

Linking or Unifix cubes are the concrete model or manipulative used to represent numbers.



$18 + 2 = 20$	$20 - 18 = 2$
$2 + 18 = 20$	$20 - 2 = 18$
$20 = 18 + 2$	$2 = 20 - 18$
$20 = 2 + 18$	$18 = 20 - 2$