

Roman numerals

People in Ancient Rome used a different number system to the one we use today.

I

one

II

two

III

three

IV

four

V

five

VI

six

VII

seven

VIII

eight

IX

nine

X

ten

Roman numerals can be combined to make larger numbers. For example, 26 is XXVI in Roman numerals. This is how it's made:

$$X + X + V + I = XXVI$$

$$10 + 10 + 5 + 1 = 26$$