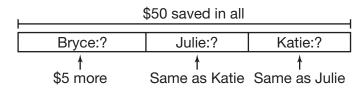
Problem Solving: Try, Check, and Revise

Bryce, Julie, and Katie saved a total of \$50 to buy a gift for their mother. Julie and Katie saved the same amount of money. Bryce saved \$5 more. How much money did Bryce save?



Try three numbers that add to 50. Julie and Katie saved the same amount, so their numbers are equal. Bryce's amount is \$5 more.

Try #1

Try: \$15 + \$10 + \$10 = \$35

Check: \$35 is too low.

You need \$15 more.

Try #2

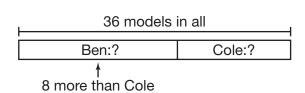
Revise by adding \$5 more for each person.

Try:
$$$20 + $15 + $15 = $50$$

Check: This is correct.

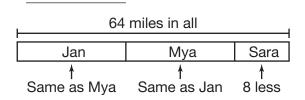
Bryce saved \$20 for the gift.

 Ben and Cole have 36 airplane models all together. Ben has 8 more than Cole. How many airplane models does Ben have?



3. Sven is thinking of two numbers. The sum is 12. The difference is 4. What are the two numbers?

2. Jan, Mya, and Sara ran a total of 64 miles last week. Jan and Mya ran the same number of miles. Sara ran 8 less miles than Mya. How many miles did Sara run?



4. Lee is thinking of two numbers. The product is 18. The quotient is 2. What are the two numbers?