

TRADE-FIRST SUBTRACTION

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THINK...
HOW MANY STEPS BEFORE YOU SUBTRACT ??
 (The biggest number has 3 digits so there will be 3 steps.)

WORK LEFT TO RIGHT...TRADE.

STEP 1: TRADE?

THINK...
 IS 400 BIGGER THAN 200?
 YES!!
 MOVE ON.

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STEP 2: TRADE?

THINK...
 IS 60 BIGGER THAN 70? NO!!
 MAKE A TRADE.

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STEP 3: TRADE?

THINK...
 IS 3 BIGGER THAN 8? NO!!
 MAKE A TRADE.

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FINAL STEP:
 SUBTRACT IN COLUMNS

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