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## Subtracting Fractions

**Directions:** Solve the fractions problems by subtracting the fractions.

1. Jean ran  $3 \frac{1}{4}$  miles. Sheila ran  $4 \frac{2}{5}$  miles. What is the difference between the two total distances?
2. Mr. Kyle has a piece of rope that is  $7 \frac{3}{5}$  meters. He cut a  $2 \frac{4}{10}$  meter piece from the rope. How much rope is left?
3. Bob's Pizza delivered two large pizzas cut into 8 slices each. Mom and dad together ate  $\frac{10}{16}$  of the pizza. What fraction is left? How many slices are left?
4. Cleo has a rock collection that weighs  $4 \frac{1}{8}$  kg. Stan's rock collection weighs  $6 \frac{2}{3}$  kg. How much more did Stan's rock collection weigh?
5. Renee had a bucket with  $16 \frac{3}{4}$  gallons of milk. After a week, only  $4 \frac{3}{8}$  gallons were left. How much milk was used?