

# Smart Subtract

Foundational

## Mastering differences of 10

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Use the fingers to help you find the missing numbers.

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1

$$10 - 2 = \boxed{8}$$



What is **10** minus **2** fingers?

2

$$10 - 7 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



What is **10** minus **7** fingers?

3

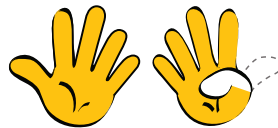
$$10 - 5 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



What is **10** minus **5** fingers?

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$$10 - 1 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



What is **10** minus **1** fingers?

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$$10 - 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



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What is **10** minus **3** fingers?

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$$10 - 10 = \boxed{\phantom{0}}$$



What is **10** minus **10** fingers?

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$$10 - 6 = \boxed{\phantom{0}}$$



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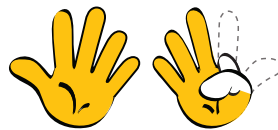
$$10 - 7 = \boxed{3}$$



What is **10** minus **7** fingers?

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$$10 - 2 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



What is **10** minus **2** fingers?

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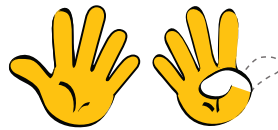
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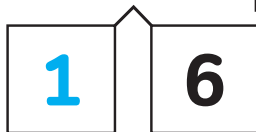
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## The Make 10 Subtraction Strategy

**Think smart** Find the missing numbers by first making 10, then subtracting the rest. Don't count down!

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$$11 - 7 = \boxed{4}$$



This problem can be quickly done.  
Start by first subtracting 1!

2

$$14 - 8 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Thinking smart is nothing more  
than simply first subtracting 4!

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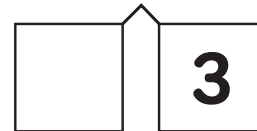
$$15 - 6 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



The answer's easy to derive,  
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$$12 - 5 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Subtracting will be quick to do.  
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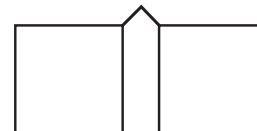
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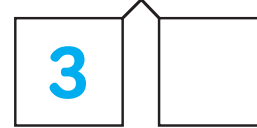
$$11 - 6 = \boxed{5}$$



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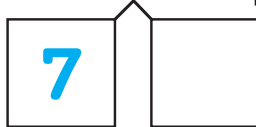
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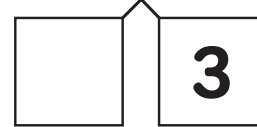
$$17 - 8 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Ten is better than eleven.  
Start subtracting with a 7!

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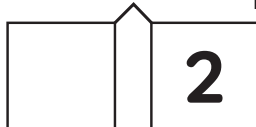
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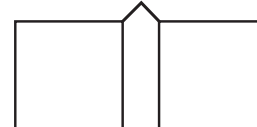
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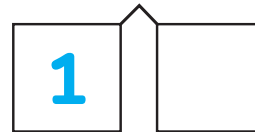
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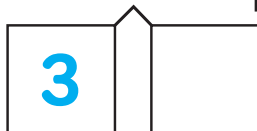
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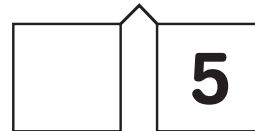
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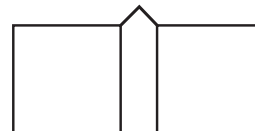
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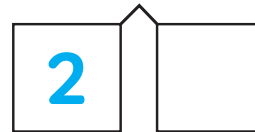
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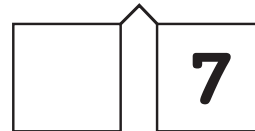
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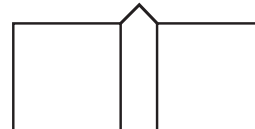
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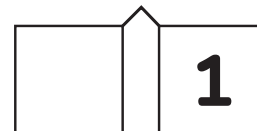
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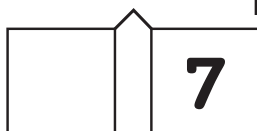
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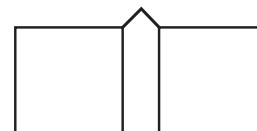
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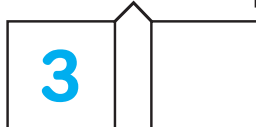
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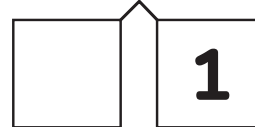
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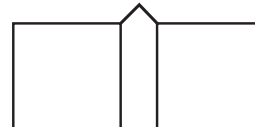
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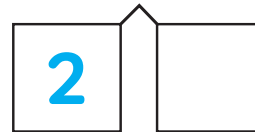
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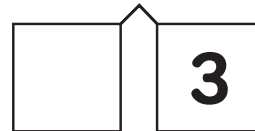
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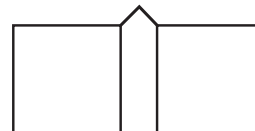
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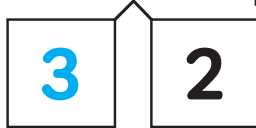
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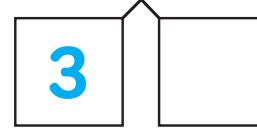
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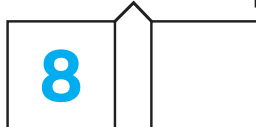
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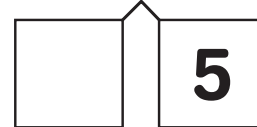
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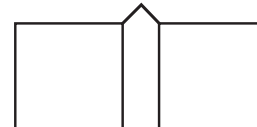
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1

$$84 - 8 = \boxed{76}$$



Make **80**

Subtract  
the rest

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2

$$33 - 6 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make **30**

Subtract  
the rest

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3

$$27 - 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



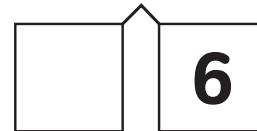
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$$42 - 8 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



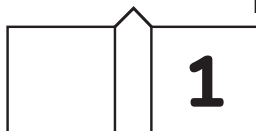
Make **40**

Subtract  
the rest

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5

$$52 - 3 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



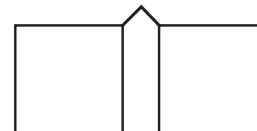
Make **50**

Subtract  
the rest

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$$63 - 5 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make **60**

Subtract  
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$$25 - 8 = \boxed{17}$$



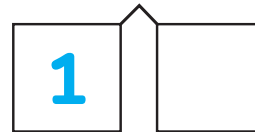
Make 20

Subtract  
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2

$$91 - 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 90

Subtract  
the rest

This problem can be quickly done.  
Start by first subtracting 1!

3

$$45 - 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



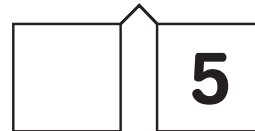
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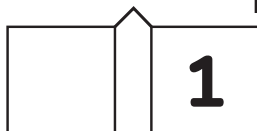
Make 50

Subtract  
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$$86 - 7 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



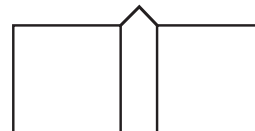
Make 80

Subtract  
the rest

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6

$$36 - 8 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



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the rest

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$$73 - 8 = \boxed{65}$$



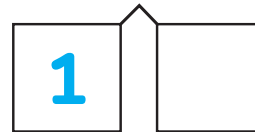
Make 70

Subtract the rest

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2

$$21 - 5 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 20

Subtract the rest

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3

$$44 - 7 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



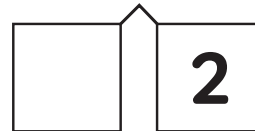
Make 40

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$$61 - 3 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



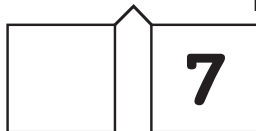
Make 60

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$$82 - 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



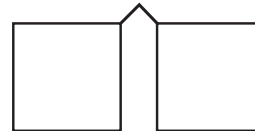
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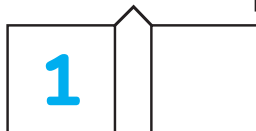
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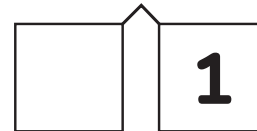
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5

$$54 - 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



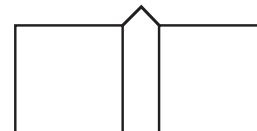
Make 50

Subtract  
the rest

Thinking smart is nothing more  
than simply first subtracting 4!

6

$$73 - 7 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 70

Subtract  
the rest

The answer will be quick to see  
if you first subtract a 3!

# Smart Subtract

Advanced

## The Make 10s Subtraction Strategy

**Think smart** Find the missing numbers by first making a multiple of 10, then subtracting the rest. Don't count down!

1

$$43 - 9 = \boxed{34}$$



Make 40

Subtract the rest

The answer will be quick to see if you first subtract a 3!

2

$$52 - 6 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 50

Subtract the rest

Subtracting will be quick to do. First just take away a 2!

3

$$74 - 5 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



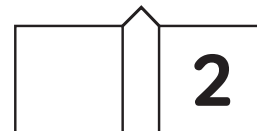
Make 70

Subtract the rest

Thinking smart is nothing more than simply first subtracting 4!

4

$$32 - 4 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 30

Subtract the rest

Subtracting will be quick to do. First just take away a 2!

5

$$21 - 4 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



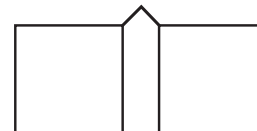
Make 20

Subtract the rest

This problem can be quickly done. Start by first subtracting 1!

6

$$87 - 8 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 80

Subtract the rest

Ten is better than eleven. Start subtracting with a 7!



# Smart Subtract

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## The Make 10s Subtraction Strategy

**Think smart**

Find the missing numbers by first making a multiple of 10, then subtracting the rest. Don't count down!

1

$$98 - 9 = \boxed{89}$$



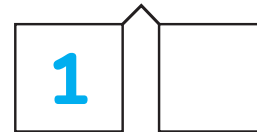
Make 90

Subtract the rest

A strategy that's really great is first to take away an 8!

2

$$91 - 6 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 90

Subtract the rest

This problem can be quickly done. Start by first subtracting 1!

3

$$41 - 7 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



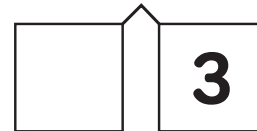
Make 40

Subtract the rest

This problem can be quickly done. Start by first subtracting 1!

4

$$36 - 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



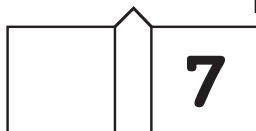
Make 30

Subtract the rest

This problem has an easy fix. Simply first subtract a 6!

5

$$61 - 8 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



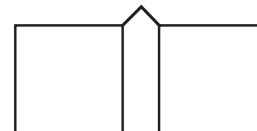
Make 60

Subtract the rest

This problem can be quickly done. Start by first subtracting 1!

6

$$74 - 6 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 70

Subtract the rest

Thinking smart is nothing more than simply first subtracting 4!

# Smart Subtract

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## The Make 10s Subtraction Strategy

**Think smart** Find the missing numbers by first making a multiple of 10, then subtracting the rest. Don't count down!

1

$$82 - 7 = \boxed{75}$$



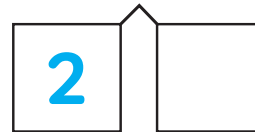
Make 80

Subtract  
the rest

Subtracting will be quick to do.  
First just take away a 2!

2

$$62 - 8 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 60

Subtract  
the rest

Subtracting will be quick to do.  
First just take away a 2!

3

$$34 - 5 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



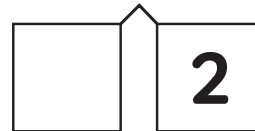
Make 30

Subtract  
the rest

Thinking smart is nothing more  
than simply first subtracting 4!

4

$$96 - 8 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 90

Subtract  
the rest

This problem has an easy fix.  
Simply first subtract a 6!

5

$$53 - 6 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



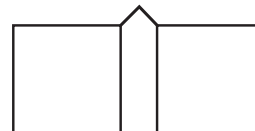
Make 50

Subtract  
the rest

The answer will be quick to see  
if you first subtract a 3!

6

$$72 - 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 70

Subtract  
the rest

Subtracting will be quick to do.  
First just take away a 2!

# Smart Subtract

Advanced

## The Make 10s Subtraction Strategy

**Think smart**

Find the missing numbers by first making a multiple of 10, then subtracting the rest. Don't count down!

1

$$23 - 7 = \boxed{16}$$



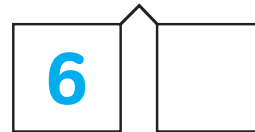
Make 20

Subtract  
the rest

The answer will be quick to see  
if you first subtract a 3!

2

$$96 - 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



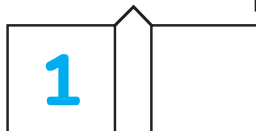
Make 90

Subtract  
the rest

This problem has an easy fix.  
Simply first subtract a 6!

3

$$51 - 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



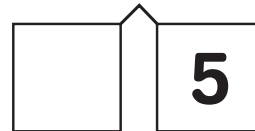
Make 50

Subtract  
the rest

This problem can be quickly done.  
Start by first subtracting 1!

4

$$63 - 8 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



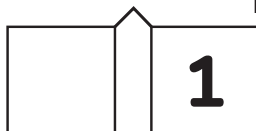
Make 60

Subtract  
the rest

The answer will be quick to see  
if you first subtract a 3!

5

$$45 - 6 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



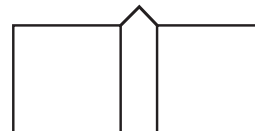
Make 40

Subtract  
the rest

The answer's easy to derive,  
if you first subtract a 5!

6

$$85 - 7 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 80

Subtract  
the rest

The answer's easy to derive,  
if you first subtract a 5!

# Smart Subtract

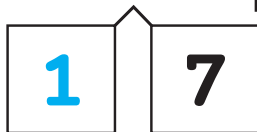
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## The Make 10s Subtraction Strategy

**Think smart** Find the missing numbers by first making a multiple of 10, then subtracting the rest. Don't count down!

1

$$51 - 8 = \boxed{43}$$



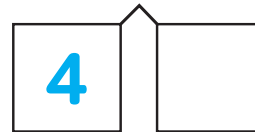
Make 50

Subtract  
the rest

This problem can be quickly done.  
Start by first subtracting 1!

2

$$84 - 6 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 80

Subtract  
the rest

Thinking smart is nothing more  
than simply first subtracting 4!

3

$$44 - 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



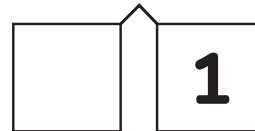
Make 40

Subtract  
the rest

Thinking smart is nothing more  
than simply first subtracting 4!

4

$$32 - 3 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 30

Subtract  
the rest

Subtracting will be quick to do.  
First just take away a 2!

5

$$24 - 7 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



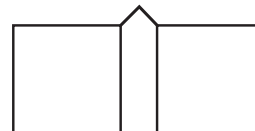
Make 20

Subtract  
the rest

Thinking smart is nothing more  
than simply first subtracting 4!

6

$$71 - 5 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 70

Subtract  
the rest

This problem can be quickly done.  
Start by first subtracting 1!

# Smart Subtract

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## The Make 10s Subtraction Strategy

**Think smart** Find the missing numbers by first making a multiple of 10, then subtracting the rest. Don't count down!

1

$$34 - 8 = \boxed{26}$$



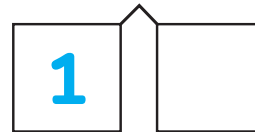
Make 30

Subtract  
the rest

Thinking smart is nothing more than simply first subtracting 4!

2

$$61 - 2 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



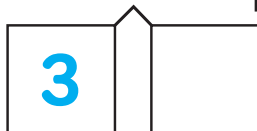
Make 60

Subtract  
the rest

This problem can be quickly done.  
Start by first subtracting 1!

3

$$83 - 9 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



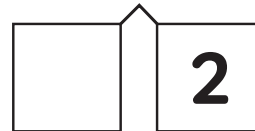
Make 80

Subtract  
the rest

The answer will be quick to see  
if you first subtract a 3!

4

$$23 - 5 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



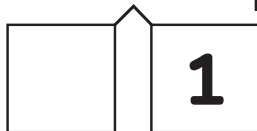
Make 20

Subtract  
the rest

The answer will be quick to see  
if you first subtract a 3!

5

$$55 - 6 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



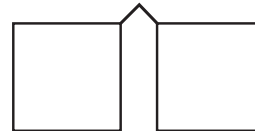
Make 50

Subtract  
the rest

The answer's easy to derive,  
if you first subtract a 5!

6

$$75 - 8 = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$



Make 70

Subtract  
the rest

The answer's easy to derive,  
if you first subtract a 5!