



Balancing Equations Word Problem



Read the problem carefully and
solve it step by step

I. Balloons at a Party

At a party, there are 5 rooms. Each room has 8 balloons. However, 2 balloons pop in each room. How many balloons are left at the party?

Steps to Solve:

1. First, find how many balloons are left in each room after 2 balloons pop.
2. Then, multiply the number of balloons left in one room by the total number of rooms to find out how many balloons are left in total.

II. Toy Cars in Boxes

There are 3 boxes. In each box, there are 5 toy cars. However, 2 toy cars are taken out of each box to be given away. How many toy cars are left in total?

Steps:

1. First, find how many toy cars are in each box after 2 cars are removed
2. Then, find out how many toy cars are left in total.

III. Lily's Apple Baskets

Lily has 4 baskets. Each basket holds 5 apples. She gives 2 apples from each basket to her friend. How many apples does Lily have left?

Steps:

1. Find out how many apples are in each basket after Lily gives 2 apples away.
2. Find out how many apples Lily has left in total.