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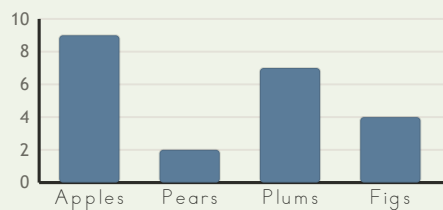
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EXAMPLE



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1 Apples
□

2 Pears
□

3 Plums
□

4 Figs
□

COMPARE Read both bars, then subtract.

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□ - □ = □

2 How many more Apples than Plums?
□ - □ = □

3 How many more Figs than Pears?
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REASON FROM THE DATA Use the graph to answer.

1 Which has the most?
□

2 Which has the fewest?
□

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TEACHER EDITION

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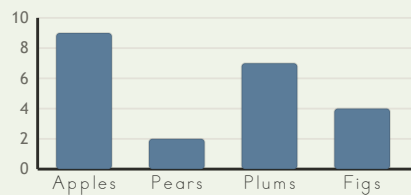
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 $\underline{9} - \underline{7} = \underline{2}$

3 How many more Figs than Pears?
 $\underline{4} - \underline{2} = \underline{2}$

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1 Which has the most?
Apples

2 Which has the fewest?
Pears

3 Total of all four?
 $\underline{9} + \underline{2} + \underline{7} + \underline{4} = \underline{22}$

TEACHER NOTES Answer key & guidance

Answers: Apples: 9, Pears: 2, Plums: 7, Figs: 4
Common error: Comparing bar heights without reading the scale

Strategy: Read each value off the scale first, then compare
Prompt: "What value does this bar reach on the scale?"

To answer 1: ☐ read each bar ☐ used the scale ☐ subtracted