

Count Up to Subtract

Name: _____

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Numbers to 20 - work the steps from left to right, then write the answer.

How it works: Count Up to Subtract Start at the small number and count up in easy jumps. Your jumps are the answer.

$12 - 8 = \underline{4}$

count up to the next ten

$8 + 2 = \underline{10}$

add the last ones

$\underline{10} + 2 = \underline{12}$

add up your jumps

$2 + 2 = \underline{4}$

1) $11 - 6 = \underline{\quad}$

count up to the next ten

$6 + 4 = \underline{\quad}$

add the last ones

$\underline{\quad} + 1 = \underline{\quad}$

add up your jumps

$4 + 1 = \underline{\quad}$

2) $11 - 7 = \underline{\quad}$

count up to the next ten

$7 + 3 = \underline{\quad}$

add the last ones

$\underline{\quad} + 1 = \underline{\quad}$

add up your jumps

$3 + 1 = \underline{\quad}$

3) $12 - 6 = \underline{\quad}$

count up to the next ten

$6 + 4 = \underline{\quad}$

add the last ones

$\underline{\quad} + 2 = \underline{\quad}$

add up your jumps

$4 + 2 = \underline{\quad}$

4) $11 - 8 = \underline{\quad}$

count up to the next ten

$8 + 2 = \underline{\quad}$

add the last ones

$\underline{\quad} + 1 = \underline{\quad}$

add up your jumps

$2 + 1 = \underline{\quad}$

5) $13 - 8 = \underline{\quad}$

count up to the next ten

$8 + 2 = \underline{\quad}$

add the last ones

$\underline{\quad} + 3 = \underline{\quad}$

add up your jumps

$2 + 3 = \underline{\quad}$

6) $15 - 8 = \underline{\quad}$

count up to the next ten

$8 + 2 = \underline{\quad}$

add the last ones

$\underline{\quad} + 5 = \underline{\quad}$

add up your jumps

$2 + 5 = \underline{\quad}$

7) $13 - 9 = \underline{\quad}$

count up to the next ten

$9 + 1 = \underline{\quad}$

add the last ones

$\underline{\quad} + 3 = \underline{\quad}$

add up your jumps

$1 + 3 = \underline{\quad}$

8) $14 - 9 = \underline{\quad}$

count up to the next ten

$9 + 1 = \underline{\quad}$

add the last ones

$\underline{\quad} + 4 = \underline{\quad}$

add up your jumps

$1 + 4 = \underline{\quad}$



Answer Key

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Every step is filled in. Check your work.

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$$\underline{10} + 2 = \underline{12}$$

add up your jumps

$$4 + 2 = \underline{6}$$

$$4) \quad 11 - 8 = \underline{3}$$

count up to the next ten

$$8 + 2 = \underline{10}$$

add the last ones

$$\underline{10} + 1 = \underline{11}$$

add up your jumps

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count up to the next ten

$$9 + 1 = \underline{10}$$

add the last ones

$$\underline{10} + 3 = \underline{13}$$

add up your jumps

$$1 + 3 = \underline{4}$$

$$8) \quad 14 - 9 = \underline{5}$$

count up to the next ten

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add the last ones

$$\underline{10} + 4 = \underline{14}$$

add up your jumps

$$1 + 4 = \underline{5}$$

