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Multiplication Concept Builder 2.1

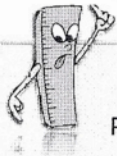
$$2 \times 3 = 6$$

Groups of "Things" TOTAL

Draw the **FACT**. Cross out extra groups. For the "things" in each group, draw  $\checkmark$ ,  $\odot$ ,  $\heartsuit$ , etc.

$3 + 3 + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad}$

Multiplication is **REPEATED ADDITION!**



Rewrite the fact:  $\frac{2}{\text{circles}} \times \frac{3}{\text{circles}} = \frac{6}{\text{box}}$

Write the **COMMUTATIVE**:  $\frac{3}{\text{circles}} \times \frac{2}{\text{circles}} = \frac{6}{\text{box}}$

Draw the **COMMUTATIVE**. Cross out extra groups. For the "things" in each group, draw  $\checkmark$ ,  $\odot$ ,  $\heartsuit$ , etc.

$2 + 2 + 2 + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad}$

Below are the **ARRAYS** for the fact and commutative. Record the **factors**: the number of groups (rows) and "things" (circles per row). Then write the **product** (total). The fact has been done for you.

**ARRAY** for 2X3

Fact

$$\frac{2}{\text{Groups of "Things" (Rows of Circles)}} \times \frac{3}{\text{Things}} = \frac{6}{\text{Product Total}}$$

Your Turn!

**ARRAY** for 3X2

Commutative

$$\frac{3}{\text{Groups of "Things" (Rows of Circles)}} \times \frac{2}{\text{Things}} = \frac{6}{\text{Product Total}}$$

Create a **FACT FAMILY**. Write the **FACTORS** in the circles. Write the **PRODUCT** in the boxes.

Write the fact here.

Write the commutative here.