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	Word problems with extra or miss	sing information
a.	Aliya has a collection of 7 beautiful seashells. John	
	he brought home another 10. How many seashells	does John have in all?
	25 Insufficient information to solve this problem	25, but extra information given
b.	Joy is two feet taller than Lily. Lily is three feet sho among the three girls?	orter than Lucy. Who is the tallest
	among the three girls:	
	Joy Insufficient information to solve this problem	Lily, but extra information is given
C.	Miss Grace bought 15 kilograms of meat from the r \$ 6. How much did Miss Grace spend?	narket. Each kilogram of meat cost
	\$ 90 Insufficient information to solve this problem	extra information given
d.	Bright and his younger brother combined their allo	owance so they could buy a gift for
	their baby sister. They bought a gift of \$ 25. Then,	
	Share it evenly between themselves. What was the	
	\$25 Insufficient information to solve this problem	extra information given

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	Word problems with extra or missing information
a.	Aliya has a collection of 7 beautiful seashells. John, her brother has 15 already. Today, he brought home another 10. How many seashells does John have in all?
	25 Insufficient information to solve this problem 25, but extra information given
	The number of seashells John already had = 15 seashells The number he added = 8 shells Total number he has now = 15 + 8 = 25 seashells
	The number of seashells Aliya has = 7 seashells (extra information).
b.	Joy is two feet taller than Lily. Lily is three feet shorter than Lucy. Who is the tallest among the three girls?
	Joy Insufficient information to solve this problem Lily, but extra information is given
	Not enough information is given to solve this problem. (At least Lucy's height should be given or known)
c.	Miss Grace bought 15 kilograms of meat from the market. Each kilogram of meat cost \$ 6. How much did Miss Grace spend?
	\$ 90 Insufficient information to solve this problem extra information given
	If 1 kilogram of meat cost \$ 6
	Therefore, 15 kilograms of meat will cost 15 x \$ 6= \$ 90 So, miss Grace spent \$ 90.
d.	Bright and his younger brother combined their allowance so they could buy a gift for their baby sister. They bought a gift of \$ 25. Then, they bought a bottle of juice to share it evenly between themselves. What was the cost of the juice?
	\$25 Insufficient information to solve this problem extra information given
	There is not enough information given to solve this problem.
	Since we don't know the amount of the combined allowance.
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