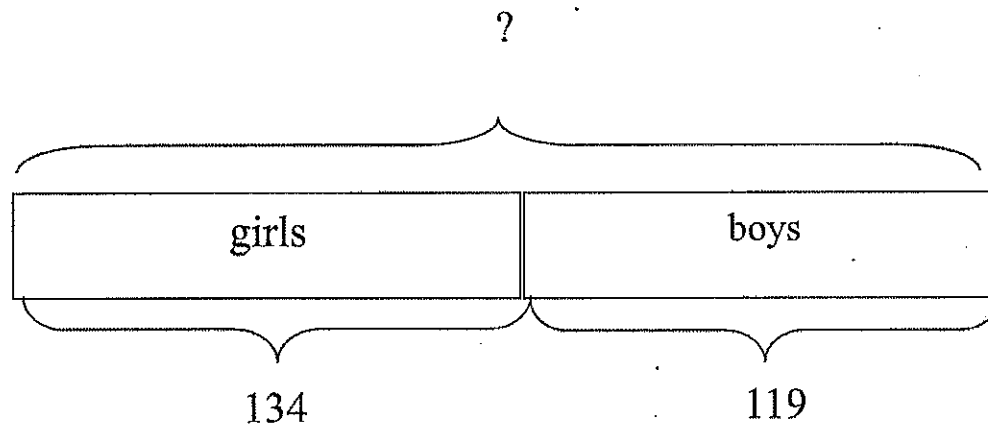# Part-Whole Model for Addition and Subtraction

134 girls and 119 boys took part in an art competition. How many children took part in the competition?

- We know the 2 parts. To find the whole, we add 134 + 119.

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girls	boys

134   119

253 children took part in an art competition. There are 134 girls. How many boys are there?

- We know the whole and 1 part. To find the missing part, we subtract 253 – 134.

253

girls	boys

134   ?