

# Sums of 90

**Materials:** snap cubes

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1. Work with a partner. Make nine sticks of 10 snap cubes.
2. How many different ways can you put your sticks of 10 snap cubes into two groups?
3. Show your work using pictures, numbers, and words.
4. Repeat with another 2-digit number that has zero in the ones place.



$$\begin{aligned} 5 \text{ tens} + 4 \text{ tens} &= 9 \text{ tens} \\ 50 + 40 &= 90 \end{aligned}$$