

LEARN THE ROMAN NUMBERS

There are seven Roman number symbols:

I = one

V = five

X = ten

L = fifty

C = one hundred

D = five hundred

M = one thousand

Roman numbers are made by combining these seven symbols.

Count by ones:

1 = I	11 = XI
2 = II	12 = XII
3 = III	13 = XIII
4 = IV	14 = XIV
5 = V	15 = XV
6 = VI	16 = XVI
7 = VII	17 = XVII
8 = VIII	18 = XVIII
9 = IX	19 = XIX
10 = X	20 = XX

Count by tens:

10 = X	110 = CX
20 = XX	120 = CXX
30 = XXX	130 = CXXX
40 = XL	140 = CXL
50 = L	150 = CL
60 = LX	160 = CLX
70 = LXX	170 = CLXX
80 = LXXX	180 = CLXXX
90 = XC	190 = CXC
100 = C	200 = CC

Count by hundreds:

100 = C
200 = CC
300 = CCC
400 = CD
500 = D
600 = DC
700 = DCC
800 = DCCC
900 = CM
1000 = M

THE BASIC RULES FOR COMBINING ROMAN NUMBER SYMBOLS:

1. **Add** symbols when the symbols are the **same** (no more than three symbols in a row can be the same).

$$III = 3$$

$$1+1+1 = 3$$

$$XXX = 30$$

$$10+10+10 = 30$$

$$CC = 200$$

$$100+100 = 200$$

2. **Add** symbols when one or more **smaller** symbols are placed **after** a **larger** symbol.

$$CXI = 111 \quad (\text{I is smaller than X ... X is smaller than C ... add I and X and C})$$

$$100+10+1 = 111$$

3. **Subtract** the symbols when a **smaller** symbol is placed **before** of a **larger** symbol.

$$XL = 40 \quad (\text{L is larger than X ... X is placed before L ... subtract X from L})$$

$$50 - 10 = 40$$

4. You can **add and subtract** in the same number (it helps to start from the right and read backwards):

$$CXL = 140 \quad (\text{L is larger than X ... subtract to make 40 ... X is smaller than C ... add to make 140})$$

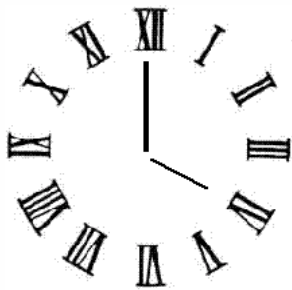
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ADVANCED RULES

1. Only subtract powers of ten (I, X, or C, but not V or L).
There are no such numbers as VX or LC.
2. Only subtract one number from another.
8 is VIII, not IIX.
3. Do not subtract a number from a number that is more than 10 times greater.
19 is XIX, not IXX.
99 is XCIX, not IC.
4. A bar placed on top of a Roman number symbol increases the value of the number by 1,000.
XV = 15
 $\overline{\text{XV}}$ = 15,000

You see Roman numerals now mostly on clocks or to mark a particular year
... or for the Super Bowl



MMV = 2005



ROMAN NUMBERS for the Super Bowl

Fill in the correct Roman numeral for the Super Bowls. They are in order starting on the bottom with the first Super Bowl in 1967. Check your answers on the next page.



Super Bowl #

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