



# Why Was the Little Cow Standing Alone In a Big Field of Beautiful Flowers?

Write the letter of each exercise in the box containing the answer.

**Set 1. Find the difference.**

- (H)  $3 - 8$
- (E)  $-7 - 2$
- (R)  $5 - (-1)$
- (A)  $10 - 3$
- (O)  $-4 - (-9)$
- (H)  $1 - 16$
- (D)  $-6 - (-2)$
- (E)  $12 - (-12)$
- (M)  $-3 - (-7)$
- (H)  $-30 - 20$
- (R)  $20 - 30$
- (T)  $30 - 20$

**Set 2. Find the difference.**

- (E)  $-11 - (-4)$
- (D)  $-6 - 2$
- (R)  $-5 - (-25)$
- (O)  $22 - (-9)$
- (T)  $3 - 14$
- (E)  $-7 - (-1)$
- (A)  $8 - (-13)$
- (O)  $72 - 60$
- (T)  $-100 - (-99)$
- (B)  $-4 - 10$
- (H)  $-3 - (-12)$
- (L)  $50 - 50$

**Set 1 answers:**

-15	-9	-10	-18	4	5	10	-5	24	6	-13	-50	7	-4	-60	-1	31	0	-8	15	9	-6	20	-2	-11	12	3	-14	-7	11	21
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**Set 2 answers:**

**Set 3. Simplify.**

- (T)  $4x - 7x$
- (A)  $-5x - 6x$
- (E)  $10x - x$
- (B)  $3x - (-2x)$
- (D)  $-9x - (-4x)$
- (O)  $-8x - 8x$
- (E)  $18x - 24x$
- (T)  $-x - (-15x)$
- (C)  $9k - 5 - 2k$
- (E)  $7k - (-3k) + 8$
- (U)  $-15k - k - 4$
- (R)  $-1 + 2k - 5k$
- (N)  $10k + 7 - 3k - 11$
- (S)  $-k - 16 + 4k - 9$
- (H)  $8 + 12k - 8k - 5k$
- (N)  $-9 - 6k + 9 - (-2k)$

**Set 3 answers:**

$3k - 25$	$7k - 5$	$9x$	$-4k$	$-6x$	$7k - 2$	$5x$	$-16k - 4$	$-3x$	$16x$	$7k - 4$	$-16x$	$14x$	$-3k + 8$	$-11x$	$-8x$	$-k + 8$	$10k + 8$	$-3k - 1$	$-5x$
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