

Subtraction with Negatives

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Simplify the subtraction expressions.

(1) $-18 - 15 =$

(2) $-27 - 25 =$

(3) $-40 - 34 =$

(4) $-32 - -3 =$

(5) $46 - -43 =$

(6) $42 - 4 =$

(7) $-21 - -5 =$

(8) $-18 - 11 =$

(9) $-21 - -1 =$

(10) $19 - 5 =$

(11) $-15 - -8 =$

(12) $-39 - 22 =$

(13) $29 - -1 =$

(14) $40 - 23 =$

(15) $35 - 11 =$

(16) $-26 - -9 =$

(17) $-8 - -4 =$

(18) $31 - -21 =$

(19) $21 - 4 =$

(20) $39 - -8 =$

(21) $-29 - -25 =$

(22) $-44 - -7 =$

(23) $-48 - -10 =$

(24) $-33 - 27 =$

(25) $-24 - 1 =$

(26) $-26 - 22 =$

(27) $6 - 1 =$

(28) $9 - 3 =$

(29) $-41 - -34 =$

(30) $18 - -8 =$

(31) $34 - -27 =$

(32) $15 - 13 =$

(33) $-19 - -6 =$

(34) $28 - -4 =$

(35) $45 - 12 =$

(36) $-30 - 2 =$

(37) $50 - 16 =$

(38) $-9 - 3 =$

(39) $17 - -2 =$

Subtraction with Negatives

ANSWER KEY



Simplify the subtraction expressions.

(1) $-18 - 15 = -33$

(2) $-27 - 25 = -52$

(3) $-40 - 34 = -74$

(4) $-32 - -3 = -29$

(5) $46 - -43 = 89$

(6) $42 - 4 = 38$

(7) $-21 - -5 = -16$

(8) $-18 - 11 = -29$

(9) $-21 - -1 = -20$

(10) $19 - 5 = 14$

(11) $-15 - -8 = -7$

(12) $-39 - 22 = -61$

(13) $29 - -1 = 30$

(14) $40 - 23 = 17$

(15) $35 - 11 = 24$

(16) $-26 - -9 = -17$

(17) $-8 - -4 = -4$

(18) $31 - -21 = 52$

(19) $21 - 4 = 17$

(20) $39 - -8 = 47$

(21) $-29 - -25 = -4$

(22) $-44 - -7 = -37$

(23) $-48 - -10 = -38$

(24) $-33 - 27 = -60$

(25) $-24 - 1 = -25$

(26) $-26 - 22 = -48$

(27) $6 - 1 = 5$

(28) $9 - 3 = 6$

(29) $-41 - -34 = -7$

(30) $18 - -8 = 26$

(31) $34 - -27 = 61$

(32) $15 - 13 = 2$

(33) $-19 - -6 = -13$

(34) $28 - -4 = 32$

(35) $45 - 12 = 33$

(36) $-30 - 2 = -32$

(37) $50 - 16 = 34$

(38) $-9 - 3 = -12$

(39) $17 - -2 = 19$