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Repeated Addition & Multiplication

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Math Vocabulary



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Sets the specified variable to the amount entered

In this code, what is the value of the variable, ADDEND?





Repeated addition

of addends can be represented by a **multiplication** equation:

- 5 + 5 = 10
- 5 x 2 = 10





Read & Predict



What do you think this code will do?

What will be the final value of the variable RESULT?

Watch the Code



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Go the the following URL & click "See Inside"

https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/873533865





Run the Code



Click the green flag to run the code!

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Understand the Code



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The sprite's size is set to 30% of its original size. It needs to be small because we are going to "repeat" many of them.

• Tera (sprite) goes to the bottom left corner of the screen.

The rows of Tera are repeated FACTOR # of times (2) and the total is stored in the RESULT variable.

The answer is calculated by adding ADDEND to previous value of the RESULT variable.

An image of the sprite is "stamped" (copied) ADDEND # of times.

Tera moves up to the start of a new row.



Tera moves to a new row after leaving 5 "stamps" (copies) of itself underneath.

In one row, Tera is stamped **ADDEND** times (variable ADDEND is set to 5). In math this would be represented as: 1+1+1+1+1

5 Teras are displayed in that row.





Understand the Code

The rows of Tera are repeated **FACTOR** number of times (FACTOR is set to 2).

Total is stored in the **RESULT** variable (10).

5 x 2 = 10 5 + 5 = 10





Change Tera's code to model 3 x 4 = 12 3+3+3+3 = 12





Change the code to model a multiplication problem of your choice!

Share with your neighbor.



Click Tera and reset the variables in your Tera code.

Set ADDEND To 5. Set FACTOR to 2. Set RESULT to 0.





Repeated multiplication of factors can be efficiently represented by **exponent** notation.

$$2^{5} = 32$$

2 x 2 x 2 x 2 x 2 = 32



We will modify the repeated addition code to program repeated multiplication.

2⁵ 2 x 2 x 2 x 2 x 2 = 32





Change ADDEND to **BASE** and set value to **2**.

Change FACTOR to **EXPONENT** and set value to **5**.

Set **RESULT** value to **1**.

Chicks sprite has the correct code for exponents







Operator Block

Remove addition operator block and replace with **multiplication** operator block







Add the RESULT and BASE variables to the multiplication operator

set RESULT • to RESULT * BASE

Chicks sprite has the correct code for exponents





Run the Code

Press **spacebar** to run the code!





Uh Oh!

The ladybugs duplicate to a number where they start to duplicate outside the screen area





We can use an "**if, then**" control block and a sensing block to help the duplicating ladybugs stay within the screen.





Control Block



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Add **"If, then"** control block in the repeat RESULT block- **under** move block.



Sensing Block



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Add touching block to the **"if, then"** control block and set to "edge."





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Add "**change y by"** motion block; set to 15. Add "**set x to"** motion block; set to -230.

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Motion Block

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Understand the Code



The sprite's size is set to 30% of its original size. It needs to be small because we are going to "repeat" many of them.

Ladybug (sprite) goes to the bottom left corner of the screen.

The rows of Ladybug are repeated EXPONENT number of times (5) and the total is stored in the RESULT variable.

The answer is calculated by multiplying BASE by previous value of the RESULT variable.

An image of the sprite is "stamped" (copied) RESULT number of times.

Ladybug does not move off the stage and instead starts a new row.

Ladybug moves up to the start of a new row.



Click the green flag to run Tera. Press the spacebar to run LadyBug2.

What differences do you notice?



There are 2^5 ladybugs.

We get this answer by **repeated multiplication** of BASE and RESULT, EXPONENT number of times.

In a math equation, this is: 2x2x2x2= 32





Your Turn!

Change the code to model $3^4 = 81$ 3x3x3x3 = 81







Change the code to model an exponent of your choice!

Share with your neighbor.



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