

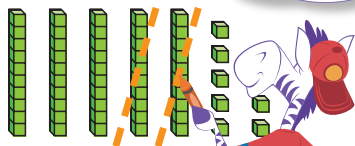
You can subtract tens from a number.

$$57 - 20 = ?$$

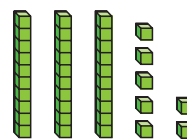


20 is 2 tens.

Cross out the tens to subtract.



The difference is 37.



$$57 - 20 = 37$$

The tens digit changes. The ones digit stays the same.



- How do you show 57 with cubes?
- How do you show 20?
- Does 20 have any ones?

- How can you show subtracting 20 from 57 connecting cubes?

- When you subtract, what do you call the answer?
- What is the difference for the subtraction problem  $57 - 20$ ?

- What changed when 20 was subtracted from 57?
- What stayed the same? Explain.