

Introduction to Multiplication: Making Groups

- 1) Gather up 25 small items (pieces of macaroni, pebbles, chocolate chips).
- 2) Use the items to represent the following (remember to think in groups: 2×4 is 2 groups of 4, or 2 groups, with 4 items in each group):

2×3	3×3
4×1	4×4
1×5	5×4