

Answer on Question #81905 – Math – Algebra

Question

Jessica has 9 stamps. Kenji has 3 times as many stamps as Jessica. How many fewer stamps does Jessica have than Kenji?

Solution

If Kenji has 3 times as many stamps as Jessica, then that means that Kenji has

$$9 * 3 = 27 \text{ stamps.}$$

Then Jessica has $27 - 9 = 18$ fewer stamps than Kenji has.

Jessica – 9 stamps

Kenji – 27 stamps

Answer: Jessica has 18 fewer stamps than Kenji has.