

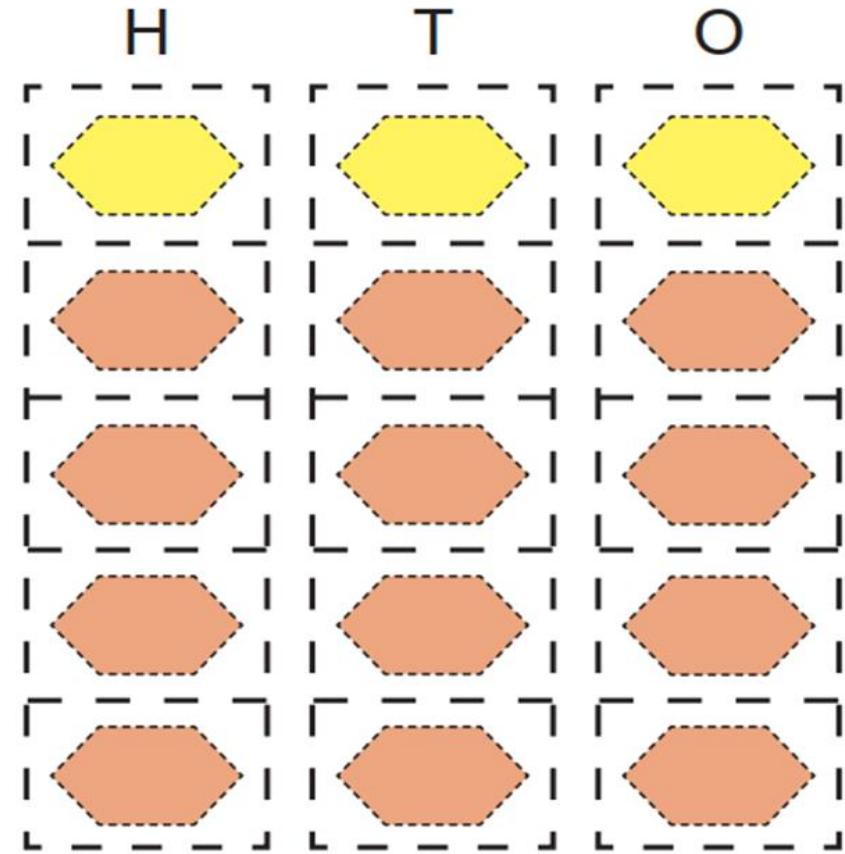
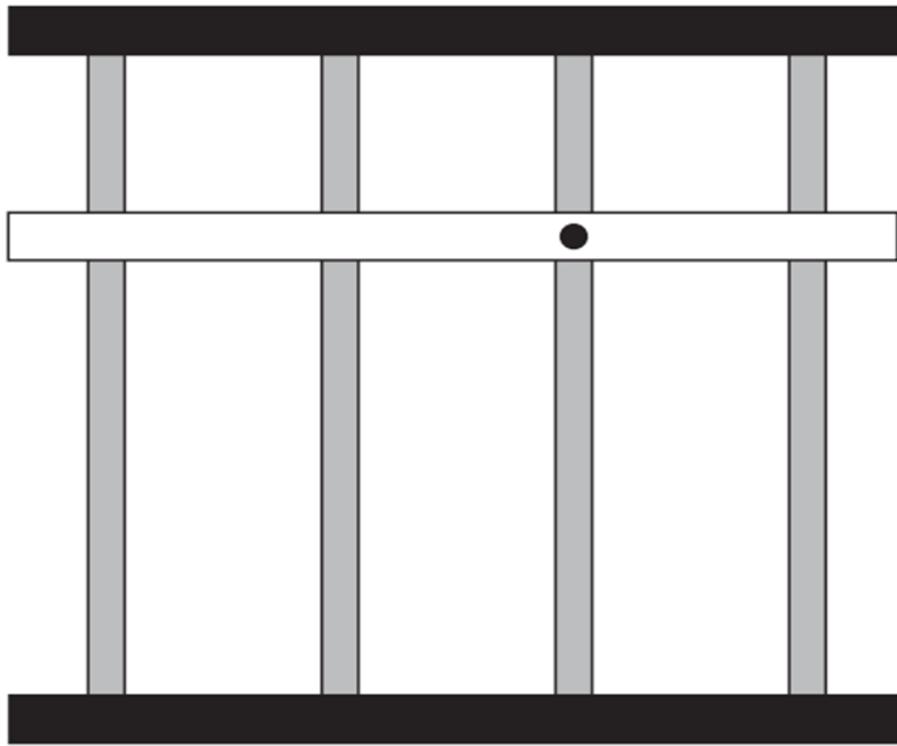
# Education Resources

## Soroban Template: Print out and Practice

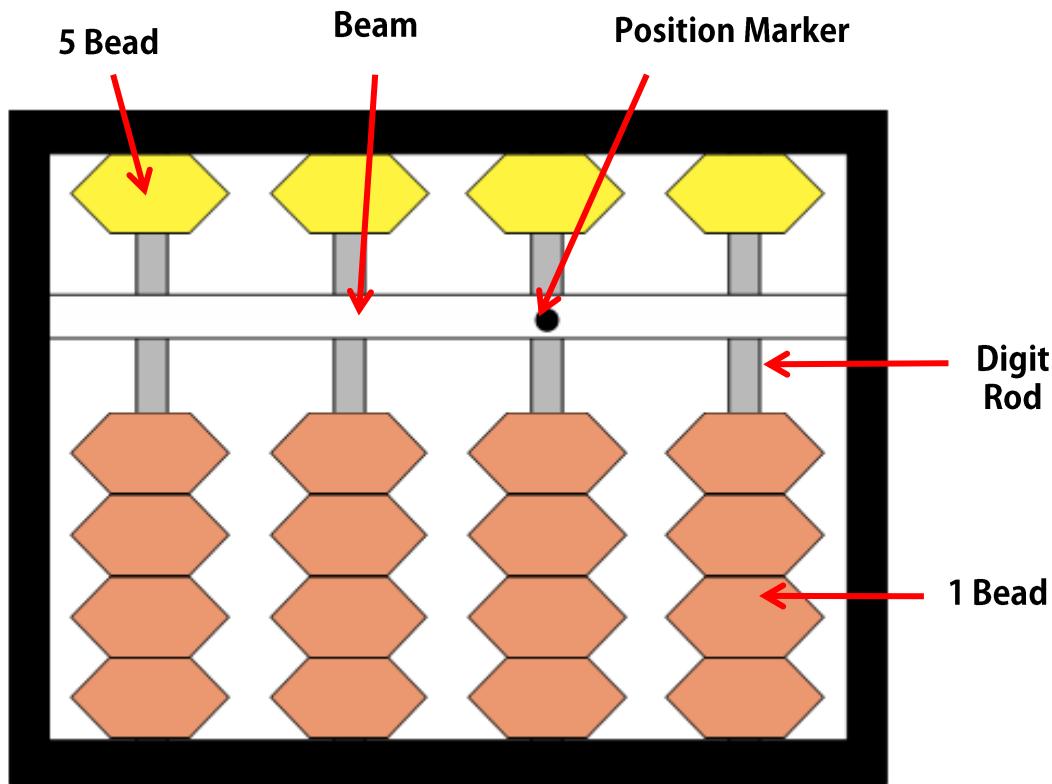
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Practice soroban by cutting out the beads and moving them on the frame.

**Remember:** Only beads touching the beam have a value.



## How to Read Soroban



**1 Bead** The value of each bead is 1

**5 Bead** The value of each bead is 5

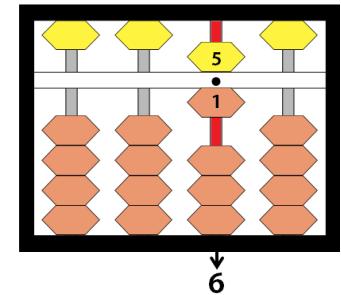
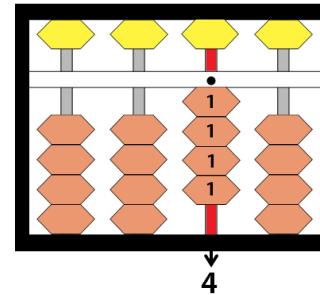
**Beam** Only beads touching the beam have a value

**Position Marker** Marks the starting point and represents 'ones'

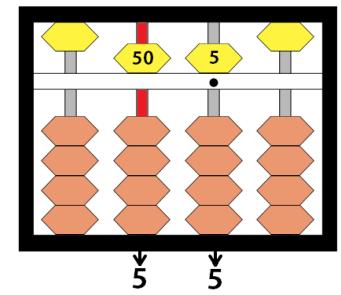
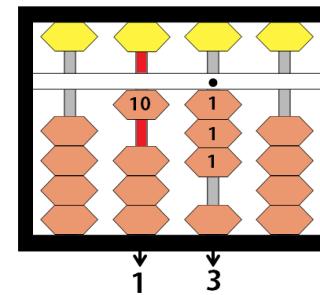
**Digit Rod** Show the place value of the beads

## Example Numbers

**Ones** are on the same digit rod as the position marker



**Tens** are on the digit rod left of the position marker



**Hundreds** are on the digit rod left of the Tens

