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MEASURING WORD PROBLEMS

Use your centimeter cubes to model each length and answer the question. Write a statement for your answer.

- 1) The length of a glass is 9 centimeters long and the length of a dish is 11 centimeters long. How much the dish is longer than a glass.

Solution:

The length of a glass = ___ centimeters long.

The length of a dish = ___ centimeters long.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11

$$11 - 9 = \text{___ centimeters.}$$

The length of dish ___ centimeters longer than glass.

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- 2) The length of spectacles is 12 centimeters long and the length of a pen is 9 centimeter long. How much is spectacles is longer than a pen?

Solution:

The length of a spectacles = ___ centimeters long.

The length of a pen = ___ centimeters long.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

$$12 - 9 = \text{___ centimeters.}$$

The length of spectacles ___ centimeters is longer than a pen.