## Multiplication

Skill: Solve 1-step problems using multiplication



One bag holds 5 apples. How many apples do 4 bags hold?



00000


00000
00000

$$
\begin{gathered}
5+5+5+5=20 \\
4 \times 5=20 \\
5 \times 4=20
\end{gathered}
$$

Year: 1/2

Children represent multiplication as repeated addition in many different ways.

In Year 1, children use concrete and pictorial representations to solve problems. They are not expected to record multiplication formally.

In Year 2, children are introduced to the multiplication symbol.

