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Mexico

Maracas (muh-RAH-kuhs) are played in Mexico. These shakers are made from dried **gourds**. They have beans, seeds, or small stones inside.



Whatever is inside affects how they sound when they are shaken. One of the maracas has a higher pitch than the other.



LET'S EXPLORE MATH

These maracas have a pattern painted on them. What color should be painted next to continue the pattern?

