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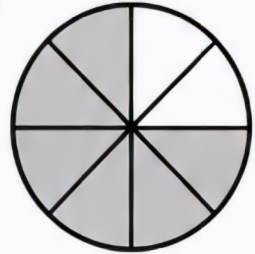
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Subtracting Fractions

Same Denominator

When fractions have the same denominator, subtract the numerators and keep the denominator the same.

Example: $\frac{5}{8} - \frac{2}{8} = \frac{5 - 2}{8} = \frac{3}{8}$



Directions: Subtract the fractions. Write your answers in simplest form.

1. $\frac{7}{9} - \frac{2}{9} =$ _____ 2. $\frac{5}{12} - \frac{3}{12} =$ _____ 3. $\frac{11}{15} - \frac{4}{15} =$ _____

4. $\frac{8}{10} - \frac{3}{10} =$ _____ 5. $\frac{6}{14} - \frac{2}{14} =$ _____ 6. $\frac{9}{16} - \frac{5}{16} =$ _____

7. $\frac{13}{20} - \frac{7}{20} =$ _____ 8. $\frac{10}{18} - \frac{4}{18} =$ _____ 9. $\frac{12}{24} - \frac{5}{24} =$ _____