

# Area: Count the Unit Squares Worksheet

3rd Grade - area by counting unit squares | 12 minutes

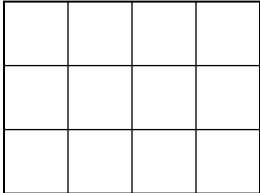
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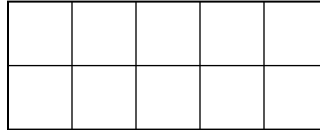
**Count the unit squares inside each rectangle. Write the area in square units.**

Example: A rectangle 3 squares wide and 4 squares tall has  $3 \times 4 = 12$  square units.

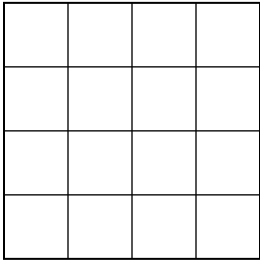
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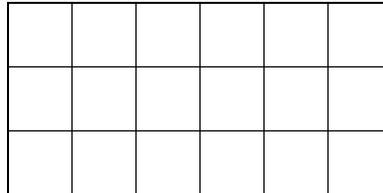
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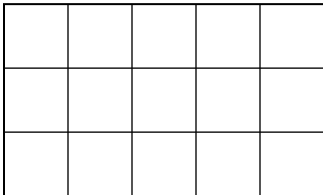
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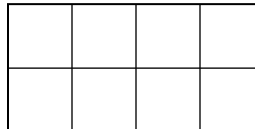
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5. What is the area (square units)?



6. What is the area (square units)?



## Challenge

7. A rectangle has 3 rows of 6 squares. Use multiplication to find the area.

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8. Why does counting squares give the same answer as rows times columns?

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