



# Subtract Whole Numbers

CA Standards

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Solve each problem.

1. The botanical gardens have 1,246 plants native to the area and 767 exotic plants from other places. How many more plants are native than exotic?

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3. A total of 2,854 people visited the botanical gardens last month. 1,986 have visited so far this month. How many more visitors must come before the month ends to match last's month's attendance?

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5. Last year the botanical gardens had a total of 15,841 visitors. 8,602 of these visitors came during the summer months. Another 3,017 came in the fall. The gardens are closed in the winter. How many people came in the spring?

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2. Of the 767 exotic plants, 452 of them must live in greenhouses under controlled conditions. How many are grown out-doors?

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4. Of the 2,854 visitors last month, 892 were children and 761 were men. How many women visited the gardens?

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6. There are 1,262 red roses and 948 red tulips in the botanical gardens. There are 659 yellow daffodils and 1,107 white lilies. How many more red flowers are there than yellow and white flowers in the gardens?

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