

1. $13a$



$4a$



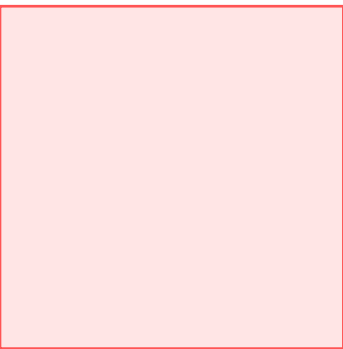
$17a$

-9

$9a$

$-9a$

Solution



$$13a - 4a = (13-4)a = 9a$$