Worksheet #8



## **Adding Rational Numbers**

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**Example:** 

$$1\frac{1}{3} + \frac{7}{5} = \frac{41}{15}$$

a)
$$1\frac{1}{2} + \frac{-5}{3} =$$

$$f) \frac{-8}{3} + 1\frac{1}{3} =$$

b)
$$1\frac{2}{3} + \frac{-7}{2} =$$

g)
$$\frac{-9}{7} + 3\frac{1}{2} =$$

c) 
$$1\frac{2}{5} + \frac{-5}{2}$$
 BELIEVE YOUR h)  $\frac{-9}{2} + 2\frac{1}{3} =$ 

d)
$$5\frac{1}{3} + \frac{-5}{3} =$$

i) 
$$\frac{-11}{3} + 3\frac{1}{4} =$$

e) 
$$2\frac{2}{5} + \frac{-7}{2} =$$
 j)  $\frac{-7}{3} + 2\frac{1}{2} =$ 

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Worksheet #8(Answers)



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a) 
$$1\frac{1}{2} + \frac{-5}{3} = \boxed{\frac{1}{6}}$$

$$f) \frac{-8}{3} + 1\frac{1}{3} = -1$$

b)
$$1\frac{2}{3} + \frac{-7}{2} = \boxed{\frac{11}{6}}$$

g)
$$\frac{-9}{7} + 3\frac{1}{2} = \frac{19}{14}$$

c) 
$$1\frac{2}{5} + \frac{-5}{2} = \frac{11}{10}$$
 |  $\frac{11}{2}$  |  $\frac{1}{3}$  =

h) 
$$\frac{-9}{2}$$
 +  $2\frac{1}{3}$  =  $-\frac{1}{6}$ 

d)
$$5\frac{1}{3} + \frac{-5}{3} = 4$$

i) 
$$\frac{-11}{3} + 3\frac{1}{4} = -\frac{13}{12}$$

e) 
$$2\frac{2}{5} + \frac{-7}{2} = \frac{11}{10}$$
 j)  $-\frac{1}{2}$ 

j) 
$$\frac{-7}{3} + 2\frac{1}{2} = -\frac{1}{6}$$