

Clare captured 54 seeds. Han captured 16 fewer seeds than Clare. How many seeds did Han capture?

Sentence Form

Model Drawing

Computation

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Explanation



My Step-by-Step VISUAL MODELS for Word Problem Checklist

Steps	Directions	✓
1	Read entire problem put in "chunks" (I)	
2	Rewrite the question in sentence form with a blank space for the answer	
3	Determine who and/or what is involved in the problem	
4	Draw the unit bar(s)	
5	Go back to the "chunks" (I) and check (✓) when each part is added into the adjusted unit bars, put in question mark	
6	Correctly compute and solve the problem	
7	Write the answer in the sentence, and make sure the answer make sense	
8	Explain how you arrived at your answer, in 2-3 sentences	