SUBTRACTION BY CROSSING OUT

EXAMPLE: Asha had 12 toys. She gave 5 toys to her brother. How many toys are left with her?

$$\begin{array}{r} 1\ 2 \\ -\ 5 \\ \hline 7 \end{array}$$ toys left

EXAMPLE: Ashok is 8 years old. His sister is 5 years younger to him. How old is she?

$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ -\ 5 \\ \hline 3 \end{array}$$ years

The sister is 3 years old.

The subtraction (−) is called the difference of the numbers. When we subtract, we take away to find the number left.

Exercise 4.1

1. Subtract the numbers.

(a) 3 − 0 = 3

(b) 10 − 10 = 0

(c) 5 − 0 = 5

(d) 15 − 15 = 0

(e) 12 − 0 = 12

(f) 29 − 29 = 0

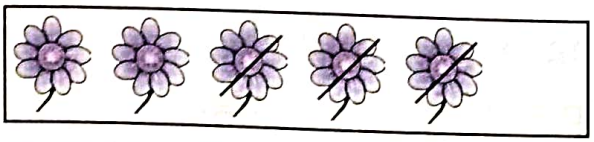
(g) 45 − 0 = 45

(h) 95 − 95 = 0

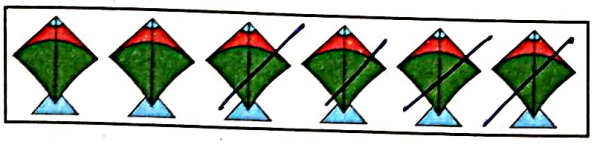
(i) 95 − 0 = 95

(j) 30 − 30 = 0

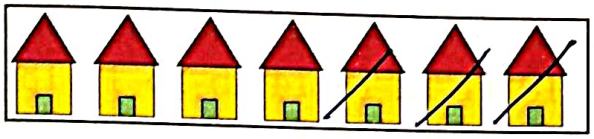
2. Subtract by crossing out.

(a) 

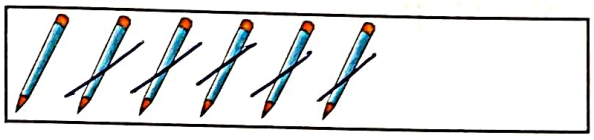
5 – 3 = 2

(b) 

6 – 4 = 2

(c) 

7 – 3 = 4

(d) 

6 – 5 = 1

Taking away from a group is called Subtraction.

SUBTRACTION BY COUNTING BACKWARD

A. Subtraction by counting backward.

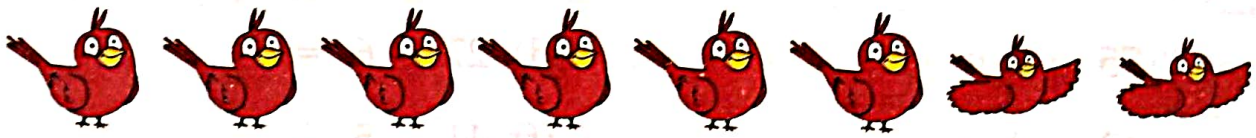
12 – 3 [12] [11] [10] [9] = [9]

9 – 5 [9] [8] [7] [6] [5] [4] = [4]

25 – 4 [25] [24] [23] [22] [21] = [21]

44 – 7 [44] [43] [42] [41] [40] [39] [38] [37] = [37]

B. How many birds are left there after flying two birds?



Total number of birds = 8

Birds left = 8 – 2 = 6