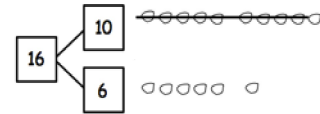Name _____   Date _____
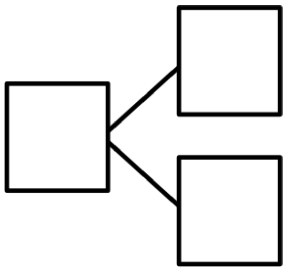
Make a simple math drawing. Cross out from the 10 ones to show what happens in the stories.

> I had 16 grapes.
> I ate 9 grapes.
> How many grapes
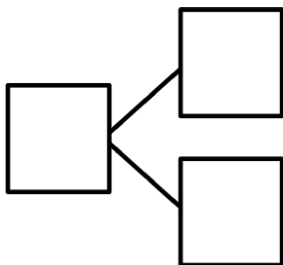> do I have now?
>
> 16
> 10
> 6
>
> Now I have _7_ grapes.

1. There were 15 squirrels by a tree. 10 of them were eating nuts. 5 squirrels were playing. A loud noise scared away 9 of the squirrels eating nuts. How many squirrels were left by the tree?
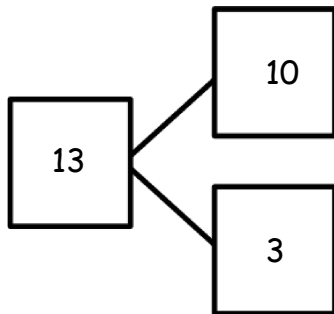
There were ____ squirrels left by the tree.

2. There are 17 ladybugs on the plant. 10 of them are on a leaf, and 7 of them are on the stem. 9 of the ladybugs on the leaf crawled away. How many ladybugs are still on the plant?

There are ____ ladybugs on the plant.

3. Use the number bond to fill in the math story. Make a simple math drawing.
   Cross out from 10 ones or some ones to show what happens in the stories.

There were _____ ants in the ant hill.

<u>10</u> of the ants are sleeping and _____ of them are awake.
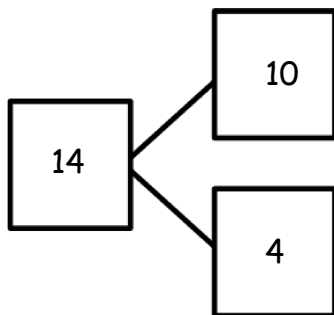
9 of the sleeping ants woke up.

How many ants are awake now?

Math drawing:

There are _____ ants awake now.

4. Use the number bond below to come up with your own math story. Include a simple
   math drawing. Cross out from 10 ones to show what happens.

Math drawing:

Number sentences:

Statement: