

Additional Practice

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Review

You can add and subtract mixed numbers with regrouping.

Ken walked $2\frac{3}{4}$ miles yesterday. He walked $4\frac{2}{3}$ miles today.

How far did Ken walk both days?

To solve, find $2\frac{3}{4} + 4\frac{2}{3}$.

Add the whole numbers:

$$2 + 4 = 6$$

Add the fractions:

$$\frac{3}{4} + \frac{2}{3} = \frac{9}{12} + \frac{8}{12} =$$

$$\frac{17}{12} = 1\frac{5}{12}$$

Add the whole number and the fraction:

$$6 + 1\frac{5}{12} = 7\frac{5}{12}$$

Ken walked $7\frac{5}{12}$ miles both days.

How much farther did Ken walk today than yesterday?

To solve, find $4\frac{2}{3} - 2\frac{3}{4}$.

Write the fractions using a common denominator:

$$4\frac{8}{12} - 2\frac{9}{12}$$

Regroup 1 whole as $\frac{12}{12}$:

$$3\frac{20}{12} - 2\frac{9}{12}$$

Subtract the whole numbers and the fractions:

$$3\frac{20}{12} - 2\frac{9}{12} = 1\frac{11}{12}$$

Ken walked $1\frac{11}{12}$ miles farther today than yesterday.

What is the sum or difference? Show your work.

1. $5\frac{1}{2} - 1\frac{2}{3} =$ _____

2. $3\frac{1}{4} - 1\frac{9}{10} =$ _____

3. $8\frac{1}{4} - 3\frac{7}{10} =$ _____

4. $2\frac{6}{8} - 1\frac{5}{6} =$ _____