Unit 4 Addition and Substraction
Find the difference; Missing Numbers

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RECALL

KEY WORDS

- subtract
- subtraction
- difference
- missing number

KEY CONTENT

- **Find the difference**

  We **subtract** to find the **difference** between two numbers.

  25 – 17 = 8

  The **difference** between 25 and 17 is **8**.

- **Find missing number**

  To find the missing number in an addition, you can:

  16 + ☐ = 33

  - **Count on** from 16 → It takes **17** steps to go to 33
    → The missing number is **17**.
  - Make it into **subtraction**: ☐ = 33 – 16 = 17
    → The missing number is **17**.

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PRACTICE

1. Choose the correct answer.

a. The difference between 29 and 12 is ☐.

A. 17 **B.** 31 **C.** 37

b. The _____ 38 and 17 is 21.

A. total of **B.** difference between **C.** subtraction

c. The _____ 41 and 29 is 70.

A. total of **B.** difference between **C.** subtraction

d. 63 _____ 37 is 26.

A. subtract **B.** plus **C.** minus

2. Find the missing numbers.

e.g. 37 + 15 = 52

a. 18 + ☐ = 41

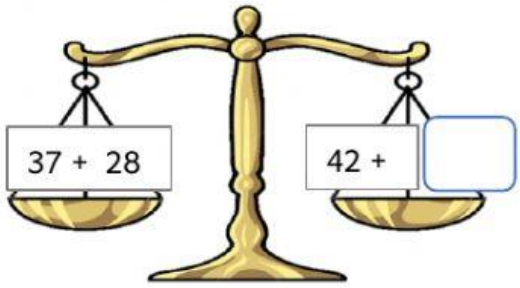
b. 45 + ☐ = 70

c. ☐ + 27 = 53

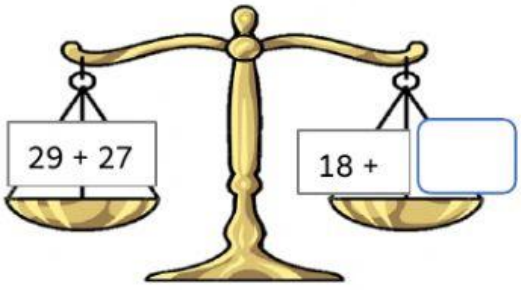
d. ☐ + 56 = 81

3. Find the missing numbers to balance the scale.

a.



b.



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4. Solve the word problem.

a. Andy has 48 apples. He gives 15 to Sam.

How many apples does Andy have left?

☐ ○ ☐ = ☐ (apples)

Answer: Andy has _____ apples left.

b. Then Andy gives 17 to Megan. How many apples does Andy have now?

☐ ○ ☐ = ☐ (apples)

Answer: Andy has _____ apples now.

5. Solve the word problem. Show your work. (Optional)

After the first round of a game, team A got 17 points. They got 25 points after the second round. After the final round, they have 61 points in total. How many points did they got in the last round?

☐ ○ ☐ = ☐ (points)

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Answer: Team A got _____ points in the last round.

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