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**Maths**

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The size of number is not important – it is the concept of how to use the model. We will be moving onto using them for multiplication and division problems and well as multi-step problems.

Here is an image of a bar model. Can you write 2 different worded problems that it could represent? Try to choose different operations (such as one addition and one subtraction)

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e.g. Like a kitten clawing at a trouser leg, the ivy gripped at the gnarled tree.

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