

Subtraction of decimals (1)
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$$\begin{array}{r} 7 \overset{3}{\bullet} \overset{1}{\cancel{4}} 6 \\ - 4 \bullet 1 7 \\ \hline 3 \bullet 2 9 \end{array}$$

Remember to keep the decimal points in a column so they line up under each other.



Try subtracting these:

1. 6.61
 $- 3.34$

2. 6.29
 $- 4.31$

3. 9.91
 $- 4.76$

4. 4.18
 $- 2.42$

5. 8.5
 $- 6.26$

6. 5.1
 $- 2.09$

7. 62.8
 $- 3.98$

8. 81.1
 $- 7.56$

Now try subtracting these, using the same method as above:

9. $5.23 - 3.57$

10. $8.04 - 2.16$

11. $75.4 - 3.8$

12. $84.3 - 5.07$

13. $25.63 - 13.37$

14. $64.93 - 42.86$

15. $55.20 - 8.25$

Write these out in columns so that the decimal points line up under each other.



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Answers

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|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 1. 3.27 | 2. 1.98 | 3. 5.15 | 4. 1.76 |
| 5. 2.24 | 6. 3.01 | 7. 58.82 | 8. 73.54 |
| 9. 1.66 | 10. 5.88 | 11. 71.6 | 12. 79.23 |
| 13. 12.26 | 14. 22.07 | 15. 46.95 | |