## ARRANGEMENT OF ROWS AND COLUMNS

## Use square tiles to decompose a rectangle.

1) Use your square tiles to construct a rectangle with 16 squares. Solution:
a) $\qquad$ rows of $\qquad$ = $\qquad$ _.
b) Remove 1 row. How many squares are there now? $\qquad$ _.
c) Remove 1 column from the new rectangle you made in 1 (b). How many squares are there now? $\qquad$ .
2) Use your square tiles to construct a rectangle with 9 squares with 3 rows.

## Solution:

a) $\qquad$ rows of $\qquad$ = $\qquad$ .
b) Remove 1 row. How many squares are there now? $\qquad$ .
c) Remove 1 column from the new rectangle you made in 2 (b). How many squares are there now? $\qquad$ .
3) Use your square tiles to construct a rectangle with 14 squares. Solution:
a) $\qquad$ rows of $\qquad$ $=$ $\qquad$ .
b) Remove 1 row. How many squares are there now? $\qquad$ .
c) Remove 1 column from the new rectangle you made in 1 (b). How many squares are there now? $\qquad$ .

