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There are yellow flowers, too.
How many flowers are there in all?

I need to know _____

_____ + _____ = _____ flowers

2. Jenny has 6 red shirts
and 5 green shirts.
How many shirts does she have?

I need to know _____

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3. Garrett had 6 grapes.
He ate some of them.
How many grapes does he have left?

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