



Model Subtraction

CA Standards

KEY NS 2.1, KEY NS 2.5

Show the story with counters. Write the numbers.

1. Pablo has **5** balloons. **2** balloons blow away. How many balloons are left?

_____ balloons

_____ blow away

_____ balloons left

3. Kace has **4** carrots. She eats **2** carrots. How many carrots are left?

_____ carrots

_____ carrots eaten

_____ carrots left

5. Beth has **5** green balloons and **4** red balloons. **3** green balloons pop. How many green balloons does Beth have left?

_____ green balloons

_____ green balloons pop

_____ green balloons left

2. Del has **2** bags of popcorn. He gives **1** bag to his friend. How many bags are left?

_____ bags

_____ give away

_____ bag left

4. There are **3** eggs in the nest. **1** egg hatches. How many eggs are left?

_____ eggs

_____ egg hatches

_____ eggs left

6. Ted has **8** big marbles and **6** small marbles. He loses **2** small marbles. How many small marbles are not lost?

_____ small marbles

_____ small marbles lost

_____ small marbles not

lost