## Solve the Story Problems

Read each story problem and solve.

There were 9 green spaceships, but 7 just flew home. How many are ships are left?
green ships
There were 5 purple spaceships, but 2 took a trip to the moon. How many purple ships are left?


There are 4 blue spaceships. 3 yellow spaceships join them. How many ships are there in all?
$\qquad$ ships

There are 7 red spaceships. 3 just returned from getting fuel. How many red ships are there in all?


