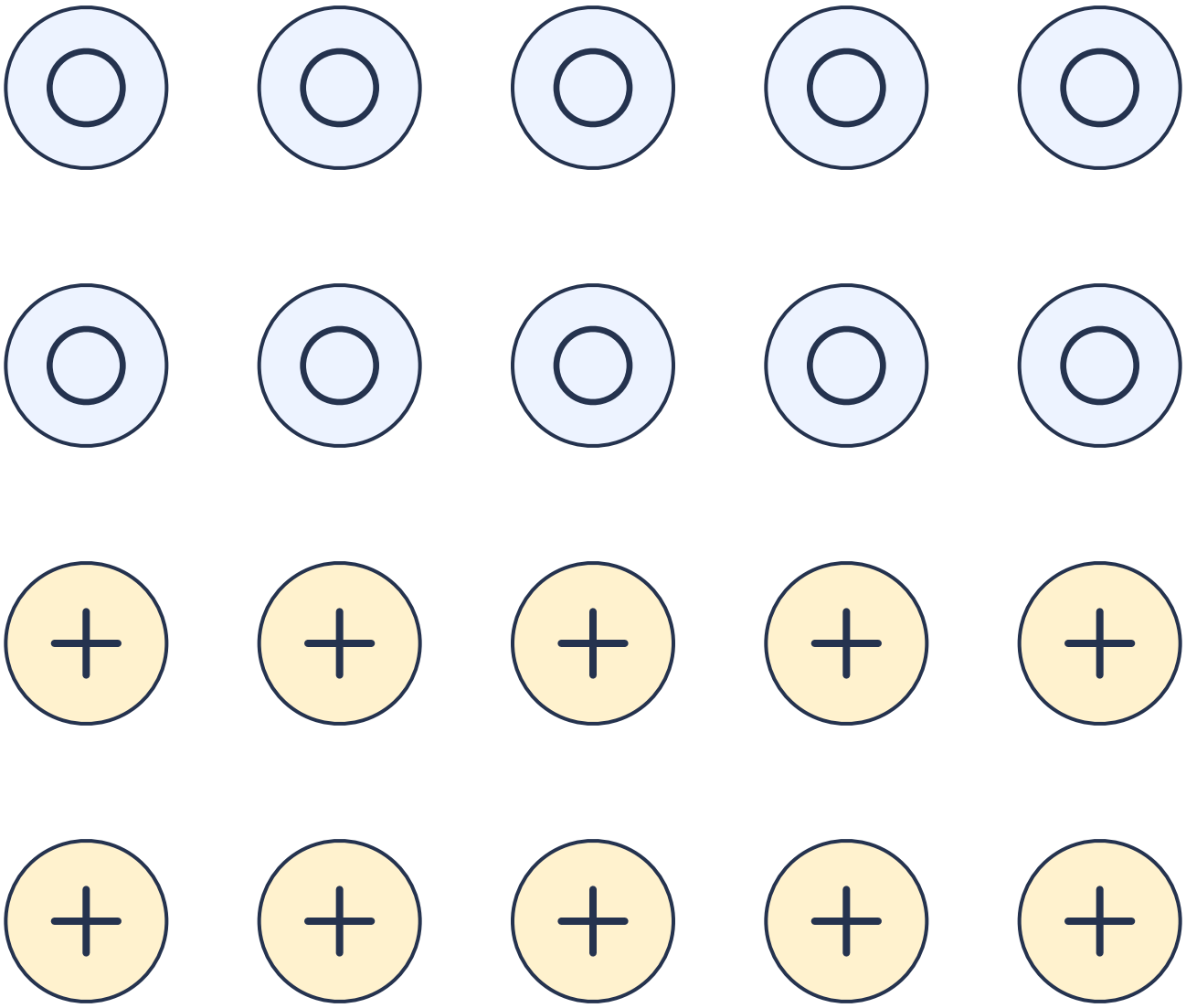
Twenty counting counters

Ten rings and ten crosses. Use a few counters at a time.



Adult cuts around each outside circle. Keep unused pieces safely.

Move and count

Make a group on each mat. Count, join or move the pieces together.

First group

Second group

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

Printable counters and counting mats

Grown-up guidance · keep separate from the activity

Grown-up answers

There are 20 counters: 10 with a ring and 10 with a cross. Five can be split as 0 and 5, 1 and 4, 2 and 3, or the reversed pairs.

Support

Supervise scissors and loose pieces. Paper counters are not suitable for a child who mouths small items; use large household objects or keep the sheet whole.