



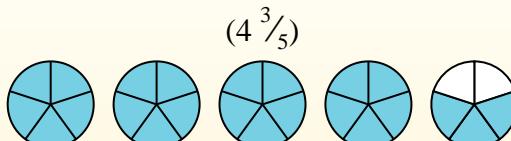
Subtracting Mixed Fractions (visual)

Name: _____

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4) $3 \frac{9}{12} - 1 \frac{5}{12} =$

5) $4 \frac{5}{8} - 1 \frac{5}{8} =$

6) $4 \frac{6}{8} - 2 \frac{6}{8} =$

7) $4 \frac{4}{5} - 2 \frac{4}{5} =$

8) $3 \frac{1}{8} - 1 \frac{3}{8} =$

9) $3 \frac{2}{6} - 1 \frac{5}{6} =$

10) $3 \frac{2}{8} - 1 \frac{2}{8} =$

Answers

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

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Name: **Answer Key**

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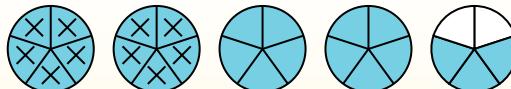
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Answers

1. **$2\frac{7}{10}$**

2. **$5\frac{2}{8}$**

3. **$1\frac{6}{8}$**

4. **$2\frac{4}{12}$**

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