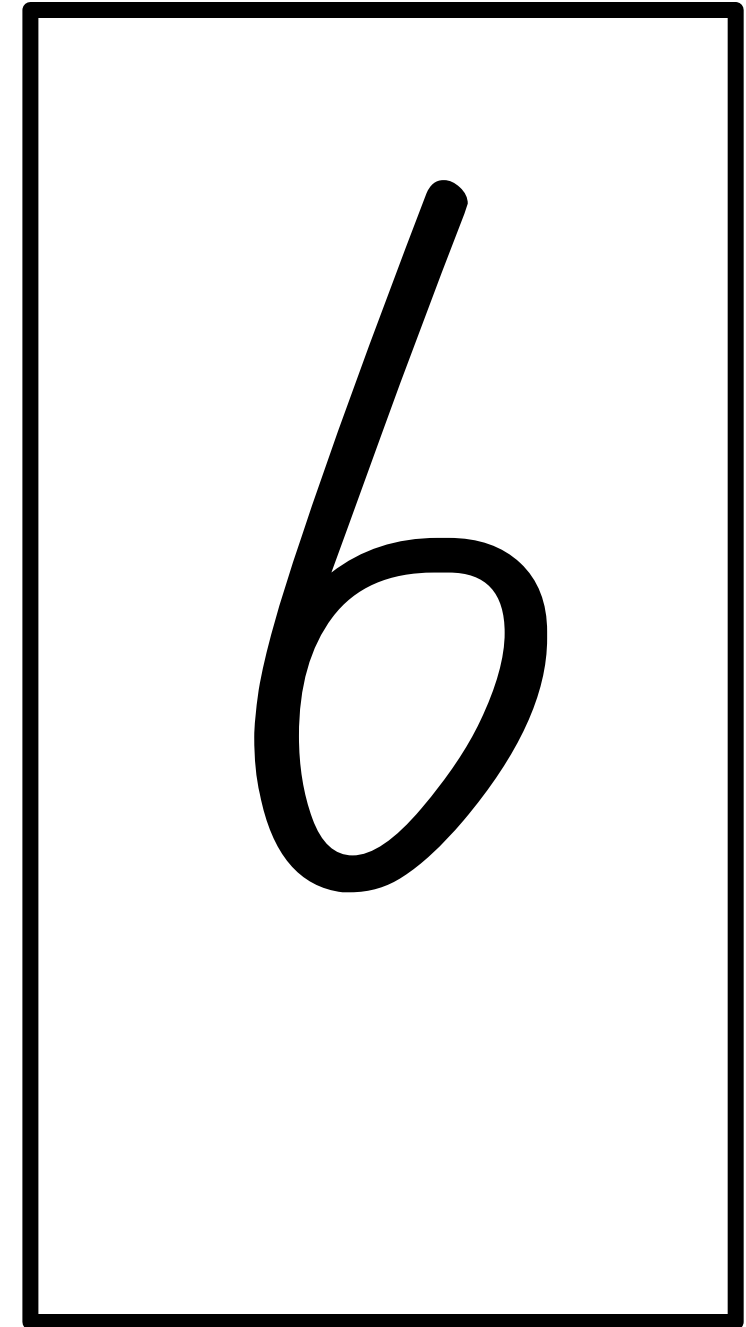
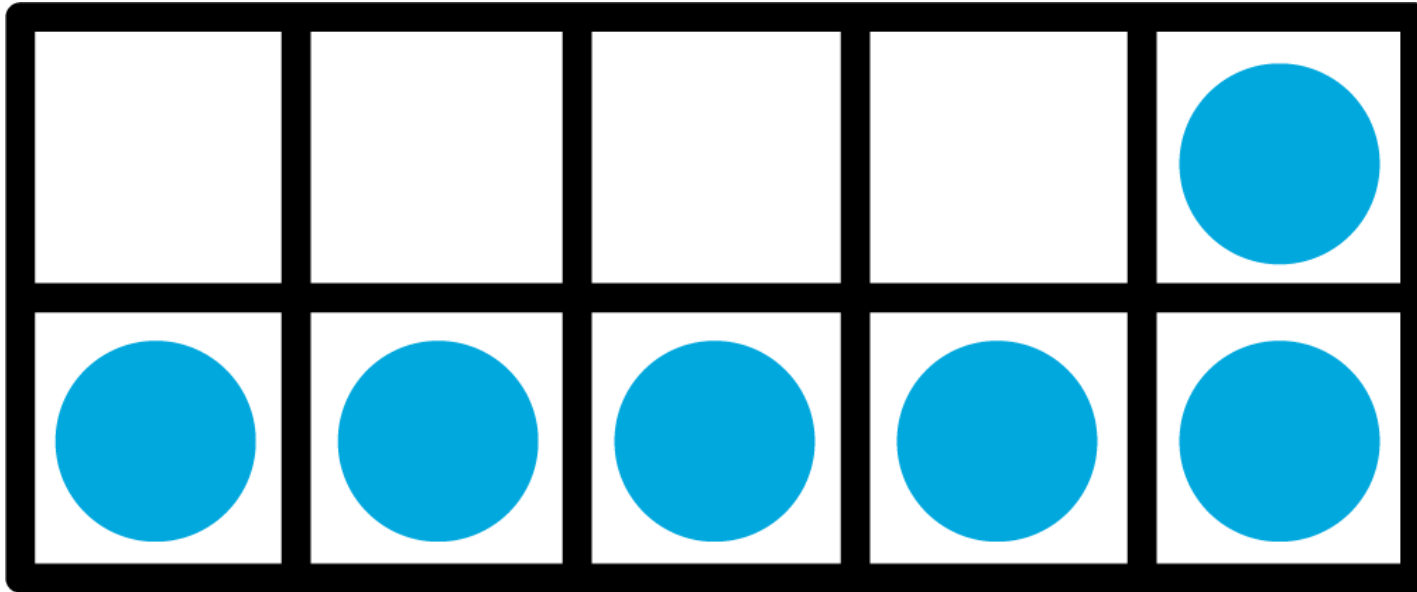
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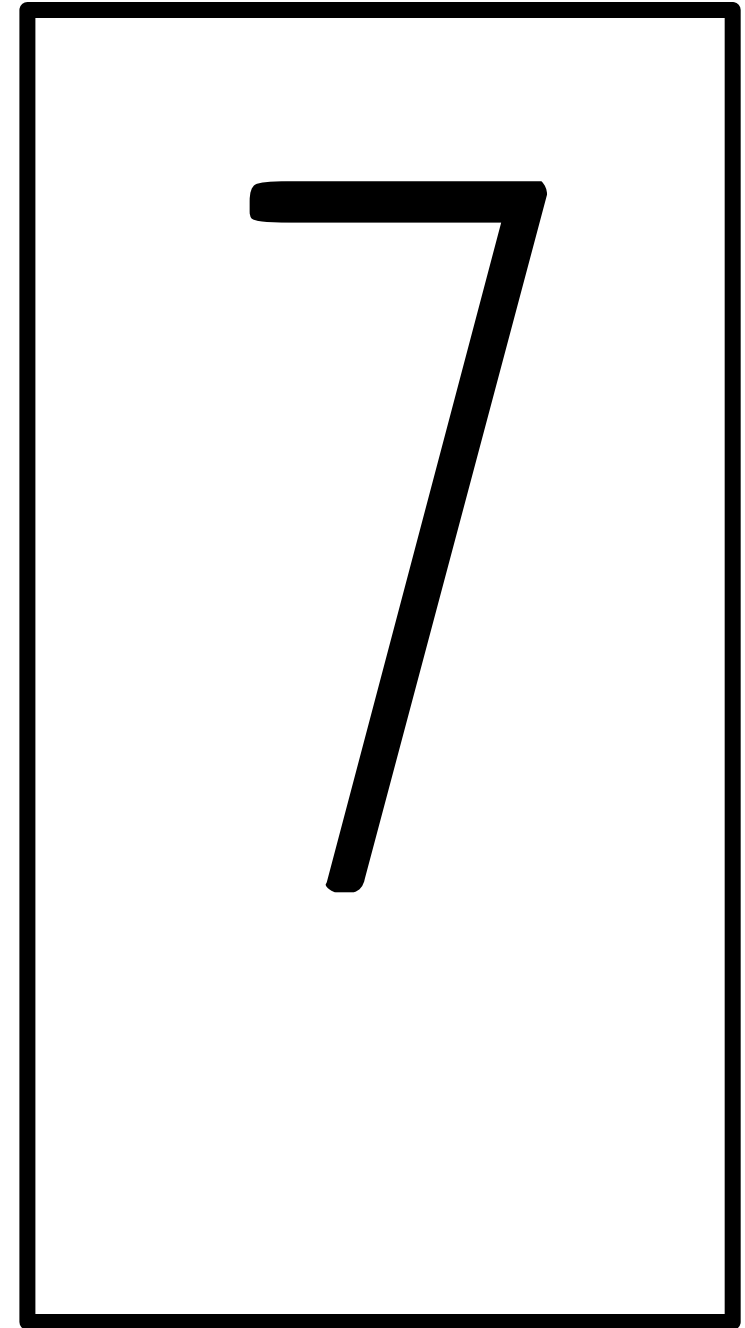
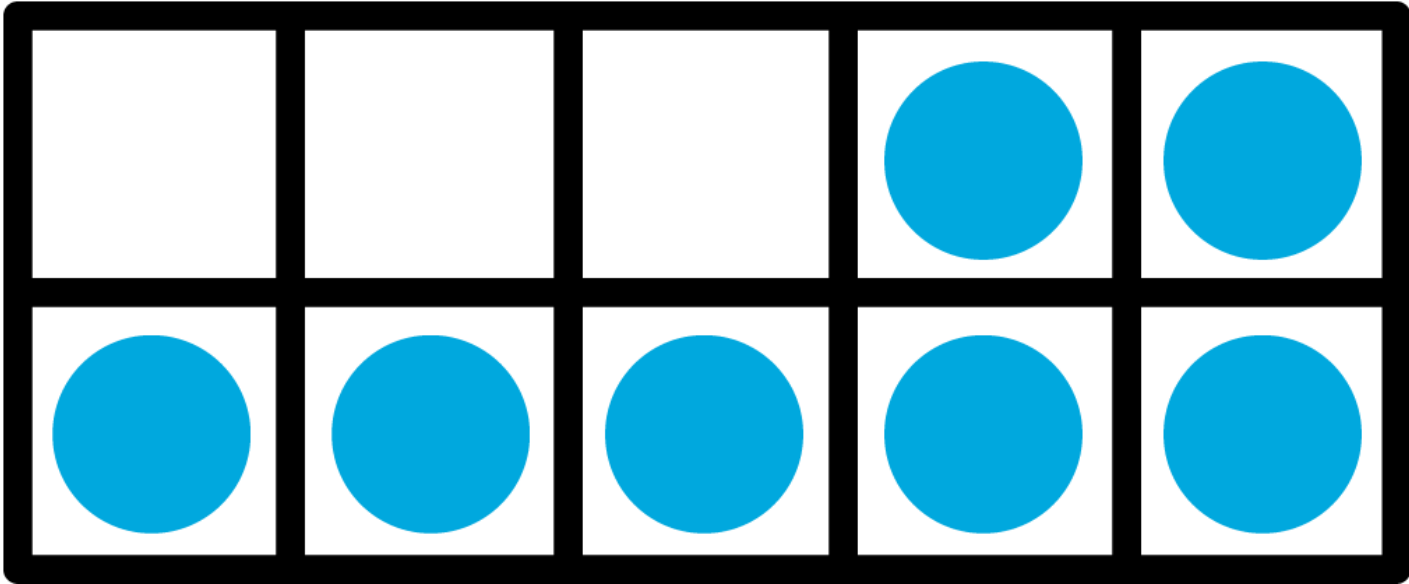
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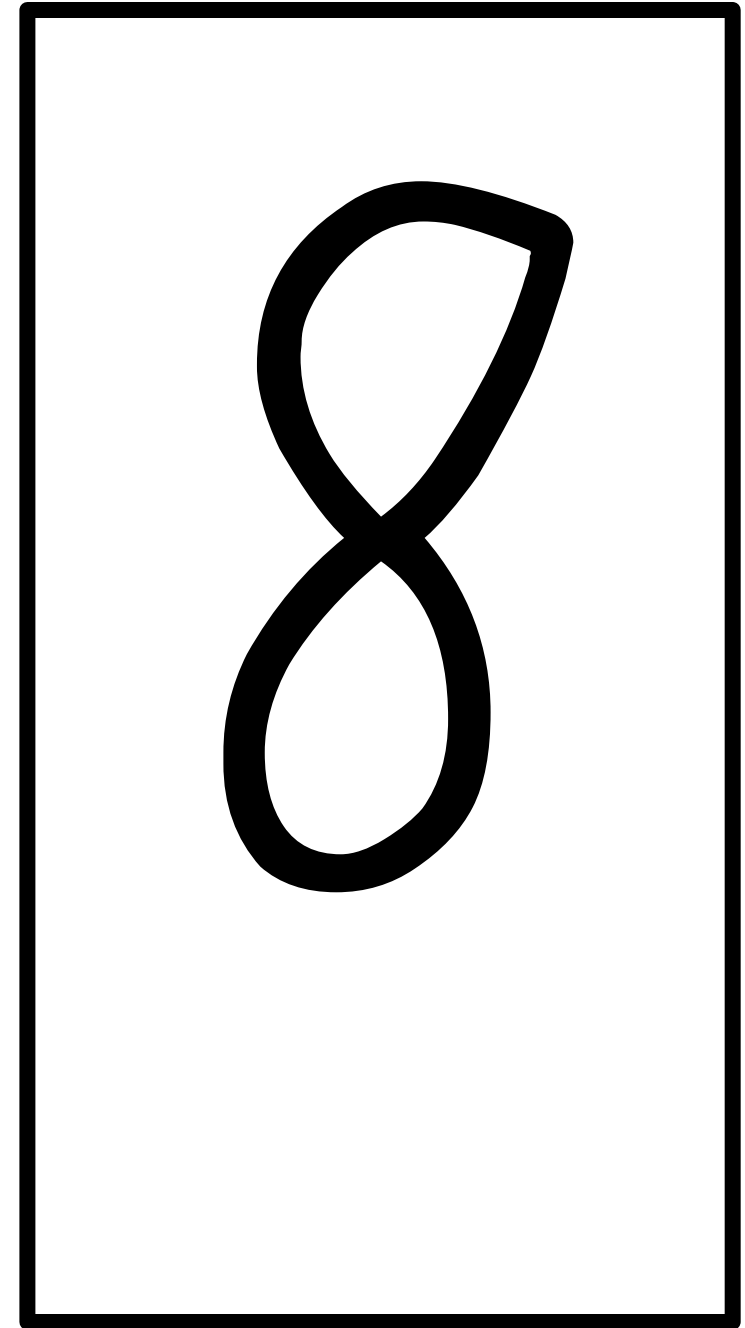
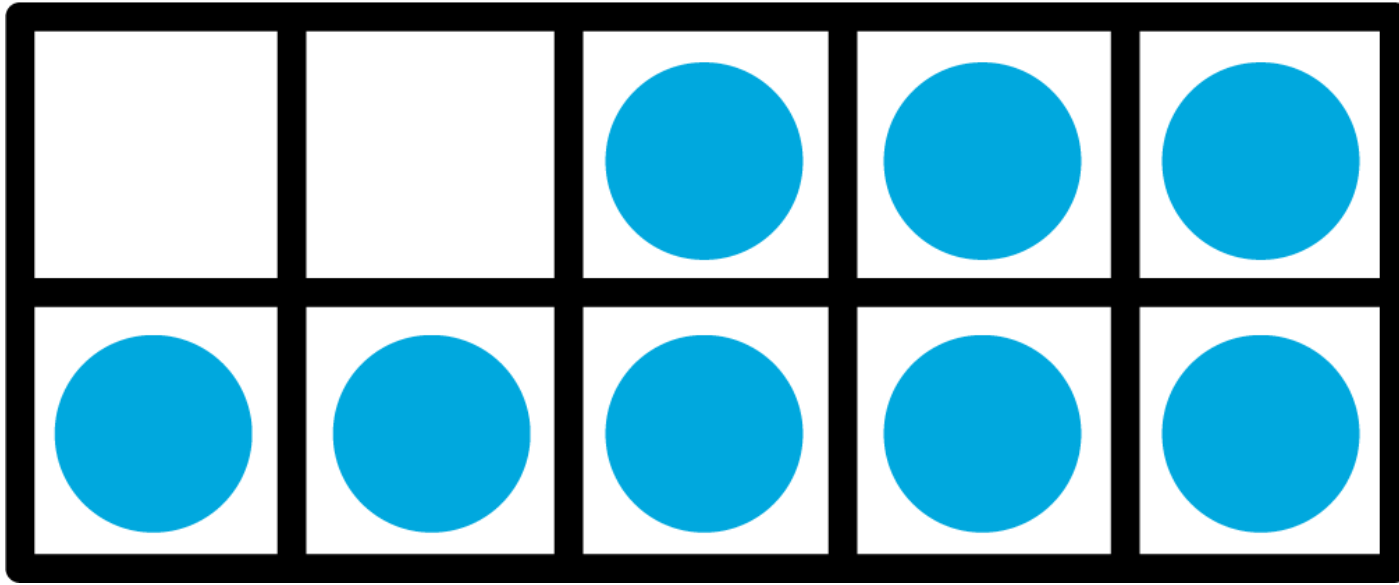
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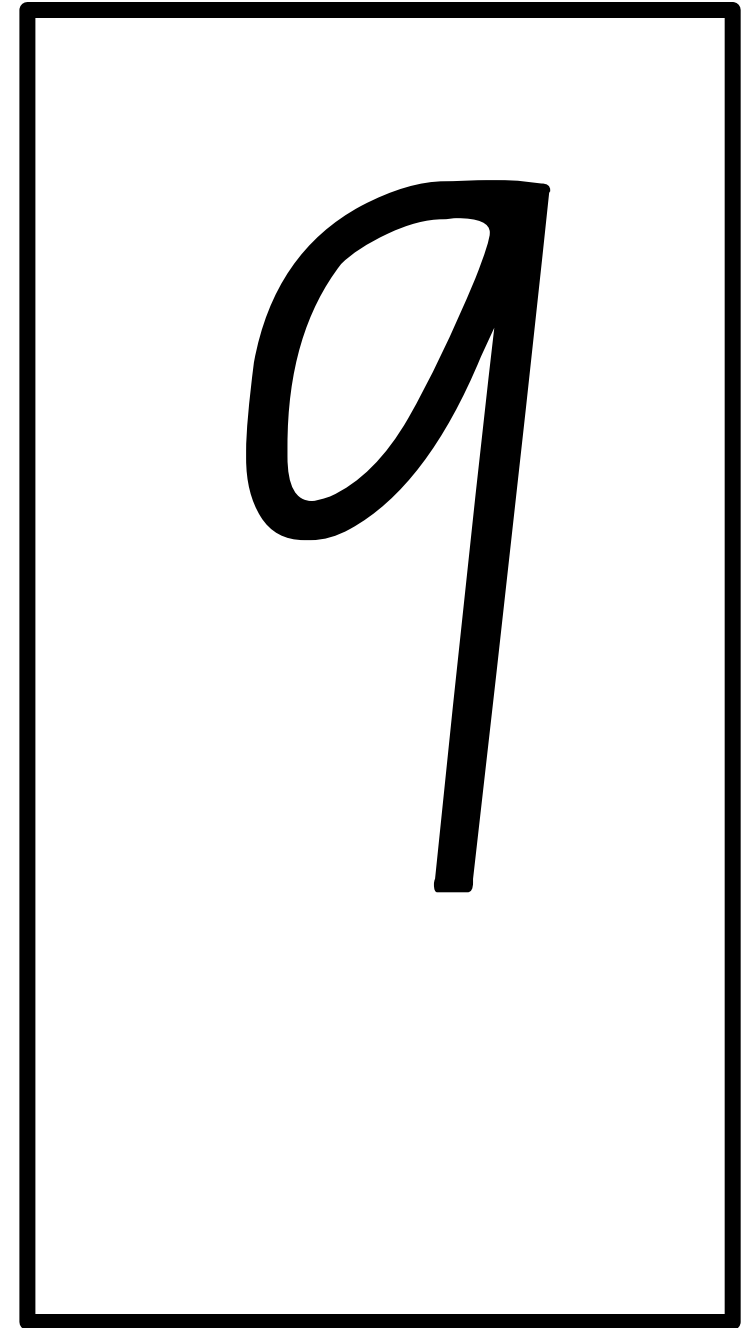
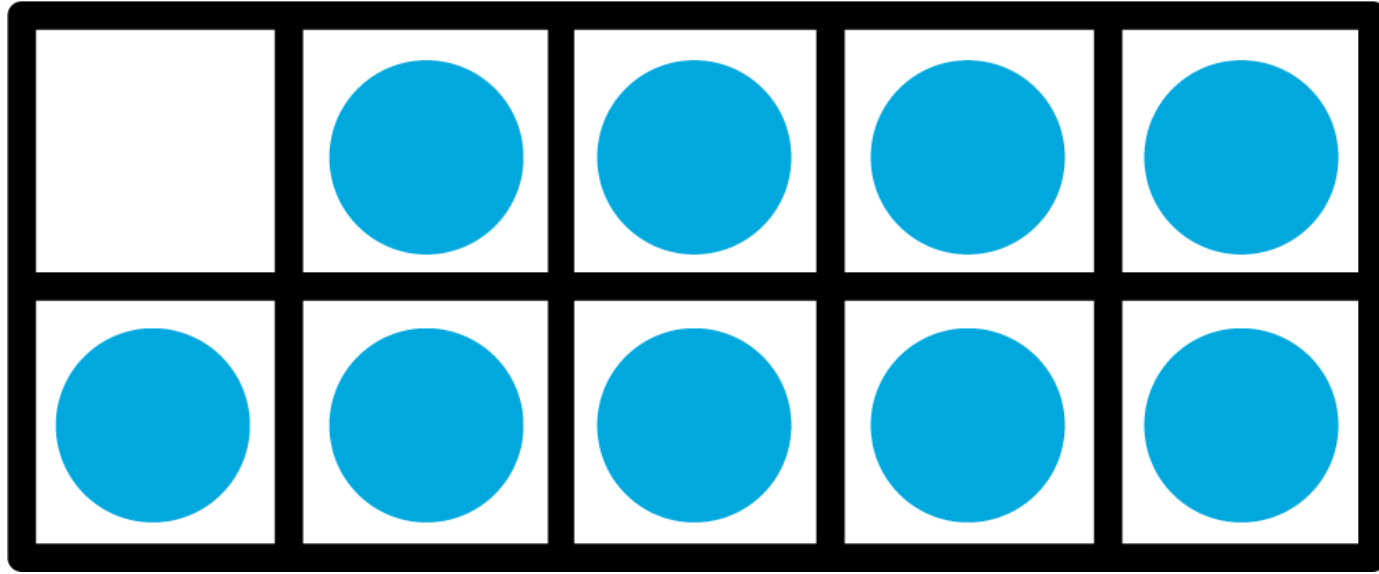


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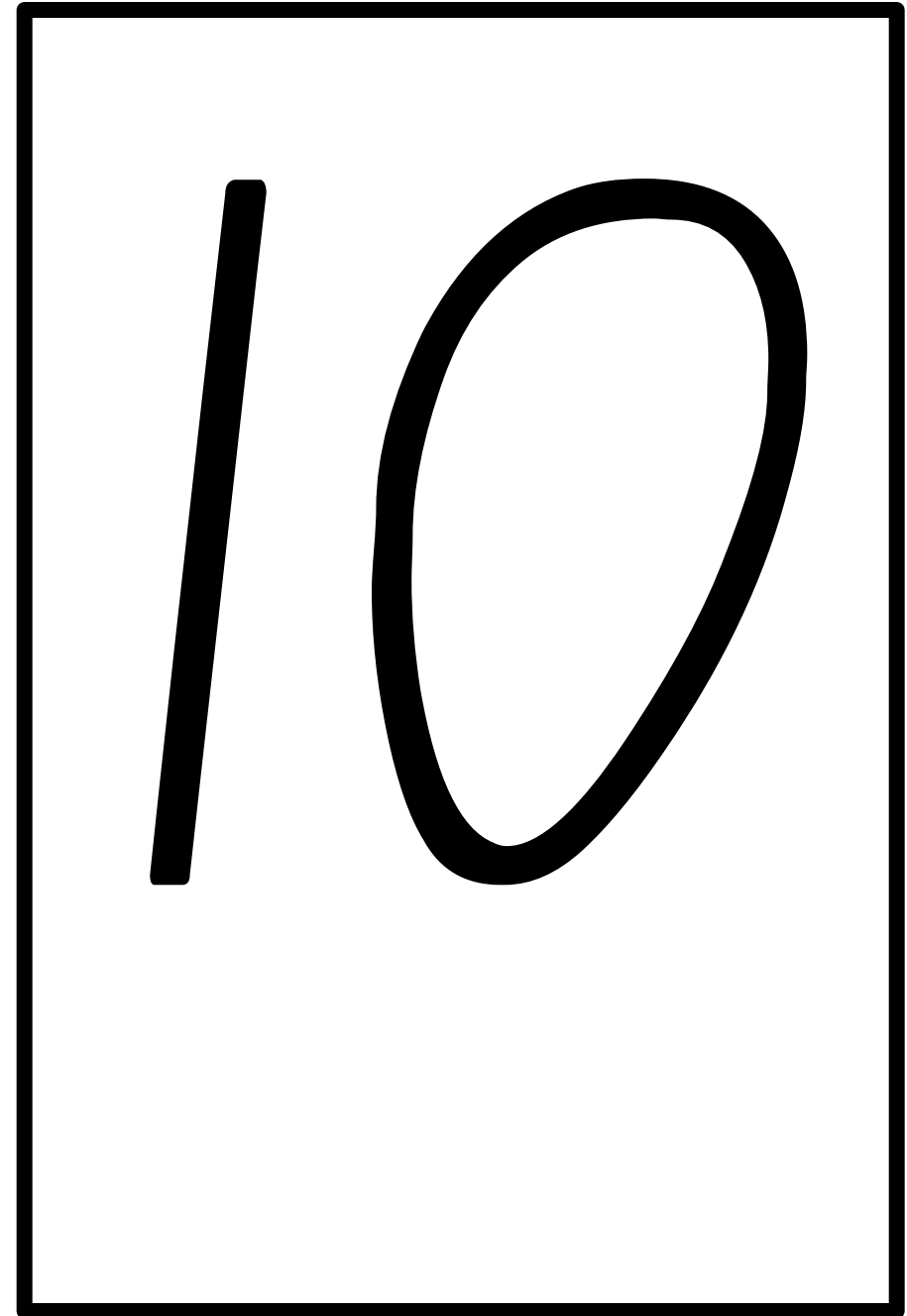
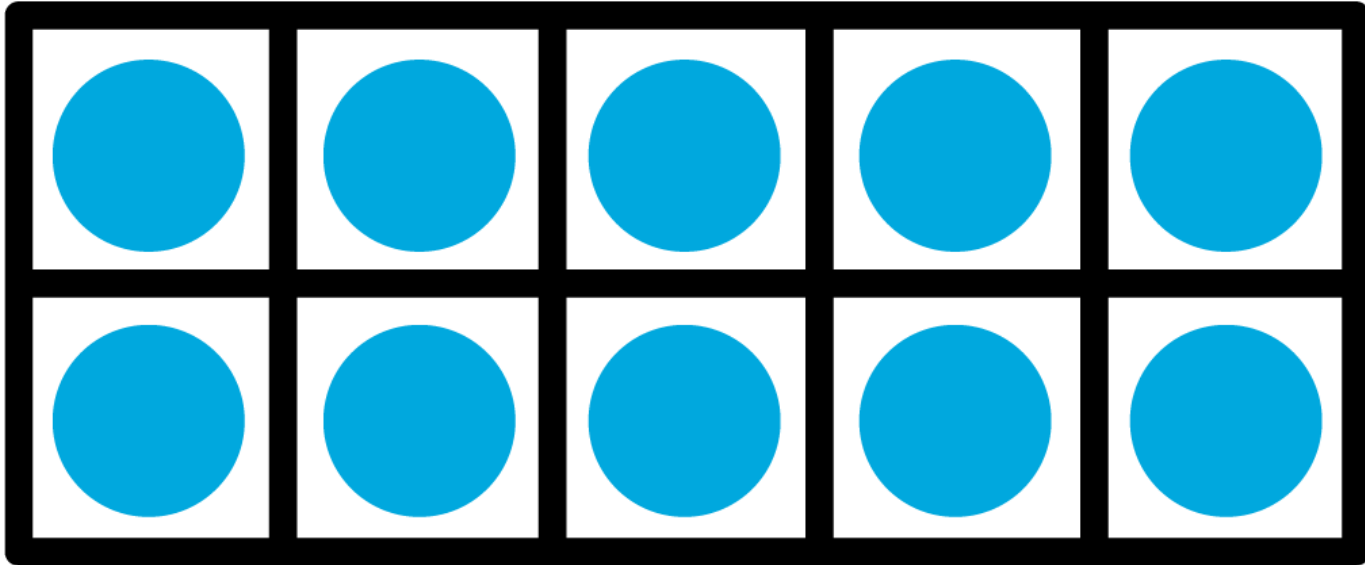




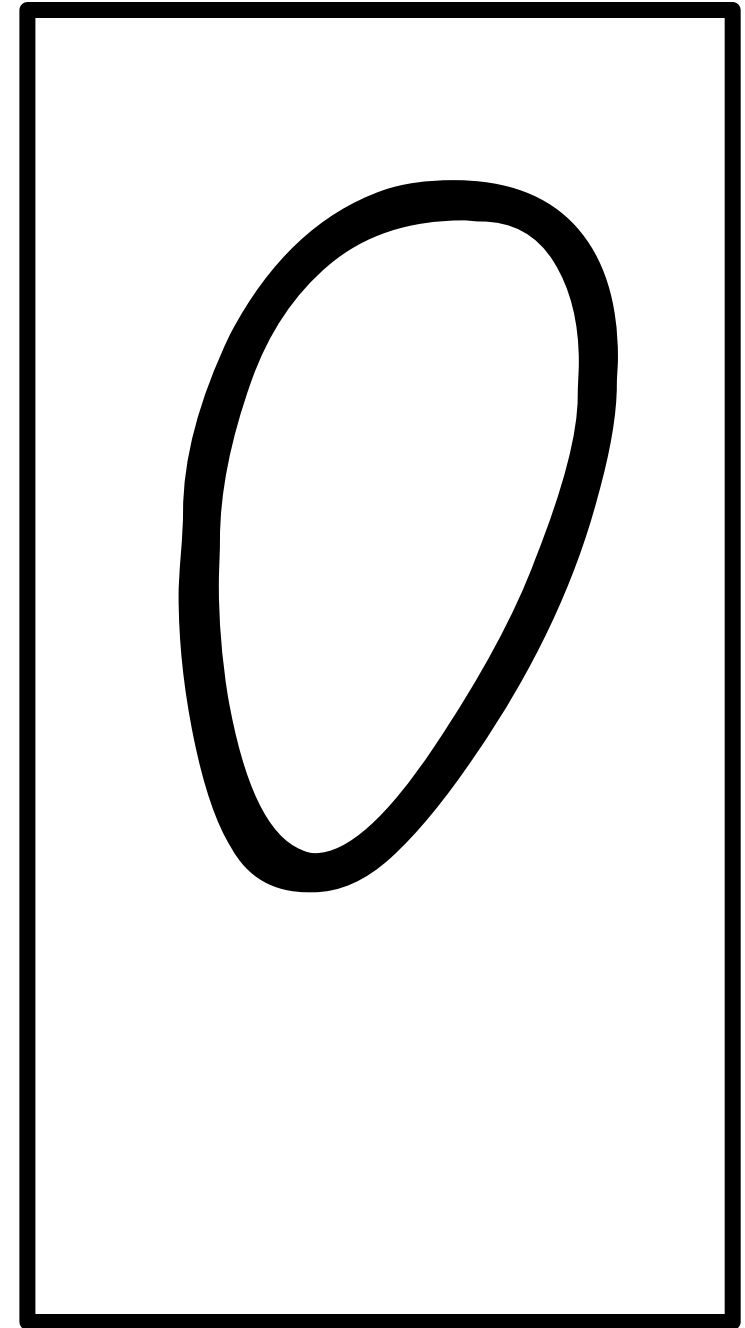
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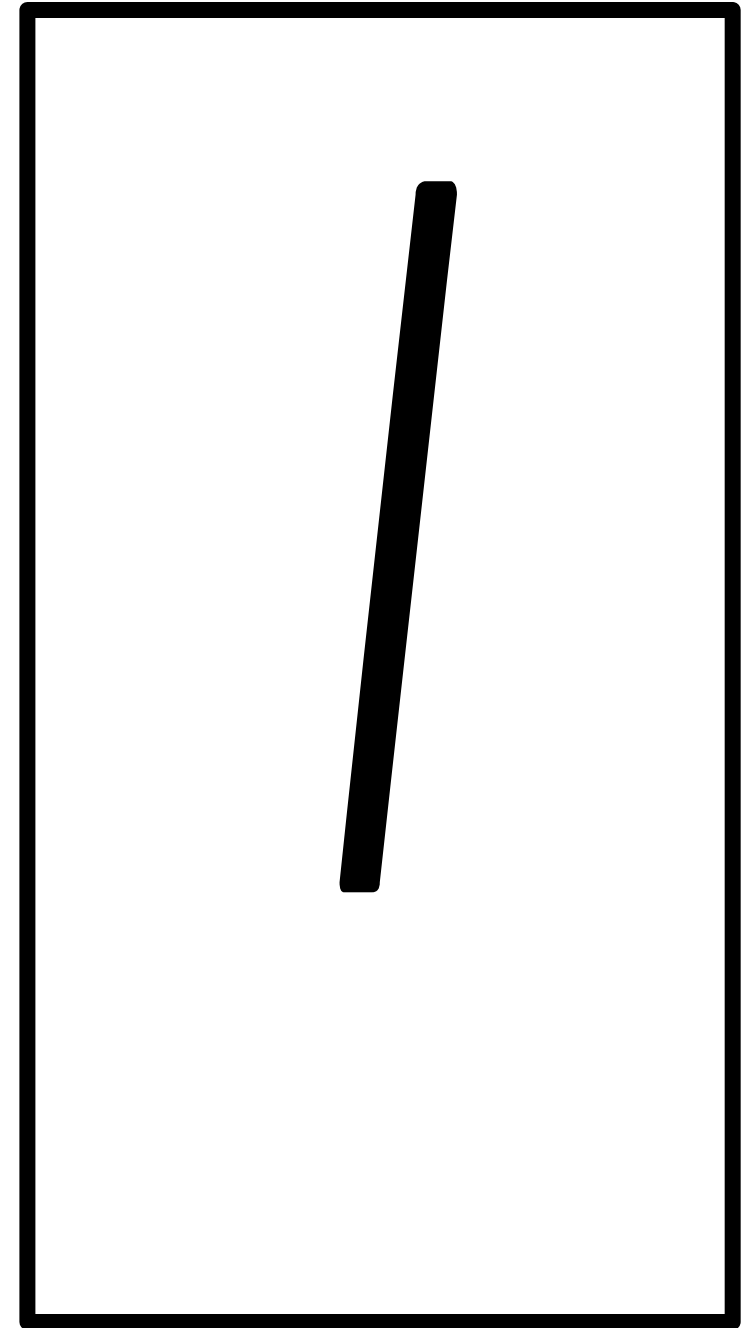
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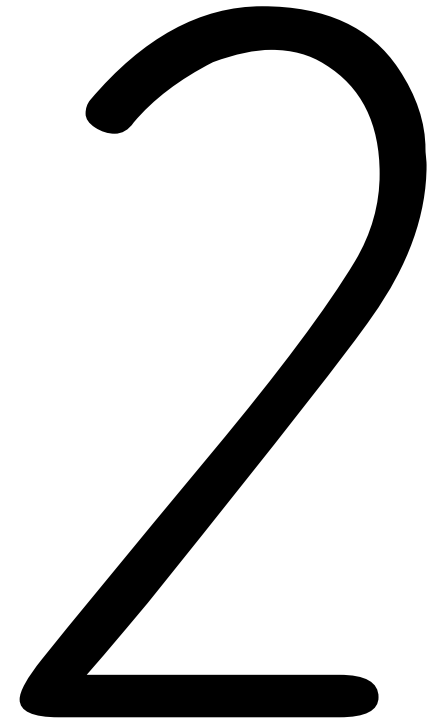
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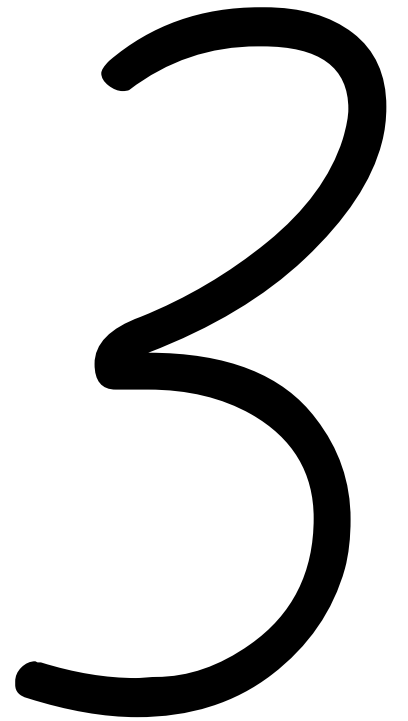
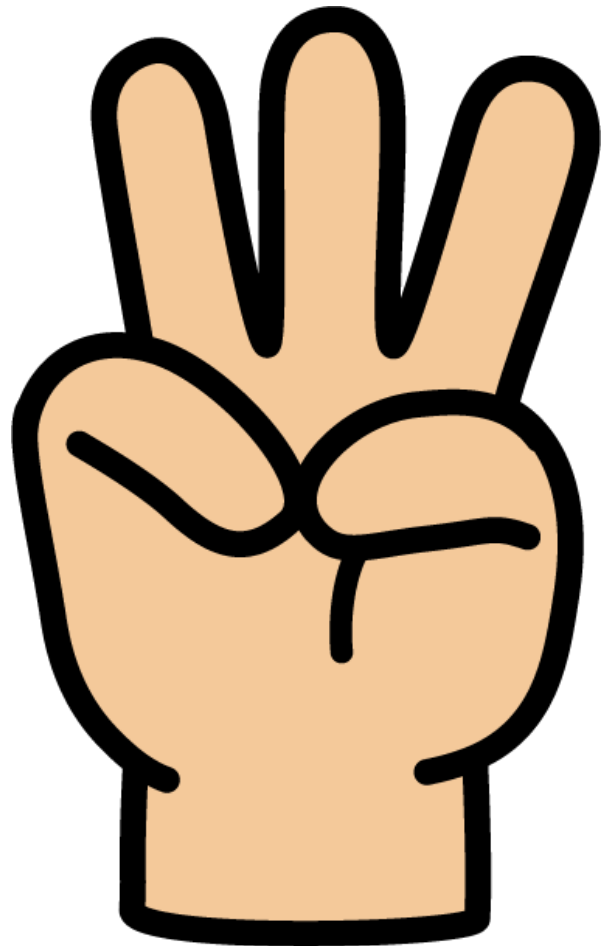
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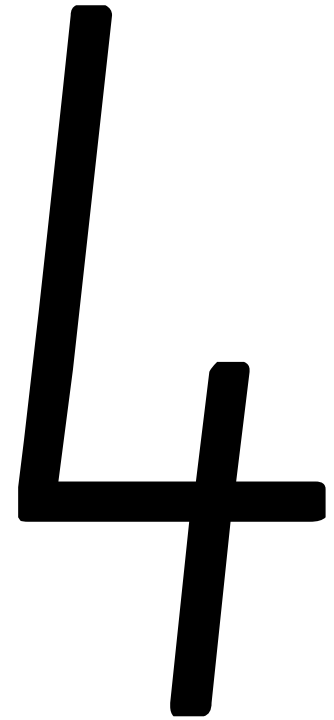
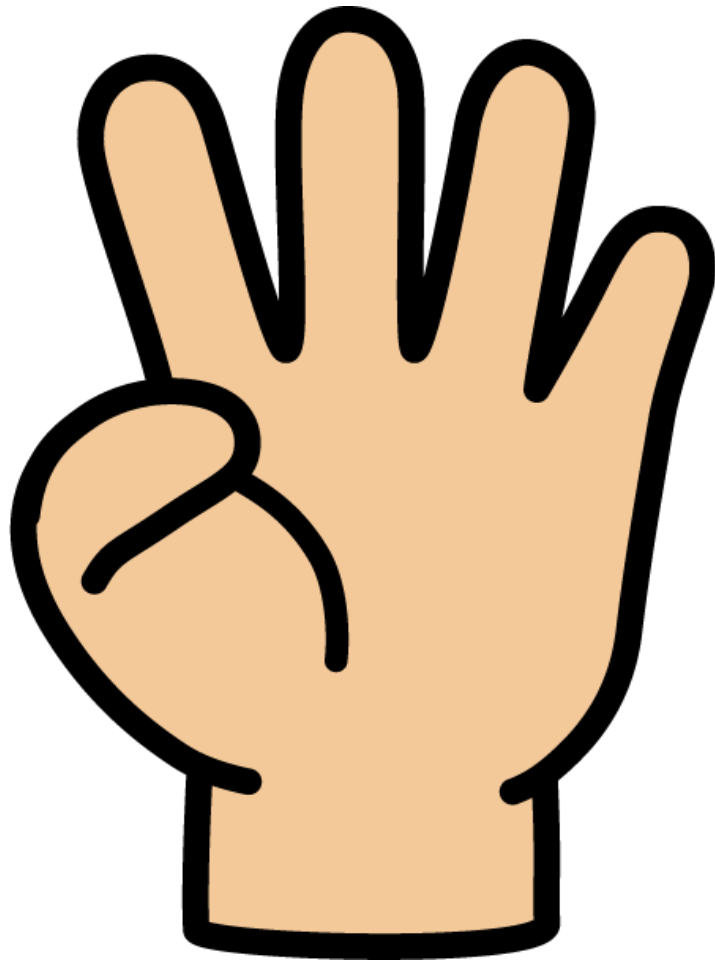
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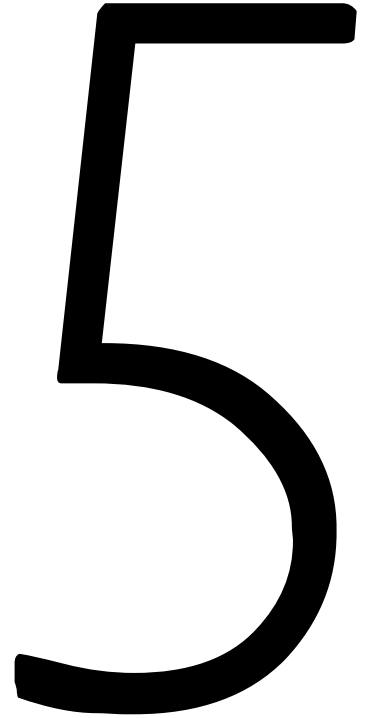
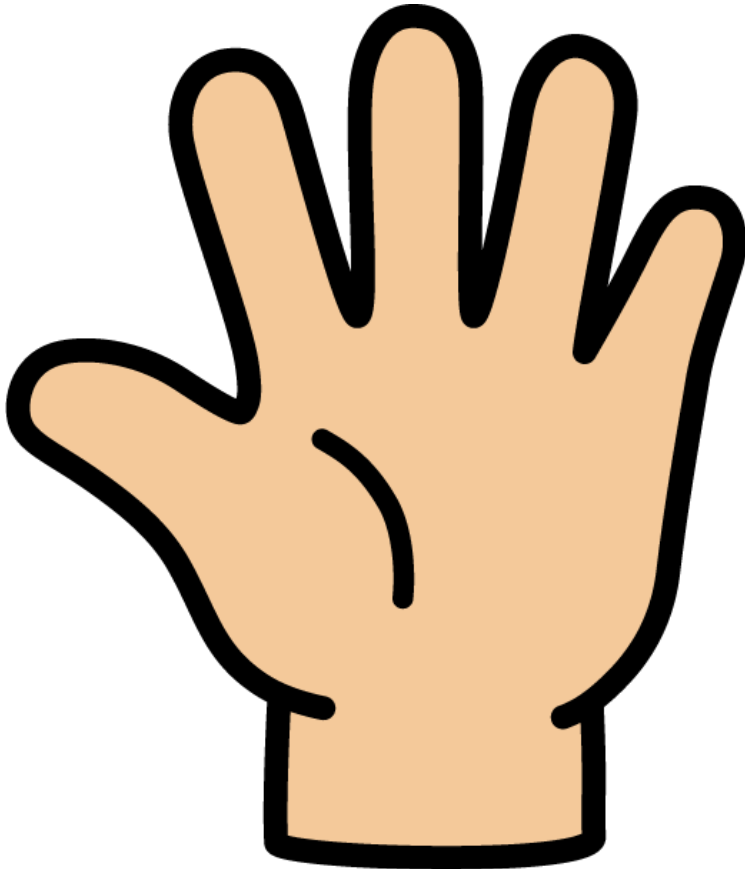
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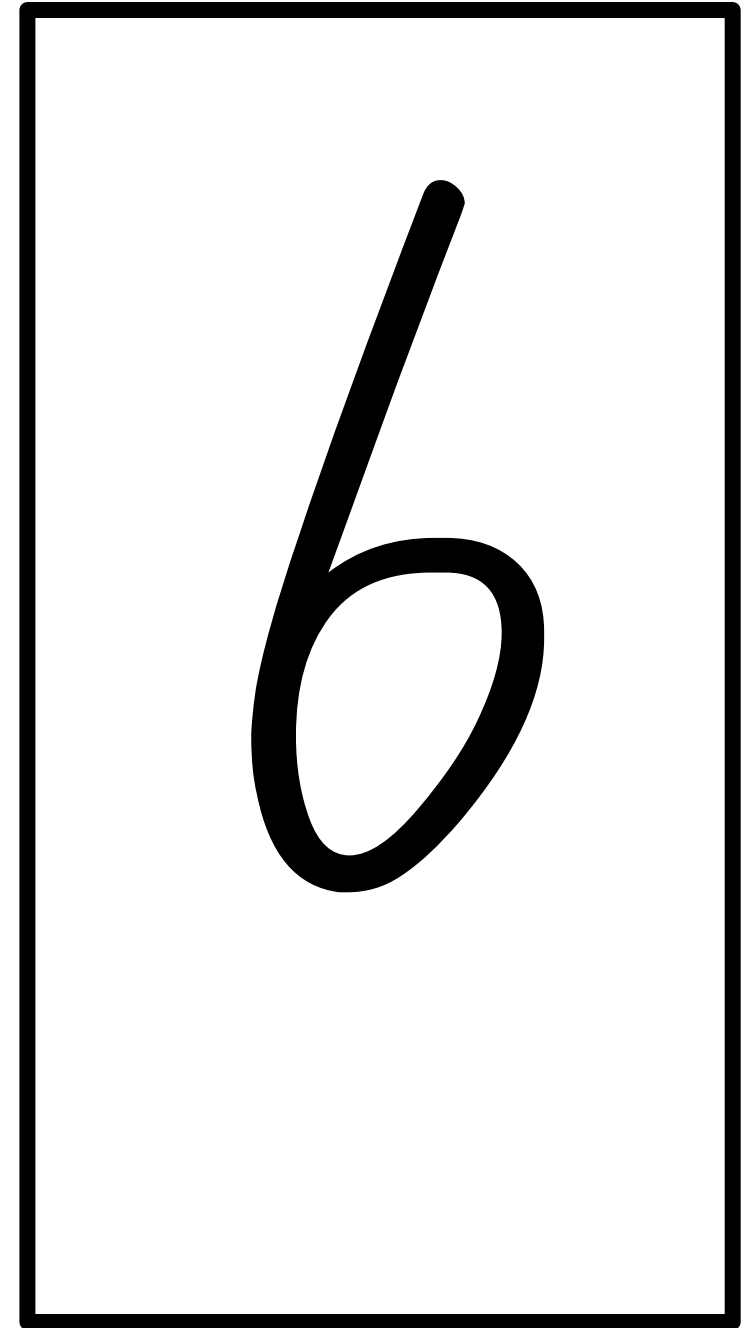
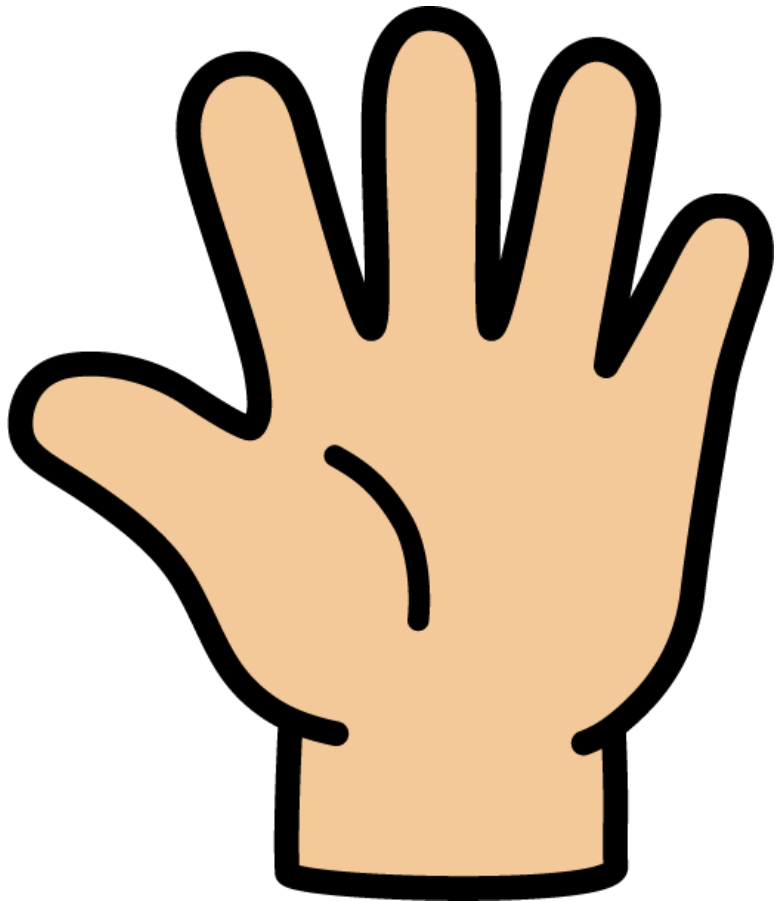


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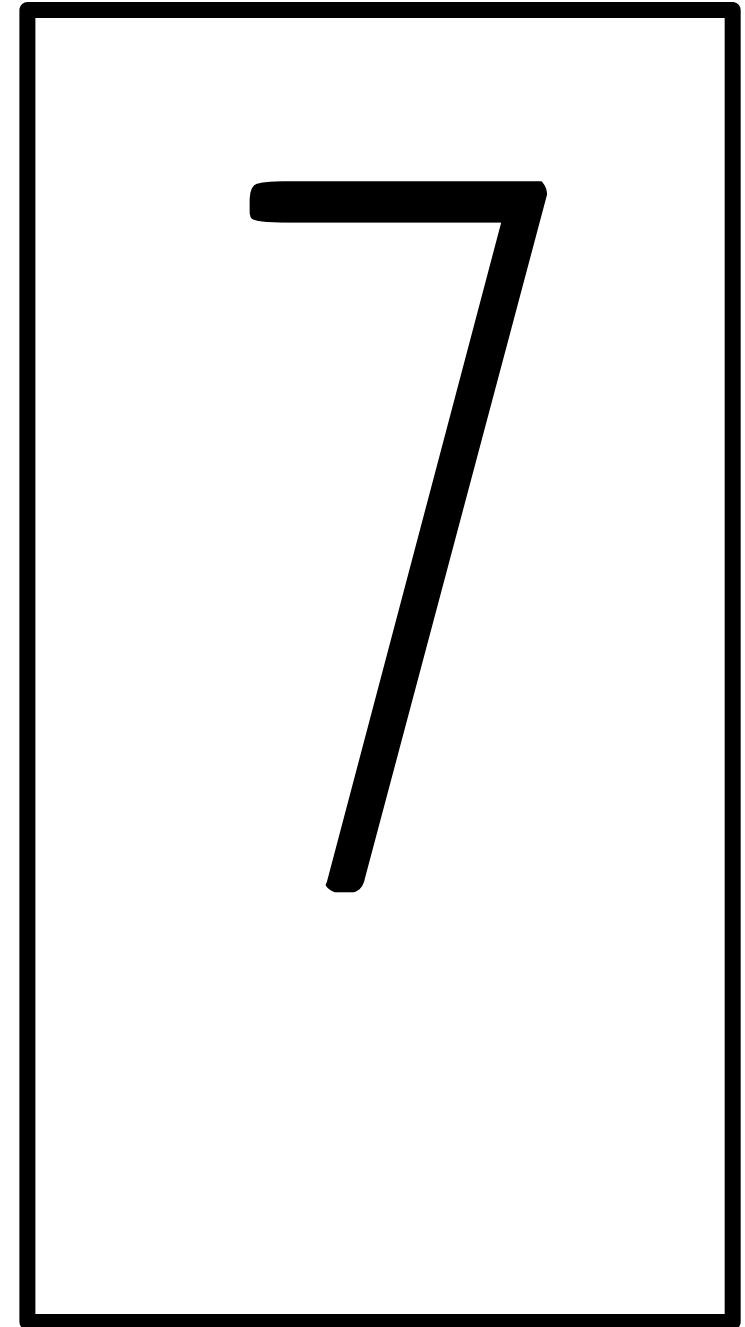
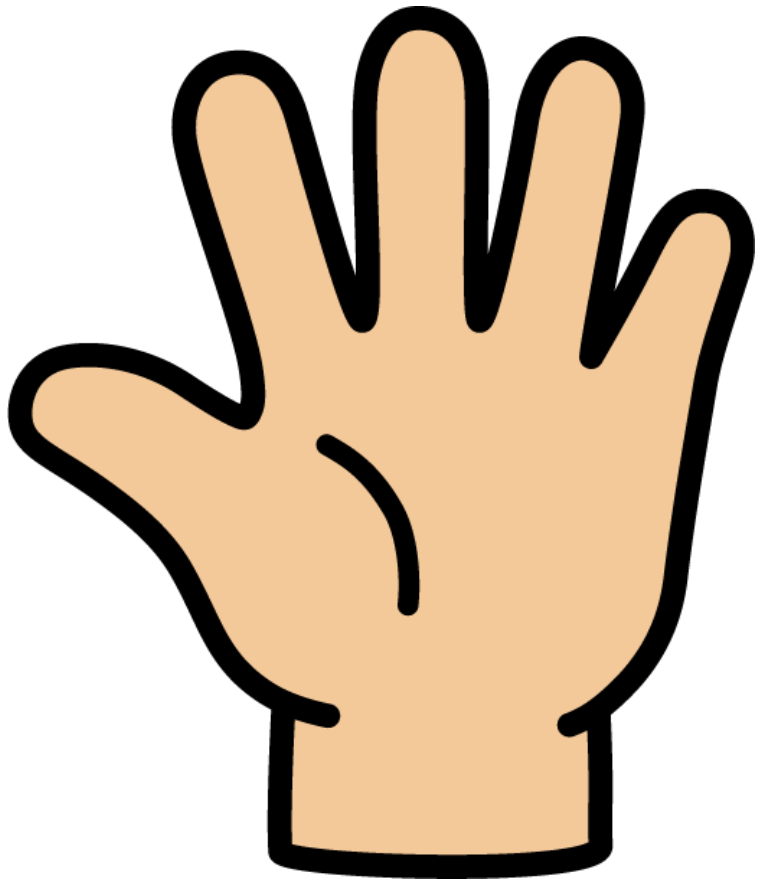




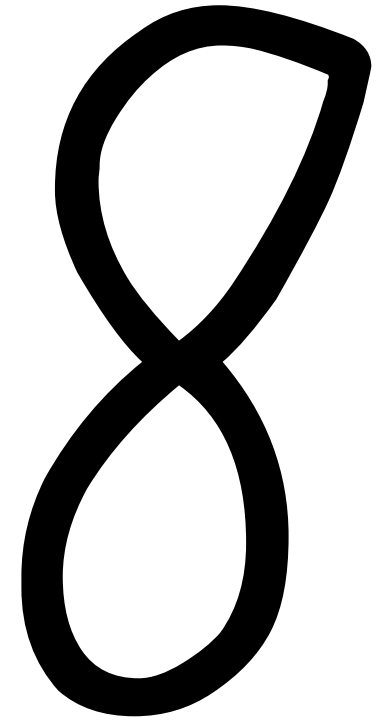
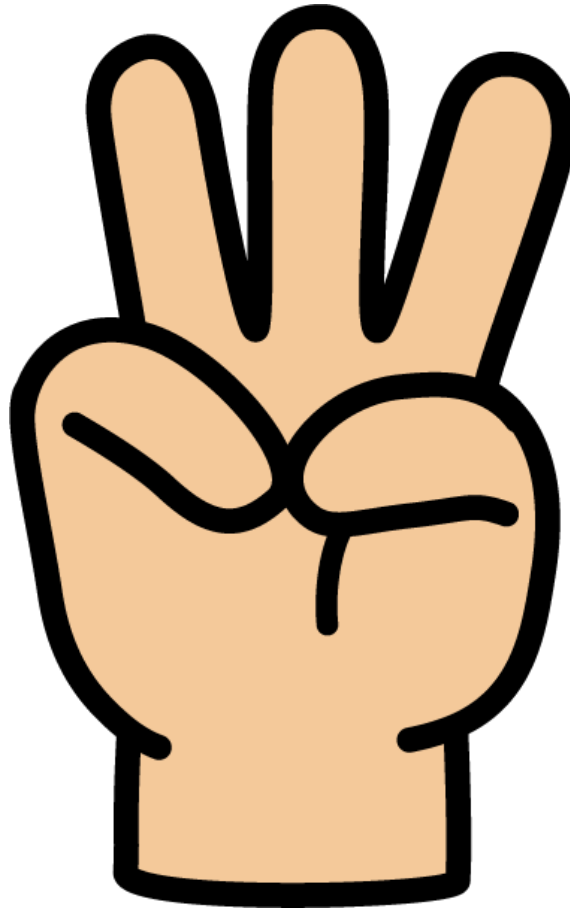
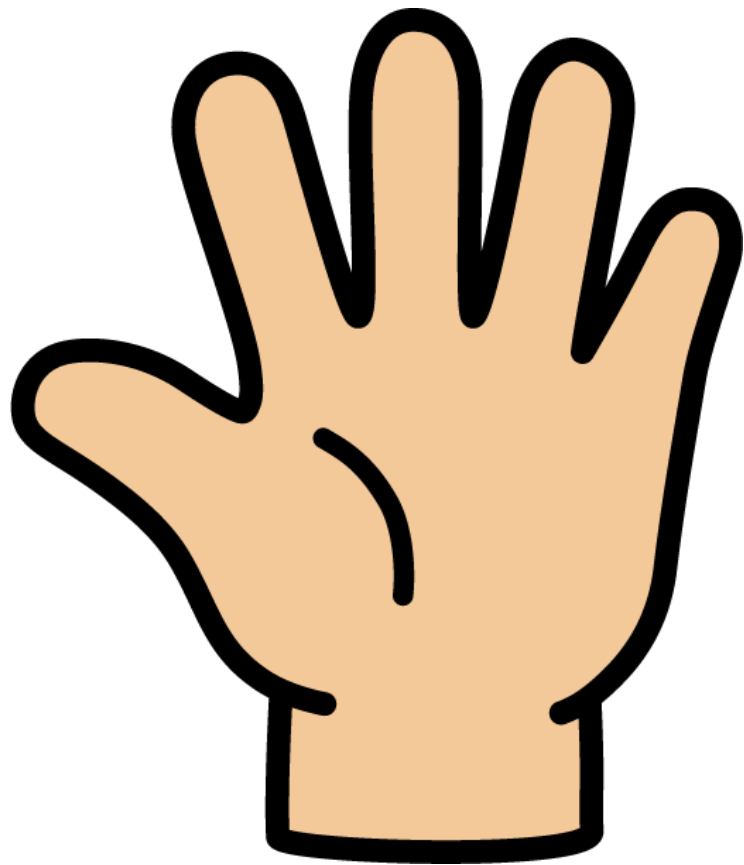
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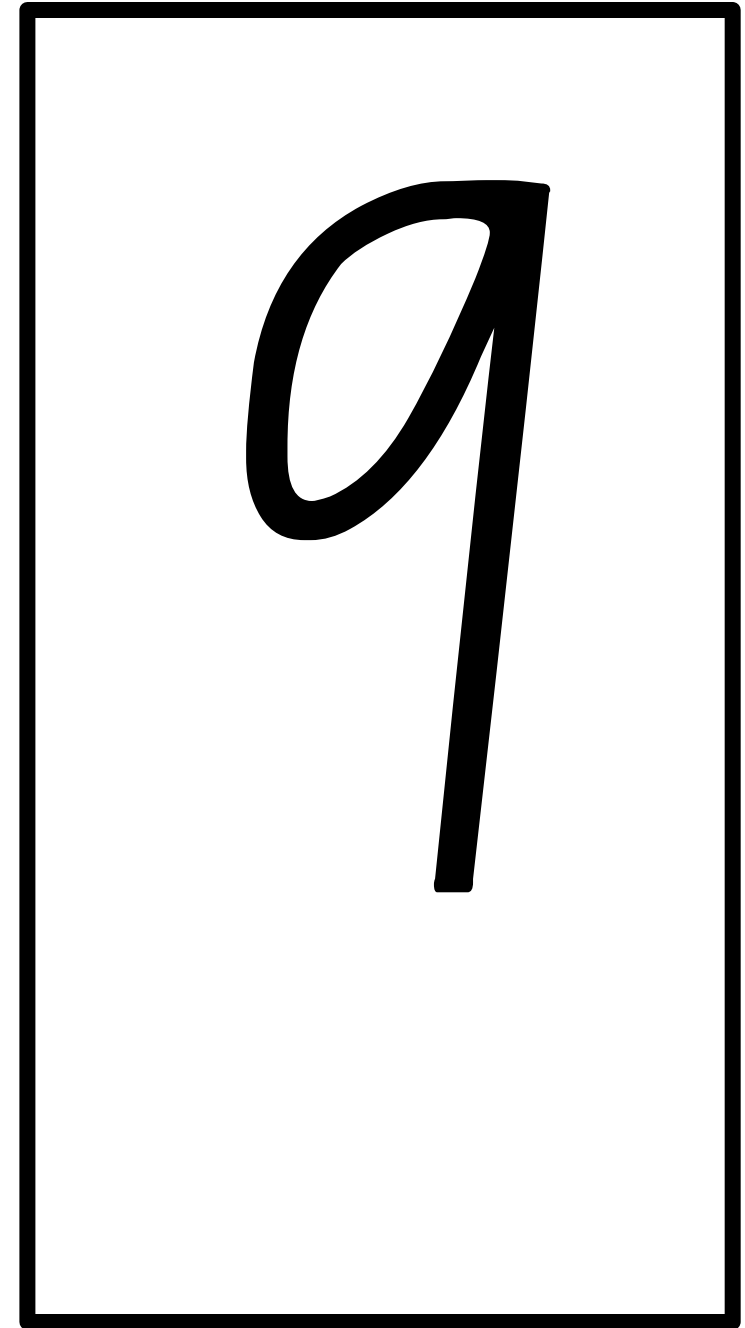
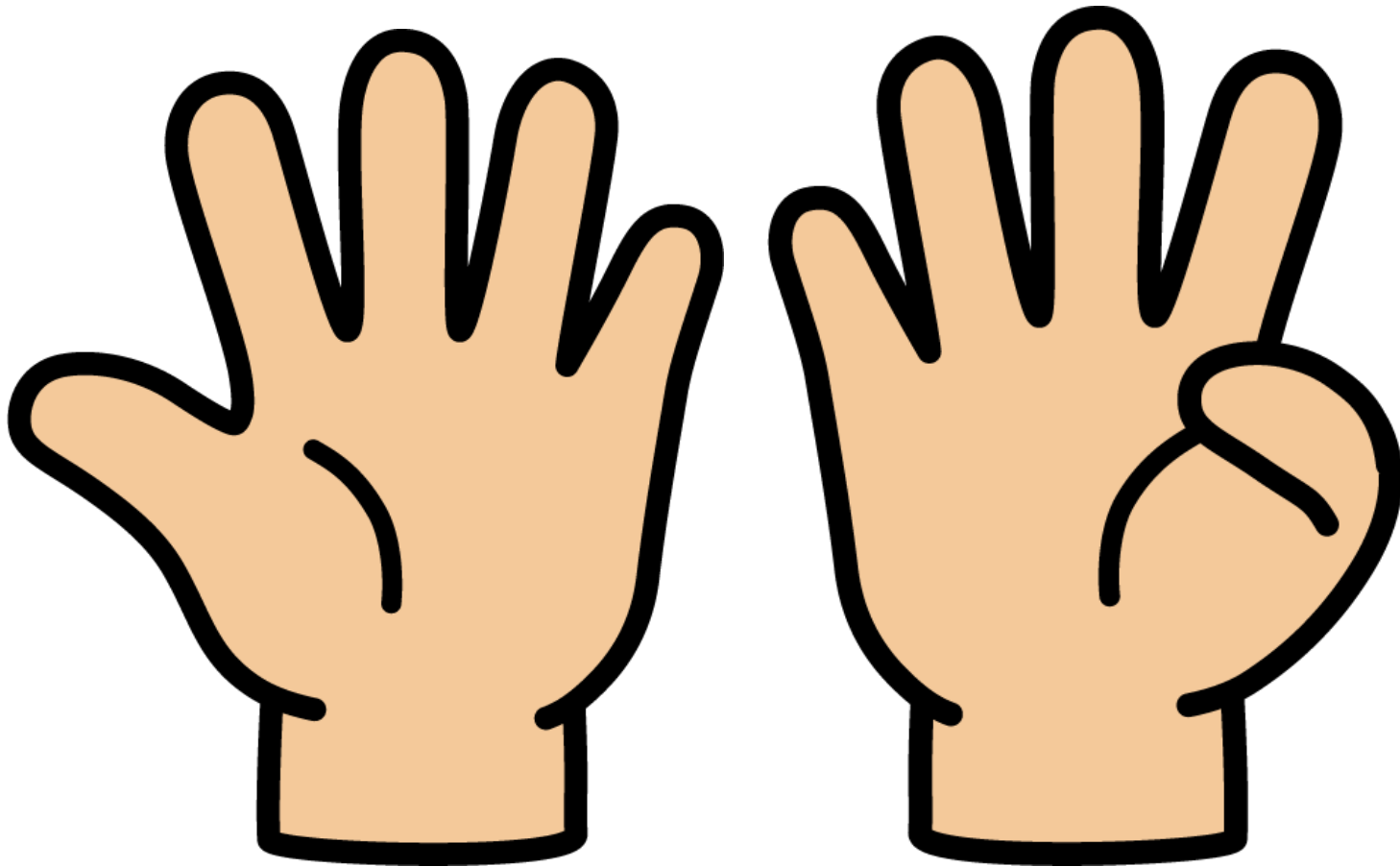
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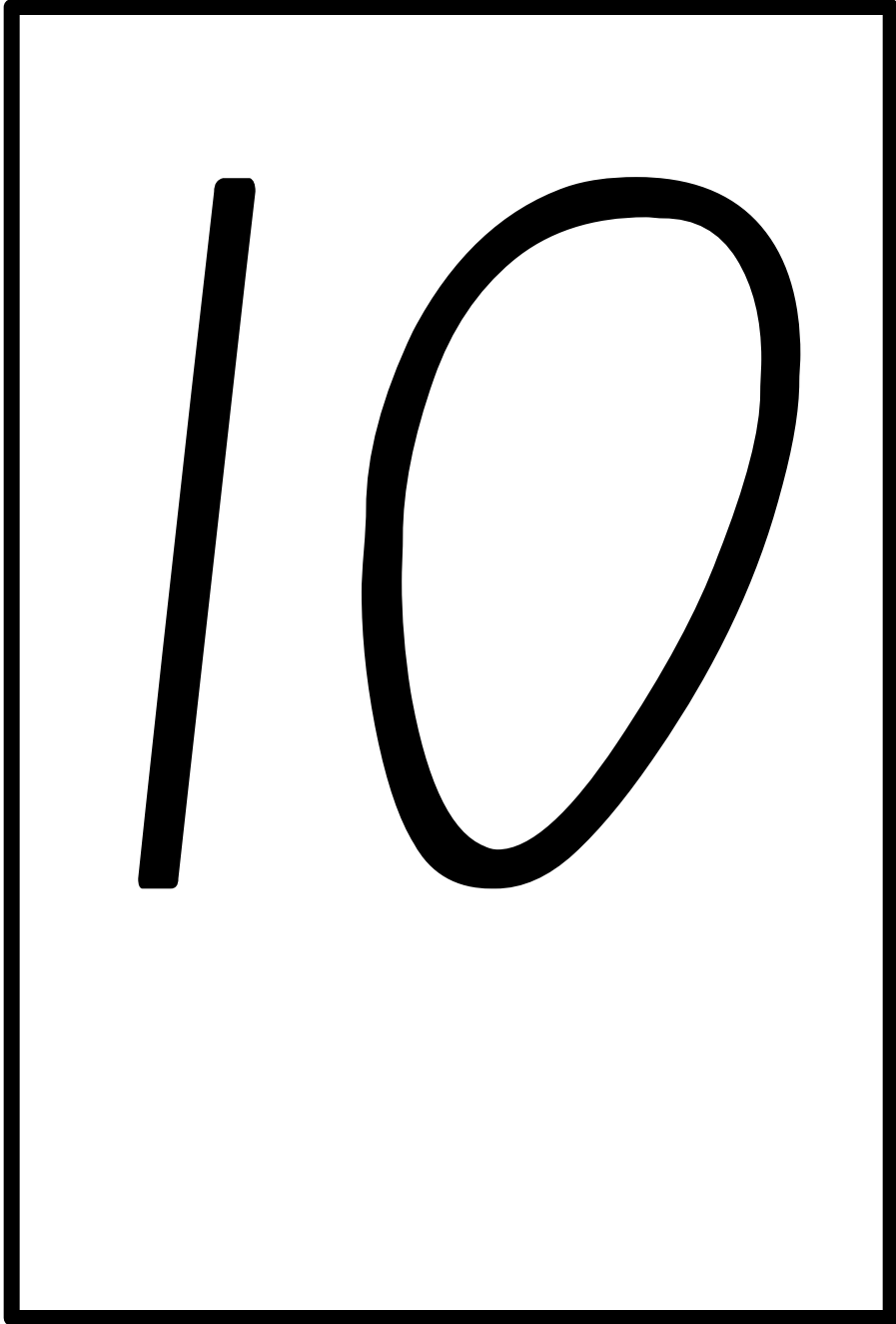
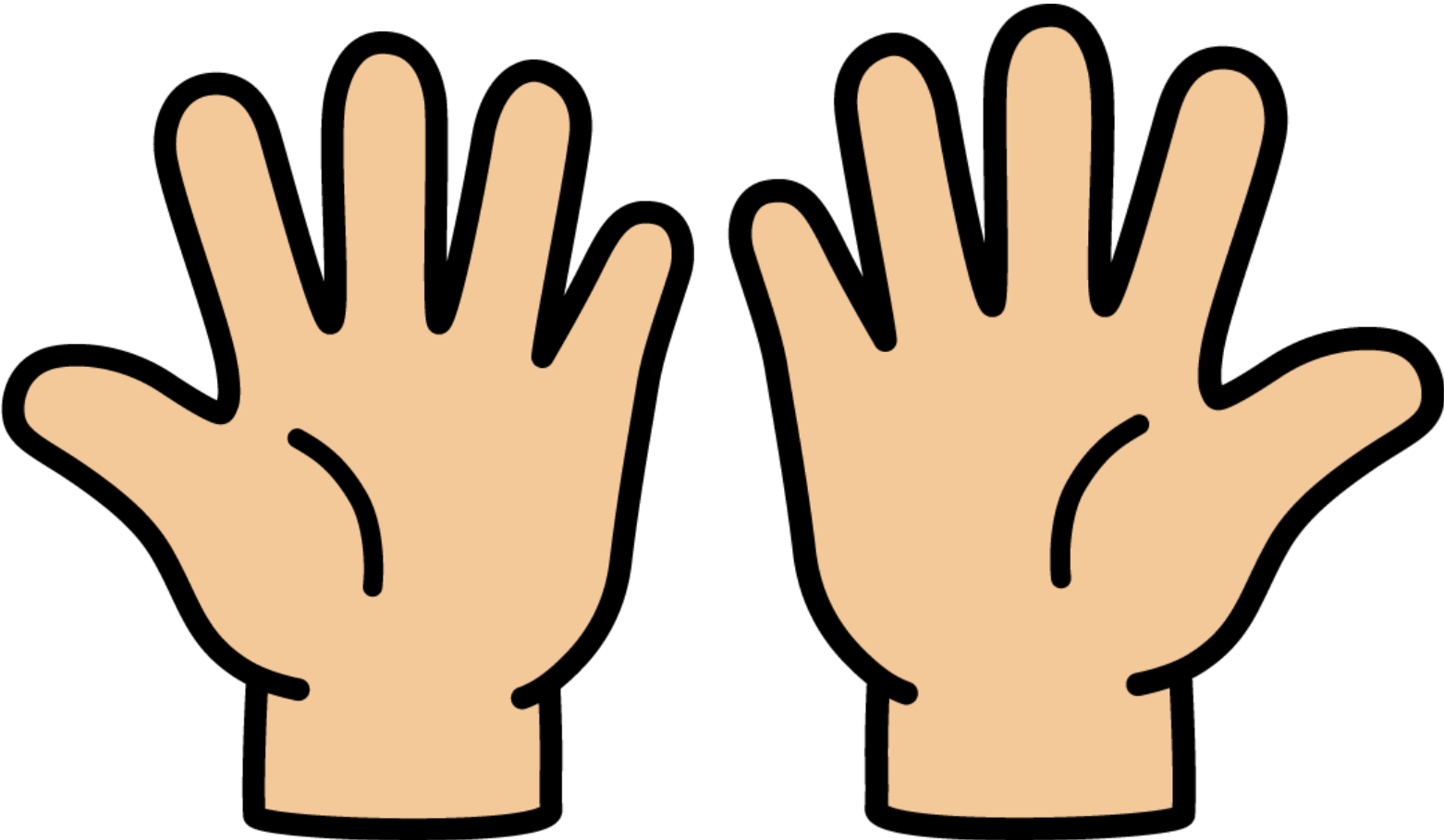
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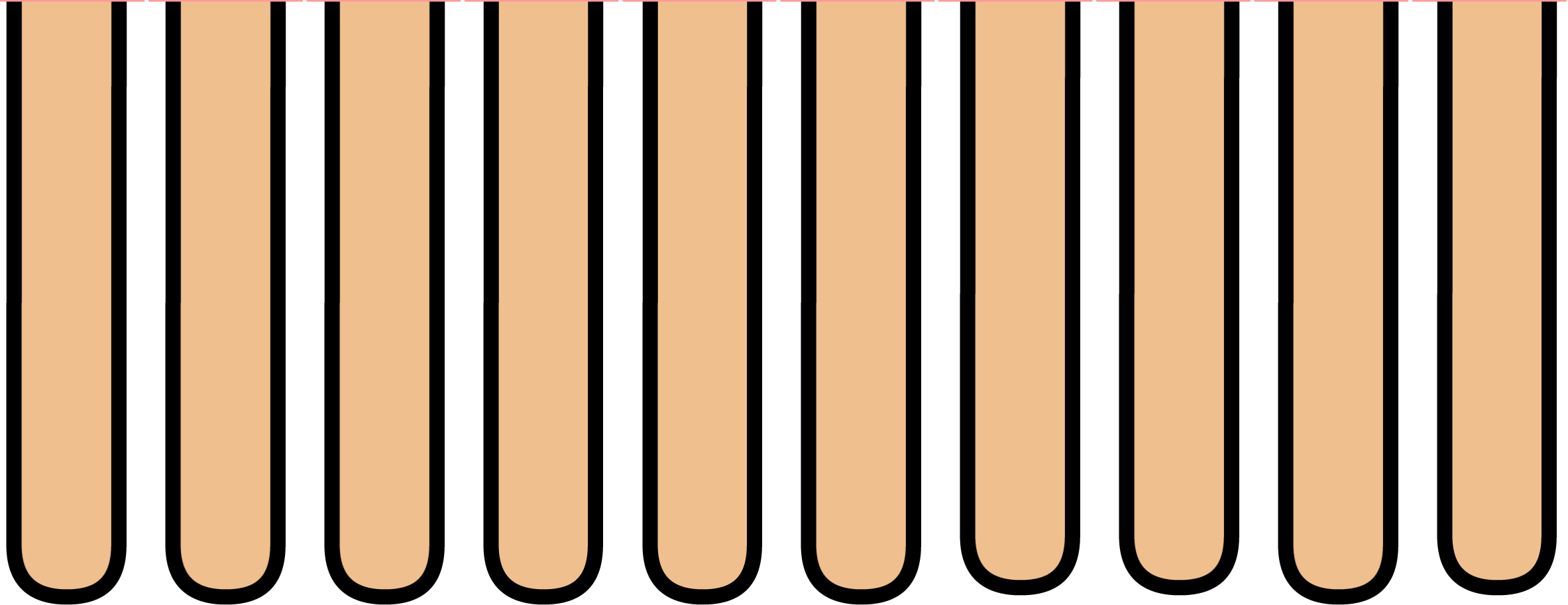
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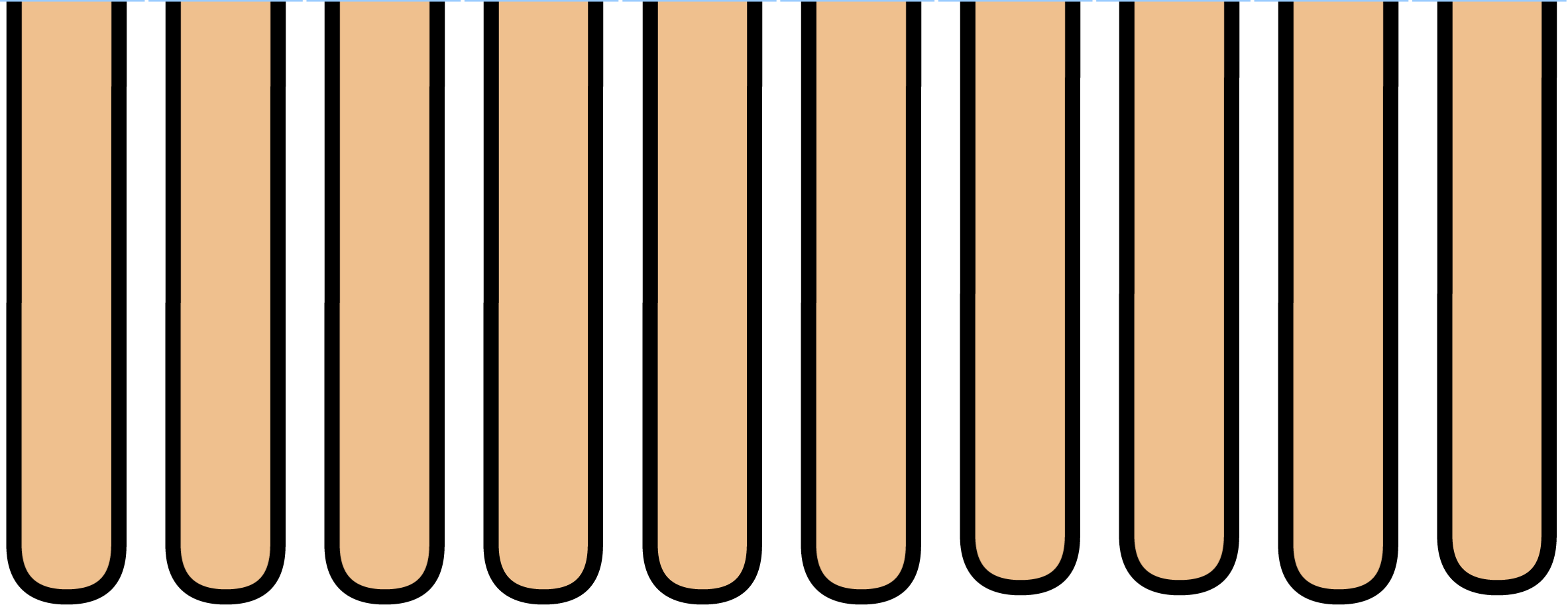
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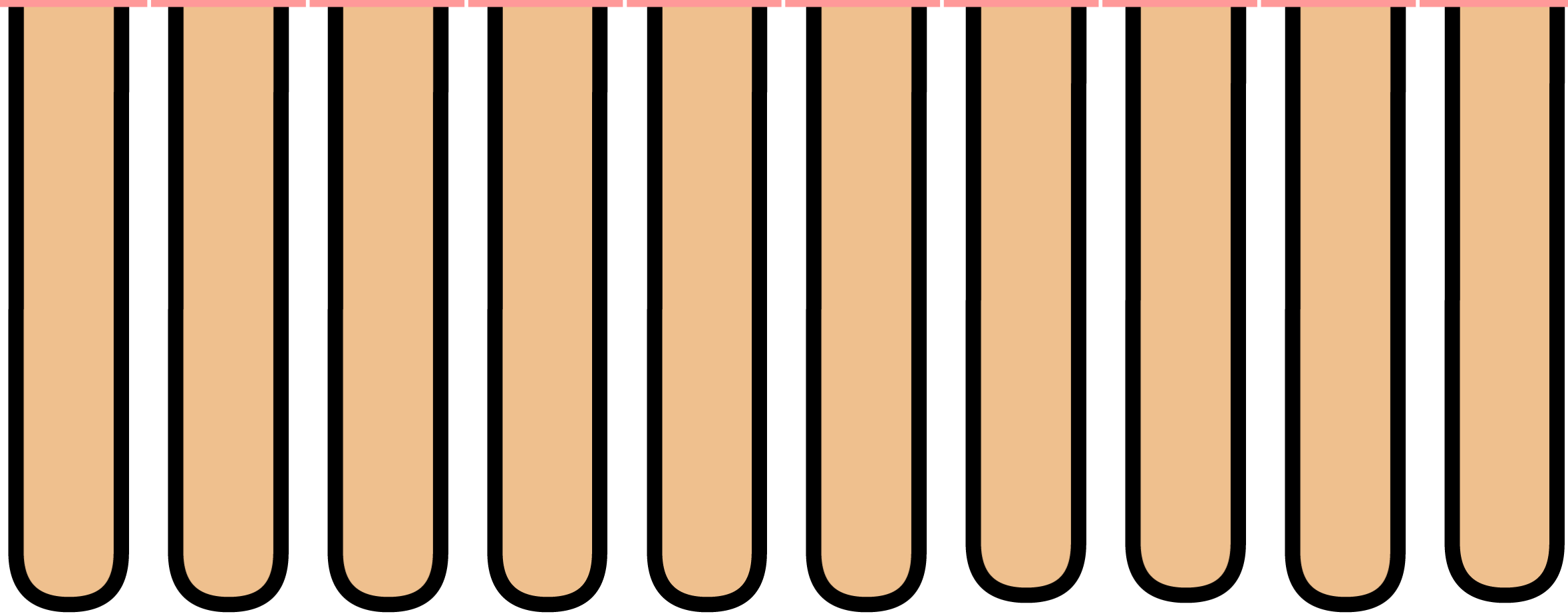
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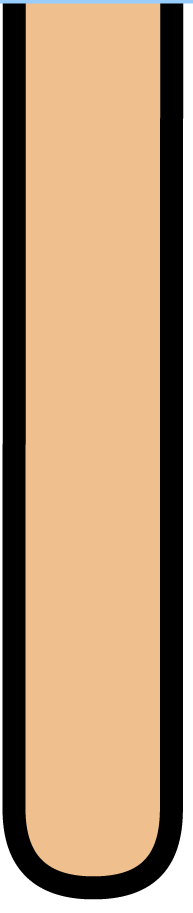
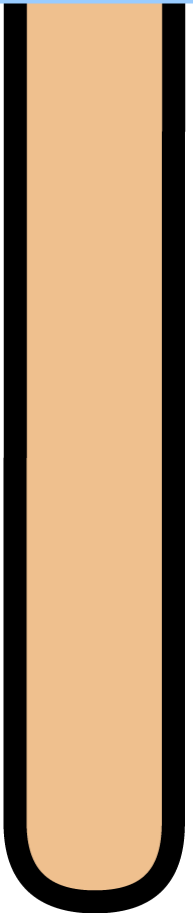
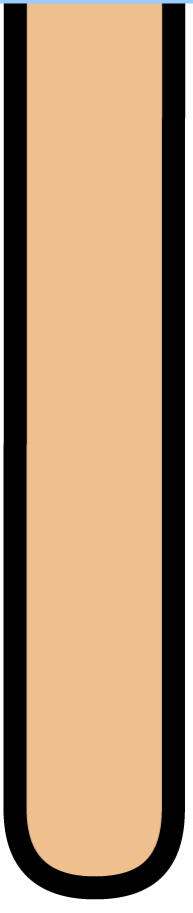
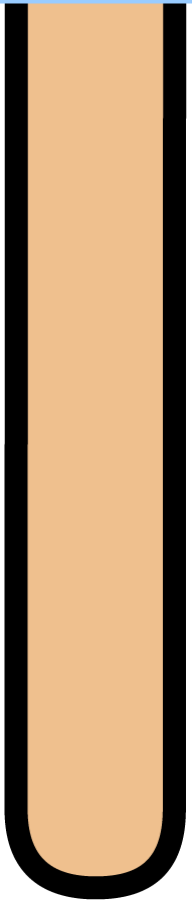
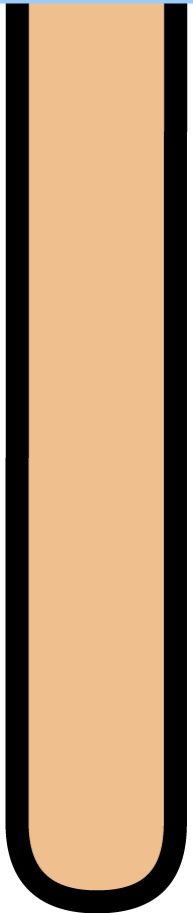
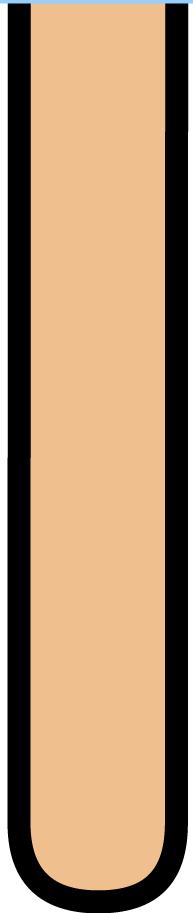
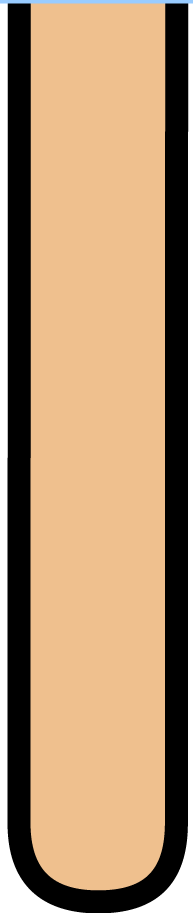
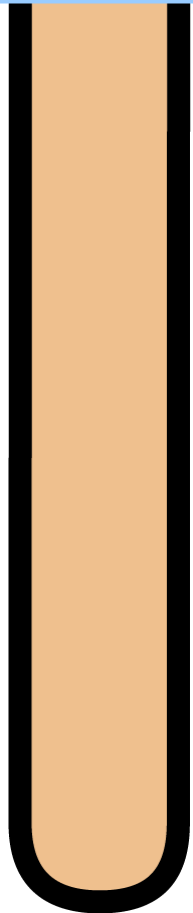
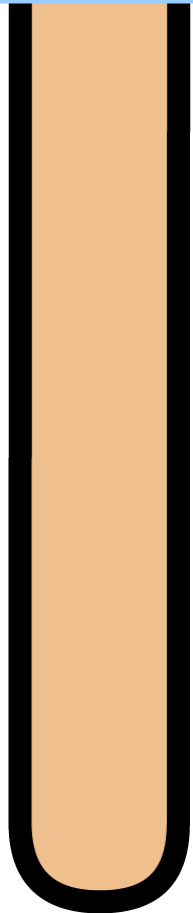
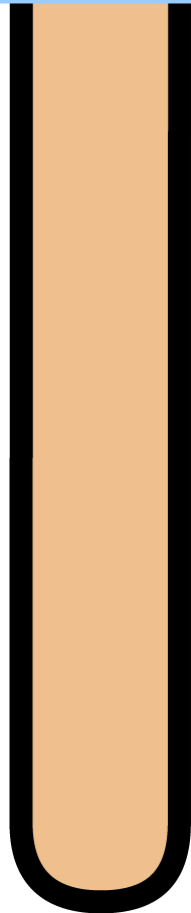
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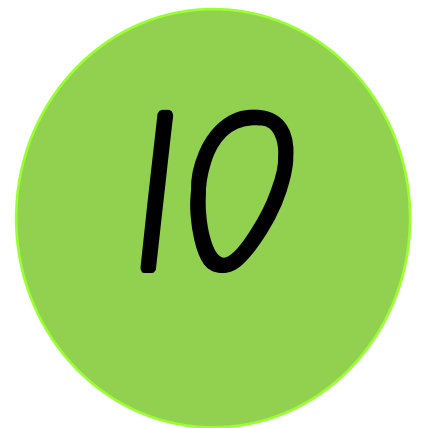
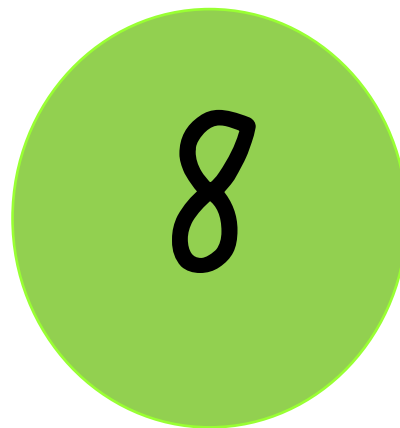
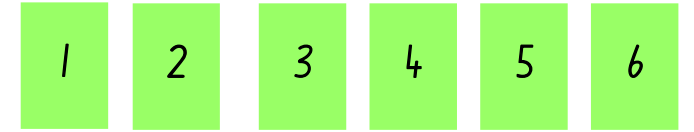
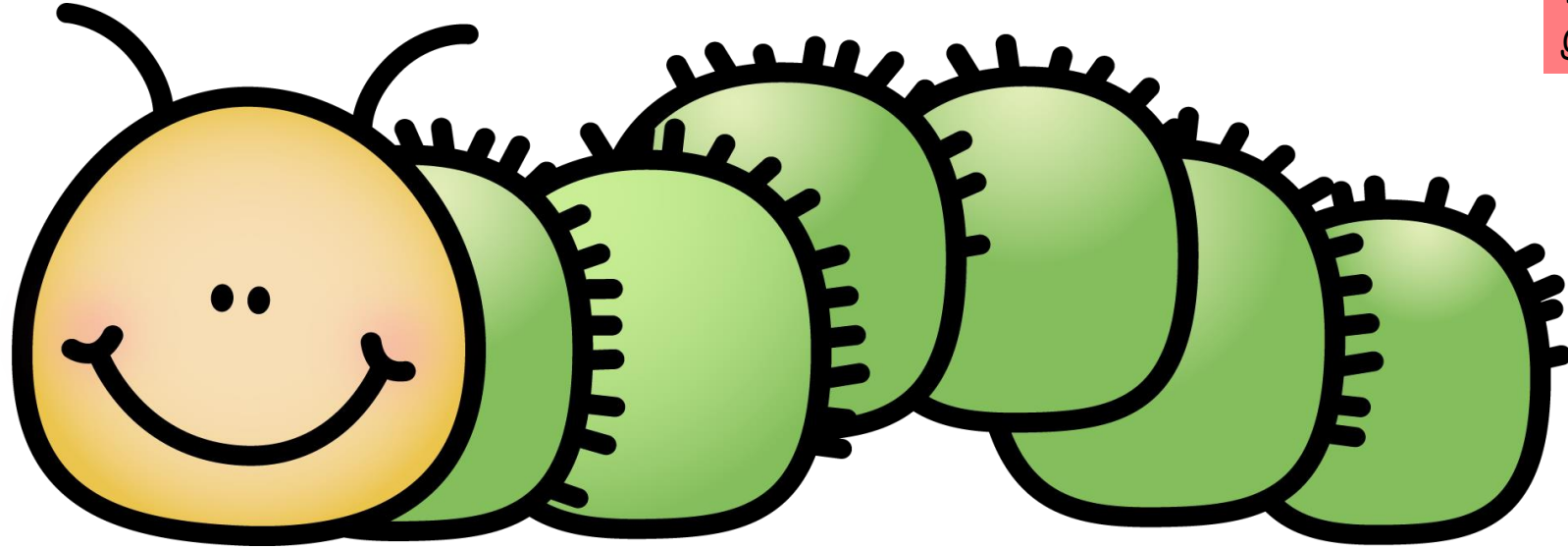
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# Number the Caterpillar

Cut out the number cards and paste them onto the caterpillar. One number per body part. Then cut out the number circles and paste them on to make the caterpillar grow.





# Number Time

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