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4. Sandra has one fewer orange than Ellen. Ellen has six oranges. How many oranges does Sandra have?

5. Six plums were in the basket. Some of the plums were removed from the basket. Now there are three plums. How many plums were removed from the basket?

6. Three balls are in the basket. Three balls are taken out of the basket. How many balls are in the basket now?

7. Eight apples are in the basket. Six are red and the rest are green. How many apples are green?

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