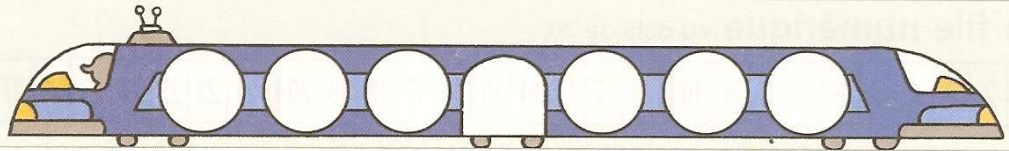
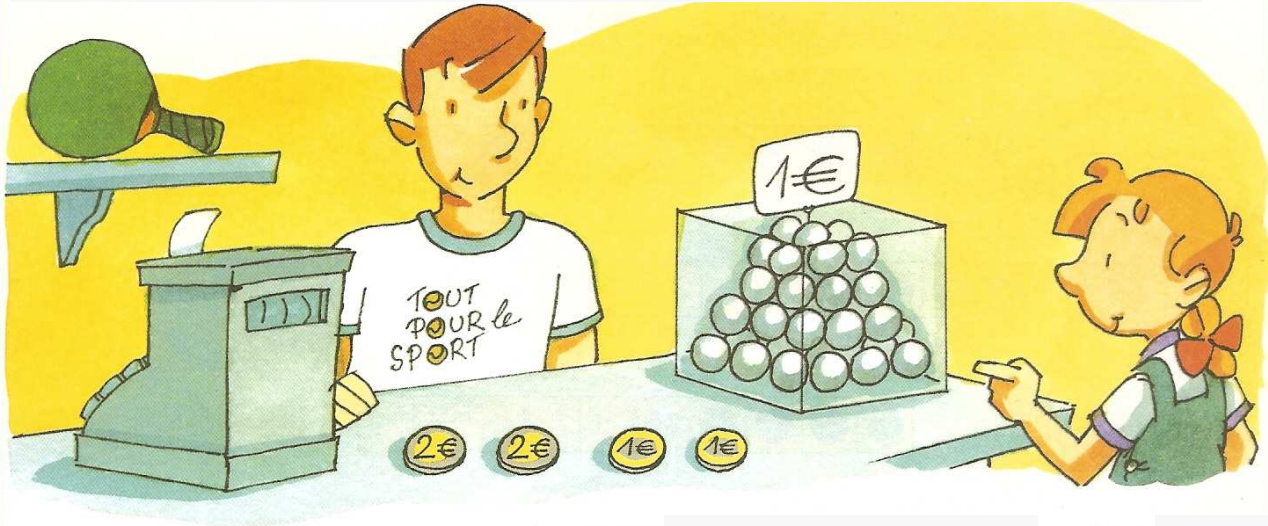


Quick mental arithmetic



A

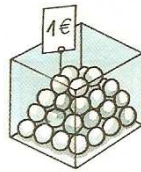
How many table tennis balls could Gladys buy?
Draw the balls under the coins and give the correct answer in the small cloud.



Gladys can buy balls.

Complete. You can draw the balls.

Luke has got



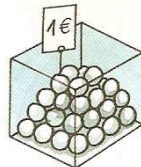
Luke can buy balls.

Lea has got



Lea can buy balls.

Theo has got



Theo can buy balls.

Nina has got



Nina can buy balls.

C

A. Quick mental arithmetic: Same activity as ordinary mental arithmetic (cf. page 26), but the express train at the top of the page suggests that it should be done faster. The correction should be done at the end of the sequence of sums. By gradually increasing the rate at which the sums are done, we help the learners to memorize the addition table. Here the sums do not exceed 5.

B. When using money, what is important is not the number of coins, but their value: a 2-euro coin allows buying 2 objects of a value of 1€ each.

C. Comparing two different amounts: the 1€ - object is used as a transition.