

Finding the difference

You can count on to find the difference between two numbers.

What is the difference between 4 and 6?



Count on from 4 to 6.

The difference between 4 and 6 is 2.

1 Find the difference between these numbers.



difference =



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Unit 7 Addition and subtraction

Number lines

Use number lines to help you to add and to subtract.

$5 + 4 = \square$

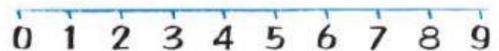
Count on 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Count back

$9 - 5 = \square$ 5 add 4 is 9. $9 - 4 = \square$

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

The difference between 5 and 9 is 4. 9 take away 4 is 5.

1 Answer these. Use your finger to count on or back on the number line.



a) $4 + 4 = \square$

b) $6 + 1 = \square$

c) $3 - 2 = \square$

d) $5 - 5 = \square$

e) $7 + 2 = \square$

f) $5 - 3 = \square$

g) $0 + 4 = \square$

h) $8 - 6 = \square$

i) $7 - 5 = \square$

2 Answer these.



a)
$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ + 6 \\ \hline 9 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

b)
$$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ - 5 \\ \hline \\ \hline \end{array}$$

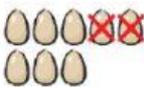
c)
$$\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ - 4 \\ \hline \\ \hline \end{array}$$

d)
$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ + 3 \\ \hline \\ \hline \end{array}$$

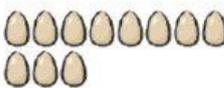
e)
$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ - 0 \\ \hline \\ \hline \end{array}$$

f)
$$\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ + 3 \\ \hline \\ \hline \end{array}$$

3 Find the difference between the number of eggs in each row.

a)  difference →

b)  difference →

c)  difference →

d)  difference →

e)  difference →

f)  difference →

g)  difference →

h)  difference →

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3 Write the answers. Draw jumps on the number lines to help you.

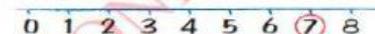
a) 
 $6 - 3 = \square$ $6 + 3 = \square$

b) 
 $5 - 2 = \square$ $5 + 2 = \square$

c) 
 $8 - 1 = \square$ $8 + 1 = \square$

d) 
 $4 - 3 = \square$ $4 + 3 = \square$

e) 
 $3 - 3 = \square$ $3 + 3 = \square$

f) 
 $7 - 2 = \square$ $7 + 2 = \square$

g) 
 $5 - 0 = \square$ $5 + 0 = \square$

h) 
 $6 - 2 = \square$ $6 + 2 = \square$

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