## Adding and Subtracting Fractions with <br> Different Denominators Challenge Cards

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1. Alana bought a box of bananas that weighed $3 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{~kg}$. She bought a box of oranges that weighed $2 \frac{3}{7} \mathrm{~kg}$. How much did the boxes of fruit weigh in all?


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3. Mrs Oh bought a box of construction paper that weighed $6 \frac{1}{4} \mathrm{~kg}$. She bought a box of paints that weighed $5 \frac{7}{8} \mathrm{~kg}$. How much do the art supplies weigh in all?

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2. Mum had a roll of ribbon that was $3 \frac{1}{5} \mathrm{~m}$ long. She cut off $2 \frac{1}{3} \mathrm{~m}$. How much ribbon was left on the roll?


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4. Rogelio ran $4 \frac{1}{6} \mathrm{~km}$ yesterday and $5 \frac{1}{8} \mathrm{~km}$ today.

How many more kilometres did he run today than yesterday?


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6. Blanca had two boxes. One box weighed $3 \frac{1}{5} \mathrm{~kg}$. The other weighed $2 \frac{2}{7} \mathrm{~kg}$. How much more did the first box weigh than the second?


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5. Armando's class recycled $4 \frac{1}{3}$ containers of plastic last month. They recycled $3 \frac{4}{7}$ containers this month. What is the total amount of plastic they recycled?


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7. Liz studied for $4 \frac{1}{2}$ hours on Saturday. She studied for $6 \frac{2}{7}$ hours on Sunday. How many hours did she study in all?

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8. Pierre went $10 \frac{4}{5} \mathrm{~km}$ today. He biked $4 \frac{7}{9}$ of those km. How many km did he not bike?


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9. Caleb bought a box of paper that weighs $9 \frac{2}{8} \mathrm{~kg}$. He bought another box that weighs $6 \frac{4}{5} \mathrm{~kg}$. How much did the two boxes weigh in all?

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10. Rowdy the dog drank $5 \frac{1}{3}$ bowls of water over the weekend. He drank $8 \frac{1}{4}$ bowls during the week. How much more did he drink during the week than over the weekend?

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11. Mr Lamonte was packing his house for a big move. One of the boxes he packed weighed $7 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{~kg}$. Another box weighed $3 \frac{1}{3} \mathrm{~kg}$. How much do the two boxes weigh in all?


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12. Mateo swam $12 \frac{1}{3}$ laps yesterday and $9 \frac{3}{7}$ laps today. How many more laps did he swim yesterday?


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14. Katie bought two Christmas presents to mail to her parents. One present weighed $7 \frac{3}{8} \mathrm{~kg}$. The other weighed $4 \frac{1}{6} \mathrm{~kg}$. How much more did the first gift weigh than the second?


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13. Rishi walked $3 \frac{5}{6} \mathrm{~km}$ this morning. He walked $2 \frac{1}{5}$ more km this evening. How many km did he walk today?


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15. David swam $8 \frac{2}{9} \mathrm{~km}$ on Monday. He swam $7 \frac{1}{7} \mathrm{~km}$ on Tuesday. How many kilometres did he swim in all?


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16. Nathael danced to a song that was $6 \frac{1}{9}$ minutes long. He also danced to a song that was $5 \frac{5}{8}$ minutes long. What is the difference between the length of the songs?

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17. RJ ordered a desk and a chair online. The desk weighs $11 \frac{5}{6} \mathrm{~kg}$. The chair weighs $4 \frac{1}{7} \mathrm{~kg}$. How much will the delivery weigh in all?


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18. Katie grew a sunflower that was $6 \frac{5}{9} \mathrm{~m}$ tall. She cut $1 \frac{1}{3} \mathrm{~m}$. How much of the stem is left?


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19. Althea bought two candles. The first candle weighed $1 \frac{1}{5} \mathrm{~kg}$. The second candle weighed $1 \frac{1}{3} \mathrm{~kg}$. How much do the candles weigh in all?

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20. Xiomara jogged $9 \frac{4}{5} \mathrm{~km}$ last week and $3 \frac{2}{7} \mathrm{~km}$ this week. How many more kilometers did she jog last week?

## Adding and Subtracting Fractions Answers

1. $5 \frac{13}{14} \mathrm{~kg}$
2. $\frac{13}{15} \mathrm{~m}$
3. $12 \frac{1}{8} \mathrm{~kg}$
4. $\frac{23}{24}$ kilometers
5. $7 \frac{19}{21}$ containers
6. $\frac{32}{35}$ boxes
7. $10 \frac{11}{14}$ hours
8. $6 \frac{1}{45}$ kilometers
9. $16 \frac{1}{20} \mathrm{~kg}$
10. $2 \frac{11}{12}$ bowls
11. $10 \frac{5}{6} \mathrm{~kg}$
12. $2 \frac{19}{21}$ laps
13. $6 \frac{1}{30}$ kilometers
14. $3 \frac{5}{24} \mathrm{~kg}$
15. $15 \frac{23}{63}$ kilometers
16. $\frac{35}{72}$ minutes
17. $15 \frac{41}{42} \mathrm{~kg}$
18. $5 \frac{2}{9} m$
19. $2 \frac{8}{15} \mathrm{~kg}$
$20.6 \frac{18}{35}$ kilometers
