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Fraction Subtraction

a. $\dfrac{7}{10} - \dfrac{3}{10} =$ _____

b. Use the model to complete the equation.

_____ − _____ = _____

c. $\dfrac{11}{12} - \dfrac{8}{12} =$ _____

d. A tailor cut $\dfrac{5}{9}$ of an inch off a dress and $\dfrac{4}{9}$ of an inch off a pair of pants. How much more did the tailor cut off the dress than the pants?

Show your work.

f. Fiona is making a pumpkin pie. She uses $\dfrac{3}{4}$ of a tablespoon of cinnamon and $\dfrac{1}{4}$ of a tablespoon of nutmeg. How much more cinnamon than nutmeg did she use?

Show your work.

answer: _____

Fraction Subtraction

a. $\dfrac{7}{10} - \dfrac{3}{10} = \underline{\dfrac{4}{10} \text{ or } \dfrac{2}{5}}$

d. A tailor cut $\dfrac{5}{9}$ of an inch off a dress and $\dfrac{4}{9}$ of an inch off a pair of pants. How much more did the tailor cut off the dress than the

$\dfrac{}{4} - \dfrac{}{4} = \dfrac{}{4} = \dfrac{}{2}$

answer: $\underline{\dfrac{2}{4} \text{ or } \dfrac{1}{2} \text{ tablespoons}}$

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