Subtracting Fractions

Subtract. Simplify when possible.

1. $\frac{3}{6} - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{\square}{\square}$

2. $1 - \frac{1}{8} = \frac{\square}{\square}$

3. $1 - \frac{5}{6} = \frac{\square}{\square}$

4. $\frac{2}{4} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{\square}{\square}$

5. $1 - \frac{3}{8} = \frac{\square}{\square}$

6. $\frac{8}{15} - \frac{2}{15} = \frac{\square}{\square}$

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SUBTRACT FRACTIONS WITH LIKE DENOMINATORS

1. Subtract fractions using models.

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

$\frac{6}{8} - \frac{3}{8} = \frac{\square}{\square}$

Subtract fractions. Write the answer in **simplest form.**

2. $\frac{7}{9} - \frac{4}{9} = \frac{\square}{\square} = \frac{\square}{\square}$

3. $\frac{9}{16} - \frac{5}{16} = \frac{\square}{\square} = \frac{\square}{\square}$

4. $\frac{13}{21} - \frac{10}{21} = \frac{\square}{\square} = \frac{\square}{\square}$

5. $\frac{23}{30} - \frac{14}{30} = \frac{\square}{\square} = \frac{\square}{\square}$

6. Match each fraction on the left with the correct expression on the right.

$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{13}{4} - \frac{9}{4}$
1	$\frac{12}{10} - \frac{7}{10}$
$\frac{3}{5}$	$\frac{9}{8} - \frac{4}{8}$
$\frac{5}{8}$	$\frac{6}{5} - \frac{3}{5}$

7. Nana had a bucket with $\frac{6}{8}$ gallon of milk. After a day, only $\frac{1}{8}$ gallon were left.

How much milk was used?

$\frac{\square}{\square} - \frac{\square}{\square} = \frac{\square}{\square} = \frac{\square}{\square}$

Nana used $\frac{\square}{\square}$ gallon of milk.

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