Tally Chart

A tally chart is used for counting how many of something you are recording. 1 tally mark shows you that there is 1 item. 4 tally marks with a diagonal line through it shows you that there are 5 items. In this example, the tally marks show how many children chose each of the animals as their favourite in a survey. Making a tally chart is faster than writing out words or numbers.

Favourite Animal	Number of Children
Dog	Ж
Cat	III III
Snake	
Bear	
Horse	Ш
Goose	

