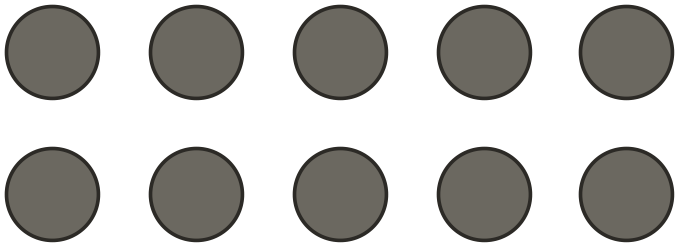
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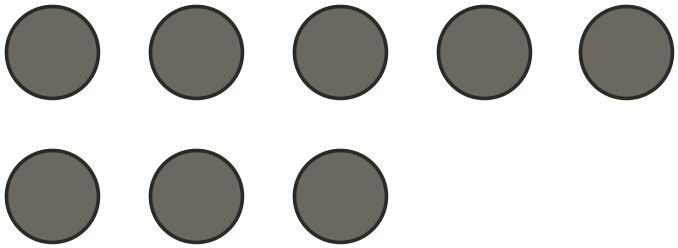
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Direct evidence: Combine groups and count every object. The teacher observes pushing the groups together, counting each object exactly once and reporting the total.

Administer separately

1. Make two piles of counters: 5 in one and 3 in the other. No counters? Cut out the ones below.
2. Say: “Put the two piles together. How many counters are there in all?”
3. Watch how the child counts. Do not count along.

Accept: Pushes the piles together, counts every counter once, touching or moving each one, and says 8. Counting a counter twice, missing one, or saying 5 or 3 (one pile only) is Not yet.

Record: The child said