## Subtracting pairs of fractions

## Sheet 1

Use equivalent fractions to help you to subtract these pairs of fractions.

$$1.\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4}$$

$$2.\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{8}$$

$$3.\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{6}$$

1. 
$$\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4}$$
 2.  $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{8}$  3.  $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{6}$  4.  $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{10}$ 

$$5.\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{8}$$

6. 
$$\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{6}$$

5. 
$$\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{8}$$
 6.  $\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{6}$  7.  $\frac{3}{8} - \frac{1}{4}$  8.  $\frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{6}$ 

$$8.\frac{2}{3}-\frac{1}{6}$$

9. 
$$\frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{10}$$

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 10.  $\frac{4}{5} - \frac{7}{10}$