

## Simple Subtraction

Addition and subtraction are fundamentals of abacus skills. Practice as many questions as possible so that you will be comfortably doing addition and subtraction without thinking much. Make sure to reset the abacus for every question. Use the right finger to manipulate the beads.

### 2-Number Subtractions (ones column)

<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
2 - 1	3 - 1	4 - 1	6 - 1	7 - 1
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
8 - 1	9 - 1	3 - 2	4 - 2	1 - 1
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>
4 - 3	3 - 3	4 - 4	6 - 5	7 - 5
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
8 - 5	9 - 5	5 - 5	7 - 2	8 - 6
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>
8 - 7	9 - 2	9 - 3	9 - 4	9 - 9
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>
6 - 6	7 - 7	8 - 8	7 - 6	9 - 7

### 3-Number Subtractions (ones column)

<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
3 - 1 - 1	4 - 1 - 2	6 - 1 - 5	8 - 2 1	7 - 5 1
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
5 3 - 2	2 1 - 2	9 - 3 - 5	3 5 - 1	7 - 1 3
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>
8 1 - 4	4 - 3 5	1 3 - 4	6 1 - 1	5 4 - 2
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
2 5 - 6	9 - 5 - 2	7 2 - 6	6 2 - 5	1 8 - 3
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>
2 2 - 2	8 - 7 - 1	9 - 2 - 1	4 5 - 8	4 - 1 5
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>
1 8 - 5	4 - 2 5	7 - 2 - 5	3 1 - 2	9 - 4 2

## Answers : Lesson 5

### 2-Number Subtractions (ones column)

#	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	1	2	3	5	6	7	8	1	2	0
#	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	1	0	0	1	2	3	4	0	5	2
#	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	1	7	6	5	0	0	0	0	1	2

### 3-Number Subtractions (ones column)

#	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	1	1	0	7	3	6	1	1	7	9
#	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	5	6	0	6	7	1	2	3	3	5
#	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	2	0	6	1	8	4	7	0	2	7