

Subtracting Mixed Numbers

Step 1. Write fractions with a common denominator.

$$5\frac{2}{3} = 5\frac{4}{6}$$

Step 2. Subtract fractional numbers.

$$\begin{array}{r} - \\ 1\frac{1}{2} = \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} - \\ 1\frac{3}{6} \end{array}$$

Step 3. Subtract whole numbers.

$$4\frac{1}{6}$$

Solve.

A.
$$\begin{array}{r} 4\frac{3}{4} \\ - 2\frac{1}{4} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

B.
$$\begin{array}{r} 6\frac{1}{2} \\ - 3\frac{1}{6} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

C.
$$\begin{array}{r} 6\frac{7}{8} \\ - 2\frac{3}{8} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

D.
$$\begin{array}{r} 12\frac{3}{4} \\ - 6\frac{2}{8} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

E.
$$\begin{array}{r} 9\frac{3}{4} \\ - 4\frac{1}{3} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

F.
$$\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ - 3\frac{1}{2} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

G.
$$\begin{array}{r} 9\frac{1}{3} \\ - 6\frac{1}{2} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

H.
$$\begin{array}{r} 12\frac{3}{8} \\ - 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

I.
$$\begin{array}{r} 6\frac{1}{4} \\ - 2\frac{1}{2} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

J.
$$\begin{array}{r} 6\frac{3}{8} \\ - 1\frac{3}{4} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Subtracting Mixed Numbers Answer Key
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- A. $2 \frac{1}{2}$
- B. $3 \frac{1}{3}$
- C. $4 \frac{1}{2}$
- D. $6 \frac{1}{2}$
- E. $5 \frac{5}{12}$
- F. $7 \frac{1}{2}$
- G. $2 \frac{5}{6}$
- H. $6 \frac{3}{8}$
- I. $3 \frac{3}{4}$
- J. $4 \frac{5}{8}$