Lesson 7

Two-Digit Numbers

Here's How

Find the difference.

Subtract 12 from 25.

\[
\begin{array}{c|c}
\text{tens} & \text{ones} \\
2 & 5 \\
-1 & 2 \\
\hline
1 & 3 \\
\end{array}
\]

First, subtract the ones.

Write the 3 in the ones place of the answer.

Then, subtract the tens.

Write the 1 in the tens place of the answer.

The difference between 25 and 12 is 13.

Try These

Find each difference.

1. \[\begin{array}{c}
89 \\
-34 \\
\hline
55 \\
\end{array}\]

2. \[\begin{array}{c}
53 \\
-21 \\
\hline
32 \\
\end{array}\]

3. \[\begin{array}{c}
42 \\
-32 \\
\hline
10 \\
\end{array}\]

4. \[\begin{array}{c}
57 \\
-26 \\
\hline
31 \\
\end{array}\]

5. \[\begin{array}{c}
74 \\
-31 \\
\hline
43 \\
\end{array}\]

6. \[\begin{array}{c}
68 \\
-32 \\
\hline
36 \\
\end{array}\]

7. \[\begin{array}{c}
39 \\
-18 \\
\hline
21 \\
\end{array}\]

8. \[\begin{array}{c}
25 \\
-10 \\
\hline
15 \\
\end{array}\]

Answers: 1. 55 2. 32 3. 10 4. 31 5. 43 6. 36 7. 21 8. 15