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- 2) Olivia sent 257 text messages over the summer. In July she sent 3 times as many as she did in August. And in June she sent 16 fewer than in July. How many texts did she send in July?
- 3) At the fair a vendor counted the number of balloons he gave away to kids, teens and adults. To teens he handed out 8 times as many as he had given to adults. To kids he gave out 8 fewer than he gave to teens. How many balloons did he give to teens, if he gave out 680 balloons all together?
- 4) The cafeteria offered three types of milk: regular, chocolate and strawberry. On Friday they gave out 280 cartons. They gave out 7 times as many chocolate as regular and they gave out 20 fewer strawberry than chocolate. How many cartons of regular milk did they give out?
- 5) Amanda, Bianca and Cathy bake 491 muffins. Bianca bakes 7 times as many muffins as Cathy. Amanda bakes 19 fewer muffins than Bianca. How many muffins did Bianca bake?

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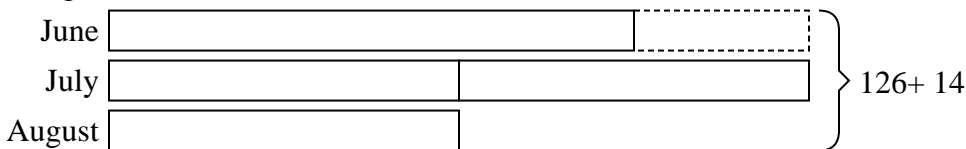
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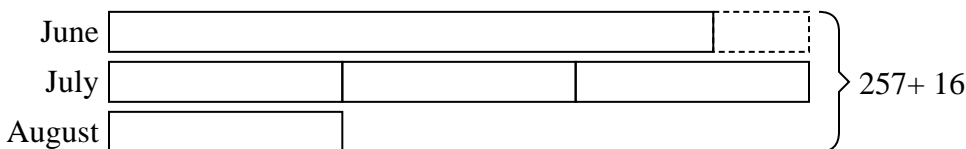
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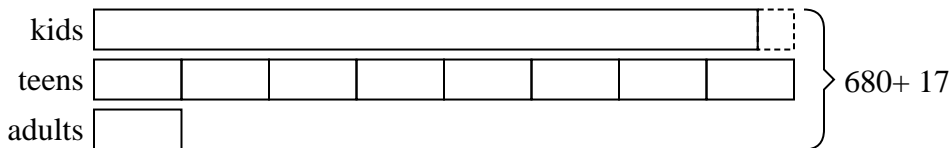
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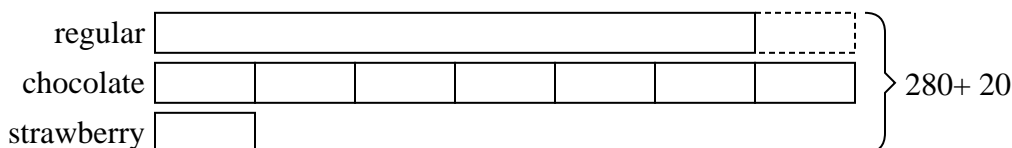
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