

Subtracting fractions



Write the sum in the simplest form.

$$\frac{5}{6} - \frac{4}{6} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\frac{5}{8} - \frac{3}{8} = \frac{2}{8} = \frac{1}{4}$$

Write the answer in the simplest form.

$$\frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{3} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{7}{9} - \frac{4}{9} = \text{---} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{5}{7} - \frac{1}{7} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{7}{12} - \frac{5}{12} = \text{---} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{5}{11} - \frac{3}{11} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{6}{7} - \frac{5}{7} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{9}{12} - \frac{5}{12} = \text{---} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{18}{30} - \frac{15}{30} = \text{---} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{4}{5} - \frac{2}{5} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{3}{6} - \frac{1}{6} = \text{---} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{7}{8} - \frac{1}{8} = \text{---} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{11}{16} - \frac{7}{16} = \text{---} = \text{---}$$

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$$\frac{7}{13} - \frac{5}{13} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{14}{15} - \frac{4}{15} = \text{---} = \text{---}$$

$$\frac{12}{13} - \frac{8}{13} = \text{---}$$

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$$\frac{8}{14} - \frac{5}{14} = \text{---}$$

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$$\frac{17}{20} - \frac{6}{20} = \text{---}$$

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$$\frac{7}{9} - \frac{4}{9} = \frac{3}{9} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} = 0$$

$$\frac{5}{7} - \frac{1}{7} = \frac{4}{7}$$

$$\frac{7}{12} - \frac{5}{12} = \frac{2}{12} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\frac{5}{11} - \frac{3}{11} = \frac{2}{11}$$

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$$\frac{8}{17} - \frac{4}{17} = \frac{4}{17}$$

$$\frac{11}{18} - \frac{8}{18} = \frac{3}{18} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\frac{4}{5} - \frac{3}{5} = \frac{1}{5}$$

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$$\frac{7}{8} - \frac{5}{8} = \frac{2}{8} = \frac{1}{4}$$

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$$\frac{7}{12} - \frac{5}{12} = \frac{2}{12} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\frac{8}{14} - \frac{5}{14} = \frac{3}{14}$$

$$\frac{9}{10} - \frac{3}{10} = \frac{6}{10} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\frac{17}{20} - \frac{6}{20} = \frac{11}{20}$$

On this page, children subtract fractions that have the same denominators. Some children may neglect to simplify their answers. Help them do so by finding common factors in the numerator and the denominator.