Counting in fives

Here is a counting pattern:

5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, ...

This pattern **goes up in fives.**

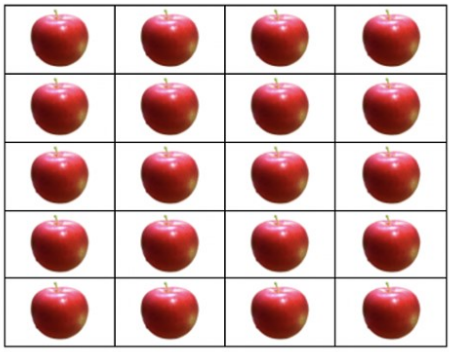
From each number, we **add 5** to get the next number.

Can you count on in fives to get to **60?**

Groups of 5

This array has 5 apples in each column.

There are 4 columns, making 4 lots of 5.



As a repeated addition this is written:

5 + 5 + 5 +5

Or 4 lots of 5 is the same as **4 x 5** and **4 x 5 = 20**.

1 lot of 5 = 5	**2 lots of 5 = 10**	**3 lots of 5 = 15**	**4 lots of 5 = 20**
1 x 5 = 5	**2 x 5 = 10**	**3 x 5 = 15**	**4 x 5 = 20**

This set of number facts are from the 5 times table.

How many 5p coins make 35p?

Through repeated addition this is:

5p + 5p + 5p + 5p + 5p + 5p + 5p = 35p

Or you could do this through multiplication:

7 x 5 = 35

so **7 x 5p = *35p***

Top tip

Remember that every number in the 5 times table always ends in **0 or 5.**