

Subtracting Decimals

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Part A: Subtract in columns Line up the decimal points, then subtract.

1.
$$\begin{array}{r} 46.17 \\ - 19.79 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

2.
$$\begin{array}{r} 35.5 \\ - 16.5 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

3.
$$\begin{array}{r} 18.3 \\ - 6.5 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

4.
$$\begin{array}{r} 56.26 \\ - 25.11 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

5.
$$\begin{array}{r} 25.96 \\ - 4.02 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

6.
$$\begin{array}{r} 50.9 \\ - 44.4 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

7.
$$\begin{array}{r} 36.29 \\ - 11.74 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

8.
$$\begin{array}{r} 18.91 \\ - 12.37 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Part B: Line them up yourself Rewrite in columns, adding zeros where needed.

9. $49 - 4.14 =$ _____

10. $30.9 - 14 =$ _____

11. $24.73 - 9.9 =$ _____

12. $30.75 - 2.6 =$ _____

13. $50 - 29.98 =$ _____

14. $44.9 - 40.87 =$ _____

15. $37.2 - 35.13 =$ _____

16. $41.21 - 28.8 =$ _____

17. $42.32 - 12.3 =$ _____

18. $46 - 32.65 =$ _____

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Part A: Subtract in columns Line up the decimal points, then subtract.

$$\begin{array}{r} 1. \quad 46.17 \\ - 19.79 \\ \hline 26.38 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2. \quad 35.5 \\ - 16.5 \\ \hline 19.0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3. \quad 18.3 \\ - 6.5 \\ \hline 11.8 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 4. \quad 56.26 \\ - 25.11 \\ \hline 31.15 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5. \quad 25.96 \\ - 4.02 \\ \hline 21.94 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 6. \quad 50.9 \\ - 44.4 \\ \hline 6.5 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 7. \quad 36.29 \\ - 11.74 \\ \hline 24.55 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 8. \quad 18.91 \\ - 12.37 \\ \hline 6.54 \end{array}$$

Part B: Line them up yourself Rewrite in columns, adding zeros where needed.

$$9. \quad 49 - 4.14 = \underline{44.86}$$

$$10. \quad 30.9 - 14 = \underline{16.9}$$

$$11. \quad 24.73 - 9.9 = \underline{14.83}$$

$$12. \quad 30.75 - 2.6 = \underline{28.15}$$

$$13. \quad 50 - 29.98 = \underline{20.02}$$

$$14. \quad 44.9 - 40.87 = \underline{4.03}$$

$$15. \quad 37.2 - 35.13 = \underline{2.07}$$

$$16. \quad 41.21 - 28.8 = \underline{12.41}$$

$$17. \quad 42.32 - 12.3 = \underline{30.02}$$

$$18. \quad 46 - 32.65 = \underline{13.35}$$