

Example: Solve 642 - 379 using the left to right method

$$642 - 379 = ?$$

Subtract the 100's: $642 - 300 = 342 \rightarrow$

Subtract the 10's: $342 - 70 = 272 \rightarrow$

Subtract the 1's: $272 - 9 = 263 \rightarrow$

$$642$$

$$- \underline{300}$$

$$342$$

$$- \underline{70}$$

$$272$$

$$- \underline{9}$$

$$263$$

$$642 - 379 = 263$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 744 \\ - 607 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 744 \\ - 600 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 144 \\ - 7 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 137 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 985 \\ - 898 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 985 \\ - 800 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 185 \\ - 90 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 95 \\ - 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 87 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 700 \\ - 213 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 700 \\ - 200 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 500 \\ - 10 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 490 \\ - 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 487 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 309 \\ - 278 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 309 \\ - 200 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 109 \\ - 70 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 39 \\ - 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 31 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 919 \\ - 442 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 919 \\ - 400 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 519 \\ - 40 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 479 \\ - 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 477 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 864 \\ - 269 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 864 \\ - 200 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 664 \\ - 60 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 604 \\ - 9 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 595 \end{array}$$